

# TOGO'S VICTORY THURSDAY EASES JAP NAVAL POSITION

### It is Now Probable That the Islanders Will Bring the Campaign to a Quick Close, Waters of Port Arthur Are Completely Dominated by the Ships of the Mikado, Sufficient Troops Before the Fortress to Capture It Seems a Certainty.

## DEFEAT HAS FOLLOWED DEFEAT

### Military Critics in England Believe That the Japanese Cannot Fail to Win the Forthcoming Battle—Kurapatkin Is Handicapped by Nature of His Position, With His Flanks and Rear Exposed and His Mobile Adversary Is Moving Forward on All Roads and Trails That Converge Upon His Location—Thursday's Battle Hardest Blow Russians Have Received, Loss Being Sixteen Thousand, According to Reports Received

TOKIO, June 25.—Admiral Togo's victory at Port Arthur Thursday greatly eases the naval situation from the Japanese point of view and enhances the likelihood that the islanders will force the campaign to a quick close. He asserts that he expects the military consul to no longer delay the dispatch since the waters of Port Arthur appear to be effectively dominated by the mikado's ships. In the event it should be possible to catch Kurapatkin's army at Hai Cheng and dispose of it in a few weeks it is not thought that the storming of Port Arthur will take place until afterwards. There are probably sufficient troops before the fortress to capture it, but General Oku is not available at present for the command. The Japanese regard it as advisable at present for the command. The Japanese regard it as advisable that his skill and experience should be enlisted in the enterprise.

## RUSSIANS BENUMBED BY THE DISASTERS

ST. PETERSBURG, June 25.—Disaster has followed disaster in the far east until the Russians are so benumbed that the latest blow struck by the Japanese at Port Arthur makes but a slight appreciable impression. Officials, ever ready with bright visions in the face of black events, say that Admiral Togo's exploit leaves the final issue untouched, but public opinion relapses into exasperated silence.

The majority of the general staff, depending on dispatches from the front, believes that Kurapatkin, while in the midst of gathering dangers that could scarcely be exaggerated, is keeping a way open for escape. What the Japanese are obviously striving to accomplish is the destruction of the Russian army south of the defensive positions Kurapatkin labored so long to complete about Liao Yang. Unofficial observers regard the fate of the Russians as almost sealed.

## CRITICS BELIEVE THE JAPS WILL GET BATTLE

LONDON, June 25.—Military critics in touch with the ablest strategic minds in Pall Mall believe the Japanese can not fail to win the forthcoming battle on the Liao Tung peninsula, when the opposing armies really try conclusions there. They are equal to the Japanese in numbers, quality of officers, troops and artillery, all of which are regarded as conditions contrary to fact, would still be fatally handicapped by the nature of his position.

"When a general's flanks and rear lie exposed," said Colonel MacKinnon Gore, to the Publishers Press correspondent this morning, "the only possible policy prudence dictates is that of retreat. Whether Kurapatkin is sufficiently skilled to execute a retreat is a question of the gravest doubt. His mobile adversary, moving forward unimpeded along all the roads and mountain trails that converge upon the Russian position are likely to prove irresistible. Their field artillery demolished, the myth borne of the Boer war that the magazine rifle has rendered the heavy gun obsolete, their proof at the Yalu, Kin Chow and Tailsisa battles that their rapid fire leaves a defending foe in no position to resist an infantry attack, they have also proved that the reputed invincibility of the Cossacks does not bear the test of war. The Muscovite expedition of hurling forward a compact force against the Japanese center in reply to the banking tactics of Kurapatkin promises nothing but disaster to his assailants."

## THURSDAY'S BATTLE HARDEST BLOW YET

CHICAGO, June 25.—The following special cable to the Daily News is from a staff correspondent:  
TIENTSIN, June 25.—Officers arriving at New Chungang from the front say that the battle fought on Thursday at Simenting, about forty miles east of Kai Ping, was the hardest blow the Russians have yet received. The Muscovites lost, according to these accounts, 16,000 in killed, wounded, missing and prisoners. That the Russian retreat did not turn into a rout was due to the dogged bravery of the

## OVER SEVEN HUNDRED LOSE THEIR LIVES

ROME, June 25.—A cable dispatch to the newspaper Giornale, from its far eastern correspondent, states that the Russian Admiral Uchtumsky and seven hundred and fifty men lost their lives as a result of the sinking of the Russian battleship Peresviet by the Japanese torpedo destroyer flotilla last Thursday.

## HONORS ABOUT EVEN

ST. PETERSBURG, June 25.—The complete report of General Sakharoff was made public last night and shows that during the last four days there have been a number of skirmishes between the Russians and the Japanese, with honors about even. The Japanese column which occupied Siando last week, according to the report, were later driven out by the Russians and but for the coming up of their reserve column, would have been completely annihilated. On June 25, several severe skirmishes took place near Siakotung, in which the Russians were for the most part victors. The Japanese are now reported to be south of Eritaku.

## BOOMING OF BIG GUNS

CHEFOO, June 25, 11 p. m.—There was firing at Port Arthur last night, June 24, and today. The booming of big guns was distinctly heard here tonight. Eighteen Japanese transports have been seen going west along the Korean coast.

## NO TROOPS AT LIAO YANG

ROME, June 25.—Liao Yang is almost denuded of troops as a result of the Russian retrograde movement, says a Tien Tsin correspondent of the Daily News. Two divisions of the Japanese are reported to be in the vicinity and are expected shortly to occupy the place.

## OIL CITY OBJECTS TO PRESENT PLAN

The People Want the Channel on the West Bank and Will Have It

BEAUMONT, June 25.—The chamber of commerce this afternoon instructed its secretary to write Congressman Cooper and request him to try and stop the proposed dredging of deep water channels in accordance with the government appropriation. The bill calls for the channel on the west bank of the lake and the people of Beaumont are determined to have it there.

## CHESS TOURNAMENT FOR SILVER CUP

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, June 25.—The state chess tournament is to be held here July 4, 5 and 6. There are many entries so far from Dallas, Fort Worth, Houston, Waco. The contest will be for the silver cup offered by the Dallas State Fair and won by S. M. Furman of Fort Worth last October.

## FIERCE FIGHTING IS BELIEVED AT PORT ARTHUR

### Booming of the Big Guns Has Been Heard Hourly From Friday Until Sunday Dawn

CHEFOO, June 26.—News is expected hourly of the result of the fierce fighting which it is now certain took place about Port Arthur on Friday and Saturday. The booming of the big guns which has been heard at intervals since Friday morning ceased at dawn this (Sunday) morning and it is believed the Japanese have withdrawn from the inner port of Port Arthur harbor. Experts here believe that the Russians are securely bottled up in the harbor and that none of the Port Arthur squadron will ever succeed in reaching Vladivostok. It is claimed by those who should know that the result of the attempt to escape on Thursday last was ill advised. The fleet should have slipped out of the harbor and covered the entrance to the harbor with a second line of torpedo boats and behind them the massive bulwarks of the Japanese fleet, the armored cruisers and battleship division. Admiral Togo has all of his plans perfected for the frustration of any attempt of the Russians to elude the blockade, and even if a solitary vessel should succeed in gaining the open sea, she would probably be overtaken by a and cruiser division, which is believed to be hidden off the Korean coast in the Yellow sea.

## FEUD BREAKS OUT IN OLD BREATHT

Kentucky Mountain Region Is Threatened With Another War Between Factions

LEXINGTON, Ky., June 25.—Breathitt county is on the verge of another bloody feud war. Mack White, the only eyewitness to the killing of Bob Chaney by Shad Saleys, was shot in the back and killed by an unknown assassin while hoeing a corn field. Sheriff Callahan summoned a posse and with his famous bloodhound, Nick Carter, followed the trail of the slayer to the home of Jim Saleys a son of Shad, five miles away over the mountains. Friends of Saleys warned the officers not to cross Cane creek, threatening certain death if they did, but the posse pressed on.

## A STARTER ON THE RETRENCHMENT

BEAUMONT, Texas, June 25.—The Texas and New Orleans will on tomorrow pull off a half dozen train crews and also relegate some clerks to the rear as a local starter on its policy of retrenchment.

## PRESIDENT PREPARING FOR DISPLAY OF FORCE AGAINST TURKEY

WASHINGTON, June 25.—The president and secretary of state are now preparing the necessary instructions for a demonstration of force against Turkey. The orders will be transmitted to Admiral Barker. The battleships Missouri and Illinois and the Mayfield, will also join the fleet about or Trieste. The release of Perdicaris and Varley removed the necessity of retaining warships at Tangier.

## WASHINGTON FORECAST

For East Texas—Partly cloudy Sunday; showers and cooler in the interior; Monday, partly cloudy; showers and cooler on the coast; fresh southwest winds shifting to north.  
For Western Texas—Showers Sunday; Monday, fair, warmer.  
For Oklahoma—Showers Sunday; warmer in afternoon; Monday, fair and warmer.  
Arkansas and Kansas—Thunder showers and cooler Sunday; Monday, fair and warmer.

## THE TAX SYSTEM TO BE CHANGED

LONDON, June 25.—The special parliamentary commission of the French chamber has elaborated a scheme for an income tax which will soon be presented before the chamber as a bill, together with which will come the abolition of other taxes on which the state income now largely depends. Among these are, first, the tax paid by tenants on the houses or apartments which they rent, averaging about 16 per cent of the price paid; and that on doors and windows, which is insignificant, amounting generally to only a dollar or two a year. The income tax of 3 per cent, which will be substituted for these two producing only \$4,000,000, will be supplemented by an increase of the tax on unimproved land and another on mortgages.

## OKLAHOMA OPPOSED TO TEXAS LEAGUE

There Was Danger of a Conflict With the Southwestern Combination

## KAISER THREATENS MONROE DOCTRINE

### People of the Fatherland Are in Strength in Some South American Countries

## RETAIN ALL CUSTOMS

### The Pan-German Propaganda Will Keep Alive Interests of Kaiser's Realm

LONDON, June 25.—An exhaustive study of Pan-Germanism has just been completed by an Englishman well known to the writer of this dispatch. His general conclusion is that Pan-Germanism is an exceedingly vital principle and presents one of the great forces of the twentieth century.

## TO BUY ASPHALT PLANT AT AUCTION

BEAUMONT, Texas, June 25.—General Samuel B. Carnes and associates have made arrangements to purchase the Central Asphalt and Refining Company plant at Port Neches when it is sold under the hammer, August 2. They will invest an extra million in refitting the plant. This is the plant in which Charles A. Towne and a score of politicians were interested.

## MILES AND JONES WILL BE TICKET

Retired Major General and a Preacher Is the Prohibition National Ticket

CHICAGO, June 25.—For president, General Nelson A. Miles; for vice president, Samuel P. Jones.

## DAMAGE IN ALABAMA

MOBILE, Ala., June 25.—Great damage has been done to growing crops throughout the state by lack of rain. Truck farmers especially, are suffering as their crops are practically destroyed. This city is feeling the drought on account of the shortage of water supply which has made it necessary for the mayor to prohibit the use of water for sprinkling or flushing the sewers.

## CAUGHT UNDER TENTS

BOSTON, June 25.—A sudden and terrific thunder storm burst over Boston and the surrounding portions of Massachusetts tonight and during the short time it lasted did damage estimated at upwards of \$150,000. No lives were lost but more than a hundred people were injured.

## OVER A THOUSAND IS LIST OF DEAD

NEW YORK, June 25.—The first accurate count of the number of persons who lost their lives in the General Slocum disaster was completed by the police department tonight. Inspector Schmitzberger, who has charge of the enumeration, submitted a report showing that 1,031 are dead as a result of the catastrophe. Ninety-three are still missing from their homes and these undoubtedly lost their lives. This number added to the total of known dead gives the count of 1,021.

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## STORM DAMAGE IN KANSAS IS HEAVY

TOPEKA, Kan., June 25.—A severe rain storm, in some instances followed by hail, swept almost the entire state of Kansas last night and today. The rivers are again swollen and out of their banks and great damage has been done to crops. The rainfall ranged from one to four inches, a majority of towns reporting in excess of two inches. At Gypsum the water was five feet deep and the first floors of nearly every residence and store in the town are under water.

## THE ASSESSMENTS OF RAILROADS

Dallas County Raises the Figures Which Are Given in by Them

DALLAS, Texas, June 25.—The various railroads having trackage in Dallas county have just rendered the estimated value of their property per mile to County Tax Assessor W. S. Ferguson. The assessments of the various roads are made according to the amount of real estate, including depots, located in the county operated in the state to the Dallas county assessor. This estimate, when approved by the board, is forwarded to the state comptroller at Austin, who apportions the same and sends each county its proportionate amount. The rolling stock assessment of the Texas and Pacific and the Missouri, Kansas and Texas is as follows:

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In the neighborhood of Luray, the hail was more than a foot deep and the crop will be a total loss.

## DALLAS VALUES TO BE VERY LARGE

DALLAS, Texas, June 25.—According to the estimates made by the city tax collector the total assessable values for Dallas will be in the neighborhood of \$35,000,000 this year. It will be several months, at least, before the rolls are completed, but this estimate is arrived at by a consideration of the work already accomplished.

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Texas and Pacific, 31 miles ..... \$1,573,693  
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Houston and Texas Central, 2 1/2 miles ..... 9,865 per mile  
Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe, 42 and 52-100 miles ..... 8,030 per mile  
Texas and New Orleans, 19 and 80-100 miles ..... 6,500 per mile  
Red River, Texas and Southern, 2 and 70-100 miles ..... 5,000 per mile  
St. Louis and Southwestern, 15 and 22-100 miles ..... 6,000 per mile  
Total ..... \$5,395

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The annexation of Oak Cliff will add approximately \$1,250,000 in assessable values to the Greater Dallas rolls and several smaller suburbs that have been included within the city limits recently will swell the grand total.

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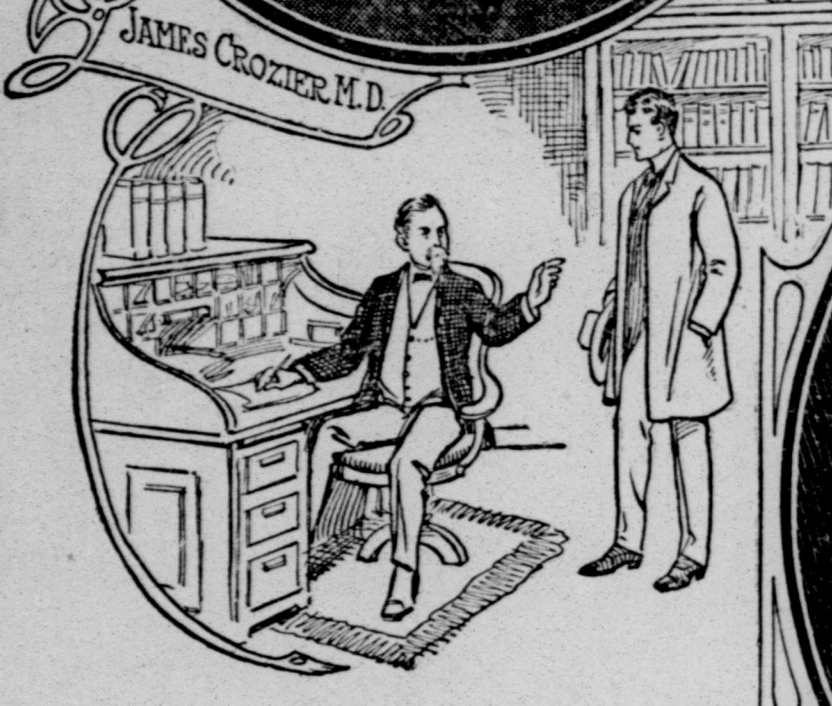
PROMINENT PHYSICIANS PRESCRIBE PE-RU-NA.

Dr. M. C. Gee, of San Francisco, Says, "Pe-ru-na is of Especial Benefit to Women."



James Crozier, M. D., formerly U. S. Pension Office Medical Examiner, formerly on the Medical Board of Referee, U. S. Pension Office, in a recent letter from Washington, D. C., writes: "I have often prescribed Peruna in my practice for catarrh trouble, and after giving it a fair test I can cheerfully recommend your valuable remedy, and for coughs, colds and catarrh in its worst stages. It is one of the best tonics I have ever prescribed."—Dr. James Crozier.

A constantly increasing number of physicians prescribe Peruna in their regular practice. It has proven its merits so thoroughly that even the doctors have overcome their prejudice against so-called patent medicines and recommended it to their patients. Peruna occupies a unique position in medical science. It is the only internal systemic catarrh remedy known to the medical profession to-day. Catarrh, as every one will admit, is the cause of one-half the diseases which afflict mankind. Catarrh and catarrhal diseases afflict one-half of the people of the United States.



Dr. A. P. Bogue, formerly Professor of Anatomy at Howard University, writes from the Bureau of Education, Washington, D. C., as follows: "I have used Peruna in several cases of catarrh and have found it an excellent remedy. I can honestly recommend it to the public as an excellent remedy for catarrh and colds."—A. P. Bogue, M. D.

Catarrh may invade any organ of the body; may destroy any function of the body. It most commonly attacks the head, nose and throat, but thousands upon thousands of cases of catarrh of the lungs, stomach, kidneys, bladder and other pelvic organs have been cured by Peruna. Peruna is able to cure catarrh wherever it may be located by its direct action upon the mucous membranes. Catarrh means inflamed mucous membranes. Peruna acts at once to cleanse and invigorate the catarrhal condition of the mucous membrane, no matter where it may occur in the body. Its action is the same on the mucous lining of the nose as on the mucous lining of the bowels. It cures the catarrhal inflammation wherever it may occur. Dr. R. Robbins, Muskogee, I. T., writes: "Peruna is the best medicine I know of for cough and to strengthen a weak stomach and to give appetite. Besides prescribing it for catarrh, I have ordered it for weak and debilitated people, and have not had a patient but said it helped him. It is an excellent medicine and it fits so many cases. "I have a large practice, and have a chance to prescribe your Peruna. I

hope you may live long to do good to the sick and suffering." We say Peruna cures catarrh. The people say Peruna cures catarrh. Prominent men and women all over the United States from Maine to California do not hesitate to come out in public print to say that Peruna is what it is recommended to be, an internal, systemic catarrh remedy that cures catarrh wherever it may be located. Dr. M. C. Gee's Experience. Dr. M. C. Gee is one of the physicians who indorse Peruna. In a letter written from 513 Jones street, San Francisco, Cal., he says: "There is a general objection on the part of the practicing physician to advocate patent medicines, but when any one medicine cures hundreds of people it demonstrates its own value and does not need the indorsement of the profession. "Peruna has performed so many wonderful cures in San Francisco that I am convinced that it is a valuable remedy. I have frequently advised its use for women, as I find it insures regular and painless menstruation, cures leucorrhoea and ovarian troubles, and builds up the entire system. I also consider it one of the finest catarrh remedies I know of. I heartily indorse your medicine."—M. C. Gee, M. D.

SUMMER UNIFORMS FOR POLICE HERE. The long expected summer uniforms for the police department have arrived, and

after next Monday, when the clothes will be delivered to the officers, these gentlemen will be in evidence at any time with out-thrown chest and jaunty air, strolling along and winking at the sun. The uniforms reached A. & L. August,

Advertisement for J. B. Burnside hardware store. Text: "If You Are In Need of Any HARDWARE. Call at the Old Stand, 513-515 Houston Street, where you'll find a full line of. Refrigerators, Ice Cream Freezers, Garden Hose, Lawn Mowers, Gasoline Stoves, Water Coolers, Screen Doors, the Celebrated Marion Harland Coffee Pot, and in fact, everything kept in a first-class Hardware Store. J. B. BURNSIDE"

PYTHIANS ARE TO HAVE MEMORIAL HERE TODAY

Lodges in This City and North Fort Worth Will Have Services This Evening

Tonight promptly at 8 o'clock the members of the Knights of Pythias lodges in Fort Worth and North Fort Worth will assemble in the Pythian castle hall for the purpose of holding memorial services. Visiting Knights are also requested to attend. The following program will be carried out: Opening of the lodge convention by the chancellor commander, P. A. C. S. McCarty of Ruby 93; prayer by the prelate, R. J. Harwood of Red Cross No. 14; hymn by the choir, Messrs. Rall, Reddick, Haggart and Hoffman; reading of a few selections from the Book of Law by the prelate; oration by Rev. J. S. Myers of Red Cross No. 14; memorial ceremonies by Knights. At this point the Knights will give way to the members of Eleanor Temple No. 25, order of Rathbone Sisters, who will conduct their memorial services, which are similar to those of the Knights. Officers of the memorial services are as follows: C. S. McCarty of Ruby No. 93, chancellor commander; J. S. Bond of Alexander 249, vice chancellor; R. J. Harwood of Red Cross No. 14, prelate; R. Y. Priemore of Queen City 21, master of finance; C. A. Hickman of Marine 339, master of exchequer; C. Carb of Alexander 249, keeper of records and seal; T. McDonald of Red Cross No. 14, master at arms; Phil Becker of Queen City 21, inner guard; Phil M. Hunt of Ruby No. 93, outer guard; J. S. Myers of Red Cross No. 14, orator; Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Douglas, organists; quartet choir, Messrs. Rall, Reddick, Haggart and Hoffman. List of Officers of Eleanor Temple No. 25, order of Rathbone Sisters, who will preside at memorial services: Mrs. Flora Hart, most excellent chief; Mrs. Esther Colton, senior; Mrs. Ada Wares, junior; Mrs. Ada Clemmons, manager; Mrs. Allie Johnson, mistress of records and correspondence; Mrs. Ella McDonald, mistress of finance; Mrs. Emma Sawyer, protector; Mrs. Julia Gernsbacher, guard; Mrs. Eva Cook, past chief; address, Brother George B. Johnson; organist, Mrs. Douglas; vocal selection, Mrs. Henry Condon. The members of Fort company No. 2, Uniform Rank, Knights of Pythias, will appear in uniform to take part in the services. After the Rathbone Sisters have concluded their services the Knights will close the exercises.

TEXAS CROPS IN BEST CONDITION

A. M. Hall of the Kity Talks of the Excellent Prospects in This State Just Now

PEOPLE ARE SATISFIED Because of Good Indications Many Will Visit the St. Louis World's Fair

A. M. Hall, traveling passenger agent of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas, is here today from a trip to South Texas. He says the Katy is having as much as it can do already to properly care for the business from the state to St. Louis on account of the World's Fair, and that prospects indicate a very much increased travel during the remaining months of the exposition. He accounts for the good movement the fact that crops in Texas this year were never more flattering and as a consequence everybody who possibly can, are taking advantage of excellent prospects to visit the great fair. Mr. Hall says he notices that farmers are diversifying their crops, and places where cotton has been extensively grown in years past, is giving way to a certain degree to increased corn acreage. He says he has never seen such "flourishing" corn prospects even in the fertile Mississippi valley. Not only is corn being largely grown in cotton districts, but more acreage has been planted in other sections this year. He looks, with a favorable season, for one of the largest corn yields in the history of Texas. Take conditions generally, Mr. Hill says, they were never more flattering than now. This of course means business for the railroads and of course this fact brings a broad smile over the face of the hustling railroad representative. MEETING OF DIRECTORS The board of directors of the Red River, Texas and Southern railroad company held a meeting in Vice President Pickinger's office in the Frisco building yesterday, for the purpose of further considering consolidation matters that have been heretofore discussed. The meeting was presided over by Judge H. D. McDonald of Paris, general solicitor for the Frisco in Texas. Plans for carrying out

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the provisions of the merger were given consideration, but when adjournment had been taken no definite conclusion was arrived at and another meeting of the board will be held to settle the matter. Asked as to what was done Vice President Pickinger declined to make a statement until the consolidation plans have been fully determined by the directors. It is understood that the consolidation will soon be effected.

NEW SERVICE TODAY Beginning today the Katy will inaugurate train service over the Granger branch to Austin, with a double daily service each way.

The Katy Flyer leaving Fort Worth tonight will reach Austin tomorrow morning at 5:35. Returning will arrive in this city at 8:10 the following morning. The other train will depart from Fort Worth at 8:20 a. m. and returning reach here at 8:15 p. m.

NEW PLACE FOR CUSHING E. B. Cushing will become superintendent of the Harriman lines in Louisiana, effective July 15. He is at the present time chief engineer of maintenance of way for the Southern Pacific, headquarters at Houston. After July 15 his office will be at New Orleans.

A. V. Kellogg will become Mr. Cushing's successor. Mr. Kellogg will be succeeded by Resident Engineer Cottingham of the El Paso division of the line, headquarters at El Paso.

TO EXTEND NORTHERN RAILWAY Contracts are being closed for the steel to be used in extending the Northern Railway of Guatemala, the concession for which was recently granted to Sir William Van Horne for an American-Cannadian syndicate. It is proposed in due course of time to run a branch from a convenient point between the coast and the city of Guatemala to a point on the Mexican frontier in the state of Chiapas, probably in the Tapachula district.

DIVISION HEADQUARTERS REMOVED The government of the state of Durango has entered into a formal agreement or contract with the Mexican Central railroad company for the removal of division headquarters from Jimico to Gomez. The state has granted the railroad a valuable tract of land for the shops and yards at Gomez, which is the junction point of the main line of the Central and the branch running to Monterey.

THE COSTA RICA WRECK Information has been received here of the wreck of the Leyland company's steamer Costa Rica, which went ashore near Kingston. The vessel sailed from Colon June 14 for Kingston, Jamaica and Vera Cruz, Mexico, and is now reported lying in a dangerous position. In all probability the vessel and cargo will be a total loss. The passengers were taken from the vessel in safety, none being lost or injured.

GOES WITH THE ROCK ISLAND W. L. Ketcham, who has been rate clerk for the El Paso and Northwestern railroad company, has been appointed to a similar position with the Rock Island headquarters at Chicago, effective July 1.

OPENING OF LODGES The management of the Denver road announces that the famous Shawnee and Kiowa lodges, located in beautiful Platte canon, Colorado, are to be opened for their sixth season beginning Sunday, July 3, and that their operation will be under the jurisdiction of E. A. Thayer, manager of the Colorado and Southern hotel system, as caterer, his without a peer. These attractive hotels have been immensely popular since first erected, and it is stated that inquiries which are being made are indicative that the capacities of both lodges will be taxed to take care of the increased number of guests this season.

NOTES AND PERSONALS The Katy will sell coach excursion tickets June 28 at the round trip rate to St. Louis of \$19.50. All lines out of Fort Worth have put on the same rate. General Passenger Agent Tuley of the Frisco has returned from a trip to St. Louis. Colonel L. J. Polk is in the city from Galveston.

HAS STOOD THE TEST 25 YEARS. GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC. The first and original tasteless chill tonic. 50 cents. Mother's Bread, every loaf is stamped with a tag, with every 100 tags you get a layer cake. This is something that will pay you to investigate. The Model Bakery, 609 Houston street.

TO DEDICATE THE CHURCH BUILDING

Rosen Heights Methodists Will Have an Interesting Service Today

The Rosen Heights Methodist Episcopal church will be dedicated today. At 11 a. m. the dedicatory sermon will be preached by Rev. R. L. Selle, presiding elder of this district. Communion service will also be observed at this time. At 3 p. m. the rite of baptism will be administered to applicants and Rev. J. F. Bovee will preach the sermon. At 5 p. m. the Epworth League holds its devotional service, and at 8 p. m. the sermon will be delivered by George E. Nies. There will be good music at all of these services. A hearty welcome to all. The third quarterly conference held its business session in the church last night. Several changes were made in the board of stewards. Two new members were added to the board of trustees.

Dr. Stiles, zoologist of the United States marine hospital service, says the degraded condition of the so-called "poor whites" of the South is largely due to a parasitic disease.

A FRIGHTENED HORSE Running like mad down the street, dumping the occupants, or a hundred other accidents, are every day occurrences. It behooves everybody to have a reliable Salve handy and there's none as good as Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Burns, Cuts, Sores, Eczema and Piles disappear quickly under its soothing effect. 25c at Matt S. Blanton & Co.'s, and W. J. Fisher's drug stores.

MANNING'S POWDER Will Cure Itching Piles Without Fail. Icing Price 25 Cents. PANGBURN SELLS IT.

W. E. Stripling THE PRICE IS THE THING.

Bargain Satisfaction For Monday

No disappointments—no over-pricing of goods—but bargain prices, based on actual market value of goods—prices that we expect you to tell your friends about. We want to treat you right and make right at all times when anything is not right.

SERVED FREE to every person, whether you buy or not—Cold Phosphates—Drinks of Orange, Mint or Wild Cherry, on MONDAY.

NAPKINS—HOUSEWIVES, FOR YOU This special bargain (Samples) of course, but better for that—and that's our reason for giving it at this time. A lot of SAMPLE NAPKINS, fine ones, that we bought at a bargain of a third off—bargains you can afford to lay away. \$6.00 a dozen Napkins for \$4.00 \$5.00 a dozen Napkins for \$3.50 \$4.50 a dozen Napkins for \$3.00 \$3.00 a dozen Napkins for \$2.00 \$2.25 a dozen Napkins for \$1.50 \$2.00 a dozen Napkins for \$1.25 \$1.50 a dozen Napkins for \$1.00 \$1.25 a dozen Napkins for 75c

WASH GOODS—SAMPLE PRICED Brown Linen for Suits—Not samples, but priced to go with the rest Monday, because every one needs linen at this time. Two different Brown Linens, both bargains at 35c; sample priced Monday 25c Another bargain in special Brown Linen, sample priced—a 30-inch 25c Linen at 20c Colored Linens, in stripes and solid colors, silk effects; colors, dark blue, rich reds, steel grays, pinks, champagne, all 36 inches wide 25c 5c Lawns for 3 1/2c 10c and 15c Organdies, short lengths 5c 20c Batiste 12 1/2c 12 1/2c and 10 Lawns 7 1/2c 15c 32-inch Chambrays, in solid colors, pinks, blues, lavender, tans and grays, at per yard 8 1/2c There may be enough of this to go round—a 39-inch Sea Island Domestic, tomorrow 5c Standard C Canvas 4 1/2c Pepperell Sheeting; tomorrow only 20c 75c Sheets, hand torn 50c

SAMPLE MUSLIN UNDERWEAR Going—going—and it's going lively—we bring the last lots to the bargain tables Monday morning; 75c and 80c values go to the 25c and 50c table. \$7.50 Skirts for \$5.00, down to 75c values for 50c Pretty Corset Covers worth \$3.00 for \$2.00 \$2.25 values for \$1.50 \$1.50 ones for \$1.00 75c ones for 40c and 50c Gowns, Drawers and Chemise for likewise savings at sample prices.

MILLINERY—SAMPLES Veiling—Flowing Veils—The latest from St. Louis—(world's fair fad, of course), that flowing veils are to be the thing with white suits, because some one who was considered right set the pace. Several hundred here tomorrow, bargain priced—\$1.50 ones for 98c \$1.00 ones for 75c In embroidered chiffon, shaded, satin ribbon borders all around, chenille dots. Children's Hats—Trimmed in chiffon and ribbon, 50c to \$2.00 Half Priced Ladies' Hats, in White Chip and Tuscan Straws, stylish shapes; \$1.00 ones for 50c All Sample Straws on sample table Monday half priced. Tucked Chiffon Hats, \$1.50 to \$3.00

SKIRTS—SAMPLE PRICED Bargains if you need them or not—New Voile Skirts worth \$7.50 for \$5.00 25 Voile Skirts that sold for \$3.50 to \$5.00, in blues and blacks; Monday for \$3.00 Those \$5.00 light colored favorite Walking Skirts; Monday for \$3.00 and \$3.50 New Sample Shirt Waists at one-third of wholesale price; 75c to \$3.50

BABY DRESSES—SAMPLES And there are lots to choose from here, dainty enough to suit baby's most particular mama, at a saving of \$1.00 on every \$3.00 worth. Baby Dresses, 25c to \$5.00 Those flannel squares to protect baby from sudden changes of temperature, dainty flowers embroidered on the corners in silk; sample price, 50c to \$3.50 Pretty Sacques and even delightful, cool-looking little Kimonos, sample priced—no two alike—25c to \$2.00 \$1.00 Silk Gloves; Monday priced at 75c 75c Silk Gloves; Monday priced at 50c

SHOES—TANS—WHERE THEY OUGHT TO BE Scarceness has held up the price; here they are Stripling priced—bargains, bargains right. Chocolates, light and dark Oxfords, that have the dash of the \$5.00 beauties, for \$2.50 To Go With These on the Bargain List—A military heel, a pretty shade of chocolate tans, and for an Oxford—it could not be daintier! Bargain priced at \$1.75 200 Bargains in Straps and Oxfords at lesser prices, and all of them guaranteed, too! \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50



GERMANY TALKS OF BOASTED FREEDOM

Socialist Papers See in the Colorado Bullpen and Military Rule, Slavery

KAISER WOULD NOT DARE

Suggestion That to Workingmen Is Left Right of Suffrage to Overthrow

BY MALCOLM CLARKE. (Copyright, 1904, by W. R. Hearst.)

BERLIN, June 25.—The German socialist papers devote considerable space to comments on the treatment of the American anarchists of union miners in the Cripple Creek district, and, incidentally, the German government comes in for a certain amount of praise in this connection.

In a leading article commenting on the persecution of the union miners a prominent socialist paper in this city says editorially:

"To those who were wont to consider the great republic on the other side of the Atlantic a haven of refuge for the down-trodden classes the course of political events in America is greatly regretted.

"With every safeguard thrown around the freedom and liberty for which their forefathers fought the great intelligent American people has allowed the power to drift into the hands of a few.

"Daily it becomes more and more evident that the United States is no longer a democratic republic, but a mighty world power governed by an oligarchy of plutocrats.

"The worship of money and the reckless use of it by scheming magnates in corrupting legislatures is the primary cause of this change which seems almost incredible.

"In Colorado, the so-called higher classes—that is to say, the millionaire mine owners—and their followers are daily violating the laws of the state to annihilate workingmen, whose only crime is that they formed unions for their own protection, unions which are perfectly legal under the existing laws of the state.

"Workingmen have been corralled into pens as if they were wild beasts and, not having a place to banish these unfortunate people to, they have been deported into a neighboring state, Kansas. One wonders what the next stage of the military tyrant will be.

"We socialists in Germany have been subjected to much oppression, and there is little doubt that the late Prussian Bismarck, in his palmy days, would have liked to have treated German workingmen in the same manner, but with hundreds of thousands of bayonets behind him he did not dare to do this.

"Nobody will think of accusing our present German government of loving the socialist or the labor unions overmuch, but it knows that should it ever try to treat German subjects as citizens of Colorado are being treated today the flames of revolution would spread over the country like wildfire.

"The Kaiser is at least fighting us fairly, the monarchial government under which we live would never think of violating the law to crush the laboring classes and the labor unions in Berlin has even in some respects done good work for the workingmen, but not so in the land of the free and the home of the brave."

"And the government of the United States, the republican party now in power in the United States would give them a chance to continue this sort of regime for four years more.

"One might be tempted to say that the American laboring men deserve what they get, when their votes give them power to shake off their yoke at any time.

"Surely no other people would have as much patience as the American, but that patience has ceased to be a virtue."

TRAFFIC IN GIRLS  
Reports from the various anti-vice societies in Germany show that the pernicious traffic of exporting young girls, especially from small provincial towns and villages to trans-Atlantic ports where they are delivered to disorderly houses, has again increased to an alarming extent.

Agents representing houses of this kind in New York, Philadelphia, New Orleans and Buenos Ayres are more active than ever, and in spite of the watchfulness of the police authorities it is no secret that hundreds of girls leave here every month

to be sold in the modern slave markets of the western hemisphere.

The chief of police in Berlin a few days ago issued a circular to the police authorities of all towns and cities announcing that the organization of the society for the prevention of the international sale of girls had now been perfected, and asked for vigorous co-operation from the police authorities.

The secret service department, which has charge of watching the movement of anarchists, has been ordered to give part of their time to watching agents for immoral houses, and has been provided with all data and facts gathered by the Anti-Vice Society.

The arrest of several American agents whose names are known to the police is expected to follow in a very near future and they are being carefully shadowed.

Sufficient proof is said to be in the hands of the authorities to send half a dozen of them to the penitentiary, while enough is known of many others to warrant their expulsion from the country.

SHE HAS NO FORTUNE

Some time ago the people of Aedenburg were greatly excited at the report that a former faithless lover had repented on his deathbed and left a fortune of several million marks to his old sweetheart, a Mrs. Prueser, who at that time was working in a factory.

The whole story of the inheritance appears to be a Mme. Humbert affair in smaller style.

By spreading the story of the many millions which she was to inherit from her late lover's estate at Koblenz, Mrs. Prueser succeeded in borrowing considerable amounts of money from citizens in the factory town, and when she had pretended to be on a trip to Koblenz to arrange with the executors for the transfer of the money, she had really concealed herself in her home for a week.

When her creditors began to press her for money and wondered that the millions did not realize, she invented a story that she had been the victim of a swindler who had made her pay 500 marks for the news of the inheritance and for the necessary papers, and even carried this so far that she swore out a warrant for his arrest.

As nobody else in the town had seen or heard of the mysterious stranger, the police, however, were suspicious and arrested her, just as she was getting ready to leave for America, and she has now confessed that the whole story of the repentant sweetheart and the millions originated in her own brain.

SETTLE SOUTH AMERICA

The organization of emigration to South America is to be perfected with the evident purpose in view of creating a strong German community on that western continent, which may form the foundation for a large German colony there when Germany shall feel strong enough to disregard the Monroe doctrine.

Director Dr. Kapff, a man closely connected with the government of Wuerttemberg, at a recent meeting of large merchants and manufacturers, made an eloquent speech on Germany's great commercial interests in South America.

He strongly advocated the systematic colonization of that continent and the creation of a patriotic German middle class in Brazil, who would work for the opening of a new market for German products there.

A step toward systematizing the emigration has already been taken by the opening of a school for intending emigrants at Hohenheim under the protection of King Karl Von Wraach and Privy Councillor Wiedenmann.

At this school young men intending to emigrate are given practical instruction in farming as practiced in Brazil, and in lectures they are told of the importance of keeping up their relation with the fatherland from across the sea.

COUNTERFEIT MONEY

During the last two months the city of Berlin has been flooded with spurious American money, and many complaints have been received from people, especially smaller merchants, who have been swindled by accepting these notes in payment for goods from people who claimed to have just returned from the United States.

So far the authorities have been unable to discover where the money came from, but whoever imported or manufactured the bills, must have reaped a rich harvest, though he disposed of the green goods at cut rates.

A cigar dealer in the Friedrichstrasse had a whole series of the bills, from \$1 to \$100, on exhibition in his window, announcing it for sale for two marks (about fifty cents).

A waiter, Herman Meitert, bought the series and went to a cafe, where he offered a \$10 bill in payment for his order, and when the head waiter looked the bill over very carefully, he assured him that it was all right, whereupon the cashier took it as a valuation of forty marks, but immediately sent it to a bank which pronounced it counterfeit.

The waiter who had passed it in innocent ignorance, though he protested his innocence.

The cigar dealer was also arrested, and insisted that he had never sold the money, which he had bought from an American for genuine. It appears that most, if not all of the bills, have been sold or given out by two German-Americans, of whom

the police have a good description, but no more than the description, the men themselves can not be found.

The police of other great European cities, where they are likely to try and continue their traffic, have, however, been informed and it is hoped that they will be caught somewhere else.

THE EARLY DAYS ON THE RANGE

Texas Cattleman Recounts His Thrilling Experience With Redskins Many Years Ago

All the stories of strenuous frontier life in Texas during the days of the early settlement of the west, which involved a multitude of sacrifices on the part of husbands, wives and children are not confined to the fiction of novels and magazines, but occasionally one is met that is true to life. Such a one came out yesterday through the arrivals at market with cattle of G. H. Brandenberger, Fritz Kothman Jr., August Kothman, John Brandenberger and William Voss, says the St. Joseph Journal.

These are Texas cattlemen raised in the Lone Star state who have passed through many thrilling experiences in their early days before the hand of civilization had spread its influence over that vast domain.

The most exciting story was related by G. H. Brandenberger, who only attributes his still being on earth to an act of Providence in snatching him from the jaws of death after he had been hacked almost to pieces among the dead by Indians. Mr. Brandenberger is a large, robust man 48 years of age and bears numerous scars as mute evidences of his experience, which happened to him when he was a boy of 12.

Mr. Brandenberger's father settled in Mason county, Texas, in 1855 after a journey to the California gold fields. The country was very wild although there had been settlements as early as 1845, but neighbors were afraid to venture on or twelve years before this there was little else but Indian villages and wild cattle.

It was in July, 1868, when on a cow hunt with his Uncle Fritz Brandenberger, his brother John and another man that young Brandenberger came near losing his life. They had been out for some time and finally separated into two parties agreeing to meet at a certain location on the bank of Beaver creek, one of the most abundant localities. Brandenberger accompanied his uncle, who was armed with a pistol, while he had only a small weapon.

As they were approaching their meeting place forms of men were seen in the distance which they mistook for cow hunters, but as they approached closer they discovered they were hostile Indians. Both fled for their lives. The uncle was in advance and had cut a deep furrow in the ground, which he had stripped the boy who fell prey to the butchery of the savages. A bullet struck him beneath the right shoulder blade, but he held on tenaciously to his horse until a spear thrust him to the ground. From the loss of blood he soon fainted, although the savages did not desist until they had stabbed him many times in the back, when they left him for dead. He owes his life, however, to the fact that his uncle had later shingled his hair very closely, which prevented the Indians from scalping him, as was their custom.

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A New Precedent Established For Making Low Prices

Three weeks ago we inaugurated our Seventeenth Semi-Annual Inventory Sale which has taken precedence over all similar occasions in the matter of making low prices. Each day the wonderful price advantages of this sale have attracted great numbers of people, who demonstrate the superiority of these extraordinary values by their extensive purchases in every department.

Each price represents an assortment of its class, and the values at every price are unquestionable. Such are the opportunities offered that this sale merits its phenomenal success. So important are these opportunities that every woman should arrange to make her purchases in the next five and last days of this sale, and purchase in sufficient quantities to supply her demands for several months. Aside from two or three exceptions in which the entire lines have been eliminated, our assortments are still the largest to be found anywhere in the city.

A Splendid Representation of Millinery—A Strong Feature For This Week

Extraordinary reductions for five days. The reductions which have been made for the next five days' selling are of such an extent that every customer will quickly recognize the importance of the values and unquestionably make her purchases during this sale. Not the least important is the offering of an extensive variety of beautiful costumes in this season's latest designs, which are reduced from 25 per cent to 33 per cent.

Dainty Organdie Dresses, elaborately trimmed with tucks and bands of lace, made in the most beautiful effects imaginable—regular \$35.00 values; special at \$25.00. Organdie Dresses in an excellent variety of the prettiest designs, daintily trimmed in laces, bands, etc.—usually priced at \$13.50; special reduced price \$9.50. Women's Walking Hats in a splendid variety of excellent styles—regular values have ranged in price up to \$5.00; special at \$2.50. An exceptional bargain is a limited assortment of street styles—usually priced up to \$2.50 and \$3.00, reduced to this very low price \$1.00.

Japanese Fans, 10c Silk and Net Waists Elaborate Designs at Special Clearance Prices

To further reduce our enormous assortments of these Fans in the quickest time possible, we will make the following special low price for Monday: Japanese Folding Fans, made by expert Japanese artists, decorated in a variety of pretty, harmonious colorings—regular 15c qualities; Monday special, 10c. Beautiful Net Waists, made over China silk, exquisitely trimmed in medallions and insertion—regular \$8.50 values; special price \$6.75. Women's China Silk Waists, most effectively trimmed with bands of lace insertion, usually priced at \$3.50; special clearance price \$2.98. Another very beautiful design in China silk, emb. front, tucks and hemstitching, regularly priced at \$3.50; special clearance price \$2.98.

Neck Wear Silks—A Great Clearance of Summer Styles

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Exceptional Value Giving in This Great Sale of Imported Wash Fabrics

Many hundreds of customers have visited this section during this Great Inventory Sale and have made purchases from our extensive lines of these magnificent Imported Wash Fabrics. We expect many hundreds more, because the values are unapproachable and because the lines having been replenished from our own warehouses, make the varieties the most attractive in the city. Fine, sheer Batiste, also mercerized Stripe Batiste, equal to any 15c quality; special price per yard 10c. Imported Organadies, Foulards and Embroidered Flake Tissues, regular values 50c and 75c; special, yard 25c. Genuine Imported Printed Bobbinet, very fashionable for evening costumes, regular \$1.00 quality; special, yard 50c.

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Remarkable Sale of Portieres, Silkolines, Etc.

Our ability to supply every demand in Door and Window Draperies is indicated by the wonderful completeness of the assortments and the enormous sales in this section. The purpose of this remarkable sale is to close out a few broken lines that are to be discontinued and to lessen other lines before inventory. Summer Portieres, light weight, fast colors, \$1.50 and \$1.75 qualities; special, pair 98c. Portieres usually sold at \$2.00 and \$2.50; special, pair \$1.45. Silkolines in an unusual variety of pretty designs—regular values from 15c up; special, yard 7 1/2c. Curtain Swiss—our regular 15c quality; special price, yard 9c.

Unusually Interesting Prices In White Dress Goods

The prestige of this section is such that the mere mention of the prices is a sufficient recommendation of the importance of the values. The following prices represent a few of the most interesting bargains: Mull Chiffon, 50 inches wide, very soft and sheer—regular \$1.25 quality; special, yard 75c. French Lawn, Paris Mousseline and Wash Chiffon, 35c, 39c and 50c qualities; special, yd., 25c and 35c. Plain Lawns, Striped and Figured Lawns and Wash Organadies—regular 25c qualities; special, yd., 15c.

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BASEBALL, RACING NEWS AND SPORTS

VISITORS WIN IN SATURDAY'S GAME

Cy Mulkey Worked a Hoodoo Smile on the Fort Worth Baseball Players... EVEN SCORE ON ERRORS... No Runs Made After Sixth Inning by Either Side—The Game Was Interesting

Burke, the first man up for Paris, sent an easy Cy Mulkey, who politely fumbled it, just for manners. Burke said, "after you, my dear Gaston." He stole second. McCullom found the second sack a tidy place for a safety and as steals should go in pairs he got McMurray threw out Butler and Quiesser advanced his comrades in red by a hot one over short, Burke and McCullom crossing the plate. Mulkey made a face at Reitz and before the shock wore off Reitz fumbled and Mulkey was safe. In the meantime between acts Quiesser had scored. Bomar thought fudging was Boles' long suit and sent him one of his heavies, but it resulted in a neat double, Boles to Willis, who got Mulkey at third. Every time a Fort Worth man went to bat Mulkey worked the hoodoo of a smile and it was some time before the stoutest hearted could pluck up courage to annex a counter with Cy's smile thrown in. Finally in the third Sullivan shut his eyes and braced himself for the worst. The ball went fair and clean over short. McMurray could not get his past third and then Dunn allowed McCullom to give a free exhibition of how not to play third. A wild throw by Reitz sent Sullivan scamping home and Dunn to second. Dugan was not to be outdone by McCullom. Willis made first on a beautifully booted ball. No advantage came with it, as the next time he was out. On the fifth Sullivan got his usual free transportation, McMurray fled to Dugan and Dunn was thrown out by Tullar. Willis handed out a double that scored Sullivan. Hubbard got the Mulkey smile and handed him the easiest out ever.

McCullom offered himself as a target for a pitched ball in the sixth, and McMurray sent him to second on a stampered ball. Butler put his feet together in a nice lady-like way and then sallied a rapid transit to left that scored McCullom and landed the runner on second. Hubbard threw Quiesser out and Mulkey singled to left, scoring Butler. Dugan's single was sandwiched between Bomar's out to Poindexter and Tullar's hit to Reitz. Fort Worth bunched three hits off Mulkey in the sixth but they could only yield two runs. Singles were achieved by Reitz, Boles and Poindexter. Reitz and Boles scoring on an untamed pitch by Mulkey. The score at the end was where the sixth inning left it, Paris won, 5 to 1.

Table with columns: AB, R, BH, PO, A, E. Rows for Sullivan, McMurray, Dunn, Willis, Hubbard, Reitz, Boles, Poindexter, Jackson, Totals.

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BASE BALL! TODAY FT. WORTH VS. PARIS At Haines' Park TWO GAMES—3 and 4:30 p. m.

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DALLAS COMES UP WELL ON FINISH

The Fans Thought the Game Was Lost, But Fireworks Won It

DALLAS, June 25.—Something like 1,000 people witnessed the Giants take the Petroleum Peddlers down the line for the third consecutive time at the fair grounds park yesterday afternoon, and it is safe to say that even as late as the last half of the ninth inning ever mother's son and lady's daughter was willing to throw up the sponge to the chesty bunch from the oil district. At that stage of the game the score stood 3 to 1 in favor of the visitors, Dallas having made their only run in the eighth inning. The protechnical display that the Giants touched off will be talked of by the fans for many days; it was terrific to say the least, and three singles and one two-bagger straightened out of Huddleston's benders, netted three runs and won the game. Not at any other game this season has so much enthusiasm been shown as when the fireworks were strident. The rooters saw a faint hope when Russel, the first man up, singled. Doyle struck out, and things looked rather billious. Willingham, a local amateur, who was given a trial in right field, cracked the package for a double, and this act on his part appeared to send Huddleston up in the top branches. Two more hard drives, and the stuff was off. Hunter, the crack utility man of the Giants aggregation, having been utilized in nearly every other position on the field, was sent to the box in the absence of any other available material, and while he was somewhat wild at times, upon the whole he made a good performance at the slab, only five hits being made off his delivery. His record might have been worse, however, had it not been for the magnificent work of Ricker, behind the bat. The new catcher saved his battery mate at least four wild pitches and his fine coaching lent Hunter much encouragement. The support of the entire team was almost perfect, and fast plays were numerous. The bright particular star of the game was the new catcher, who made one single and three two-baggers out of four times up. Huddleston was very effective for eight innings, but in the ninth he dropped his dober. Up to this time but four hits were made at his expense; in the ninth four more were added to the number. His support was very good, indeed the drillers fielded fast, and made several plays bordering on the sensational. Two wire doubles between Salm at first and McCarthy at short elicited much applause from the grand stand. The official score follows:

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NATIONAL LEAGUE BY GOOD BATTING NEW YORK, June 25.—The Boston Nationals won the game from Brooklyn by good batting. Both pitchers were hit hard at times, but the hits of the visitors counted. Raymer's steal home on a pitched ball was the feature. The score: Boston, 3; Brooklyn, 2.

CHICAGO SHUTS OUT PITTSBURG PITTSBURG, Pa., June 25.—Chicago shut out Pittsburgh yesterday at the home grounds, taking Philadelphia into camp in rather easy fashion in spite of the fact that McGinnity, who succeeded Witt in the fourth, when the latter was taken ill, was hit for four runs in the ninth. Doan was put out of the game for making faces at the umpire. The score: Philadelphia, 1; Chicago, 0.

CORBETT HIT HARD CINCINNATI, Ohio, June 25.—Corbett of the St. Louis Nationals was hit hard and with deadly effect by the Reds today, and the result was never in doubt. Harper was effective, but was taken out after the game seemed sure. Kellum pitched the last three innings without a hit. The score: Cincinnati, 9; St. Louis, 0.

COLONIAL GIRL WINS HANDICAP

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## RESURRECTION OF BILL BAILEY'S JUG

Story of Early Days in Texas Which Is Related by Taylor McRea

A LAST, PECULIAR, WILL Wish Was That the Jug Which Comforted Be Buried With Him on the Prairie

"Did you ever hear the story of Bill Bailey, a Texas veteran of the long ago?" said Taylor McRea to The Telegram this morning. "If you haven't I will tell you the true story of Bailey, his death, burial and the resurrection of his jug. Among the hundreds of brave and patriotic men who came to Texas in the early days, was Bill Bailey. Where he hailed from or whether his name was Bill I do not remember, but Bill being short and familiar to ordinary people, I have adopted it for this occasion. That there was such a man, however, and that the particulars connected with him are true can be vouched for by many.

"Bailey was a brave man, fearing nothing, living or dead, hating Mexicans and Indians with a loyal hatred, and loving his companions who were joined to him by the ties of many perils, that day after day surrounded them.

"It was the custom in those days, after the hardships of many months, for these men to meet and for days to give themselves up unrestrainedly to feasting, dancing and patronizing the 'Little Brown Jug.' Bailey was a leader in these many sports, and under the influence of the 'spirits of the jug,' he would dance till the splinters flew from the puncheon floor, spring into the air, crack his heels together three times before again touching the floor and yell out, 'I can out dance, out fight, drink more whiskey and cover the ground I stand on than any one else.' There was nothing unusual in this, as it was the custom of the day and of the people.

"A day came when Bailey was stricken with a mortal illness and as death drew near, he called his comrades around him, and said, 'Boys, my light is about to go out. No more fighting, dancing and drinking for me, but before I pass out I want you to get me my last instructors as to my burial. I haven't any worldly wealth to trouble about, except my rifle and that jug of whiskey. My last wish, and I know you will never go back on me, is that you will meet me on the prairie, standing up with my rifle at one side and that gallon jug of whiskey under the other arm, and I want the jug to be full and stopped tight.

"With this his last will and testament, he laid out and Bill Bailey's soul had taken its flight.

"His comrades never dreaming of disobeying the last wishes of their friend, buried him according to instructions, as shown by the census. Members of the school board predict that there will not be less than 6,000 pupils in the city schools next year.

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## LIST OF TEACHERS OF CITY SCHOOLS

Meeting of School Board to Select Those Who Are to Be Instructors Next Term

IMPROVEMENTS NEEDED Some of Recommendations of Superintendent Have Been Adopted by Trustees

The report of the teachers' committee of the school board naming the teachers for the coming term was adopted at a special session of the school board held yesterday afternoon. In making the selections, no choice was made for principal of the Second ward school, that place being left blank for a later decision.

The assistant principal of the Sixth ward was also left vacant, W. M. Moore, the late assistant principal having been made principal of the Ninth ward school to succeed J. P. McDaniel, who has resigned.

Following the adoption of the names as submitted, Superintendent Hogg submitted an annual report showing the work of the schools and making recommendations for the coming session.

In this report he recommends that the following of the First and Second ward schools be improved; the Third ward needs no improvements; the Fourth ward needs an additional supply of black boards; the building of the Fifth ward must be canvassed and additional means of egress in case of fire must be provided if it is impossible to build a new building for the ward. In the Sixth ward he recommends two additional seventh grade rooms; in the Seventh ward an additional room, and in the Eighth ward an additional room. The building in the Ninth ward needs additional facilities he recommends the adoption of the half day plan as has been done in other cities under similar circumstances. This course, however, he advocates only as a last resort.

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## BIG STRIKE IN FORT WORTH

DIFFICULTY IS QUICKLY ADJUSTED

Yesterday afternoon a gang of men were working at the corner of Third and Houston streets, when, without warning, and in the absence of the foreman in charge, the men laid down their tools and refused to work longer.

Upon returning, the foreman, after investigating, found that the cause of the strike was the reckless manner in which vehicles were being rolled out upon the streets from the carriage repository of Wood & Wood. Upon seeing the manager of the carriage house, who said that while the men knew no danger would come to the vehicles, they would be more careful in the future. The men went quietly back to work.

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was requested to represent the Fort Worth schools at the national meeting of the Association of Pedagogy which will convene in St. Louis, June 28. Superintendent Hogg will leave today.

LIST OF TEACHERS The new teachers appointed by the board are Miss January, Miss Massey, Miss Bruner, Miss Smith and Miss Lela Evans. Miss Smith and Miss Evans formerly taught in the schools of this city, but were not teachers last year.

The full list of teachers appointed is as follows: School No. 1: A. E. Burnett, principal; Miss Geta McFadden, Sattie Dawson, Isabel Porter, Miss Stoughton, Clara Terrell, Marie Frost, Maggie Cartwright.

School No. 2: principal; Miss Ruth Wingfield, Minnie Goerte, Cora Lee Glenn, Eva May Scott, Bessie McFadden, Coma Russell, Mamie Willing.

School No. 3: Cullen Grimes, principal; Misses Gertrude Dashiell, Lula Jennings, Laura Connor, Elenora Peacock, Bessie Yates, E. Porcher Gaines, Bell Bates.

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H. W. Nye and Robert M. Pettinger, 300 feet lot assumed the block 6 Smith, Jones and Daggett's addition, \$1,550.

W. R. Crump and wife to D. L. Joint, lots 1 and 2, block C. Wray's sub-division, block 18, Fields-Welch addition, \$1,500.

M. Y. Stokes to W. A. Davis, lots 21 and 22, block 3, Fairmount addition, \$500.

E. E. and N. Powell to Mrs. Virginia Craft, lots 5 and 6, in block 5, Fairmount addition, \$175.

Charles A. Southern to Frank D. Southern, lot 3, block 27, Jennings's south addition, \$7,500.

W. R. Strauser to T. J. Bell, 40 acres of Thomas Easter survey, \$1,080.

J. N. Withers Jr. and wife to J. J. Swain, lot 527, block 29, Hyde Park addition, \$1,100.

A. W. Terrel and wife to W. H. Holt, south half lot 3, block 88, city, \$2,000.

C. T. Landrum to J. L. Morris, lot 2, block 2, McAnnulty & Nesbitt's sub-division, block 15, Field-Welch addition, \$1,100, and other considerations.

J. C. Boedeker to M. M. Ussery, lots 9, 11, 13, and 15, block 1, McAnnulty's & Nesbitt's sub-division, block 15, Field-Welch addition, \$500.

Wayne Foster and wife to Alice B. Winters, lots 12, 14, 15 and 16, block 3, Johnson's sub-division, block 28, Field-Welch addition, \$1,000.

Ellen Burton to R. L. Carlock and J. E. Burton, south half of J. C. Johnson 80-acre survey, \$225.

Mrs. Jennie Smith to Nicholas Byars, the E. Johnson 80-acre survey.

The income tax was introduced into England by William Pitt in 1799 under the stress of the French war. It ceased in 1816, but was revived by Sir Robert Peel in 1842 and extended by Gladstone in 1853. The tax is now a permanent part of the British financial system.

### TWO ARE INJURED

DENTON, TEXAS, June 25.—Lewis Enloe and Marshall Reynolds, two laboring men, received what is thought will prove fatal injuries by being mangled between the separator and engine of a threshing machine crossing Clear creek bridge six miles north of Denton yesterday.

### IN A FIERCE FIGHT

HOUSTON, TEXAS, June 25.—C. H. Taylor and Jake Estes, colored, engaged in a bloody encounter. The month it was Taylor's eyebrow. The doctor sewed it back.



GRASP RACES AT THE WORLD'S FAIR

Numerous Inventors Will Contest for the Large Prizes Which Are Offered MUST GO FULL COURSE Hundred Thousand Dollars to One Who Will Make the Best Average Speed

ST. LOUIS, June 25.—A new era in aviation is likely to have its inception in the great airship contests at the World's fair, which begin the latter part of June. The prizes offered are awards aggregating \$200,000...

Twelve acres included in a fence thirty feet high near the exhibition building of the fair constitute a windbreak and starting point for the races. The competitors include all the great airship inventors of the world...

A MISSOURI INVENTOR

Airships of various kinds are preparing for the races over the aeronautic course. One inventor from Memphis, Mo., M. McGary, has an egg-shaped bag forty-eight feet long by twenty-one feet wide...

ONE FROM COLORADO

W. M. Morris, a Monte Vista, Colo., mining man, has constructed a machine which he thinks will solve the problem of aerial navigation. It is 150 feet long and thirty feet in diameter...

BALLOON WITH CANVAS FLAPS

Another Colorado man, E. A. Kinder, of Denver will enter the contest with an airship which he claims will cover eighty miles an hour. His machine consists of a balloon with canvas flaps three feet wide extending entirely around it...

A HORIZONTAL BALLOON

A balloonist of Streator, Ill., named Reiferschild, will race with a horizontal balloon, built somewhat after the shape of a cigar and pointed at both ends. Around the balloon are a number of arms of sufficient strength for substantial framework...

WORKED FIFTY-SEVEN YEARS

Samuel T. Best, a Louisville, Ky., real estate man, has invented an airship for which he claims great results. He has been working on his plans for thirty-seven years before perfecting them...

A SHIP FROM FRISCO

Dr. August Greth of San Francisco will enter the World's Fair contest with an airship which he has already thoroughly tested with considerable satisfaction...

ELITE OF BICYCLE TUBING

An English inventor, named Beedle, has an airship which he thinks will prove a winner in the big contest. The frame of the ship is built of bicycle tubing...

feet. The weight of the motor and its frame is 417 pounds. The total weight of the airship's framework is 860 pounds. The motor used is a fifteen-horsepower gasoline engine in whose construction aluminum has been utilized as far as possible...

When it is desired to direct the airship upward the propeller frame is placed in a vertical position, thus placing the propeller in a horizontal position and causing it to employ its thrust in aiding the ship to rise. When the desired height has been attained the propeller is turned to the earth...

WINGS LIKE A BIRD

A Phoenix, Ariz., recluse has invented an airship or flying machine with framework of willow twigs made into wings like those of a bird. The rapid movement like the stroke of a bird's wing, he thinks, will give his machine the necessary speed...

CITY BRIEFS

Nash Hardware Company. Picture frames at Brown & Vera's. Cut flowers at Drumming's. Phone 101. Joe M. Collins, plumber. Phone 718. J. W. Adams & Co., feed, produce, fuel and fat kiding. Phone 530.

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A PICNIC AT NEW RAILROAD TOWN

The Louisville and Nashville railroad affords the Fastest Time and Finest Service from New Orleans and Memphis to all the noted Summer Resorts in the east and north. Tickets will be on sale after June 1 at very low rates...

Gala Day for People at Town of Irving—Dallas and Fort Worth People There

IRVING, Texas, June 25.—This has been a gala day for the new Rock Island town. Its first picnic was given and it acquitted itself splendidly. Trains from Dallas and Fort Worth brought out nearly a hundred persons...

Louisville @ Nashville R.R.

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was pulled off between the lines of Irving and Sowers, which resulted in favor of Irving by a score of 22 to 18. Two large platforms were kept filled during the afternoon and until a late hour at night by the devotees of the Terpsichorean art...

COMER GIVEN A SILVER SERVICE BY FRIENDS

Former Vice President of the Frisco Is Remembered by His Former Employes

L. B. Comer, formerly vice president of the Frisco road, was pleasantly surprised last night by a group of his former employes being made the recipient of a handsome silver set in token of their appreciation of his kindness while engaged in the railroad work.

RIGHTS OF PEOPLE ARE IN DANGER

Dallas Lawyer Argues Against Allowing Commissioners So Much Power OFFICERS ARE ELECTIVE

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By a Trick Of Fate

By Izola L. Forrester

Since daybreak there had been no change in the ceaseless lurching of the yacht or the dull roar of the waves as they swept in long, heavy seas over its sides.

Twice Katherine had tried to leave her stateroom and reach the cabin and had been forced back. Once the white faced stewardess had come to her door. There was no immediate danger, she assured her. They would be notified at once if there were. If she was nervous, Mr. Hetherington said he would come to her. And Katherine had sent back word that she was not at all nervous, and Mr. Hetherington need not trouble himself at all about her.

When the girl had gone, she had thrown herself on the couch and given full vent to the terror that had haunted her all night long. She was afraid, afraid with her whole heart, of the great, lashing, hungry sea, that tossed and played with the yacht like some huge monster with its helpless prey and threatened every moment to hurl it down to death.

If Hetherington had been with her, if they two could have faced eternity in each other's arms, with the old love strengthening them, she would have known no fear. But as it was, a wild, unreasoning, childish terror made her tremble at every crashing wave, and she longed for even a sight of his face before the end should have swept them irrevocably apart.

The week at sea had passed like a troubled dream. They were to have made harbor the previous morning, and the storm had driven them off the course down the southern French coast. By this time she had thought everything would have been over—the brief, tearful parting with Hetherington, the meeting with her mother in Paris and the trip to Berbec.

Dear, lovely, lonely little Berbec upon the Normandy coast! The two summers she had spent there, in old Martigny's classes, had been the happiest of her life. She loved even the memory of the crescent shore line, with the old boats drawn up on the sand and the nets drying in the sunlight and the brown skinned fisher boys and girls gossipping over their baskets of silvery scaled fish.

It had all been arranged and settled so decently, as Hetherington said. There had never been any open quarrels between them for the servants and public to gossip over, merely a quiet, courteous antagonism which required no explanation. The marriage had not been voluntary.

"It was the blessed, stupid mothers," Katherine said with gay cynicism at their last interview. "We're not the kind who settle down, Bruce, and be married and then do nothing but give house parties and dinner parties and yachting parties and all the rest of it. You were rich and nobody in particular, and I was poor and a Lorimer, and the wise little mothers simply saw a chance to found a dynasty of mutual benefit, and we drifted until they landed us under the orange blossoms. It is a little tangle of fate's skeins. We can't go back and untangle it, but we can do the Alexander trick and cut it."

He had agreed to the separation too readily, she thought. Even acknowledging perfect indifference on both sides, a little hesitancy would have been desirable. He had almost seemed cheerful when he had asked her what she intended doing at Berbec.

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"Has it come, dear?" she asked, lifting her face to him. "I'm not afraid with you."

"Not afraid in death, Kit," he said bitterly. "Then why in life?"

She closed her eyes and shrank closer to him. Death had become a friend to be met with smiling eyes and welcoming happiness. As Hetherington raised his head she waited, expectantly. The lurching and groaning had stopped. She wondered if they were sinking and tightened the clasp of her arms about his neck as she smiled up at him.

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His eyes lighted with sudden comprehension, and he stood back, loosening her arms.

"The danger is past," he said. "I came to tell you we had made the harbor at St. Hilaire. You can reach Paris by evening."

For an instant she hesitated in the revulsion of thought, then held out her arms longingly.

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"To tell the truth, sir," replied William, "I wasn't payin' so much attention to your preachin' as I ought to have done; I was balancin' up the week's cash in my mind and found myself two and threepence short. I worried and worried about that money, but couldn't fit it in no how."

"Then I happened to catch a word or two of what you said about the preparations that man made for his prodigal son, and it came into my mind like a flash of lightning that I'd spent two and threepence for a new horsehair pin to give my boy Jim a thunderin' good hidin'! It's wonderful, as you say, sir, what help a chance word may be. Good mornin', sir."

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The Two Pairs of Fetters. Some years ago a fierce war waged in India between the English and Tipoo Sahib. On one occasion several English officers were taken prisoners. Among them was one named Baird. One day a native officer brought in fetters to be put on each of the prisoners, the wounded not excepted. Baird had been severely wounded and was suffering from pain and weakness. A gray haired officer said to the native official:

"You will not think of putting chains upon that wounded man?"

"There are just as many pairs of fetters as there are captives," was the answer, "and every pair must be worn."

"Then," said the noble officer, "put two pairs on me. I will wear his as well as my own."

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Calvert's Conversion

By EPES W. SARGENT

"I think," remarked Calvert very slowly, "that I should like to go to California."

Miriam agreed that California would be a very pleasant place in winter. She even declared that she would like to go there herself. With Calvert it was necessary to give more than was received. He was up conversationalist. Now he pondered over Miriam's admission as though this opened a new field for thought.

"It would be pleasant," he said presently, "to go there on one's wedding trip."

"Yes," assented Miriam. "It would be a very pleasant trip."

"Suppose then," he said, getting very red, "that we go there—together. You want to go. I want to go. We want to get married. Very simple, isn't it?"

Miriam sprang to her feet. "Charlie Calvert," she said excitedly, "I could just shake you!" He started back as though he feared she would carry her threat into execution. "Is that any way to ask a girl to marry you? One would think you had been brought up in an atmosphere of personally conducted tours."

"Really," he stammered, "I didn't mean to offend you, don't you know? I really thought we were going to be married some day."

"We never will until you learn how to talk," she snapped back. "No woman with any self respect would accept a proposal like that." There was infinite scorn in the voice.

Calvert blinked. He had known Miriam ever since they had played dolls together. Even then they had played at keeping house and had announced to their parents that they were going to be married shortly. They had persisted long after the usual course of boy and girl love affairs.

Miriam knew that he was not much of a talker. Why should she expect too, alone."



HE SLIPPED OVER THE GUARD RAIL AND DROPPED TO THE TRACK.

him to discover new ability simply because he wanted to suggest that it was time they were married?

He rose to his feet and regarded her uncertainly. "I think," he drawled, "I had better be going. I don't seem to be any good here."

"Go," she said evenly, "and don't you come back until you learn to tell a woman that you love her as though you meant it." She waited until she heard the door close and then burst into tears.

She was used to Calvert and his ways, but all their lives he had accepted placidly and unemotionally the fact of her love. Womanlike, she hungered for the tender words that are as manna to the heart.

Calvert apparently took her at her word. The next morning there was a bunch of violets at her place at the breakfast table, with his card marked P. P. C. in one corner. That was all. There was some comment that Calvert should leave town in the middle of the season, but no one supposed that there had been any trouble between Miriam and him, and she was at least spared the infliction of curious questions.

For a few days she pretended to herself that she did not care. She flirted desperately with Jack Holworth, who made love deliciously, but his tender speeches lacked the infection of sincerity, and by the end of a week he bored her. No word came from Calvert, and soon she began to worry. To ask questions would be to admit that she did not know where he was, and this would subject her to comment. She could only wait and hope.

Finally the family began to notice her appearance. They declared that a change of scene was what was needed. Then her mother decided that California was the place for her, not knowing what reflections that country would bring up.

Out on the Arizona plains the train was drawn up on a siding to permit the eastbound Overland to pass. The passengers of the westbound grumbled at the delay, but Miriam slipped off the train to see if she could find any subjects for her camera. There was a large group of cacti beyond the switch, and she trudged down

to get a good viewpoint just as the belated train came speeding along. She thought it would be a good chance to try the speed of her camera by getting a snapshot of the moving train and, stepping to one side of the track, held the little box in readiness.

But the anticipated snapshot was never taken. There on the observation platform of the rear car was Calvert, as much surprised as she at the encounter. With quicker thought than she had ever given him credit for he slipped over the guard rail and, hanging to the rail for a second, dropped to the track. He fell sprawling, but was up in an instant and was coming toward her with outstretched hands.

"Miriam!" he exclaimed joyfully. "It's awfully good to see you! You see I have learned my lesson and was chafing at the three days it would take me to reach home, and here you are out in Arizona to meet me." He folded her in his arms and kissed her. She made no resistance.

"Well, you needn't have risked your life just to say you're glad to see me," she said saucily as soon as speech was possible. He laughed.

"The train wasn't going fast enough to make it a dangerous accomplishment, and I didn't want to have to follow you. Absence has made me more intelligent. It couldn't make me more appreciative. I promise you that from now on you will have no cause for complaint."

There was a new tenderness in his eyes, a new deference in his attitude that proclaimed him the lover, not merely the old companion who took everything for granted. She held out her hands with a happy smile.

"I believe you, dear," she said softly, "but I shan't put you to the test. I'll accept the old proposal and take a bridal trip to California."

He caught her in his arms again, and for a moment they were oblivious of everything around them. Then he looked up whimsically. "I hope the walking's good," he said reflectively. She gave a cry. There in the distance the westbound train was fast receding. No one had noticed her leave the train or had observed Calvert. They had simply gone on.

"Well," said Miriam, "let's walk." And they started for the Golden Gate.

A Curious Phenomenon

A singular phenomenon occurs on the borders of the Red sea at a place called Nakous, where intermittent underground sounds have been heard for an unknown number of centuries. It is situated at about half a mile's distance from the shore, whence a long reach of sands ascends rapidly to a height of 800 feet. This reach is about eighty feet wide and resembles an amphitheater, being walled in by low rocks. The sounds coming up from the ground at this place recur at intervals of about an hour. They at first resemble a low murmur, but ere long there is heard a loud knocking somewhat like the strokes of a bell and which at the end of about five minutes becomes so strong as to agitate the sand.

The explanation of this curious phenomenon given by the Arabs is that there is a convent under the ground here, and that these sounds are those of the bell which the monks ring for prayers. So they call it Nakous, which means a bell. The Arabs affirm that the noise so frightens their camels when they hear it as to render them furious. Philosophers attribute the sound to suppressed volcanic action—probably to the bubbling of gas or vapors underground. —Newcastle (England) Chronicle.

A Costly Retort

"When Chief Justice Chase, a man of great abilities and marked characteristics, was presiding in one of the county courts of Vermont," said a lawyer of the state, "an appeal came from a justice's court came up before him, so small and contemptible in its origin that he ordered it stricken from the docket. The case was where a turkey had trespassed upon the garden of a neighbor and got shot for his depredations. The owner brought suit to recover damages and, falling before the justice, had appealed the case. Judge Chase was angry and when he ordered the case from the docket said:

"The lawyer who consented to appeal this case ought to be thrown from the window of the courtroom. Why didn't he have the case referred to some of the honest neighbors for settlement?"

"Because, your honor," retorted the attorney, getting hot under the collar, "it was our intention not to let honest people have anything to do with it."

"True, this was a neat retort, but it cost the lawyer just an even \$50 for contempt of court."

Reminding Her

At home stations the British private soldiers' washing is usually done by the married soldiers' wives, who are expected to sew on missing buttons and do repairs, for which a small sum is deducted from the privates' pay.

Pat McGinnis had a good deal of trouble with his laundress. Sunday after Sunday his shirt came back with the neck button off or else hanging by a thread. He had spoken to her on the subject, and she had promised to see to it, but still the button was not on properly.

He got out of patience one Sunday when the missing button had made him late for parade and exclaimed:

"Another woman! I'll see if I can't give her a hint this time anyhow."

He then took the lid of a tin blacking box about three inches in diameter, drilled two holes in it with a fork and sewed it on to the neck of the shirt that was next to be washed. When his washing came back, he found that she had taken the hint. She had made a buttonhole to fit it.—London Telegraph.



ILLUMINATED CAR SIGNS ARE BEING MANUFACTURED

Street Cars Will Be Equipped This Week With Names in Five Inch Letters, Easily Read Night or Day

Dallas, Hendley, Pavilion, City Belt, City Park, Mo. Avenue, Polytechnic, E. Front St., Boaz Street, Stock Yards, Hemphill St., Berknap Street.

Gleaming in five-inch letters from the front of each street car in the city will be seen the above signs within this week.

Already at the Traction company barns the big frames for the new signs have been made by the carpenters and are only awaiting the painters' work to take their places on the fronts of the city cars.

The new signs are the result of a long study of the sign question by Manager Haines and have finally been adopted as the most easily read and most practical to be had.

In the day the letters stand out plainly in clear white on a black background, while at night they will be illuminated and be more legible even than in the daytime.

As the signs are being made to fit in the head of the roof of the car they will be backed by the ceiling lights of the car, forming their illumination for night.

This arrangement also places them well out of the range of the rays of the headlight and can be easily read.

In construction the signs consist of two plates of glass fastened together in a wooden frame. Upon the glass facing the front a heavy coating of black covers the entire rectangle with the exception of the portion occupied by the letters composing the various signs.

These are placed on in transparent white paint. The rear glass is uncolored and used to make the signs as light and consequently insure them against fading.

From a series of tests it is said these signs will be legible from the sidewalks for a distance of at least two squares.

A visit to the shop yesterday by a Telegram man revealed to him the signs almost completed. Mr. Hall, who has charge of the work, says that some of the cars will be equipped within a few days and that all the cars will have the signs within the course of ten days at the most.

The new signs, which are patterned after those in use in San Antonio, have been adopted after a consideration of many kinds. "I have been at work on this matter for some time," said Manager Haines yesterday, "and we now think we have solved the sign question completely. Some time ago we tried a sign which could be changed so as to show the several routes, but those, although answering the purpose, were found to be impractical as requiring constant repair."

"Colored lights, too, have been tried on some cars, but are not satisfactory, largely for the reason that they mean nothing to strangers in the city and nothing to many of the residents. The signs adopted are not only legible but easily read at night, being removed from the glare of the headlight."

Recently with the large number of cars being operated on Main street there has been considerable complaint that persons going to the north, northeast or northwest sides of town could not tell when his car arrived without leaving the sidewalk, risking passing teams, making the approaching car slow down, and then, perhaps, as the glare of the headlight passed, see the sign of the car he didn't want.

Manager Haines has frequently commented upon the same difficulty himself, and to obviate it the search for a perfect sign was made.

INTERESTING FACTS OF STATE UNIVERSITY

The University of Texas is an institution in which the whole state takes a commendable pride. It has just celebrated its twenty-first commencement and its history, the attendance the past year was the largest ever enrolled. In its departments of literature, science and arts, law, engineering, medicine and pharmacy, the very best training and equipment can be obtained. The cost is very low, as

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

The building committee of the Missouri Avenue Methodist Episcopal church, South, will receive bids for the construction of their new church building, until 12 o'clock noon, July 5, 1904. Sealed bids may be addressed to C. A. Boaz, 114 South Boaz street, Fort Worth, Texas, and will be opened July 5, 1904. All bids must be accompanied by a certified check of \$1000. The plans and specifications may be examined at the office of W. J. Boaz, 114 South Boaz street, Fort Worth, or at the office of J. E. Flanders, at 216 Jackson street, Dallas, Texas. The contractor whose bid is accepted will be required to give bond which is satisfactory to the committee. The committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids. GEORGE S. WYATT, Chairman of Building Committee.

ENCAMPMENT AT LAKE ERIE PARK IS PLANNED

Companies of Major Elliott's Battalion May Tent at Handley Under Military Rule

Plans are under way for the holding of a military encampment at Lake Erie Park before the departure of the Fort Worth Cavalry to the fair. A committee representing several companies in Major Elliott's battalion visited General Passenger Agent Forbes of the traction company yesterday with a view to arranging for the subsistence of the companies during a several days' encampment at the pleasure park near this city.

During the entire time of the encampment the troops will be under strict military regulations and all the duties and regulations of camp life, in active service, will be carried out. The camp, it is thought, will prove an excellent training to the troops who are already in excellent shape for their coming trip. The dates for the encampment and the companies which will participate have not yet been definitely decided, but it is known the Cleburne, Decatur and other companies in the surrounding country to the south and west will participate.

ALL IN READINESS FOR RECEPTION

Compliment to Commander Tisdal Will Be a Very Large Affair

Everything is in readiness for the reception to be tendered commander-in-chief-elect, N. R. Tisdal, of the Sons of Confederate Veterans, Monday night. The program as arranged will include musical numbers, recitations and addresses by prominent members of both the sons and the veterans.

It is expected that quite a number of sons will be present to take part in the reception from outside towns. There are already here Miss Margaret Pickens of Victoria, who was late chief maid of honor at the Texas division of the Nashville reunion, and Miss Mamie Trigg of Amarillo, maid of honor to the sons. She is stopping with relatives at 1400 Dargott avenue. William L. Star, govt. editor of the Terrell Times-Star, and commander of General John B. Gordon camp of sons, will arrive some time today. He will also be here for the reception. The local camp has been notified that

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MR. HAY STARTLES EUROPE BY HIS MESSAGE

Continental Newspapers Discuss the Dispatch Which Was Sent to the Ottoman Empire

LONDON, June 25.—Mr. Hay's dispatch to Consul General Gummere at Tangier, in the Thursday's affair, startled Europe. The manner of its endorsement by the Chicago convention was not lost upon the continental press and foreign offices. Coming at a moment when Berlin and Vienna would like to believe Russia had profited against the sending of an American squadron to Turkish waters, a preposterous and discredited rumor, the incident serves to emphasize the trend of American policy.

British public opinion unreservedly approves of the course of the Washington government from the outside from the American business standpoint, the London journals ridiculing the notion that the logic of the Monroe doctrine demands that the United States should leave to European states the task of defending the lives and property of Americans in Europe.

The "Spectator," advocating a frank acceptance by Europe of the fact that America cannot be excluded from the councils of Europe, continues to urge continental diplomats to take their cue from Great Britain and extend a welcome to participation, that with or without any welcome, is sure to come. It is significant that the Cologne Gazette, often the mouthpiece of the Berlin government and somewhat of a sharp critic, takes the view that continental Europe has nothing to gain by placing obstacles at Constantinople in the way of settlement of the difficulty now in the hands of Mr. Leishman.

PAUL MORTON IS AT CHICAGO DESK

He Says He Cannot Discuss the Navy Department Thus Early

CHICAGO, June 25.—Paul Morton, the newly appointed secretary of the navy, is in Chicago to arrange his affairs and end his connection with the Santa Fe railway before taking up his residence in Washington. He arrived in Chicago today and went immediately to the Railway Exchange building to the Santa Fe office, where he left Chicago, he said. "I am sorry to say that I will probably not be able to discuss the navy department until I have had some time to give my formal interview as to the needs of the department and my ideas regarding it. Wait till I get better acquainted with the department and its requirements, both immediate and remote."

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Can be best and lowest obtained here. We today suggest the necessary articles for your outing vacation or world's fair trip. Prices quoted are a good QUARTER, THIRD and HALF from former low prices. A look is all-convincing.



THE CLEARANCE OF Women's Suits, Wash Waists, Skirts and Petticoats Starts Tomorrow

We never entered into a sale with so much confidence in its result. What's here to be closed out is representative—the specimens of the world's best tailors; perfect in style, fabric and workmanship. HALF PRICE is the way they will go.

Table with 4 columns: Item, Price, Item, Price. Suits worth \$10.00 now for \$5.00, Suits worth \$25.00 now for \$12.50, Suits worth \$15.00 now for \$7.50, Suits worth \$38.00 now for \$19.00, Suits worth \$18.00 now for \$9.00, Suits worth \$50.00 now for \$25.00.

Ladies' Dress Skirts

The reductions on Ladies' Fine Skirts are a third and a half from former prices. You can better understand by seeing these fine Voile, Crepe and Net Skirts, shown with pleasure. We have just received a big shipment of Walking Skirts, bought much under regular worth; on sale tomorrow. See them.

98c A lot of Wash Petticoats, worth \$1.50 to \$2.00, gingham, linen and sateen; choice 98c. 49c Ladies' Wash Petticoats, worth up to 98c, linen and gingham, one price; choice 49c.

Silk Petticoats One-fourth off regular price on all Silk Petticoats—this includes the very fine grades you have admired so much—regular price, less 25 per cent. Silk Robes We will offer our entire line of Silk Tea Gowns, Kimonos and Tea Jackets Monday at a fourth off regular price. Come, get an elegant House Robe; discount 25 per cent.

TRAVELING TRAPS

Don't overlook a substantial trunk. There is great satisfaction when on a trip in knowing that your trunk is strong and durable. It is bad policy to start with an old worn-out trunk. Better come here and let us recommend and sell you a dependable trunk. Prices from \$3.00 up to \$25.00; size 28 up to 40 inches. We save you 25 per cent on trunks. GRIPS, SUIT CASES AND TELESCOPES are our strong hold—big stock of all leather cases, \$3.98 on up, cheaper grades, 98c to \$2.50. Grips, \$1.50 to \$9.50. Telescopes, 75c on up. A saving of 40 per cent to you in this line.

Table with 3 columns: Price, Item, Price. 59c FOR WAISTS WORTH \$1.50, 59c Ladies' White and Colored Lawn and Batiste Waists—those that sold formerly at \$1.00 to \$1.50 going now at 59c—a most rare chance to secure worthy wash waists. \$1.69 FOR WAISTS WORTH \$3.50, \$1.69 Ladies' White and Colored Lawn Batiste and Oxford Waists, up-to-date in style and finish, new spring goods, were \$2.50 to \$3.50; now at your choice for \$1.69. \$3.75 FOR WAISTS WORTH \$10.00, \$3.75 Ladies' elegant high quality Wash Waists of fine batiste, wash chiffon and oxfords—actual worth \$5.00 to \$10.00; choice Monday at one price, \$3.75.

Undermuslin Sale Fabrics for Your Summer Gowns Underpriced

Another shipment of sample garments, full Nainsook and Cambrie Skirts, Gowns, Chemise and Corset Covers. Because they are samples you may feel assured they are perfect in workmanship, perhaps mused, but you save a third of regular price; but one and two of a kind. Come, pick them out.

- 5c A yard—150 pieces choice quality Batiste, pretty designs and colorings—a regular 15c quality; Monday 5c. 20c A yard—Solid and Flecked Linens, 27 inches wide, 35c grade; also what is left of the 50c Linen Etamines are to go at 20c. 10c A yard—Choice of all the 25c Tissue and Lace Stripe Gingham, in stripes, checks and plaids, choice styles. 15c A yard for fine Mercerized Gingham and Cambrays, also Batiste and Foulard, the 50c quality, now 15c. 28c A yard, the 38-inch Mohair Suiting, also Etamine in colors, all wool, the 50c quality; Monday, yard 28c. 69c A yard for any of our \$1.00 and \$1.25 Colored Voiles—these are in choice colors, popular widths; Monday, 69c. 2 1/2c A yard for Torchon Lace, the machine made, and usually sold at 5c to 8c a yard; Monday, choice 2 1/2c. 10c A yard—Choice of a table of Embroidered Cambric and Nainsook Edges and Insertions, 15c to 25c values for 10c. 15c A yard to close out a lot of Lace and Applique Bands, white, cream and linen colors, worth 25c to 50c. 8c A pair—Ladies' Fast Black Hose, seamless, as good as can be bought at 12 1/2c; Monday, pair 8c. 39c A pair—Ladies' Lace Open-work Lisle Hose, the best bargain of the season, 75c qualities, fast black; Monday 39c. 25c Each—Ladies' Fine Embroidered Swiss and Linen Handkerchiefs, big purchase, 50c to 75c qualities, choice each 25c. 11c Each—Ladies' Fine Swiss Ribbed Vests, all with crocheted neck and taped, regular 20c quality. 39c Each for the Silk Vests, in white and colored, light and cool, 75c quality; to close out the lot we say 39c.

Burton-Peel Dry Goods Co. STAMPED ON AN ARTICLE GUARANTEES STANDARD OF MERIT

WORKERS IN THE SUNDAY SCHOOLS

There Is to Be an Open Meeting of the Union This Afternoon at Tabernacle

There is a union of the teachers in the church schools throughout Fort Worth, the object of which is to insure well-equipped workers in the Sunday schools. The union is called the Primary and Junior Sunday School Teachers' Union, and is composed of members from thirteen different churches. It will hold an open meeting this afternoon from 4 to 5 o'clock in the Third Christian church. The pastore of the city, all superintendents, teachers, parents and those interested in the training of children of any age, are invited to come. It is suggested that

BEAVERS HEARING IN FEDERAL COURT

NEW YORK, June 25.—After hearing arguments of counsel for George W. Beavers, former superintendent of salary and allowance division postoffice department on motion to quash the indictment charging him with accepting bribes, Judge Thomas, in the United States court, today reserved his decision and allowed counsel until next Wednesday to file a brief. The hearing before United States Commissioner Benedict on the question of Beavers' removal to Washington to answer indictments found against him in the District of Columbia, was postponed to next Tuesday.

BIG PARTY GOING TO CONVENTION

"Between fifty and one hundred loyal democrats will leave from here for the St. Louis convention, either July 3 or 4," said County Chairman Capps yesterday in response to an inquiry. "Regular World's Fair rates of \$21 will be in force for the trip, and it is thought that a large party will take advantage of the opportunity to see the next president and vice president nominated, and also to see the fair."

RUNNING OF CARS IS NOW ARRANGED

Superintendent Gaines has returned from Sherman, where a conference was held with Superintendent of Transportation J. H. Elliott of the Frisco system and Superintendent Daffan and Assistant Superintendent Rowe of the Houston and Texas Central road, regarding the connection and transfer of mails at that point. Under the arrangements formerly in force it was customary to run the cars of these roads over the lines of the other roads at certain points, principally over the Central into Houston. A difference

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Don't tell your friends of it. They would think it so strange. You see, they know Ayer's Hair Vigor checks falling of the hair, restores color to gray hair, and makes the hair grow. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.



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A chance to buy a pair or two of Knee Pants at a great saving; 500 pair we put on sale Monday, worth \$1.00, all sizes **69c**

**BOYS' WAISTS AND BLOUSES, 50c VALUES, MONDAY, 38c**

Laundered Waists and Blouses, made of good madras and percales, in the snappiest stripes and colorings; Mothers' Friend brand, patent waistband; Waist and Blouse that sell for 50c; Monday **38c**

**Boys' \$5, \$6 and \$6.50 Suits Monday \$3.85**

Your choice of hundreds of practical and fashionable Summer Suits for Boys, 3 to 16 years of age. The two-piece, double-breasted, Norfolk and single-breasted styles, made of light-weight Serges, Worsteds and fancy Scotch effects, in prettiest patterns seen this season; Monday only **\$3.85**

### CHILDREN'S SAILOR HATS At Greatly Reduced Prices.

- Monday, 50c Children's Sailor Hats **35c**
- Monday, 75c Children's Sailor Hats **55c**
- Monday, \$1.00 Children's Sailor Hats **78c**
- Monday, \$1.50 Children's Sailor Hats for ..... **\$1.15**
- Monday, \$2.00 Children's Sailor Hats for ..... **\$1.35**
- Monday, \$2.50 and \$3.00 Children's Sailor Hats for ..... **\$1.75**

### BOYS' HOSE

We place on sale Monday 85 dozen Boys' Ribbed Hose, double heel and toe, fast blacks, sold regular at 25c pair; Monday at ..... **17 1/2c**

33 Boys' Linen Suits, ages 7, 8, 15 and 16 years only; broken lines; suits that sold for \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50—if your size is in this lot, take it along Monday, only, for ..... **73c**

## CRUSH TALKS OF EXPENSE OF TRAIN

Interesting Story of How Arrangements Are Made for Fast Train Service

### THIRTY PULLMANS USED

Road Must Maintain Much Equipment to Keep Fast Train on the Go

DALLAS, June 25.—"Probably not more than one-half of every hundred persons making the trip from Texas to the World's fair stops to consider the enormous expense incurred by the railroad companies in providing the modern palatial trains and getting them over the hundreds of miles of country at such a high rate of speed," said Colonel W. C. Crush, general passenger and ticket agent of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railway, to a Times Herald reporter. "The improvement of American railway methods, service, etc., has been so rapid that the busy American public does not waste time, as a rule, in sitting down and considering the great benefit it derives from the railways of the country. Of course, when this point is not considered it is not to be expected that the minor details, such as expenses for wear and tear on the property, maintenance of machine shops and equipment and wages for employees and so on, are to be given more than a passing thought.

"I have been asked by different parties how it is possible for a railroad company to maintain a fast schedule for a long distance, such as the Katy Fair Special, and the schedule from Galveston to St. Louis. The inaugurating of a fast train which is to be run on a long schedule is also perplexing to a few who do not understand why it requires several trains on the road constantly, and which are known only as two trains.

"In the first place, in arranging for the starting of this train the equipment for the trains was ordered sent to the various points in Texas, and in order to start. You understand, the Katy Fair Special schedule is taken up both north and southbound by trains which make direct connection, but the train proper does not run south of Waco. In getting the Fair Special in running order it was necessary first to place extra sleepers at Houston and San Antonio, then a complete train at Waco, another complete train at Denison, one at Parsons and one at St. Louis. The time card went into effect Sunday, June 13, and in order that these trains should be moved on time over the various divisions one train left St. Louis at 9:15 a. m., another left Denison southbound at 5:25 a. m. For the northbound service the special sleepers from Houston and San Antonio were brought to Waco, where the northbound Fair Special was made up, and left at 4:15 p. m., and the Parsons train left St. Louis at 6:35 a. m., thus putting this train on time at every point on the line on that date according to the time card by which the trains were run. In order to keep this train going according to the time card it requires four trains on the road continuously, and two extra trains known as lay-over trains, and in order to operate a daily train between Texas and St. Louis it requires six complete trains and a large amount of extra equipment, as breaks and damage to rolling stock will occur on all railroads, and when such rolling stock or cars are broken is sent into the shop there must be other equipment at hand to replace it.

"Just think for a moment the amount of equipment that is absolutely necessary to keep this train going daily! Thirty Pullman sleepers, sixteen chair cars, sixteen combination coach and baggage cars and thirty-six locomotives. Of course, it will be understood, the locomotives do not run all the way through from one end of the line to the other without change. A change is made at every division point. "The train that arrives at St. Louis in the evening remains there until the second morning, and the same arrangement, of course, applies at Waco. These are known as the lay-over trains, and during this lay-over of twenty-four hours the equipment is all scrubbed and cleaned and made ready for the road the next day.

"One hundred and eighty-eight actual train employees are necessary for this one train alone. This does not include station men, operators, dispatchers, etc. These men are all paid standard wages, which are higher than those paid in any other country in the world by railroad companies.

"In addition to the wages of the men

## DALLAS TALKS OF SALOON DISTRICTS

Proposition Now to Prescribe Limits in Which Liquor Can Be Sold

DALLAS, Texas, June 25.—The four "paramount issues" before the city fathers at the present time are: Water works improvements, the municipal commission, creating saloon districts and the adoption of sanitary methods of handling the city's refuse. Side issues are finances and possibly telephone franchises. Money matters of the city have been partially straightened out for the ensuing year by the finance committee, but they will ever be discussed as long as there are streets to build or sewers to be laid. Two petitions have gone before the council asking for telephone franchises, and there is a possibility of interesting developments during the next few months.

The conduit construction has reached a point now where it is necessary for the water commissioners and the council to take decisive action in the immediate future. The contractors have connected up Bachman's dam with Record Crossing pumping station, and now the question is whether the city fathers are willing to extend the cement pipe line to Turtle

creek to replace the wooden conduit, the condition of which is said to be bad by some, fair by others and not good by any one.

Chairman Gill of the water commission announces that it will be some time before the tests are made, as required in the contract, with Black & Laird. The contractors are allowed forty days' time before the experiments are made.

If the council decides to extend the conduit to Turtle creek the same terms can probably be secured as in the present contract, and it is claimed that the only way to secure the necessary funds is to pledge the receipts of the water department, unless there is a chance of issuing more bonds.

**THE SALOON DISTRICTS**  
The resolution of Alderman Irish to create saloon districts is still in the hands of the committee on ordinances and claims. The matter has been discussed formally from time to time, but no decisive action has been taken, although it is understood that a majority of the committee, and possibly a majority of the council favor it.

The dispute that might arise over the proposed ordinance is the marking of the exact boundary line of the saloon limits. It has been suggested that each alderman make the line through his ward, if a part of it should happen to be included in the territory to be turned over to the saloons. If this is done the alderman at large would be unloading a lot of unpleasant responsibility on the ward aldermen. Already property owners have interviewed aldermen and urged that they be included, or not included, in the proposed saloon district.

The recent decision of the court of criminal appeals in the Corsicana commission case does not hold out as much encouragement to the framers of the saloon posed. One alderman, who is a lawyer,

and a friend of the measure, said to a reporter the other day:

"That part of the Corsicana charter which designated the boundary limits of saloons was upheld by the court of criminal appeals. Our charter only gives us the right to designate the saloon districts. The question is whether our court of criminal appeals would recognize our right to make the boundary limits. Of course you understand that the Corsicana charter was approved by the state legislature with the boundary limits prescribed."

### TO TEST THE COMMISSION

The proposal to test the validity of the municipal commission is still being quietly discussed in municipal circles and among opponents of the system of government. It is stated that several Dallas lawyers are waiting for a certain kind of case to be tried in the corporation court which will be carried to the court of criminal appeals. The exact nature of this case is being kept a close secret.

In the event that the commission is knocked out the police board of the city council will rank with the finance committee and the water commission in importance. Aldermen Ireborn and Irish, who constitute the police board, in addition to the mayor, who is the chairman, would have something like \$50,000 to spend during the year. Now the mayor appoints the police board, but if the commission is knocked out it is safe to say that the council would change the standing rules and elect the board.

### THE SANITARY METHODS

If Mayor Barry has a hobby it must be sanitary methods of dealing with the city's refuse. He is taking a personal interest in the sanitary and the streets and bridges department, and almost any morning he can be seen driving over the streets with Sanitary Inspector Ben Linkin of Street Superintendent Sanderson. The other day he discovered some stagnant pools of water in the vicinity of the Rock Island railroad and promptly called the railroad company to account, with the result that its chief engineer made a special trip from Fort Worth to have the pools drained.

The mayor is responsible for the unusually large budget given the sanitary department, and it is believed that he will have sufficient funds to carry out his summer cleaning campaign. He proposes to keep the alleys clear of refuse, and it is probable that a house to house canvass will be made in the near future by the police or special officers of the sanitary department. Property owners will be urged to put all garbage, paper receptacles inside their yards, where they can be conveniently loaded into the city's garbage wagons. In this way piles of filth in the alleys can be avoided, and it is believed that the sanitary condition will be much improved.

### MAN DIES WHILE IN A RESTAURANT

HOUSTON, Texas, June 25.—Francis Moyens, who has been here for a few days from Louisiana Sulphur Springs, died in a market restaurant tonight of sudden hemorrhage of the lungs. It is known he had \$1,000 a day ago, but the money can't be found. The Frenchmen will probably bury him.

Oysters polluted by infected sewage can cause typhoid in those who eat them.

## Have You Seen Those Hats

To be sold at Reagan's tomorrow morning at prices which will compel you to buy? All competition forgotten. The sale includes all

Street Hats and Children's Hats

While shopping it will interest you to see the new Flowing Veils. They are a distinct advance over anything of like character heretofore shown.

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## Palmetto Bristle Carpet Brush!

Sweeps perfectly clean, lighter work, saves the carpet, and will outlast a dozen brooms; 14-inch sweep,

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Straw Hats **WASHER BROTHERS.** Low Shoes  
THE MAIN STREET CLOTHIERS

keeping the train going, the consumption of fuel, lubricating oils, tallow, waste, etc., is enormous. One ton of coal will run an engine about fifty miles. The distance from Galveston to St. Louis is 1,155 miles, and to put the Katy Fair Special over the road between Galveston and St. Louis practically fifty tons of coal per day are necessary. Seven gallons of oil are required for the single trip.

"The very cheapest this train can be operated is \$2,500 per day. To 'break even' the company must sell 100 through tickets to St. Louis from Texas points daily. A great many more than this number are sold daily, however, and the railroads' exhibition business is increasing daily."

## SCHOOL CENSUS OF DALLAS COMPLETE IS INCREASE

Figures Are Ready to Be Sent to Austin to Be Used in Arranging for the Distribution of the Fund

DALLAS, Texas, June 25.—The school census of Dallas has just been completed and is in the hands of Superintendent John L. Long preparatory to being forwarded to the superintendent of public instruction at Austin, who will in turn refer it to the comptroller in order that the school fund may be properly prorated among the educational institutions of the state. The county census is also about complete and will be sent to Austin next Tuesday. Both enumerations show a very creditable and satisfactory increase over last year, as will be seen by the subjoined figures.

In order to more readily facilitate the work the city was divided into three districts as follows:

District 1, comprises all that area north and west of the Houston and Texas Central tracks, in which there are 2,807 children between the ages of 8 and 17 years attending the public schools, against 2,721 last year.

District 2, south of the Texas and Pacific tracks and west of the Houston and

Texas Central tracks; 2,511 children, against 2,411 last year.

District 3, all that section east of the Texas and Pacific tracks, there being in that district 3,897 children in the schools against 3,498 last year.

The fourth district is in Oak Cliff and the reports show that 1,088 children are registered there now against 1,022 last year.

According to the above figures there were in Dallas last year a total of 8,630 children enrolled in the public schools and 1,022 in Oak Cliff, making a grand total of 9,652. The present census shows that there are 9,215 in Dallas and 1,088 in Oak Cliff, making a total of 10,303, or a net increase of 651. The increase in the county is stated to be over 500.

By a recent enactment of the legislature the school age was changed so as to include all children between the ages of 7 and 17 years of age, but only those

between the ages of 8 and 17 years are included in this census, so that in reality the scholastic population is greater than these figures would indicate.

It is stated by those in a position to know that Dallas will lead the cities of the state in this census, and that unless unforeseen circumstances prevent it will do the same thing in the next federal census.

### SYMPATHIZERS ARE INDICTED AT HOUSTON

HOUSTON, Texas, June 25.—The grand jury has indicted five strike sympathizers for rocking cars during the recent excitement. The Citizens' Alliance movement is spreading rapidly here.



### CLOTHES TALKS

## Stop It Climbing If You Want to

THESE DAYS—HOT DAYS, IF YOU PLEASE—make a fellow feel like shedding his hot duds and sliding into something cool—make you feel like stopping the thermometer in its climb. Let us put you on—the nice two-piece Suits at a saving of \$2.00 to \$5.00, filter the hot breeze to coolness and make you forget the heat of these hot days. Suits priced at—

**\$5, \$6, \$7.50, \$9 TO \$13.50**

## H. C. Stripling

THE PRICE IS THE THING.







# The Busy Store,

Corner Second and Houston,  
Has Prepared for Another Busy Week

**BARGAINS IN ALL DEPARTMENTS.  
READ ON.**

**At Linen Section**—A lot of Towels in plain and Turkish, each ..... **5¢**  
Another lot all linen, also very large cotton Towels ..... **10¢**  
Very large size Turkish Towels, 25c and ..... **45¢**  
10 pieces shrunken Indian Head, for dresses; Monday ..... **12 1/2¢**

**WASH GOODS SECTION**  
50c Imported Wash Dress Goods, Silks and Imported Swisses ..... **25¢**  
20c and 25c American Swisses, the best yet, at ..... **10¢**  
10c and 12 1/2c Wash Dress Goods; look! only ..... **5¢**  
A dress goods pattern of 10 yards, Lawns, Calicoes and Gingham ..... **25¢**

**WHITE GOODS SECTION**  
10 pieces India Linen, fine 20c and 25c quality; Monday special ..... **15¢**

### LACE CURTAIN SECTION

100 pairs to close out tomorrow, best values—not installment, but cheap for cash. Look!

75c, 85c and 98c Curtains, pair..... **39¢**  
\$2.00 and \$2.50 Curtains, pair..... **\$1.48**  
\$2.75 and \$3.00 Curtains, pair..... **\$1.98**  
\$4.00 and \$4.50 Curtains, pair..... **\$2.50**  
\$5.00 and \$6.00 Curtains, pair..... **\$4.00**

Buy your Curtains now and save a third and a half.

Another lot of those 10c and 12c Checked Nainsooks came to us Saturday; go on sale Monday, yard ..... **5¢**  
Embroidery, Lace and Ribbon Sections are where we did things last week. Bigger than ever this week. Come and look. The best Laces and Embroideries at 5c and 10c every shown in any store.

20 rolls of China Mattings just in—25c quality, at yard ..... **15¢**  
The best Bleached and Unbleached Muslins in Fort Worth, at yard ..... **5¢**  
Come to the New Store for Bargains.

# Burch & Prince

Second and Houston Streets



(Continued from page 11.)

Phillips, Andrews, Scheuber, Saunders, Frank Scheuber, Eldredge of Dallas, Martin of Dallas, Townsend of Dallas, M. G. Ellis, Fain, Kenyon of Dallas, Tim Smith of Dallas, Harding and Crenshaw.

### THE PROGRESSIVE WHIST

Mrs. H. Brann entertained the Progress Whist Thursday, the prize, a cut-glass carafe, going to Mrs. Alexander. The second prize was won by Miss Kahn, in a cut with Mrs. Weltman. It was a pin with pearl settings. A large bunch of La France roses was awarded to Mrs. Mayer of Waco.

A course luncheon was served to Messdames Brown, Alexander, Lederman, I. Carb, Gans, Hentinger, B. Carb, Weltman, C. Carb, Rosenthal, Neumagen, Marx of Corsicana, Misses Hattie Weltman, Aultman of Waco, Blanche Friedman, Blanche Kahn of Dallas and Ida Brown.

Mrs. Alexander will be the next hostess, entertaining Thursday morning.

### S. S. C. AFFAIR

Mrs. A. B. Wharton was the hostess

of the S. S. C. Friday evening, and with them were a few husbands and several masculine friends. The usual club prize was played for, just as if no mere man would have a chance to view them, and when they went to Mrs. Slack there was uncontrolled and woeful accents of grief. They had been purchased in "gay Parade," and were elaborately embroidered in yellow daisies (the S. S. C. are daisies, though not yellow), and altogether too fetching for anything. Mr. Beck won mates without embroidery, and a consolation of a diminutive pair remained unclaimed. The guests played on the veranda, lighted with Jap lanterns, and sweet peas were used for decorations and to adorn the ladies' score cards. Tiny shoes were attached to the men's cards.

The players were Dr. and Mrs. R. E. L. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Slack, Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Thompson, Misses Edgington, Hollingsworth, Juanita Hollingsworth, Frances Tarlton, Genevieve Tarlton, Barton, Waples, Anderson, Samuels, Pendleton, Hunter, Elser, Gibson of Dallas, Dr. Chilton, Dr. Irion, Dr. Pollock, Messrs. Penn, Kolp, Beck, Reynolds, Kenyon of Dallas, Hammett Hardy, Maddox, John Miller, Andrews and Delano.

### AUXILIARY OF A. O. H.

The ladies of the auxiliary to the A. O. H. celebrated the seventh anniversary of their organization with an entertainment in the hall of the Knights of Columbus last Monday evening. High-five followed an interesting program, an address of welcome by the county president, Mrs. Higgins, an informal talk by President Healy of the A. O. H., a few words from Father McKeogh of North Fort Worth, recitation by Miss Katie Lavin, songs by Mrs. Hinkley, a reading by Mrs. O'Neil, song by Katie Welsh and violin numbers by Mr. Kelley and Miss Nellie Moriarty. Only the members of the auxiliary and their families were present, but these constituted one hundred and twenty-five to enjoy the pleasant evening.

### A DANCE BY BEN HUR

The Tribe of Ben Hur gave a moonlight picnic and ball at Handley Friday night that was notably successful. The extras and regular trains were crowded with the invited guests. Supper was served between 7 and 8 o'clock and the time until 9 o'clock was devoted to boating and other pleasures of Lake Erie and the park. At 9 o'clock the grand march brought two hundred or more couples of dancers to the floor to enjoy the fifteen numbers following. Ben Hur has given quite a number of entertainments, to which an admission fee was charged, but the one of Friday was complimentary. The success of the picnic was due to the skillful and untiring work of the Court's permanent entertainment committee, composed of Messdames A. B.

## BEST VALUE

In canned meats today is the one-pound size cans of

## WALKER'S RED HOT CHILE CON CARNE,

Retailing at only 10c for large one-pound size cans. Ask your grocer.

# Why Not SECURE a HOME

While you can get a choice lot in the most beautiful HILLSIDE Subdivision in Fort Worth. Our sale is continued for all of this week and you can come to our office and let us show you this property, or if you wish you can go look for yourself, select the lot you want, tear off the card and bring same to us and get your contract.

## Don't Pay Any More Rent

Just pick out your lot and we will help you build a home and do it on the easiest possible terms. Our terms are the best and most liberal ever offered and there is no reason why everyone cannot soon come into possession of a home of their own.

## Only ONE DOLLAR You PAY NO Interest

Down and One Dollar Weekly No Taxes 1904-5 Nothing when sick

Don't wait, but do it now; some other fellow may select the very lot you want if you don't hurry. You don't make any mistake when you buy one of these lots, for they are right in town—not three and four miles in the country. Come out and get acquainted with us anyway—we would like to meet you.

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Selected from the output of the best American makers, always carried in stock. Sample rolls and cuttings from the McHugh and the Emmerich collections of foreign, French, English, German and Japanese Wall Papers, cheerfully shown and combined. These papers for those who seek decorative value and wish to individualize the rooms in which they live. All grades, from the inexpensive papers to the fine hand-printed papers and textiles, priced to appeal to you.

# THE J. J. LANGEVER CO.

OPPOSITE CITY HALL.

Moore and W. W. Forester. During the past five months these two ladies have given five entertainments to the friends of Ben Hur, besides about ten for members only.

Lone Star Court, No. 1, Tribe of Ben Hur, will nominate officers for ensuing semi-annual term next Wednesday evening.

There may be wars and rumors of war, and our darling baby boys may sicken and die and never be soldiers unless we give them Dr. Moffett's "TEETHINA" (Teething Powders). "TEETHINA" aids Digestion, Regulates the Bowels and makes Teething easy by Overcoming and Counteracting the Effects of the Summer's Heat upon the dear little ones.

### WEDDINGS IN SOCIETY

**WINN-TRIBLE**  
One of the prettiest ceremonies seen in Fort Worth this year was performed at the residence of Mrs. M. P. Tribble Wednesday, June 22, when R. B. Winn and Miss Mattie Tribble were made man and wife.

The parlors of the house were beautifully decorated with white roses and evergreens. The bride was dressed in a beautiful crepe de chine gown, trimmed with chiffon and carried a large bouquet of white carnations.

Amid a shower of rice the happy young couple left the home of Mrs. Tribble for their residence on First street. Miss Tribble is one of Fort Worth's most popular young ladies and the groom, Mr. Winn, is a much respected young man in business circles.

**CLARKSON-PORTER**  
One of the pretty weddings of the past week occurred at the residence of G. W. Porter at 803 West Third street, when the young daughter, Miss Sarah, was united in marriage to J. L. Clarkson, formerly of this city. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. M. Collins of Tyler, Texas, a cousin of the bride. Sweet peas, carnations and smilax transformed the parlors and dining room into a lower of beauty and made a fitting surrounding for the bride who was beautiful in white Paris muslin with point lace bertha, and carried brides' roses.

The Mendelssohn wedding march was rendered by Miss Etta Wilson, to the measured and impressive strains of which the bride and groom entered the front parlor preceded by two little flower girls, Mary Clarkson, sister of the groom, and Katherine Andrews, cousin of the bride. Little Miss Andrews carried the wedding ring in a beautiful white rose, and Miss Clarkson held the bride's bouquet during the ceremony. Only relatives of the contracting parties and a few intimate friends of the bride were present. After a hearty breakfast and ices were served. The punch bowl was presided over by Miss Morrow of Abilene.

Numerous presents testified to the high regard in which the young couple are held by a large circle of friends and heartiest wishes for their future happiness and prosperity accompanied them to their future home in El Paso. The following is a list of the out-of-town guests:

Mrs. J. M. Norman, Denver; Mrs. M. E. Valentine, Victor, Colo.; Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Collins, Tyler; Mrs. L. H. Hall, Hobart, Ok.; Mrs. Lauderdale, Dallas; Mr. Norman Cavitt, Wheelock, Texas; Mrs. and Miss Pakes, Dallas; Miss Jessie Lee Morrow, Abilene; Mrs. and Miss C. M. Andrews, Dallas.

### SOCIETY PERSONALS

Dr. and Mrs. Covert are visiting in Galveston.

Mr. and Mrs. Bertram A. Rose have returned from Oklahoma City.

Mrs. Mayer of Waco is visiting Mrs. Jac. Mayer.

Mrs. S. Marx of Corsicana is visiting Mrs. Neumagen.

Miss Mamie Greenwall has returned from San Antonio.

Miss Andre Anderson leaves in a few days for St. Louis.

Miss Margaret Lewis of Sherman is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Winter.

Miss Florence Hollingsworth left week to join her family in New Orleans.

Miss Frieda Dowling will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Post in Colorado Springs, Colo.

Miss Marguerite Perkins of Dallas was the guest last week of Miss Mary Louise Thompson.

Miss Edgington has returned from a visit of several weeks to the Fuller ranch.

Judge Humphreys and Miss Humphreys are visiting in New York. They will return home via St. Louis.

Jack Lehane and children and Master Adrian Ford are visiting in South Texas.

Miss Sullivan of Kansas City is visiting relatives with Mrs. Warwick on Adams street.

Mrs. J. V. Goode and Master Jack will spend the remainder of the summer in Virginia.

Mrs. M. Dayton-Chase leaves tomorrow for Colorado for a several months' stay.

James Hubbard of New Boston is the guest of relatives. Mrs. Hubbard will return home with him Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Mitchell have removed to their new home, 812 Hemp-hill.

Mrs. W. P. Hardwick and sons, Wilbur and Stanley, left Friday morning for a visit to St. Louis.

Miss Juanita Hollingsworth and Miss Hunter will be the guests of Miss Ruth Gibson a few days this week.

Mrs. J. Malcolm Brown and Master Hendricks left yesterday for a short visit with Houston friends.

Sam Henderson left yesterday for Navasota for a short visit. Mrs. Henderson is now there and will return with him.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Barnes will move into their new home on Lipscomb street in a few days.

Mrs. Harvey Hubbard returned Friday from St. Louis. Mr. Hubbard will reach here until late in July.

Miss Maud Stewart left yesterday for Pine Bluff to be the guest of Miss Altschuler. Miss Altschuler was recently a guest in Fort Worth.

The Maids and Matrons will not meet this week. The date and hostess will be announced within the next few days.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Christman have returned from their bridal trip to St. Louis and are at home with Mr. and Mrs. George Clark, 1624 Jennings avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Bager of Albany, N. Y., are visiting their brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. John Scharbauer.

Miss Matthews of Albany is visiting Mrs. George Reynolds.

Miss Ida Brown has returned from

MAGAZINES FOR JULY ARE NOW ON SALE IN THE BOOK DEPARTMENT : : : :



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# Sale of Ladies' Suits and Skirts

In taking our semi-annual inventory we find some few Ladies' Tailored Suits of Linen, that have become slightly mussed in handling; also very attractive Shirt Waist Suits of White Lawn, and newest models in Walking Skirts, of which we have too many. For these reasons our customers will be given an exceptional bargain opportunity Monday. In order to dispose of these garments the price will be 25 to 50 per cent less than their real value. For example, read these four items:

**\$19.50 Suit Monday \$9.75** **\$8.00 Skirts Monday \$4.98**

Cream Linen Suit, made in blouse effect with large sailor collar trimmed with handsome lace medallions and hand embroidery, front and stock of white tuckered linen, full sleeves gathered to stitched cuff piped with white, seven gored skirt, finished at bottom with three broad tucks.

**\$7.95 Suit Monday \$5.95** **\$24.50 Suit Monday \$12.25**

Neat, new, cool and most attractively made up, are these Shirt Waist Suits of white lawn; can be had in all sizes, made to open in the back, collar and round yoke are formed of alternating bands of lace and the latter giving fullness in front, full sleeves with fancy cuffs; circular skirt with six bands of lace insertion let in; price usually is \$7.95; for Monday only the price ..... **\$5.25**

Suit of white Butcher's Linen piped in pink, broad bands of pink linen embroidered in white, polka dots running from shoulders to waist, both back and front, large sleeves with broad bands of embroidery, pink and blue running to elbow, cuffs of the same, seven gored skirt with hand embroidery pink linen at each seam, running down to knee depth, inverted box plaits, beginning at bands and forming flare.

Cushing Academy, near Boston, where she graduated with honors this year. Miss Ida is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. Brown.

Miss Ruth Gibson who is visiting the Misses Hollingsworth, will return home Tuesday. A few days after she goes to Georgia for the summer months.

Miss Carrie Keller left last week for St. Louis, where she will be the guest of Mrs. McLaughlin. While in St. Louis she will appear in concert at the Texas building.

Miss Elizabeth Tarlton will spend several days at the St. Louis exposition. Captain and Mrs. Edgington, Miss Edgington and Mrs. Oliver Edgington-Scott will spend two months at the fashionable resorts in Virginia.

Miss Carrie Keller returned last week from Toronto, where she has been for several months studying under the instruction of the late Mrs. Edgington-Scott and Mrs. Oliver Edgington-Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Cole left last week for a trip to Saratoga Springs, Buffalo, Niagara Falls and New York city, stopping for a visit of several weeks with relatives in Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Alex Terrell who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. John Bradley, returned to Waxahachie Thursday.

## LABOR NOTES

The following account of Dr. Myers' lecture on union labor and the Golden Rule is taken from the Palestine Advocate, the lecture having been delivered by him in that city:

The universal verdict of those who heard Rev. Myers in his lecture under the title of "Union Labor and the Golden Rule," at the tabernacle last night, was that it was a strong, clear, high-minded presentation of this great question. If any one went out expecting to hear the speaker make a tirade on capital and say sensational things about corporation brutality, he was disappointed, for one of the clearest things he said in the course of his lecture was that he had no patience with or respect for the blatant agitator who was always stirring up strife, setting neighbor against neighbor. He said he came with a message of peace, and not a tale of woe. Taking hold of the question seriously the speaker said the trade union was a necessity of the times, created to combat the great and mighty organizations of capital. This organization of wealth in its operation in the industrial world has furnished the excuse for the individual workers to consolidate their interests. The manager of the corporation has for his goal the greatest amount of production at the least possible cost. Union labor has for its goal the greatest amount of production at a fair cost. The tendency of the price of labor, from going to the mercy of the other is to raise the price of labor. It is simply power to meet power. The individual workman can not demand anything. Organized labor can demand and get its rights. The speaker declared that the man who invested his money in an enterprise was entitled to his share of the profits, and the man whose skill and labor created the profit on the investment was also entitled to his share of the profit. This is what the laborer stands for: to keep all of the profits from going to the man who had invested his money. The bible truth that the labor-

er is worthy of his hire is the motto of union labor.

The speaker said a new era was at hand; the universal education of our people through the splendid public schools had created a higher ideal in life, and the great masses who toil have learned the lesson that in unity there is strength, and the day for better things is at hand for the laborer.

Every advance made by the laboring man within the past fifty years, declared the speaker, is chargeable to union labor. It has shortened the work hours, raised the pay, taken the workman from his hut and built him homes, put pictures on his walls and music in his heart. It has suppressed child labor and given the child to the school, guaranteeing a higher class of citizenship. It has given the employer a better service, a more skillful workman, and given the country a sober, thoughtful and trustworthy citizen. And, said the speaker, this young giant has just begun to arouse from his slumbers. When he awakens to the fullness of his strength he will be all powerful and have the endorsement, good will and good fellowship of every man who is a man.

The lecture was a magnificent appeal to reason, and will do good. If labor had more such champions it would be vastly better for labor. The only criticism to be offered on the meeting was that out of a membership of more than six hundred union laborers in Palestine, possibly not more than two hundred were out last night. And it is this same indifference in many instances that causes them to fall in many cases to get what is theirs by right.

The employers who failed to hear the talk failed to get something that would have been helpful to them. Considerable indignation was expressed by the men who were present on the way to the meeting and paid for the lecture by the effort made by a local paper to knock the mass meeting and keep people away from the lecture.

### COLORED LABORERS

A mass meeting for the purpose of organizing the colored laborers in the city will be held at the Labor Temple next Monday night.

A large number of the men have signed an intention of joining and a large meeting is expected. From present indications, it is thought that the men will be organized under at least three separate branches of industry, a sufficient number having already pledged themselves to become members.

### FARMERS' PICNIC

A business meeting and picnic will be held by the Tarrant County Central Farmers' Union at Pleasant Run, 15 miles northeast of this city on the Cotton Belt railroad, near Bransford station.

Secretary Woodman of the State Federation of Labor and an address of other prominent union men from this city will attend the affair. Short addresses will be made by a number of prominent farmers and union men, including President C. A. McMeane of the Farmers' Union.

The convening meet delegates at Bransford station and take them to the picnic grounds. A large representation from each of the locals in the county is expected.

### PLUMBERS' UNION

New officers of the Plumbers' Union were elected at the regular weekly meeting as follows:

W. E. Thatcher, president; Sam Hammond, vice president; A. D. Chandler, corresponding secretary; W. N. Smith, financial secretary; William Allizar, E. H. Hutton and Joe Lahey; sick committee, W. P. Harrison, F. L. Stearns, E. A. Smith.

It was also decided to be represented at the meeting of the international body to be held at Birmingham, Ala., August 15.

### PACKING HOUSE EMPLOYEES

The first meeting of the packing house employes who have secured a charter from the Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butchers Workmen's International Union was held at the Labor Temple Wednesday night. A large number of men were present.

### A COSTLY MISTAKE

Blunders are sometimes very expensive. Occasionally life itself is the price of a mistake, but you'll never be hurt if you take Dr. King's New Life Pills for Dyspepsia, Dizziness, Headache, Liver or Bowel troubles. They are gentle yet thorough. Get at Matt S. Stanton & Co.'s and W. J. Fisher's drug stores.

### THE DAMAGE SUIT INDUSTRY

The papers over the state continue to deplore the onslaught made by personal injury cases against the great corporations. Conditions are serious, and something should be done to afford these corporations relief.

While the corporations should be required to pay reasonable damages in every case where suffering and loss are due to their negligence or carelessness, personal injury laws are abused and the corporations must levy tolls upon their traffic equal to all their expenses, including these personal injury judgments.

Beau Mond's damage suit society journal, is the latest to take to task the pirates who thus prey upon the public. It says that "the Texas damage suit industry, to which attention has been called in the press of the state, continues to flourish. On May 11, in the city of Houston, the "damage suiters" became unusually busy, and in one afternoon filed suits for alleged damages aggregating \$36,956. The railroads suffered most from the onslaught, but both the Western Union Telegraph company and a local corporation were included in the list of defendants. There are doubtless just claims of this character, but it is unreasonable to suppose that the great majority of them have cause for existence other than the desire to get something for nothing. Men who revel in the role of plaintiff in personal injury suits, and lawyers who work up cases of this kind are said to play on the credulity of the public, and the railroads suffer because of it. When a transportation company or any other corporation is negligent under the law it should be made to stand the consequences. But those who perpetrate fraud in the prosecution of these claims, and men who get hurt because they may improve their bank accounts, as men have done, should be treated as other impostors usually are. The figures showing the amount paid out yearly by Texas railroads in settlement of personal injury claims would indicate the presence of impostors in force. There would be a railroad that did not help materially to build up and improve the territory along its line. Unscrupulous men who defraud them should receive the same consideration given to those who defraud individuals."—San Antonio Gazette.

### KENT J. LOOMIS IS STILL MISSING

PARIS, June 25.—The whereabouts of Kent J. Loomis, brother of the American assistant secretary of state, Francis E. Loomis, who disappeared shortly before or after the arrival of the North German Lloyd Kaiser Wilhelm II. at Plymouth June 28, remains in the company's office as of yesterday. The officials who are conducting the search for the missing man say there is no truth in the report published by a London newspaper to the effect that Loomis turned up here yesterday.

### NO NEWS OF LOOMIS

LONDON, June 25.—The mystery which surrounds the disappearance of Kent J. Loomis is no nearer a solution. Not a solitary clue to his whereabouts has resulted from nearly a week's widespread investigation. Consul General Evans and the assistant consuls have made and are still making all possible inquiries, but without the faintest trace of the missing man. The statement of Gustav Flamm, a passenger on the Kaiser Wilhelm II. that he saw Loomis at Plymouth, is so far uncorroborated.

### CHADWICK ORDERED TO RESUME CRUISE

WASHINGTON, June 25.—Since Perdicaris and Varley have been returned to their home in Tangier, the navy department today cabled orders to Rear Admiral Chadwick to proceed at once on his cruise, suggesting that he go through the Suez canal and around the east coast of Africa en route to the south Atlantic station.

### TOURISTS CALL ON KOREAN EMPEROR

SEOUL, June 25.—Members of the Japanese diet, foreign attaches and newspaper correspondents who are making a tour of the theater of war on board the steamship Manchuria as guests of the Japanese government, were received by the emperor of Korea today. The emperor said he hoped the correspondents found Korea interesting and hospitable.

Turpentine has been found to be an antidote for carbolic acid.

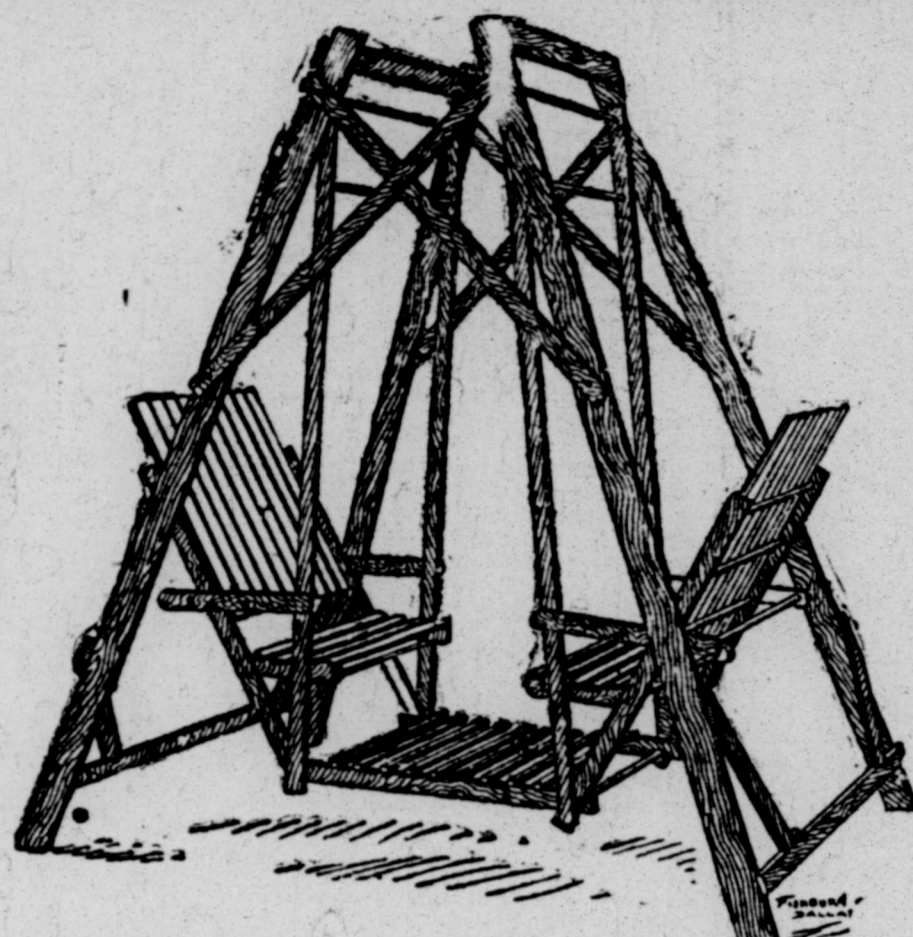


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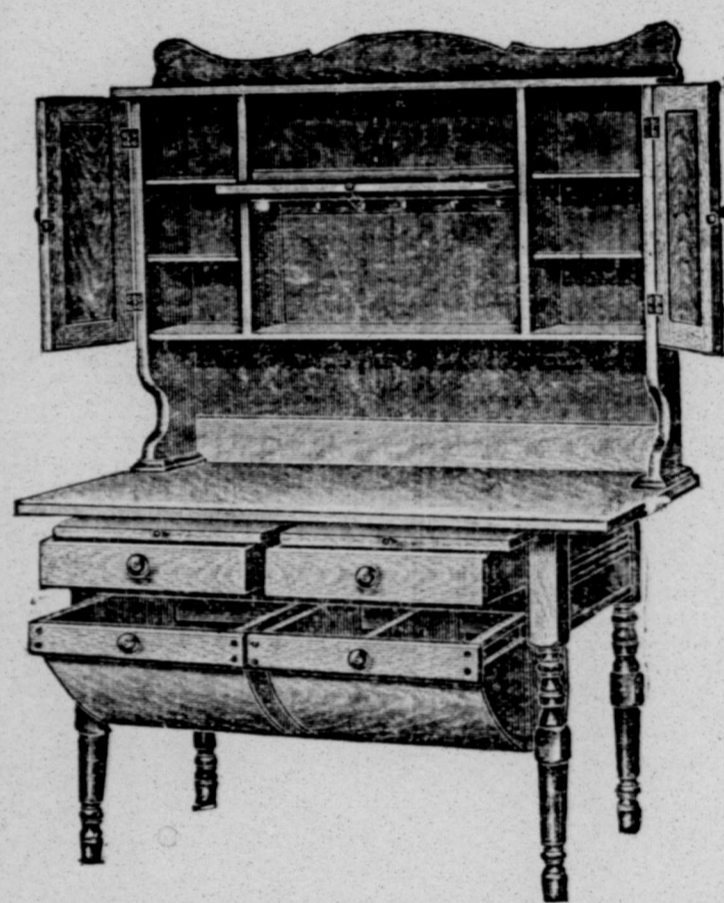


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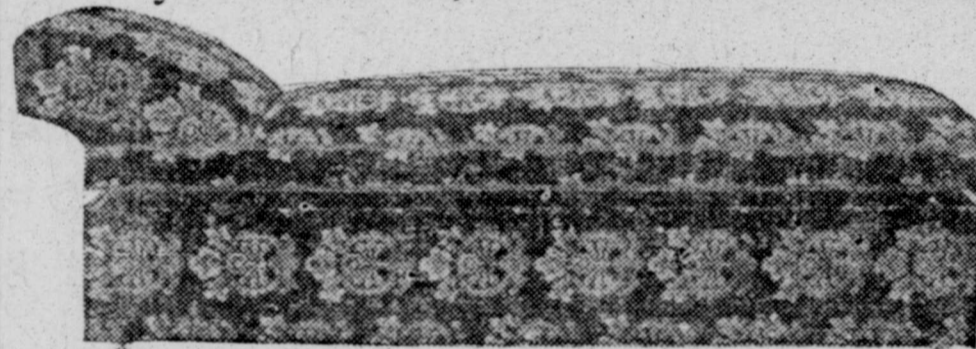
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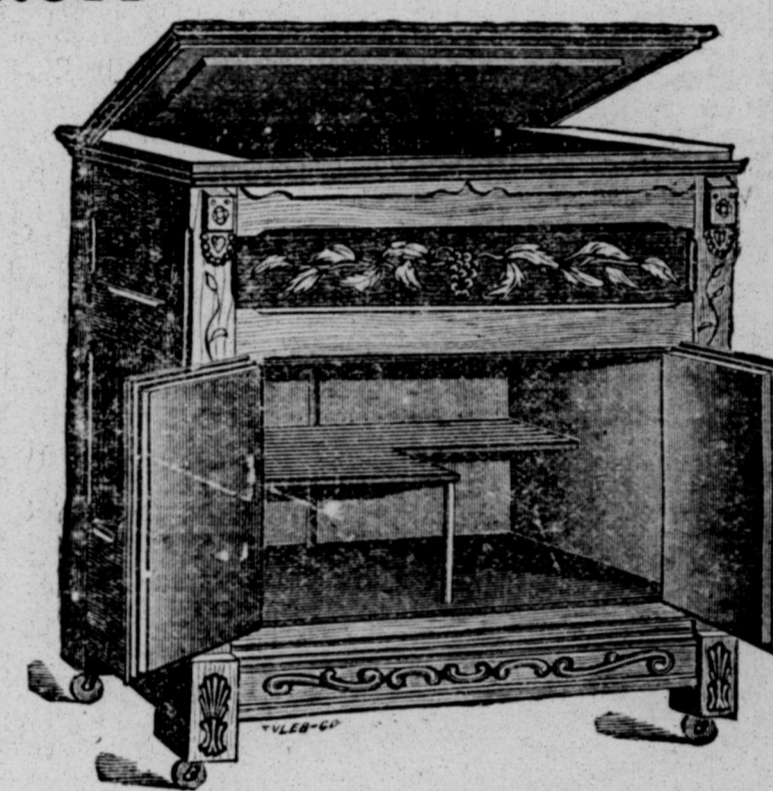


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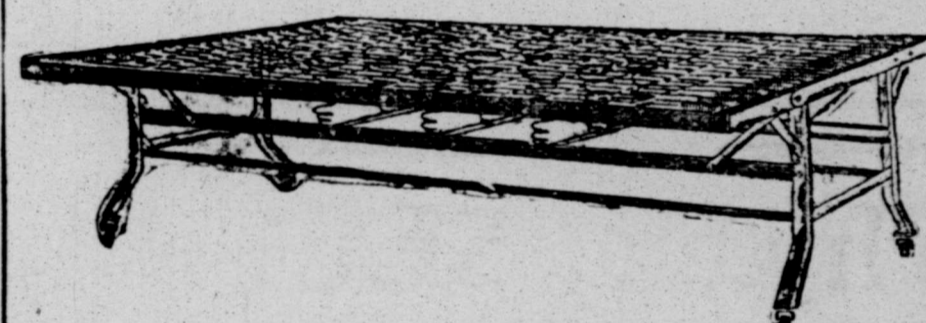
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# Little Mavericks

## THE BEEF QUESTION

The National Provisioner says: The beef question at this time is very interesting. Good steers have risen 12 1/2c per pound live weight since May 1st. The packers are holding live stock shipments and the market, this rise is a peculiar proceeding. As a matter of fact the run of abattoir steers is light and the bidding for those in the pens has been so keen on few at 1.50 and that the market went up. Competition thus seems to be as keen as ever in the live stock market. The boisterous daily press failed to take notice of this rise in live beef or to criticize the live stock owners for it. The rise of 1 1/2c per pound in live cattle means a necessary rise of 2c per pound in dressed beef without any margin of profit being left for the slaughterer. In other words, 6c cattle on the hoof means 9 1/2c killer. As this beef comes in the market the press may still find voice enough to howl. Before the end of June carcass beef should be selling above 9 1/2c to 10c per pound. The market is now at 8 1/2c to 9c. Last week one big New York packer paid \$4.50 per 100 pounds alive for prime steers, or 45c per pound. That means 10 1/2c per pound in the market at cost, wholesale. The outlook, as the National Provisioner has predicted for some time, is for higher and scarce prime beef. All cattle have gone up. The packer faces higher cattle and beef, and he, naturally, does not like this sudden turn of affairs in the live stock market.

## WOULD CHANGE MINIMUM

Texas railroads propose to change the minimum weight of car load shipments of live stock. It is stated that recently the changes requested are: For shipments of horses, mules, beef, cattle, etc., 21-foot cars and under 19,000 pounds; 36 1/2-foot cars and over 24,500 pounds; 40-foot cars and over 29,000 pounds. For shipments of cattle of all kinds, etc., 31-foot cars and under 18,000 pounds; 34-foot cars and over 21,000 pounds; 34-foot cars and over 21,000 pounds; 34-foot cars and over 21,000 pounds. For shipments of calves, goats, etc., 31-foot cars and under 15,000 pounds; 34-foot cars and over 21,000 pounds; 34-foot cars and over 21,000 pounds. The proposed change is not favorably regarded by shippers.

## WANT BETTER LAWS

Experience of Kansas stockmen with the state veterinarian and the law which that officer acts under, has led them to ask the next legislature for laws which will strengthen and make more efficient this branch of the government. The present law authorizes the auditor of the state to pay the expenses of the state veterinarian when he is engaged in business for the live stock sanitary commission. The officer is allowed to make no investigation of dangerous diseases among stock without first receiving an order from the county clerk. If the commissioners are out of the state as they are in a great many instances no investigation can be made. A short time ago a stockman in northwestern Kansas lost cattle valued at more than \$1,000 in one night. He was anxious to know the nature of the mysterious disease and hurried the stomach of a dead animal to the state agricultural college to be examined by the veterinarian. The officer refused to make the examination unless guaranteed that he would be paid for his services and sent back word that an examination would do no good after the animals were dead. It is to render the department useful in cases of this kind that a better law will be demanded.

## WILL PAY CREDITORS

MEXICO, Mo., June 25.—The creditors of M. B. Guthrie, the capitalist of this county, who made an assignment with assets estimated at \$150,000, will likely be paid in full. C. F. Clark, the assignee, had a partial sale at the Ortix farm, near this city, and sold about \$20,000 worth of the stock and some of the animals. Some were sold cheap, but a whole Mr. Guthrie said he was satisfied.

C. E. Leonard, the Cooper county breeder, and former owner of Lavender Viscount, said to be the finest bull of the kind in the world, was presented to this famous animal sell for \$300. Sybil's Victoria II was sold to C. S. Harrison, of Audrain county, for \$162.50. Ravenwood Lavender Viscount 186168, the Lavender herd bull, went to J. T. Johnson, of Carter & Hopkins of Mexico for \$300. Princess Violet was sold to Edward Patterson of Dunceon for \$150, and Violet the Fourth was bought by Carter & Hopkins of Mexico for \$200.

## DRY SECTION FLOODED

The worst floods in the northern Black Hills probably since 1882 occurred last Saturday and Sunday, says the Belle Fourche Bee. A continuous rain of several days did the work. At Central City and below Deadwood several hundred yards of Northwestern track was washed out. On the Burlington, between Deadwood and Spearfish, nearly two miles of road bed is reported badly damaged. Many buildings in Deadwood have been damaged greatly and a large number of wagon and railroad bridges are out altogether or damaged. At Spearfish the river was reported four feet deep at the Burlington depot and large damage done to the streets by reason of a change in the course of the river.

Locally, considerable damage was done along Redwater valley, growing crops being injured quite badly. The approaches to the Redwater bridge adjoining town were washed out, but the bridge has been repaired and can now be crossed. The Northwestern railroad bridge was damaged by reason of approaches damaged and piling washed out, and has been unsafe for crossing all week. The Wyoming and Missouri River train has been taking the passengers, mail and express out to the bridge, where transfer is made to the regular train. Transfer is made at the tunnel for Deadwood. It will be several days before normal conditions of traffic can be resumed in the northern hills.

North from Belle Fourche some damage has been done by the various streams, but reports indicate the floods were not as high out there as they are here. The northern hills seemed to be the center of the heavy rains and the greatest damage to property in and around Deadwood. One man was drowned at Central City and another drowning is reported in Bear Butte creek in Meade county.

## TROUBLES ARE ENDING

A Des Moines dispatch says: Trouble of stock shippers with railroad companies over the question of stock passes and better accommodations is apparently at an end, at least so far as it relates to the business done out of Iowa. Traveling men who are out over the state say that there is really a much better feeling between the shippers and the transportation lines now than for a long time, and that practically all cause of complaint has been removed. Representative De Lano of Cass county, who was a leader in the agitation for legislation to benefit the ship-

## DEPRESSED CATTLE VALUES

John K. Rosson of Campbell Brothers & Rosson Live Stock Commission Company of Fort Worth gives a good reason for the depression of cattle value during the past week: "Our commission firm used bad judgment in advising their customers to market thin and half fat cattle, when they should advise them to hold such cattle back and get them in marketable condition. From the best information we can obtain from our customers throughout the northern states there is not more than 50 per cent of the number of finished market cattle for the June, July and August market that there has been in former years. This condition was brought about from the fact that corn has been very high for a great many months and the cattle market being so low, shippers disposed of their cattle rather than feed high-priced corn, and sold their corn on the open market, thus marketing their cattle in March, April and May that are ordinarily fed for the June, July and August market. We are positive there is not more than 40 per cent of the number of beef cattle in the Indian Territory, there being some 400,000 head of cattle in that territory. This was brought about by the setting up of the Indian Territory, and the cattlemen being unable to secure an abundance of money to handle these cattle as in former years, and as for Texas, we are very short of cattle here. Taking all these conditions into consideration, why should our Texas cattlemen rush their cattle to market before they are even in good flesh, when they have an abundance of the best grass and water the state ever knew, with the exception of a few local sections where they have not been blessed with plenty of rain. We have the finest prospects for a corn crop that has ever been known in Texas, and our cotton crop is in excellent condition, but of course we can not tell what the cotton will be yet. The northern states have a reasonably good prospect for a good corn crop, and with good crops this fall and cheap seed there will be a large demand for feeding cattle, and I can see no reason why we should not have an excellent cattle market the entire year, if our cattle are properly prepared for market. I therefore suggest for the cattle interests of Texas and the Indian Territory to get your cattle fat before putting them on the market, and the results are bound to be satisfactory. There is at least 75 per cent of the cattle going to market today that are too thin and green to make good carcasses. As long as these conditions exist prices are bound to be very unsatisfactory."

## CROSSED WITH BUFFALO

Charles Goodnight says: "This year I have several head of calves only one-eighth blood and will give them every chance to take blackleg in order to test them, although I think they are immune. I have been trying for several years to establish a race of cattle from the buffalo. So far I have only partially succeeded. When this is done it will be the greatest thing for the cattle industry of America. They have some characteristics that are very valuable to this interest. Beside their great weight and the extra quality of meat, they are first most probably immune from disease; second, they never eat loco; third, they never lie with their backs down hill, which causes so much loss in weak cattle; fourth, they do not go into bog holes; fifth, they have the greatest lungs in any animal on earth; and sixth, they put on more flesh for what they eat than other animals."

## FEW MONTANA CALVES

Round-ups of cattle on the ranges in the northern and eastern parts of the state which have been going on for about three weeks have revealed a shortage in the calf crop which is taken as an indication of heavy cattle losses during the past winter and spring.

So stated M. E. Milner, one of the leading stockmen of Montana, who was in the city last week from his Valley county cattle ranches on a brief business visit, says the Great Falls Leader.

"There certainly were some heavy losses to cattlemen during the past season and the losses were not made so evident as they have been in the past few weeks of the spring round-up, which has failed to bring in nearly as many calves as were looked for. We started our round-up in Valley county about the 25th of May and the same has been progressing about six weeks.

"The past winter was very hard on stock, but we hardly anticipated such losses as much have been sustained. The calf crop is even smaller than that of last spring, which may be taken as indicative of very heavy losses.

"However, these losses will be offset to a certain extent by the present condition of the stock market and the indications for good prices on range cattle during the season. The stockmen are jubilant over the prices, as they certainly were given the worst of it on last year's market.

"Although the range condition in Valley county are still very good, there seems to be a considerable lack of moisture in other parts of the state. The grass is looking very good, but we have not enjoyed the amount of rains needed for this month, which is supposed to be the rainy season, and in many parts the grass is being cured before it is nearly matured."

## BENEFIT TO CATTLEMEN

The new order of the federal government permitting the cattle below the quarantine line in Texas to be dipped and shipped north will save thousands of dollars to the Texas cattlemen, said F. E. Beckwith of Colorado City, Texas, yesterday to a representative of the Drovers Telegram. "Recently several shipments of stockers

and other cattle from below the quarantine line in that state have been received on the Kansas City market, and sold on the native division. This is the first time since the quarantine regulations were established many years ago that this was permitted. Some time ago, the federal government made a test of dipping cattle in crude Beaumont oil, and found that it was a success so far as killing all ticks was concerned. Then the sanitary board of Texas erected dipping vats at Fort Worth, where at the present time cattle are being dipped preparatory to shipping north. Mr. Beckwith himself brought in yesterday three car loads of stockers that came from below the line which had been dipped.

"This dipping effectually kills all lice and ticks on the animal," continued Mr. Beckwith. "And it goes still further and loosens up all the scales and removes any scabs that may be on the animals, and completely renovates the steers. After the cattle are dipped they are placed under a shed and kept from the sun for three days, so that the oil may soak in. Then they are thoroughly examined by two experts. The animal is passed through a chute and is examined all over by these men, one on each side. The hair is brushed up and every part of the animal is felt over before it is permitted to be sent out. This is a big thing to the Texas stockmen below the line, who heretofore were compelled to hold back their cattle until what is known as the open season arrived, which is October 1, before they could be moved north. This open season lasted four months when they had to shut off again. Now when properly dipped and inspected, they can ship these cattle north all the year around. This will be of untold advantage to the stockmen and will be a wonderful help to them financially."

## REAL BUFFALO GRASS

When western men talk they frequently use names of things that are not at all understood by others. There are many kinds of native grasses common to Oklahoma, northern Texas, western Kansas, etc., whose names are all unknown, as meaning any particular thing, to the farmers of the east. One of these is buffalo grass, one of the commonest of all.

Buffalo grass is a low, fine leaf, persistently creeping, perennial, similar in its habit of growth to Bermuda grass. It is found in nearly all of the western states, and is one of our most valuable native grasses.

Liberally mixed with curly mesquite and needle grass, the combination makes an ideal pasture. It is not one of the richest fat-producing grasses, but being a native particularly adapted to our western conditions of climate and soil, and affording abundant pasturage, it is one of our most valuable species.

Buffalo grass is not in any sense a hay grass. It forms a beautiful close interwoven turf, with lateral creeping stocks which bear an abundance of leaves, but it never grows high enough to be cut for hay. It can be readily grown from seed, but owing to the manner in which the seeds are produced, it is impracticable to gather them in quantities. As the grass is easily propagated by dividing the turf and sowing the bits in furrows, it is not difficult to get a good stand.

Once established it is easily retained, because it will survive almost any degree of dry weather, trampling and other ill uses. It is deservedly one of the favorite grasses of the great west.

## CANADA'S CATTLE DUTY.

The Canadian northwest has a sort of Agrarian party of its own, says the National Provisioner in following out a line of thought recently suggested in the Drovers Journal. It is a Tory in politics and is now working for the placing of a duty on American cattle

## RETURN STOCK PASSES

Passenger men are still howling about live stock return passes, making the claim that they are being subjected to ill usage. A committee of executive officers of western roads has been appointed to consider the question of confining the use of these tickets to bona fide stockmen. It is understood that railroad traffic men are at a stand on the desirability of taking concerted action to restrict the manipulation of these tickets. What precautions will be taken is not known, but there is a proposal to adopt a descriptive photographic form of ticket—Chicago Live Stock World.

## MEXICAN CATTLE IMPORTED

The importations of cattle from Mexico for the month of May amounted to but a little more than one-third of the number imported during the month of April, the importations for April being 697 head, for May being 242 head.

Of the imports for cattle for April, sixty-five were 3-year-old steers, fifty-one 2-year-olds, twenty-three yearlings, thirty-seven cows, fifty-seven calves, two stags, eight 2-year-old heifers and six yearling heifers.

## NEW MARKET OPENING

The war in the orient is on in earnest and while to appearance, America deplores the event, yet her real attitude is similar to that of the old countryman who, in exhorting his son to keep the Sabbath, said: "Son, it is wrong to fish on Sunday, but remember your father likes fish."

Reports received from ranchmen in Sonora, indicate that there is a desperate state of affairs in the range country there on account of the lack of rains. It is said that hundreds of cattle have died of thirst and starvation and that there seems to be no alleviation in sight for the suffering of the poor beasts or the losses of their owners.

## CATTLEMEN ARE DESPERATE

People are said to be almost panic stricken in the cow country of northern and central eastern Sonora over the great drought. There were no winter rains and the spring rains have also failed to make

## TEXAS PANHANDLE CATTLE

W. P. Anderson of the Pecos Valley lines of the Santa Fe system, came in from the Pecos country and the Panhandle and reports conditions in those sections to be much improved as a consequence of the rains of last month, which have caused the lakes in the plains to fill up and the grass to grow, says the Drovers Telegram. Cattle are thriving wonderfully in commercial packages; that is, yearling and 2-year-old steers; in fact, the cattlemen that they will go north at any season of the year, and northern feeders are in need of them. The railroads and the cattlemen will have to get together on suitable rates for dipped cattle. The shipping of quarantine cattle north for any other purpose than that of selling for immediate slaughter at the great markets is a new thing, made possible by the order of the bureau of animal industry relating to dipping. It is a problem that the railroads have not had to deal with. They will have to take it up and act on it so as to put that business on a basis with the shipping of cattle to market. This is a matter that is not within the jurisdiction of the State Railroad commission, as such shipments are interstate. If the railroads do not give relief, however, the State Railroad commission might make a special rate on such cattle from point of origin to Fort Worth so low that the charge to this city plus the charge to northern points will be no more than the through rate.

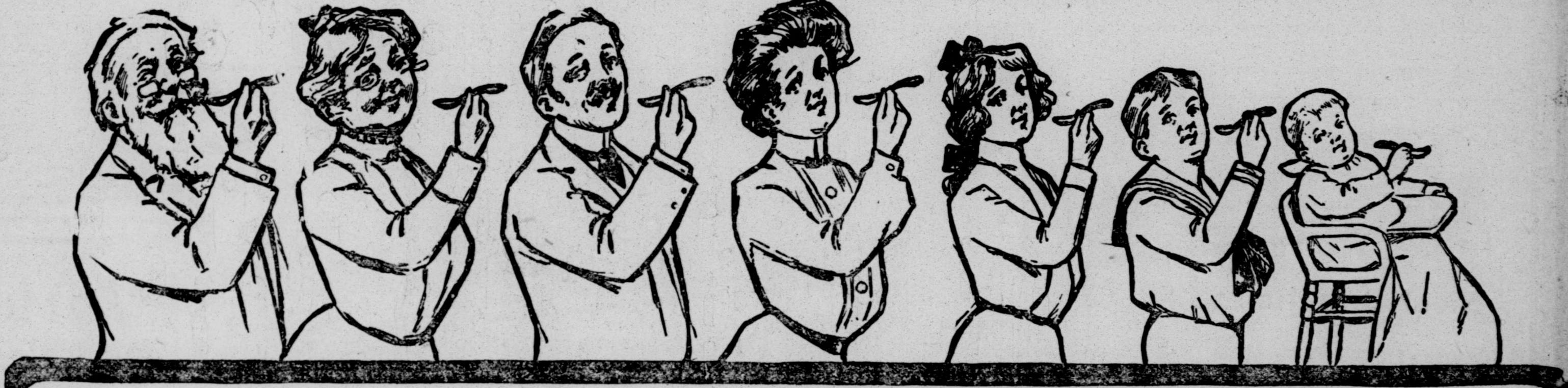
## THE QUARANTINE TRADE

The Fort Worth Live Stock Reporter commenting on the sale and dipping of 400 steers for shipment to North Dakota by Reynolds Bros., says: "This is the starting of a business that is destined to grow to millions of dollars yearly. Texas cattle can go north at any season of the year, and northern feeders are in need of them. The railroads and the cattlemen will have to get together on suitable rates for dipped cattle. The shipping of quarantine cattle north for any other purpose than that of selling for immediate slaughter at the great markets is a new thing, made possible by the order of the bureau of animal industry relating to dipping. It is a problem that the railroads have not had to deal with. They will have to take it up and act on it so as to put that business on a basis with the shipping of cattle to market. This is a matter that is not within the jurisdiction of the State Railroad commission, as such shipments are interstate. If the railroads do not give relief, however, the State Railroad commission might make a special rate on such cattle from point of origin to Fort Worth so low that the charge to this city plus the charge to northern points will be no more than the through rate.

## RAILROADS ARE ANXIOUS

The announcement by prominent railroad men in their testimony before the Interstate Commerce commission at St. Louis last week that they considered live stock rates too low and that they were seriously trying to reach an agreement to advance them, and had been trying for some time, will be rather startling news to the stockmen in the west, who have been laboring under the idea that rates were already too high. It is the opinion of those best posted in regard to the situation that while the railroads are in earnest in this matter, that they will not attempt to raise the rates while the investigation is pending before the Interstate Commerce commission, but it is very evident from the testimony that but for the suit brought by the Texas Cattle Raisers' association early in the year, there would have been an advance before this. The railroads seem to feel confident that they will be able to prove to the commission that the rates they are charging for transporting live stock instead of being too high are really too low, but it is very doubtful if their arguments will hold water when analyzed. Some of the traffic men testify that they do not care for the business at present rates and only take it because it comes to them; but in the next breath they admit having solicitors out after

	1904	1903	1902	1901	1900
Jan. ..	1,241	4,765	3,354	6,555	1,909
Feb. ..	502	2,424	113	6,102	1,075
Mar. ..	820	5,619	755	6,501	2,818
Apr. ..	697	3,321	8,441	11,769	6,671
May ..	242	3,911	19,615	25,160	17,837
June ..	4561	3,126	15,045	18,123	4,085
July ..	231	245	2,865	4,085	4,085
Aug. ..	201	2,069	2,05	4,123	4,123
Sept. ..	300	3,023	2,458	12,259	4,817
Oct. ..	1,845	3,908	2,679	4,817	4,817
Nov. ..	1,609	10,041	10,183	4,973	4,973
Dec. ..	4,467	8,868	8,392	9,381	9,381
TOTAL	2,999	33,254	63,560	99,965	74,862



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## LADY SOMERSET TELLS OF IT ALL

Visit of the Alake of Abeokuta to the Countess Burdette-Coutts

DEBUT OF MISS TREE

Charity and Amusement Combined in Visits of Society to the Slum Children

BY LADY HENRY SOMERSET.

(Copyright, 1904, by W. R. Hearst.) LONDON, June 25.—The Alake of Abeokuta has left London for a short time, and no more dramatic incident has occurred than his interview with the Baroness Burdette-Coutts.

The African monarch expressed the desire to see this benevolent lady, and an interview was arranged, when the Alake, arrayed in gorgeous robes, presented himself before the baroness at her London house.

When he entered her presence he knelt, according to native custom, and then started through his interpreter that one of his first desires on visiting England had been to see the Baroness Burdette-Coutts, in order to thank her for the great boon she had conferred upon his country in her father's time.

Over forty years ago, during the great Lancashire cotton famine, the Baroness had sent the two first cotton gins ever seen in Abeokuta, and thus has been the founder of the chief industry of the country.

The face of the aged lady lit with pleasure, and she told the king of the terrible incidents of the Lancashire cotton famine, and said that here indeed was a ray of light cast over those dark days, and that it was a joy to her in her ninetieth year to receive such a tribute from that far-off land.

The native king was visibly affected, and replied that he was glad to think she had lived to hear the expressions of gratitude which he brought, for what she had done for his father and his people.

HER FIRST APPEARANCE There seems something singularly appropriate in the fact that a charming young girl like Miss Viola Tree should make her first appearance on the London stage, in her father's company, in aid of a Fresh Air fund.

Every seat in His Majesty's theater was filled to welcome the appearance of the young girl, whose father is so deservedly popular.

"Twenty thousand poor children," said Mr. Tree in a little speech at the end of the performance, "will benefit by your presence here today," and her rendering of Shakespeare's Viola was modest, musical and full of humor.

Some years ago, when she was still a little child, Miss Viola Tree was asked if she intended to become an actress like her mother. "Oh, no!" was the child's prompt reply.

"When I grow up I am going to marry."

But no doubt she will live to fulfill both callings.

SOCIETY AND AMUSEMENT Society in London has been combining charity with amusement to a greater extent this summer than ever before.

The Tableau Vivants arranged by a galaxy of beautiful and talented women, in aid of settlement work in the east end of London, with which I am connected, were among the most successful that have ever been organized.

It would be difficult to say how much was due to the beauty of the presentations and how much to the beauty of the performers; but for originality, perhaps the picture arranged by Lady Granby was the most striking.

In the first scene her young daughter, a beautiful girl who has just been presented, took the character of Queen Isabella, wife of Philip IV, and little Miss Asquith, daughter of the ex-cabinet minister, represented the Infanta Maria Theresa, while Mr. Shannon, the famous portrait painter, posed as Velasquez.

The gorgeous Spanish dresses, correct in every detail, the curiously becoming head dress of short curls which formed a square line around the face, were the exact reproduction of Velasquez's pictures, and the pale child with her oval face, was particularly suggestive of the great master's portraits.

In the second tableau the picture was finished, a smaller frame was introduced within the larger, and Velasquez was standing by his complete work, and a more lovely picture has seldom been seen.

THE SLUM CHILDREN But the picture which perhaps appealed most strongly to the sympathies of the audience, as it depicted the charity for which they had assembled, was the group of east end children, arranged by the ladies of the Bromley Settlement, which was entitled, "Bed Time in the Slums."

The scene represented a narrow alley. To the left was the brightly-lit gin palace, and to the right a tumble-down door step. The moonlight, which shone upon the street, lit up the weary, pale faces of a group of children huddled together, a tall boy holding a baby, and tired children asleep on the steps.

The church clock in the distance pointed to midnight, and at the door of the public house stood a ragged child, with an eager face lit by the light from within, peering through the door in the hopes of catching a sight of "Mother," for whom the children were waiting.

Such a scene is common to the workers in the London slums, but to many who assembled in that beautiful Imperial theater it was a revelation of a life of which they knew nothing.

The contrast, however, was shown in the next picture, which was equally called "Bedtime," a cottage garden, full of blooming summer flowers, and a happy group of country children, with a tiny baby in the midst, who stood as still as though she were a wax model, holding up her tiny nightgown, while with outstretched arms the mother was waiting for her.

These pictures were suggested to me by the fact that on a bitter night last winter, a little lad sat on the curbstone looking hopelessly at the passing traffic.

The clock on the church was striking 12. I stopped to ask him what he did there, he pointed to the glowing lights and swinging door of the public house across the street, and said: "I'm waiting to fetch mother 'ome at closing time."

When slum children go to the country, one of their greatest treats is bedtime. They watch eagerly for the moment when they shall be called in from their play, but it is that bedtime is a luxury unknown in the slums.

What to other children is the dulllest moment in the day is to the slum child the most wonderful of all. A small child once unconsciously gave the reason for this:

"My mother," she said, "don't care if I never come in nights; she ain't thinking about me."

Then the child added: "But my aunt, she never flink was my mother's sister, she's religious. She calls her children in and puts them to bed every evening at 7 o'clock."

It is only the children of the good who know the meaning of bedtime, so she thought; but in the country, other children may get a chance, for a little while, to share in the luxury of love that members to call tired children in to rest.

FATE OF BUSHEY SCHOOL There is much lamentation in the world of art over the fate of the Bushey school, Professor Von Herkomer has for the last twenty years done a service to rising artists which it is difficult to estimate.

He has unwearingly labored to inspire this colony of young students in the pretty Hertfordshire village with a sense of the responsibility of their work, and a strong belief in the necessity for individuality in art.

"I have sought," said Professor Herkomer, "for twenty-one years to get right into the character of each pupil, to correct some mannerisms, some bad tendency, which crops up again and again in his or her pictures, and which has some mental trick as its foundation."

"There are old pupils at Bushey," he added, "more than sixty of them, with private studios, and they will always find me ready to give advice."

"Personally," said Professor Herkomer, "I like to see artists pursue their own style. It is a revelation of their own character and their own personality. Moreover, the art school at Bushey has been able to demonstrate that it is possible for men and women to study together to the advantage of both."

Professor Herkomer will remain in his own beautiful house, which he designed, where he has an excellent collection of enamel and other objects of art. The wrought iron work of the hanging lamps, the wood panels on the walls, and the beautiful decoration in silver are all the handiwork of his pupils.

I know of no story more touching than the one which Professor Herkomer told a friend of mine when he was sitting to him for his portrait. He related that his aged father was among the pupils in his school, and that every day the old man took his place on the bench and bent for hours over his wood carving.

His sight was failing, and his hand was unsteady, and the work that he produced was often defective; but when he had gone to his rest his great son took his place, straightened the lines, sharpened the edges and corrected all imperfections, and then when the aged pupil returned to his work next morning he looked at it with delight, feeling that he had wrought far better than he knew, little guessing that the master hand had touched it in his absence.

It often seemed to me to be a wonderful picture of the way in which the Almighty hand takes our poor beginnings and finishes them according to His, perfect design.

TAX ON TIMEPIECES Amusement and luxury are necessities of life that have been taxed, none is more curious than the tax imposed by Pitt on all timepieces and watches.

In Windsor Castle today in the footman's room is to be seen what was called an act of parliament clock. These clocks were designed for taverns in order that the passerby who could not afford to carry a watch might be able to tell the time.

King Edward VII has over 250 clocks in Windsor Castle, and over 170 in Buckingham Palace, making a kindly proportion of over 400.

King Edward VIII in 1842 used to delight in counting the clocks which he possessed and which gave him unbounded pleasure, but they numbered only ten.

When Sir Horace Walpole's effects were sold at auction, the Queen Victoria bought the clock which was given on the morning of her wedding by Henry VIII to Anne Boleyn, and it now stands in the chapel retiring room at Windsor Castle, a curious memorial to the instability of royal marriages.

On one of the pendulums are the letters H. A. and a true lover's knot and H. A. alone on the other. Round the bottom of each are the words, "The most famous clock in the world." Prices were paid on a ruinous basis and cattle were in an attenuated condition all through the season. They came through a hard winter lacking flesh and owing to refusal to accept of fat range beef will not be in good condition and fetch satisfactory prices. Montana's beef output will be 25 to 30 per cent in excess of last year's if the market conditions are favorable.

"It has been a prosperous season in Northern Pacific territory," Chicago Live Stock World.

THE ARIZONA RANGE H. E. Campbell, a large sheep raiser near Flagstaff, Ariz., and W. L. Powers, assistant cashier of the Arizona Central National bank at that Arizona town, were in this city on route with a consignment of over 30,000 head of sheep.

When asked whether or not the district in which he was interested had been affected to any extent by the drought, which has been prevalent during the past season in the southwest, Mr. Campbell said:

"In the vicinity of Flagstaff sheep have not suffered to the extent they have in the country in the more southern part of the territory. While we have not had an exceptionally good year, we have been fortunate in not losing any large amount of stock."

"Our grass has been disappearing very fast for the past few weeks and it is apparent that if rain does not fall in a short time next season's lamb crop will be decidedly short. These conditions can all be remedied by rain if it is only possible to secure that natural requisite to stockmen's success, and from present weather conditions we believe that before long we will receive that long looked for series of showers."

"The sheep I am at present taking to Kansas City, over 30,000 head, are in excellent condition for the market, but the balance cannot be as good if water is not had to improve the grazing land. I have a contract to supply another lot next month, so you see that, like the Iowa farmer, I am praying for rain."

"Fellow-herders tell me that they have lost large numbers of sheep in southern Arizona, and from all accounts I believe that sheepmen can figure on a short lamb crop, and the high prices that then must follow for next season."—Albuquerque Journal.

A hitherto unpublished letter of John Wesley has been sent to Notes and Queries by a correspondent in Calcutta. It was originally the property of a relative, the daughter of a Methodist preacher. It is dated Aberdeen, May 5, 1784, and is addressed to "Dear Jimmy." It gives directions as to the forwarding of letters, comments on a certain sermon

and concludes thus: "You have done well in restoring the meetings at 5 in the morning. These are the glory of the Methodists. I am your affectionate friend and brother, J. Wesley."

Persons who wish to observe the shadow cast by Venus may do so by pointing toward the planet a long box, blackened on the inside and closed by a plate of ground glass. The object to cast the shadow is placed at the farther end. In these conditions the shadow is clearly thrown on the ground glass.

Cascara bark peeling has become an active industry in the forests of western Washington. The bark is taken from the barberry and chittimwood trees. It has a commercial value of 8 cents a pound. An ordinary tree yields from fifty to 100 pounds of the dried bark.

Incombustible celluloid is a French invention. Chemists say arsenic is present in eggs.

## GENERAL MILES TELLS OF STRENGTH OF THE RUSSIANS

The Famous American Fighter Tells How the Czar's Army Can in Time Simply Overwhelm the Japanese—Gives Some Facts About the Russian Army Which Are Not Commonly Known, But Which He Says Are Not Secrets

BY NELSON A. MILES.

Lieutenant General U. S. A., Retired. WASHINGTON, June 25.—When the Russian bear wakes up we may expect to hear some noise, at least, if in the meantime he is not fatally tripped by the enterprise and dash of the wily Japanese.

The Russian character is phlegmatic, but correspondingly tenacious when thoroughly aroused, and it sometimes requires a certain amount of pounding to develop the true metal necessary to stand the severe test of war. The series of discouraging disasters in the early part of our great civil war had the effect of prolonging the struggle, but not of determining the final result.

The present question is how rapidly the Russian government can move a great army to its Pacific coast. At Port Arthur eighteen months ago Admiral Alex. left informed me that he then had 80,000 men under his command, which included those in both the military and naval forces. With all the warning and urgent necessity for a strong force they have had time to place at least ten times that number in that theater of war.

The capacity of the Trans-Siberian railroad is determined by the number of men they can move across Lake Baikal in a day. The Russians had boats and water transportation sufficient to move 5,000 a day.

The war minister informed me at St. Petersburg that their army consisted of 1,700,000 men, 200,000 in the saddle, and that they could mobilize 4,000,000 with their reserves.

These are no state secrets, but facts known to every military student and intelligent traveler.

They could easily put 100,000 or, if necessary, 200,000 men to perfecting the line of transportation, making any repairs that were necessary, putting in sidings, double-tracking or many other repairs that were needed; and it is fair to assume that this to some extent has been accomplished.

While there have been small affairs, or engagements in which detachments of the army have been seriously involved, a decisive battle between the two large armies has not yet been fought. The Russians have evidently placed too much reliance upon their cavalry and underrated the efficient and destructive Japanese artillery. This war will undoubtedly demonstrate the demoralizing effect of long-range, rapid-fire guns.

The delay in the capture of Port Arthur has given the Russians ample time to greatly strengthen their position at Vladivostok, and between there and Harbin.

There is little prospect of Port Arthur being relieved, or escaping ultimate capture, but the long time necessary to accomplish that object gives ample time to strengthen their position of Vladivostok, and it seems quite likely that here may be another Sebastopol, which fell only after a long and very expensive siege, carried on for many months by the British, French and Turkish governments.

Port Arthur may fall, as it undoubtedly will within a few months, but it will be a long time before the Russian government will relinquish the western terminal of the Siberian railway and its position on the Pacific coast. That would be a serious political and military humiliation to the empire.

trial as witnesses and friends of Mr. Yates. Attorneys Dean, Bowden & Bryan and W. W. Turney appeared as counsel for the defendant.—El Paso Herald.

FAT RANGE BEEF Said E. P. Johnson, general live stock agent Northern Pacific railroad, "About one of fat range beef will not be in good condition and fetch satisfactory prices. Montana's beef output will be 25 to 30 per cent in excess of last year's if the market conditions are favorable."

"It has been a prosperous season in Northern Pacific territory," Chicago Live Stock World.

THE ARIZONA RANGE H. E. Campbell, a large sheep raiser near Flagstaff, Ariz., and W. L. Powers, assistant cashier of the Arizona Central National bank at that Arizona town, were in this city on route with a consignment of over 30,000 head of sheep.

When asked whether or not the district in which he was interested had been affected to any extent by the drought, which has been prevalent during the past season in the southwest, Mr. Campbell said:

"In the vicinity of Flagstaff sheep have not suffered to the extent they have in the country in the more southern part of the territory. While we have not had an exceptionally good year, we have been fortunate in not losing any large amount of stock."

"Our grass has been disappearing very fast for the past few weeks and it is apparent that if rain does not fall in a short time next season's lamb crop will be decidedly short. These conditions can all be remedied by rain if it is only possible to secure that natural requisite to stockmen's success, and from present weather conditions we believe that before long we will receive that long looked for series of showers."

"The sheep I am at present taking to Kansas City, over 30,000 head, are in excellent condition for the market, but the balance cannot be as good if water is not had to improve the grazing land. I have a contract to supply another lot next month, so you see that, like the Iowa farmer, I am praying for rain."

"Fellow-herders tell me that they have lost large numbers of sheep in southern Arizona, and from all accounts I believe that sheepmen can figure on a short lamb crop, and the high prices that then must follow for next season."—Albuquerque Journal.

A hitherto unpublished letter of John Wesley has been sent to Notes and Queries by a correspondent in Calcutta. It was originally the property of a relative, the daughter of a Methodist preacher. It is dated Aberdeen, May 5, 1784, and is addressed to "Dear Jimmy." It gives directions as to the forwarding of letters, comments on a certain sermon

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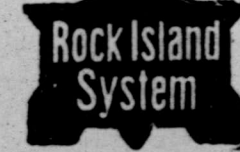
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**THE MOST EMPHATIC PRICE CUTTING ON EVERY-THING IN SUMMER WASH FABRICS**

1000 yards wide Brussels Jaconet in white grounds, assorted printings, 8 1-3c quality, reduced to, yard ..... **5c**

One case assorted satin striped and plain Batiste, full 32 inches wide, always sold at 12 1/2c yard, reduced to, yard ..... **7c**

One lot fine Dolly Varden Batiste, excellent colorings and designs, the 19c quality, per yard ..... **12 1/2c**

10 pieces of the popular Spot Organdie, in beautiful patterns, the regular 29c quality, reduced to, yard ..... **19c**

1000 yards 31-inch White Organdie, nice sheer quality, yard ..... **7 1/2c**

500 yards of the popular Silk Mousseline de Soie, in light blue, pink, cream, white and helio regularly sold at 25c a yard, reduced price, a yard ..... **16 1/2c**

One large select assortment of Voile Egyptian Tissues, solid and printed, never sold for less than 25c; some 35c a yard; reduced to, yard ..... **15c**

**NOW IS A GOOD TIME TO BUY TABLE LINENS, TOWELS, TOWELING AND WHITE GOODS**

Fast Turkey Red Table Damask, a yard ..... **19c**

All Linen Cream Damask, extra quality and width; Harris' regular 60c quality, reduced to, yard ..... **38c**

One lot Turkish Bath Towels, in unbleached, extra large, heavy kind, reduced to, each ..... **15c**

Best Linen Check Glass Toweling, in 18-inch width 12 1/2c quality; reduced to, yard ..... **8 1-3c**

One case large size White Spreads, always sold at \$1.25; reduced to, each ..... **75c**

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All the best Calicoes, light and dark—nothing reserved—one price, per yard ..... **4 1/2c**

One lot Striped and Checked Zephyr Ginghams, regular price 8 1/2c; reduced during sale to, yard ..... **5 1/2c**

**YOU WILL FIND ON THE HOSIERY TABLES SOME OF THE GREATEST BARGAINS EVER OFFERED**

Women's, Misses' and Children's Lace Hosiery, in tan, brown and black, 15c to 25c kinds, offered at pair, 15c and ..... **10c**

25 dozen Men's Fancy Half Hose, in tan and champagne, embroidered in black and fast black embroidered in colors; also lace weave, regular 25c quality, reduced to, pair ..... **15c**

Women's Fine Lace Lisle Thread Hosiery, in tans and blacks, 35c quality, per pair ..... **23c**

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Wide Cream, Champagne and White, Net Top and Oriental Laces, so much used this season, reduced to yard 35c, 29c and ..... **20c**

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## CAPPS NAMES THE JUDGES FOR THE PRIMARIES

Those Who Are to Hold the Election in July Have Been Selected by Chairman

County Chairman William Capps last night issued a call for the holding of the county primaries July 9, appointing the executive committee as presiding officers and instructing them to appoint judges and clerks and conduct the elections.

The communication is as follows: "In view of the fact that but a very few of the precincts have sent in recommendations for presiding judges at the primary election to be held in Tarrant county on July 9, 1904, I have decided to appoint the former members of the executive committee as presiding officers of the said election, and you are hereby notified that you are appointed as presiding officer of the said primary for your precinct, and are instructed to conduct same as laid down by Terrell election law.

"You will also hold a convention of the qualified voters of your precinct on July 9, 1904, and elect delegates to the county convention to be held in Fort Worth, Texas, at the court house Saturday, July 16, said convention being for the purpose of electing delegates to all state, territorial and judicial conventions, and to nominate two democratic candidates for the legislature from this county.

"You are instructed to select a judge and clerks to assist in holding the election in your precinct.

"In view of the fact that all returns are properly attested, sealed and delivered to the county chairman of the democratic executive committee immediately after the election. Respectfully submitted,

"W. M. CAPPS, Chairman.

"Attest: "H. L. CALHOUN, Secretary, Tarrant County Democratic Executive Com."

The following is the list of those who will be presiding officers according to their order and following their names in the number of delegates each precinct is entitled to have in the county conventions; the number of judges for the precinct and the number of clerks:

First ward, R. O. Armstrong	5	2	4
Second ward, R. L. Waggoner	7	2	4
Third ward, W. R. Parker	6	2	4
Fourth ward, Jas. H. Maddox	5	2	4
Fifth ward, R. H. Tucker	5	2	4
Sixth ward, W. H. Hanger	4	2	4
Seventh ward, J. F. Henderson	3	2	4
Eighth ward, A. J. Baskin	2	2	4
Ninth ward, Jas. H. Thrasher	4	2	4
Tenth ward, Geo. Weatherford	2	2	4
Manchester Mills, Ed Neall	1	1	2
Handley, H. G. Thomas	2	1	2
Forest Hill, C. L. Hanger	1	1	2
Riverside, A. R. Embury	1	1	2
Prairie Chapel, G. W. Armstrong	1	1	2
Brooklyn Hgts, D. T. Crouch	1	1	2
Arlington Hgts, S. Harrison	1	1	2
Marine, W. H. Sprinkle	4	2	4
Saginaw, B. A. Barber	1	1	2
Oak Grove, Gus Hargrove	1	1	2
White Settlement, Geo. Grant	1	1	2
Leonards Store, A. T. Wooten	1	1	2
Crowley, J. C. McKinney	2	1	2
Forest Hill, C. L. Hanger	1	1	2
Sublette, John Elliott	1	1	2
Webb, J. C. Lord	1	1	2
Britton, H. Copeland	1	1	2
Mansfield, J. M. Back	5	2	4
Rendon, W. A. Robbins	1	1	2
Granovine, H. E. Wall	6	2	4
Fules, Tom Fuller	2	2	4
Bedford, William Hurst	3	2	4
Bransford, W. W. Buckner	2	1	2
Dove, J. J. Dwight	1	1	2
Keller, T. B. Bourland	2	1	2
Smithfield, W. C. Metcham	1	1	2
Birdville, Dick Hovenkamp	1	1	2
Haslett, Charles Mitchell	1	1	2
Dido, John Shankle	1	1	2
Wayside, W. S. Smith	1	1	2
Azle, W. B. Reed	2	1	2
Montgomery, J. H. Carter	1	1	2

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## Aches

of some kind are the heritage of nearly every one, from the infant and the colic, the middle aged and the distressing, miserable headaches, to the aged with nervous, muscular and rheumatic pains.

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## THE INTERLOCKING PLANT

The first interlocking plant was installed in England on the London and Northwestern railway. This was done in 1859. At that same date there was not a single interlocking plant in the United States. The first plant in this country was installed in the year 1874, in New York. At the present time there are in use in the United States about 40,000 interlocking levers.

Under the direction of Paul C. Stendel, who has charge of the Taylor Signal system in Texas, the work is rapidly progressing. Mr. Stendel is assisted by his chief clerk, G. A. Ziekle.

With the exception of the installation of the switch boards and a few minor details the work is about completed.

From his tower the man in charge of the interlocker will control no less than 133 switches and signals, opening and closing the track for a distance of more than a quarter of a mile each day.

As the various switches and signals are operated by electricity some means of supplying the current must be provided. In order not to depend on the available electric power in the city of Fort Worth the tower is equipped with two sets of storage batteries, comprising 110 cells, which when charged, place the railroad in entire independence of local power houses.

## THE INTERLOCKING MACHINE

The interlocking machine, proper, which is the arrangement of levers and wires in the tower, is a marvel of ingenuity. It has 125 combinations, and like a safe combination, will not operate except under normal conditions. That is, the interlocker refuses to let any trains pass that are not on the proper and designated track. If in this way accidents are practically impossible.

Should the machine itself get out of order, to still insure safety, all trains are blocked until the proper condition of affairs can be resumed.

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## RELIGIOUS CONGRESS

The men's meeting of the Y. M. C. A., which will be held at 4 p. m. today in St. Paul Methodist Episcopal church, will be rather unique in character. It will be of the nature of a religious congress. Each person who desires will be given an opportunity to give his best reason for being or not being a Christian. The two questions are, "Why I am a Christian," and "Why I Am Not a Christian." It will not be a debate, but a brief statement of reasons for the position held. All men are invited to attend and speak if they so desire.

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## W. C. Preston Makes Detailed Report of All Stations on His Line

W. C. Preston, general freight agent of the Frisco railroad company, yesterday issued his weekly crop bulletin, giving the condition of all classes of grains and cotton at different points along the entire line from Brady to Sherman. The report is up to Saturday, June 25, and is a good showing as will be seen.

The report shows that cotton is expected to yield an average of from one-half to three-quarters of a bale to the acre. Plenty of rain has fallen and crop conditions along the entire road are reported to be better than for a long time. The statement contained in the report are furnished by the Station agents at some thirty different points, which practically cover the whole territory traversed by the road.

The report in full is as follows:

Sherman—Cotton looking fine. "Corn all right. Wheat good. About two more cars of potatoes to move from this point.

Dorchester—Corn and cotton doing well. Other crops looking fine.

Gunter—Wheat runs from twenty to twenty-two bushels per acre. Oats fifty-five to sixty. Corn and cotton in good shape.

Celina—Wheat, oats, corn and cotton looking fine. No report of boll weevil.

Prosper—Wheat and oats made fine crop. Some few cars moving to market.

## In The Churches

Broadway Baptist Church—Rev. J. W. Gilton, pastor, preaches at 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m. Morning theme, "Young People and Soul Winning." Evening theme, "A Safe Without Money." At the conclusion of the morning service the pastor will be in the evening. Subject, "God."

First Presbyterian Church—Dr. William Caldwell will preach at this church today at 8:30 a. m. and at 4 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Young people's meeting at 7 p. m.

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

First Baptist Church—Pastor Luther Little will be in his pulpit at 11 a. m. and at 8:30 p. m. Morning theme, "The Achieving Life." Evening theme, "The

## POWER OF HIS PRESENCE

A hearty welcome to all.

## HEAVY RAINS IN PANHANDLE

Reports received yesterday at the general offices of the Denver road show that heavy rains fell the night before at most of the towns in the Panhandle, among them Cleardon, Amarillo, Channing and Dalhart, at each place the rainfall being very heavy. Referring to rain in the Panhandle along the Denver road, C. H. White of Vernon, who has been making a fifteen days' trip over that country, said yesterday that he never saw the country along that line in better condition and with so much rain as has prevailed during the past few weeks. Crops here are in excellent condition and farmers and ranchmen are in high spirits over the splendid outlook for great crops and plenty of good range and stock water, a condition that has not prevailed for a long while. Cotton, he says, is doing well, the outlook being better than in several years.

## ACUTE RHEUMATISM

Deep tearing or wrenching pains, occasioned by getting wet through, worse when at rest, or on first moving the limbs and in cold or damp weather, is cured quickly by Ballard's Snow Liniment. Oscar Olson, Gibson City, Ill., writes, February 16, 1902: "A year ago I was troubled with a pain in my back. It soon got so bad I could not bend over. One bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment cured me." 25c, 50c, \$1. Sold by H. T. Pangburn & Co.

## CORN AND COTTON IN EXCELLENT CONDITION

Corn and cotton in excellent condition. Frisco—No change from last week. All crops looking well.

Hebron—Cotton will have about one-third bale per acre. Will have about twenty cars corn. One hundred cars wheat, and twenty-five cars oats.

Carrollton—No particular change from last week. All crops in good condition, and thrashing is moving along nicely.

Gravine—Farmers all up with their work. Had fine rain which will insure one of the largest corn and cotton crops in years.

Cresson—Wheat will average thirteen bushels per acre, and oats forty. Other crops doing fine.

Granbury—No particular change from last week. Hood county never had brighter prospects for a more prosperous year.

Tolar—Good rain on 20th crops could not be in better shape. No complaints of boll weevil yet.

Bluffdale—Wheat will make about twenty bushels per acre, oats about fifty. Good rain on 20th. Cotton looking fine.

Stephenville—Cotton will make about one-third bale per acre. Corn, wheat and oats could not be in better condition.

Dublin—Conditions still good, but corn needs rain. Other crops in fine condition.

Proctor—Crop conditions still favorable. Very good rain this afternoon.

Comanche—As a result of a good soaking rain over the county the prospects for the crops are very flattering.

Blanket—Cotton will average one-half to three-fourths of a bale per acre. Corn from thirty to forty bushels per acre. Wheat from fifteen to twenty, and oats from fifty to sixty bushels per acre.

Brownwood—Prospects very flattering. Corn however will need rain in next few days to make it fill out. Cotton, while generally small, is looking well, and farmers are all well up with their work.

Winchell—Good rain yesterday. All crops in good condition. Cotton will make about one-third bale per acre and corn about thirty bushels per acre.

Brady—Cotton will make about one-third bale per acre; corn thirty-five bushels; wheat twenty and oats thirty.



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THIRTY DAYS UNTIL NEW HEADWEAR FOREQUINE WORLD

Main Street Improvements Delayed Because Brick Are Not to Be Had With Summer Months Comes the Protection for Horses Kept Out in Sun

REMODELING THE WORKS THE STYLES NUMEROUS

Arthur Goetz Says Rebuilding Several in Use in This City, But Eastern Centers Have Specimens for Each Place

Ever since Main and Houston streets have been paved there has been a genuine howl from citizens wherever they drive across the tracks of the traction company, because of the fact that the tracks were never properly laid. The paving is an inch or so lower than the rails. The condition makes driving over the track a nuisance. The streets are possibly in a little better shape at the junction of Main and Seventh streets, but other localities are in a deplorable condition as well, and the sooner repairs are made the sooner will be alleviated the display of wrath on the part of people who are constantly compelled to use the main thoroughfares of the city.

It seems a mistake has been made by some one or else the brick paving between the rails of the street car line would not be in such awful condition as at present.

It has been decided to remedy the evil and as soon as brick from the Thurber company can be had the work will commence.

A Telegram representative called on Arthur Goetz, who represents the brick company, and asked what was now causing the delay in receiving the special brick for paving between the rails of the traction company's street cars. He replied that his company is remodeling and making extensive improvements in the paving plant and that it would take some time yet before the plant will be in operation. He thought it would be at least thirty days before the brick plant would be started up. Mr. Goetz said that one of the first things the company would do would be to make the special brick to be used by the traction company. He said it was no fault of the traction company that the repairs had not been made, as that company has been ready some time waiting for the brick, and that if any one was to be blamed, it was certainly not the street car company. In fact, he believes no special blame is attached to anybody. The Thurber brick company was compelled to make the improvements in the plant now going on before it could fill the contract to furnish the special character of brick to meet the specifications of the city engineer of Fort Worth. A large and powerful steam shovel is being put in this week at Thurber, so Mr. Goetz believes that the company will surely be ready to begin work in the course of another month.

Mr. Goetz says no one regrets the delay more than he, but under the circumstances it cannot be helped.

General Manager Hines has been ready for some time to do the work, but the city engineer requires that a special brick be used, and until that brick can be had the work cannot be done.

"QUININE JIM" DIES IN KENTUCKY HOME. HOPKINSVILLE, Ky., June 25.—Hon. James A. McKenzie, former congressman from this district, died at his home at Oak Grove today. He was 94 years old and known everywhere as "Quinine Jim." Prominence came to Mr. McKenzie through the strenuous and successful championing of a bill which he was the author to take the tariff on quinine.

Forty-three hundred automobile licenses have been issued in a neighboring state. The number of these machines is becoming like unto the swarms of locusts in Oriental countries. Was not this state of affairs foreseen in the vision of Nahum the Prophet when he wrote: "The chariots shall rage in the streets, they shall jostle one against another in the broad ways; they shall seem like torches, they shall run like the lightning."

Other designs offered this year are the plain sublimet for females of the equine world, the baby bonnet for ponies, and a plain, simple built up in double dexter style, with numerous ribbons. The plain designs may be had for nothing at the various societies for the protection of animals. The fancy designs may be had from the varied stock at the supply houses.

It is a unique sight to see a pair of horses, wearing hats suitable to the difference in sex, hitched to the same vehicle.

RED LANTERN OF WARNING. Charles S. McCoy of Chicago, lawyer, club man, speculator drew a razor across his throat in his room at a Jacksonville, Fla., hotel last week.

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HOW JAP SOLDIERS TAKE THE LIVES OF EACH OTHER

Grievous Sight on the Deck of a Transport Which Was Captured by the Russian Warships—Officers Commit Suicide in Presence of Their Men and Members of Command Are Told to Do Likewise

TOKIO, May 20.—The circumstances surrounding the sinking of the Japanese transport Kinshu Maru, on April 25, by the Russian squadron from Vladivostok, are a striking instance of the Japanese conception of military duty and service.

Steering in a southerly direction from I-won, the Kinshu Maru sighted a warship about 11:30 the same night.

At first it was thought that she was one of the Japanese squadron, but on closer approach it was found that she was of a different build and had four funnels.

The approaching warship signaled the transport to stop, but instead of doing so she kept on her course and increased her speed.

A blank shot was fired at her, and in a short time she loomed up out of the darkness three more warships and two torpedo boats, which surrounded the unlucky vessel.

In order to encourage the men to do likewise, the three officers of the company, Captain Shima, Lieutenant Terrada and Lieutenant Yokota, with nearly all the non-commissioned officers, committed suicide in full view of their command.

Many of the men did the same, others shot themselves with their rifles, and their killed each other, only to be killed in their turn. While this gruesome operation was in progress a second torpedo struck the vessel amidships and rent her asunder.

Some fifty soldiers, who had their rifles in their hands at the time, were hurled into the sea. Thirty-seven of them managed to reach a small boat which had been badly damaged by the explosion, and a number of others clung to pieces of wreckage, while the ill-fated transport disappeared beneath the waves.

The Russian searchlights were turned for a moment on the sinking vessel, and when the last of her disappeared a red light was displayed and the fleet sailed. The survivors in the small boat managed to drift right side up until dawn.

when it was found that a small island was near at hand. With the aid of oars the boat reached the land about 2 o'clock in the afternoon of April 26.

After the surviving members of the company of the Thirty-eighth regiment, some thirty-five in number, had been examined by the military authorities and had given all the information they possessed about the incident, they asked permission, now that they had completed the duty imposed upon them of supplying information, to follow the example of their comrades and destroy themselves, saying that they had pledged themselves solemnly to do so.

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KING PETER GUEST OF THE REGICIDES

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PAUL MORTON'S RISE

If Paul Morton enters Roosevelt's cabinet it will make twice that members of that family have held cabinet positions in the last dozen years. Paul Morton's father, J. Sterling Morton of Nebraska, was Cleveland's secretary of agriculture. The rise of Paul Morton has been phenomenal. Ten years ago he was the general manager of a coal company, having mines in Southern Iowa and Illinois. From that position he went to the Santa Fe, when its stock was worth little or nothing. He has been President Ripley's mainstay in building up the road, and if he leaves his position as its vice president he will give up a salary of \$40,000 a year. The cabinet position pays scarcely one-fourth as much. In spite of the fact that he has always been a landsman, the direction of the navy ought to be easy for Morton. His mind has shown an ability to grasp big things as well as master the petty details of business. His direct methods and ignorance of the ways of the political officeholder will be apt to result in an upheaval in the department soon after he enters it. There have been indications that a man of his character has been needed for the navy for some time.

LINCOLN AND McCLELLAN

Robert T. Lincoln, the son of Abraham Lincoln, has almost disappeared from public view.

The son of the man whom Abraham Lincoln defeated at the polls forty years ago—McClellan—is in the forefront of the future presidential possibilities of his party.

How has the whirligig of time wrought the change? The reason is to be found in the men themselves.

Robert T. Lincoln has inherited few if any of the personal traits of his illustrious father. If Abraham Lincoln was a plebeian, then Robert Lincoln is an aristocrat. Certainly the latter has no qualities of personality that appeal to the plain people. He inherits from his mother.

In the campaign of 1896 Robert Lincoln was billed for a few campaign speeches in some of the Illinois cities where the great Lincoln had practiced law. The older people especially flocked to see and hear "Bob" Lincoln. They met him. Once was enough. They heard him. There was nothing in feature or pose or words to remind them of the martyr president. The disappointment was painful and since that time Lincoln has dropped out of political circles. He may be an excellent man, but it seems to be painful for him to mix with the common people.

Chiefly because he was the son of his father, Robert Lincoln had a seat in the cabinet of two presidents and was made minister to England. He had every chance to become popular. It was thought his name would land a second Lincoln in the White House. But he utterly lacked the ability to provoke enthusiasm.

On the other hand, young Mayor McClellan is coming to the front in the esteem of the people. Like his father, the eminent general, McClellan, is a fine organizer, a tactician and a good mixer. In his fight with Tammany it has been demonstrated that he has plenty of moral fiber and backbone.

Both these men had a great birth-right in the republic. Lincoln's was the greater opportunity. He has had his chance and has failed to win more than respect. What McClellan may do remains to be seen.

THE UP-TO-DATE JAP

It has developed that the Japanese at Vafangow had an accurate topographical map of the whole battlefield and that their batteries were connected by telephones.

You are not surprised. Turn to an old cyclopedia of fifty years ago or to an old geography containing pictures of the Japanese at the time when our Commodore Perry woke those people up from their sleep of centuries.

Only fifty years ago the Japanese "army" was equipped with the armaments of the middle ages—and further back.

The weapons of offense were the lance, the mace and the slung shot. Umbrella-like appliances were used for defense. Certainly these people must have

of that "food of the gods" which Mr. Wells writes about.

Not only do they know every inch of the battle grounds on which they fight, but they introduce an absolutely new idea in modern warfare by connecting field ordnance by telephone.

When the Japs executed that masterly crossing of the Yalu they opened the eyes of the world to the fact that they are up-to-date fighters on land as well as on sea. They neglect nothing and use every modern aid.

In fact, the preparedness of the Japanese, the precision of their movements, the unerring working out of their plans, no less than the calm confidence of their soldiery, is enough to strike terror to the hearts of their foes.

They are terribly in earnest and shudderingly up-to-date! When Perry shook Nippo to wake it from its heavy sleep he got a young giant out of bed.

THE STATE FOR PARKER

The action of the San Antonio convention in instructing the delegates to the St. Louis convention for Judge Parker causes little surprise. It has been apparent for some time that this state was overwhelmingly for the New York jurist. His friends here in the first place were of the influential sort, and they have worked for him early and late, and the credit for the action at San Antonio lies largely with them. They have been helped, greatly by the fact that Hearst is the only other candidate in the field against Parker. For some reason Hearst's sentiment in this state is chiefly conspicuous by its absence. Probably this may be accounted for by the fact that Texas is not as yet a manufacturing state and the percentage of people who carry a dinner pail to their day's work is comparatively small. With this class chiefly, in other states, Hearst is strong. They recognize in him a friend who has ever been active in their behalf. The agriculturalist, who composes the greater portion of Texas' population, is less aware of this in so far as he himself is concerned.

Of Parker little is known. He is vouched for by men in whom the party has confidence. He is being taken on faith that these men are not mistaken in their estimate of him. Had there been other candidates in the field, in all probability the Texas delegation would have gone to the convention uninstructed and free to exercise their judgment at the proper time as to who would make the strongest nominee for the party.

The Texas delegation will now of course vote for Judge Parker first, last and all the time. They have their instructions and they must fulfill them. If he is chosen it will be the will of the democratic party and he will be supported by every true democrat in the land.

THE CANDID MR. SHAW

In trying to explain and defend the peculiarity in the tariff that allows goods made in this country to be sold much cheaper abroad than here. Secretary Shaw was about as convincing as an orator trying to prove that black is not radically different from white. A great many people were unaware that the condition exists as the secretary has admitted it does, and the democrats owe him a vote of thanks for enlightening them. Mr. Shaw's speech on this point was as follows:

Our opponents lay much stress upon the fact that some American manufactures are sold abroad cheaper than at home. Our friends sometimes deny this and they sometimes apologize for it, and a few in times past have joined our opponents in recommending a removal of the tariff from all such articles. It is useless to deny and, in my judgment, unwise to apologize, and little remedy of the assumed evil in the manner proposed by the opposition.

A nonpartisan commission, appointed by congress to investigate the subject, with authority to compel the attendance of witnesses, reported that \$4,000,000 worth of merchandise, the product of American factories, is annually sold abroad cheaper than in the domestic market. The report says that some of these articles are protected in this country by patents and are not so protected in the foreign.

If the supposed evil, as applied to patented articles, is worthy of drastic remedial measures the most feasible would be the repeal of patent laws.

While our people complain of this practice, I think it defensible. But whether defensible or not, I know that foreign producers do the same thing. Nearly every class of goods imported into this country is obtainable below the regular foreign market. Our tariff law provides that imported merchandise shall be appraised at its regular market value at the place from where it is imported and at the time of importation, and a penalty is provided for undervaluation. To avoid this penalty the importer very frequently adds to the invoice what he admits to be the difference between the regular foreign market value and the price actually paid.

POLITICS AND STORE NEWS

The average politician expects the newspapers to give him during his campaign an amount of free advertising that would cost any merchant in town for the same period several hundred dollars. Why he should, is not clear to any one unless himself. We don't believe the people of Fort Worth are any more interested in political news than they are in store news. The convulsions of a lot of wind-jammers are, in our humble opinion, not one-half as good to read as the announcement that John Jones is selling blue-flowered china at his store on Main street at prices that set one in a wonder.

or that Smith, the grocer, is giving way a three-sheet colored poster and a complete Guide to Health with every package of breakfast food that goes out of his store. These announcements are vital to the household. How many care to the same extent to read in a two column article how a young man who wants to be an office holder completely annihilates in debate another young man similarly ambitious, but who lacks maybe the gift of ready words? Of course politics is interesting when issues are at stake, or when bad men are about to be elected to office, but even then there are other things equally engrossing. What we object to is a surfeit of the thing and the presumption of politicians. There is nothing that surpasses the latter.

BE CAREFUL WHAT YOU EAT

With the hot weather has come increased danger in eating. Food that under normal conditions is safe, is decomposed by heat, and then germs spring into life. When the decomposition begins it is hard to tell, and for this reason extreme care should be taken. The Chicago Tribune holds ptomaine responsible for much of the sickness of the summer months, and of this deadly enemy that lurks in ice boxes it says: Bacterial growths give flavor to butter, to cheese, to meats and other foods. It has been discovered that if in this bacterial growth there be plenty of oxygen, the poison of the ptomaine does not develop. If the oxygen be limited the developing ptomaines may be extremely dangerous at the end of a week. As to range of the poisonous effects, some of these germs may produce only painful forms of cholera morbus. Others kill their victims in a few hours. But while mild is a general index to the possibility of ptomaine poisons, that on meats, cheese, milk, and bread is to be watched most.

Do not eat food that shows mold. If the sense of smell is offended, throw the food into the garbage can. Heed promptly a warning from your palate. Even foods that offend none of the senses may be dangerous. Milk, having the animal heat in it and hurried to market through a hot sun, may be deadly within six hours. Made into ice cream its tyrotoxin may kill like a pestilence.

To be reasonably safe, keep the ice box clean. Scald it out at least once a week and let it air.

There are few but will take satisfaction in the news that the Washington park race track at Chicago is to be abandoned and the grounds in the heart of the city cut up into lots. Its 300 acres divided into squares by beautiful tree-lined avenues, all built up with handsome residences, will look a whole lot more like civilization than in the past when regularly every year for six weeks it has been given over to horse racing and betting, with all the evils that attend a meeting of this character. The hoarse and shrill cries from a half frenzied grandstand, with the discordant and profane noises that swell upward from the betting ring, will give way to soft conversation on the doorsteps and the gleeful sounds of children at their play. Peace has won one of its victories.

Sheepmen assert this year sheep have paid better than cattle. This result is due largely to the price of wool. It is expected that many who have heretofore raised cattle will now turn their attention to sheep. Then pretty soon sheep will not be so profitable as cattle. Then these shiflers will turn back to cattle, with the result that they will get into both just too late for the profits. Stock raising will pay better in the long run if one sticks to his own line and takes the bad years with the good. During the bad years he can stock up so that his profits will be all the more when conditions favor again.

Mary Anderson, formerly America's greatest actress, is the right sort of a woman. She has persistently refused to leave her home for the stage, the latest offer for her approximating \$200,000. She says simply: "Why venture once more into the glare of the footlights. My life lacks nothing. It is an endless dream of peace. I have all that I could want or wish for. The glory of a woman is in her husband, her home, her children. In one word, I have learned the lesson of content."

Indian Territory reports that there will be more cotton, corn, wheat, oats and potatoes raised there than ever before. In addition to the crop conditions, which are splendid, there is fully 15 per cent more land in the Territory under cultivation. The union will have a richer state than that to the north of Texas when Indian Territory and Oklahoma are admitted. They are in the Texas class.

Folk keeps right on fighting in Missouri, in spite of the fact that he is already as good as elected. He never knows when to quit. That is why he will be governor of Missouri while under thirty-five years old, and why the penitentiary of that state contains a few men wearing stripes that formerly sported fine linen and diamonds and were numbered among the highest in St. Louis.

Dun says that the developments of the last week have tended to strengthen confidence among business men. Though the result of the Chicago convention was a foregone conclusion, yet the fact that it is actually over tends to clear the industrial atmosphere. The most important trend influence now is the progress of the crops, and at present everything looks well in this regard.

Appropos of the New Jersey affair, the Houston Chronicle asks the question, "Should a woman be hung?" and when it gets through answering it one is still in doubt. It is a question that each person must solve for himself, and there seems to be no reason why any one should worry about it until it confronts him as the member of a jury in a court of law.

Cleanings From the Exchanges...

State aid for the purchase of the Alamo should be a state platform demand. The state should purchase and preserve this monument to Texan heroism or stand forever shamed before the world and before its own sons and daughters. Further than this it should purchase and provide for the preservation of the old missions. The daughters of the Republic are heroic and persevering, but the state should hold up their hands.—Houston Post.

Texas should act in this matter at once. Every year that goes by adds to the difficulty in preserving the old landmarks in their first condition. This is important. The history of Texas is long and glorious. There is a glamour about it that that of no other state seems to possess. It should be kept ever in the minds of the people. It helps breed patriotism and love of country for future generations. The preservation of the buildings that are associated with the former deeds of greatness is important to this end.

A prominent lawyer said yesterday: "I have been practicing at the Dallas bar for nearly twenty years and I have never seen in my experience here such a dearth of legal action. I have just filed an action for debt, and it was the only one of its kind that had been filed in the federal court in so long that the folks up there needed me to see how to enter it. I can remember the time, and it hasn't been so long ago, either, when there were never less than fifty or more cases of this character on the docket. Money is either more plentiful, or else the merchants are refusing credit to the 'bad pay' folks."—Dallas Times-Herald.

The dullness in the courts that the Dallas lawyer complains of is probably due to business conditions. Where little is doing in a business way there can be nothing moving in the courts. Business makes litigation. In some of the states of the east, in Connecticut, for instance, there are many large sized towns in which the courts grind but a few weeks a year. People live within themselves and lack ambition to get into trouble with their neighbors. This is a bad state of affairs and generally marks the decadence of the municipality. These cities are known, therefore, as "dead ones." Dallas is unfortunate.

Texas' republican delegation deny that they were "lost in Chicago." It seems that they only got into a big hole in which they thought Senator Fairbanks was to be found on every floor.—Corsicana Sun.

The delegation is to be congratulated that they got only in the condition in which they thought Senator Fairbanks was to be found on every floor of the hotel. They might have thought they actually saw him at various different places at the same time.

Hearst men did not have a bit of fun at the San Antonio convention. They were not even considered a good joke; but they are loyal democrats and will climb into the Parker band wagon and root for the New York jurist as enthusiastically as the strongest Parker partisan.—El Paso Times.

The Hearst men have a band wagon of their own, albeit it was not to be seen at San Antonio. The Minnesota delegation that just got in found it rather crowded, too.

If no honor is sold in the Chicago Coliseum during the republican convention we can see a busy time ahead for the doorknockers.—Fort Worth Telegram.

It is stated, though not officially, that before the thing was over delegates were supplied with canteens. This was the last effort on the part of the campaign committee to arouse enthusiasm, but unfortunately it came too late.—Houston Post.

It may have been that the canteens were doped. The extraordinary drowsiness shown by the entire convention bears out this theory. The next time "knock out" drops are used on the reps will be November 6.

The most prodigal delegates at the Chicago convention is believed to be Thomas F. Walsh, the millionaire mine owner of Colorado. He dispensed himself in rooms costing \$100 a day and gave a banquet at the cost of not less than \$5,000. On the other hand, Senator Chauncey M. Depew was content with rooms costing \$30 a day, and, instead of entertaining in an extravagant style, dined out frequently during the convention. It is when people become so thoroughly grounded in the "best society" as the Depews that they don't have to "blow" themselves.—Kansas City Star.

This is as true the world over as at conventions. The nouveau shows himself to be such by glaring display. A man's innate coarseness will always creep out. Walsh showed his plainly at Chicago. He has shown it ever since a lucky strike at the Camp Bird mines made him several times a millionaire. In no way has he showed it more than in his close social intimacy with King Leopold of Belgium, the most notorious royal profligate of the age. Walsh is shoddy and he can't help showing it.

There is a war on worthless dogs in many North Texas towns. Gainesville should organize and get into the battle.—Gainesville Messenger.

Please make a sortie in this direction. There's a summer's campaign here for an army of dog killers.

Two hundred German families are to be located in the counties just west of Fort Worth. It is by just such immigration as this that Texas is laying the foundation for a citizenship of solid worth.—Terrell Transcript.

A Nose Romance

Miss Anderson was very romantic. She could make a love story out of any case where there was marriage or failure to marry. One day Mr. and Mrs. Buddington called, and as they passed out Miss Cartright came in. "What a singular looking couple," remarked Miss Cartright.

"Do you think so? Poor things, they can't help it. That disfigurement is connected with their courtship. Sit down; I'll tell you about it." Miss Cartright threw herself onto a divan and Miss Anderson proceeded.

"Mrs. Buddington was not her husband's first love. That's where the romance comes in. I don't like stories where children grow up together and marry. I prefer them where the parties come together in some startling manner.

"But I must tell you that Mr. Buddington was first engaged to Miss Martin. It was one of those cases where a good, noble man, when he is too young to know his mind, falls in love with a pretty face and afterward meets one for whom he conceives a grand passion. Mr. Buddington was a gentleman born; Miss Martin was the daughter of a nobody.

"Well, one day Mr. Buddington was in a trolley car. He was not in business dress; afternoon dress—that is, frock coat, silk hat and light pants—" "Trowsers, you mean." "Well, trousers if you like the name better. Of course in such a dress a gentleman's toilet is not completed without a silk umbrella. Mr. Buddington carried one. He didn't carry it as a lady would, by the handle, the point lowered, but just like a man, under his arm and at an angle. He was holding to a strap, with his back to the front of the car, when it came to a sudden stop. Mr. Buddington was thrown violently backward. There was a shriek directly behind him, and, turning, he saw a beautiful girl, with her nose bleeding profusely. His umbrella point had rammed it.

"Mr. Buddington apologized as best he could and, as the bleeding continued, suggested that the girl get out at a corner drug store. She consented, and at the next corner Mr. Buddington pulled the bell rope, the car stopped, and the two got out, attended by a sympathetic married lady."

"It wouldn't have been proper for them to go without a chaperon," put in Miss Cartright. "How nicely it all comes about!" "Very. The drug clerk telephoned for a doctor, who came and bound up Miss Palmer's nose. That was her name. Then Mr. Buddington insisted on calling a carriage, and the three were driven to Miss Palmer's home.

"The next day Mr. Buddington called at Miss Palmer's house to ask how she was doing. Miss Palmer's mother came down into the drawing room and assured Mr. Buddington that her daughter was doing very well, but her nose was bandaged and a bag of ice tied to the end of it to prevent a recurrence of the bleeding. This of course prevented Miss Palmer from coming down."

"I wouldn't have gone down for a fortune," said Miss Cartright, quite shocked at the idea.

"Mr. Buddington called often, but Mrs. Palmer always came down in her stead, making excuses why Miss Palmer did not come down herself. Mr. Buddington could not surmise what it meant. He was dreadfully worried. Finally, at one of his visits, Miss Palmer came down to see him, and what do you suppose?"

"What?" "Her nose had been broken." "How awful!"

"Mr. Buddington felt that he was to blame for the broken nose, and was so sweet about it that he quite captivated the poor girl. He called frequently, always asking her 'What can I do to repair the damage?' You see her beauty was spoiled and unfortunately her face was her fortune. He couldn't do anything to repair the damage; only a doctor could do that and there was some reason why they didn't want to perform an operation in her case. I don't know what, so there was nothing that Mr. Buddington could do in the matter except—"

"To marry her." "How did you know it was coming out that way?"

"I'm very good at seeing through impenetrable plots." "But Mr. Buddington was engaged to Miss Martin. He passed many a day and night's anguish, often lying awake for hours struggling with himself like the good noble man he was, thinking himself bound in honor to both girls, though he now knew he loved Miss Palmer."

"What did he do?" "Why, he wrote Miss Martin a good kind note, telling her that he thought honor required him to marry Miss Palmer."

"What a high minded way to put it! Did she generously release him?" "Why, no; she showed his note to her brother, who went to Mr. Buddington's office, and, before he knew what the fellow was going to do, Martin struck him in the face and—"

"What?" "Broke his nose." "The brute." "Mr. Buddington felt released after this."

"I should think so." "So he went to Miss Palmer and proposed to her. And here's where a new complication comes in. He found that Miss Palmer was engaged to a man she didn't love. But since Mr. Buddington's nose had been broken in her behalf she broke her engagement with the other man and married Mr. Buddington."

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It was an awful storm. The snow curled up over the tops of the fences, and there were no roads to be seen, nothing but white fields broken here and there by black clumps of trees. Dick Harwood bent his head to the wind and spoke softly to his horses. They were dourly sturdily through the snow, eager for the end of the journey and for the comfort of the warm barn and well filled mangers.



DICK FELT HIMSELF IN A BLISSFUL DREAM.

house at the crossroads, which was half covered with drifting snow. Dick urged his horses nearer and discerned in the doorway a dark figure, then he caught the sound of a voice. "Please, whoever you are, won't you stop?" "Myra!" he cried and flung the reins down and ran to her. "Why, Dick Harwood!" She held out both of her hands, and then while he held them in his warm clasp she broke down and explained, with little sobbing gasps: "I started from the station before the storm—I thought I could get home, you know, and then it started—and at last I took shelter in here, hoping that some one would pass and give me a ride, and you are the first person who has come—and I am nearly frozen—nearly frozen, Dick."

"Wasn't there any wood in the stove?" asked Dick practically. "Yes, but I hadn't any matches, and here I have been for hours with wood and stove and no fire." Dick flung the door open and went into the schoolroom. The rows of battered little desks confronted him spectrally as he lighted a match and touched it to the ready laid fuel. The flames leaped up and at once began to give out comfort. "Now, you get warm while I go and look after the horses," said Dick. "There is a shed back of the house, and I can cover the team with the old robes and give them a feed of corn. I'll be back in a minute." When he returned he found that she had drawn an old settee before the fire. She sat in one corner of it, with her face pink in the reflected glow. Dick noticed the whiteness of the hands that she held in front of the blaze and the gleam of gold in the hair that rippled under the modish turban. He brought in several packages and laid them beside her. "Are you hungry?" he asked. "Starved! Oh, you blessed boy! You were taking home groceries." And she held up a box of biscuits. He thrilled at the sound of her old name for him. How often she had called him her "blessed boy" in the days before she had become ambitious for a career! "It's so nice to see you, Myra," he said as he rummaged in the little cupboard over the teacher's desk. "Nice! That isn't the word for the way I feel," said Myra from the settee. "I was just dying to see you—all." She added the last word quickly as Dick whirled around and looked at her, with his soul in his eyes. She did not meet his look, however, and he turned away, with a little sigh. "Do you like it in town?" he asked. "Um—mm!" she murmured. "Does that mean 'yes' or 'no'?" He had brought out a little kettle and a teapot and was filling the kettle with water from a covered pail that stood behind the stove. "Both," she laughed. "I like it and I don't like it." "What don't you like?" he asked. "Oh, it's all so cold. Every one thinks of himself. Why, Dick, I might live and die with twenty people in the same house and not one of them would know it until the undertaker came. That is the trouble—no one cares, no one cares," she declared passionately. He leaned forward eagerly, then

checked himself. "But you have your music." "Oh, music?" she said disparagingly, and at her tones his heart leaped. The water had boiled in the little kettle.

"I will let you make the tea," he said and opened the package of the fragrant herb. While she heated the teapot and put the tea to steep he drew a little table in front of the settee and put on it crackers and cheese and sardines. Then, with a laugh and a flourish, he set in the center a great, creamy, custard pie. "Aunt Priscilla sent it to mother," he said, "but I guess we need it the most."

Myra danced around the table and clapped her hands like the little girl Dick remembered so well. Finally she stopped in front of him. "Dick," she said, "did you ever eat a boarding house pie?" He shook his head. "Well," she said, "you are in no condition to appreciate Aunt Priscilla's pie. I am the only one who will do its deliciousness justice." It was not a bad supper, that impromptu one served by candlelight in the old schoolhouse, and Dick felt himself in a blissful dream as he looked across the table at the fair face. After the meal Myra fell into a retrospective mood. "Do you remember the winter afternoons right here in this old room when we children used to pop corn and roast apples and Miss Betsey would read to us—dear Miss Betsey?"

"I remember you with the freckle on your face and with your cheeks red as they are now," said Dick ardently. "And how we used to slide down the long hill outside and how I lost my mittens once in the snow and you found them for me?" "I remember the kiss that you gave me for a reward," said Dick. Myra flushed. "Listen how the wind blows," she said irrelevantly. Dick got up and went to the door. "It's an awful night," he said as he came back with his coat collar powdered white, "but when the horses are rested and you are thoroughly warm I think I can get you home. It isn't far." He knelt in front of the stove and poked in more wood. Myra sat with her chin in her hand as she leaned her elbow on her knee and gazed dreamily into the fire. "It's good to be at home," she said. "Something in her tone gave him courage. "I wish home might always be where our two hearts were, Myra," he said, with unconscious poetry. "I think that is the only home in which I shall ever be happy, Dick," she said simply. "Do you mean it, Myra? My ways are such plain ways, dear?" She sighed happily as he drew her to him. "Oh, you blessed boy!" she said. "It was just because I loved the plain ways that I came back and because I missed my friends and the dear old hills and you, Dick."

Admission by Ticket Only. The fire engines had just gone, and the crowd, rather disgusted to see nothing more than a little smoke and a broken basement window, had dispersed. But, says the Chicago News, a number of small boys still hung about the house, apparently expecting a fresh outburst of the fire. They were as quiet as ten or twelve boys gathered together under such exciting circumstances usually are. They scuttled up and down the steps, peering into the window and shouting the result of their observations. They ran up the front steps and peered inquiringly into the vestibule. Suddenly the front door opened, and a little woman came out. It was plain that she had not entirely recovered from the shock of the engines and the smashing glass, but she made a heroic effort to speak calmly. "Now, boys," she said, "go right away, if you please! There is nothing here to interest you! This is just a little private fire!"

What She Would Have Lost. A class of normal school girls were asked to pretend for one day that they did not know how to read, in order to bring home to them the importance of reading in education. They were asked to make a list of the things that they would have been prevented from doing during that day if they had not the ability to read. The lists were read in class the next afternoon. Some very properly said that they could not have learned their lessons for the next day, could not have read the papers to find out the hour for the musicale the night before, could not have read the catalogue to find out what the pictures were at the art exhibition, etc. But the eternal feminine finally cropped out in one list which concluded with, "I could not have read the sign in M. & G.'s store saying that they were holding a bargain sale in shirt waists and would have missed buying a dandy at a very low price."—New York Times.

A Captured Bandit

(Original.) "Stand and deliver!" "Put aside that gun, I have no thought of resisting you." The man lowered his weapon, but was ready to raise it again at a moment's warning. The traveler continued: "As sure as the sun rises and sets you will at last be captured, and in this country you brigands, when taken, invariably suffer death." "Death is about the common lot of all."

"Not death by the gibbet." "No. All men do not rob as openly as we bandits, but all men are more or less robbers, and perhaps even you, if your wife and children were starving and there was no other means of getting bread for them, would stop a traveler and demand his purse." "Is it possible? Have you a wife and children?" "I have. My wife is as good a woman as ever lived. She is in daily dread of my capture and death. I have a son. He is a sturdy little fellow, frank, brave and honorable. His future is inevitable. The son of a brigand, one who has ended his career on the scaffold, all avenues will be closed to him save the calling of his father."

"But why do you not adopt an honest calling?" The brigand smiled grimly. "It is amusing," he said, "to hear the impracticable suggestions made to those who are held in a vice. I might as well say to you, unarmed as you are: 'Your purse does not belong to this man. You have no right to give it to him.' Before I can live an honest life I must be born anew, for I must first expiate my crimes by death." The traveler sat nursing. The bandit saw that he was thinking and seemed inclined to let him think. He swung his gun over his shoulder and waited. "They are looking for you now, I believe," said the traveler. "They are." "Suppose you should give yourself up for a life sentence instead of being captured and executed?" "My wife and child would starve." "If," said the traveler and thought again. "Suppose," he went on at last, "you could get a light sentence, a few years, and some one would provide for your wife and child while you were in prison?" "What would I do when I came out?" "Suppose a place were provided for you?" "I would gladly surrender on those terms. Indeed I should welcome my punishment. What! Have this horrible load lifted? See my wife's face released from the perpetual care it wears? Know that my child would not be doomed to suffer as I have suffered? One who would do this for me I should worship to the end of my days."

The traveler said nothing for some time. He was trying to work out the problem. "Very well," he said at last. "If you will go with me, give yourself up and serve your sentence I will agree that it shall not be longer than three years. I will provide for your family during your imprisonment and upon your release will take you into my service." "You?" "Yes, I." "But how can you guarantee that I shall not be executed? How can you assure me of a short term of imprisonment?" "I give you my word that I can and will see that both are given you." "And how do I know that this is not merely a plan to save yourself from robbery and to hand me over to the police?" "I give you my word of honor." The two stood looking into each other's eyes for a time, then suddenly the bandit threw away his gun and, advancing, knelt before the traveler. They had been talking, the bandit standing on the side of the road, the traveler seated in his calash. The latter was a large, well dressed, gentleman-like man, with neatly trimmed whiskers and handsome features. "Get in," he said. The bandit got in beside him, and the traveler drove him into town, turned him over to the police, and he was placed in a cell. The next morning he was brought into court, and there, sitting on the bench, was the man who had captured him. "Prisoner, stand up," said the judge. The prisoner arose and looked wonderingly at the man into whose power he had surrendered himself. Till the promise had been fulfilled he could not be sure that he had not been deceived. "The law," said the judge, "requires as an atonement for your crimes that you be hanged, but for having surrendered yourself and pleading guilty, having saved the state the expense of a trial, I sentence you to three years in prison. Take him away." Meanwhile the judge had sent for the man's family, and when he went back to prison he found them there. At the good news his wife wept for joy, and somehow the boy seemed to understand that the terrible suspense he had known from a time when he was old enough to comprehend it would be lifted. "Now, my boy," said the father, taking his son into his arms, "you will be able to lead an honest life." For three years the wife and children lived near the prison, visiting the husband and father daily. He had numerous chances for escape, but declined to avail himself of them, so that at last his jailer often neglected to lock him in at night. When his term expired the judge made him the keeper of his place, and caretaker of his place. WALLACE FLOYD LINDLEY.

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## ELECTION IS VALID BUT IRREGULAR

### Higher Court Passes on School Trustees Case From the County of Ector

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The court of civil appeals of the second supreme judicial district yesterday handed down a decision, Speer, Judge, writing the decision, involving the rights of citizens to be elected school officers without the usual legal formalities. The case is: Appellants M. G. Buchanan and E. M. Graham versus appellee school trustees of district No. 1, under the following circumstances: The county judge failing to order an election for school trustees at the proper time procured from the state superintendent of public instruction an opinion to the effect that an election in the absence of an order therefor would not be legal and that it would be his duty to appoint the school trustees. Acting upon this advice he caused it to be made known that there would be no election at the regular time provided by law by showing this opinion to a number of persons and otherwise making public the information. Upon the day fixed by law, however, a number of persons who thought the election should be held met at the accustomed place of holding elections and proceeded to elect trustees. No election was indulged in. H. Graham and R. H. Thain were the only candidates for school trustees and they received every vote cast. The election was fairly held and no voter was denied the privilege of voting.

After the election the candidates voted for subscribed to an oath of office administered by the clerk of the county court of Ector county and presented it to the county judge, ex-officio county superintendent, who informed them that his considered their election illegal and had that day appointed appellants to the contested positions of school trustees.

Appellants accepted the appointments, took the oath of office and entered upon the discharge of their duties. Appellees instituted suit to recover the offices. The trial resulted in favor of the plaintiffs. The deposed trustees appealed.

The court holds that since the prime object to be attained in an election is the ascertainment of the expressed will of the electors participating in such an election; and that where such an election is fairly and honestly held and the will of the electors is readily ascertained therefrom, that mere irregularities will not render the election void and that appellees being so elected are entitled to the offices; but before entering upon the discharge of their duties they should subscribe to the oath of office as other officers are required to do. Judgment of the lower court affirmed.

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### DISTRICT COURT

The trespass case of F. P. Olcott against John A. Weaver et al is being tried in the Forty-eighth district court. The trial of the damage case of D. M. Trammel against the Fort Worth Stock Yards Company in the Forty-eighth district court resulted in a verdict for the defendant.

An amended motion for a new trial in the case of W. C. Carr against the Chicago, Rock Island and Texas railway company was filed in the Seventeenth district court yesterday.

A motion for a new trial in the case of James Capes et al against the Houston and Texas Central was withdrawn in the Seventeenth district court yesterday.

### READY TO MAKE OUT ROLLS

The work in the office of the county tax assessor has been completed, and when the report of the board of equalization is made during the week the rolls will be completed.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

Abe Hancock and Agie Booth, colored.

### BRIGHT'S DISEASE AND DIABETES NEWS

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9.—The women of Fort Worth: Some of you have loved ones stricken with Bright's Disease or Diabetes. Let me give you hope. I can speak because I know. I was stricken with Diabetes myself. Only Diabetes can understand the tortures—the hopelessness. I went to the Women's Hospital (one of our best). They told me I was incurable. I grew weaker (sugar was 11 per cent) and went to the Cooper Medical College for examination. Same verdict—incurable. Thoroughly discouraged I went home to die. A Mrs. Clark then living at 1913 Larkin street called to tell me there was a cure and where to get it. The third week the dreadful thirst diminished. I began to sleep better and in a year I was perfectly well.

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### THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT

The county commissioners' court will sit as a board of equalization beginning Monday.

### VITAL STATISTICS

Births reported Saturday—To Mr. and Mrs. John McAdams of Fort Worth, a girl; to Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Sexton of Fort Worth, a boy; to Mr. and Mrs. Ben Johnson of Newark, a girl; to Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Bradley of Arlington, a boy; to Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Kent of Fort Worth, a girl.

### THREE NEGROES ARRESTED

Theo. Bonner, Boyer Alexander and Charles Young, all negroes, charged with theft of a watch from Ed Collins, also colored, were arrested. They waived preliminary examination, and the bond of Alexander was set at \$750 and the other two at \$300 each.

### CASES FILED

Maude P. Lachaboy against W. H. Lachaboy, divorce; W. E. Robertson against Texas and Pacific railway company, damages.

### COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS

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

Motions submitted—Epperson vs. White, to affirm on certificate; Fort Worth and Denver City railway company vs. Shanley, for rehearing; Sprinkle vs. Leslie, for rehearing; Smither vs. Smith et al, for leave to file second motion for rehearing and certify; Cameron Mill and Elevator Co. vs. Anderson, for leave to file second motion for rehearing; Missouri, Kansas and Texas railway company et al vs. Swinney et al, for rehearing; Fort Worth and Denver City railway company et al vs. Shanley, for rehearing.

Motions overruled—Warren vs. Fcust, for rehearing; Cameron Mill and Elevator Co. vs. Anderson, for leave to file second motion for rehearing; Ferguson et al vs. Morrison et al, from Denton; Coody vs. Harris, from Knox; Chicago, Rock Island and Missouri railway company vs. Harton, from Dallas.

Reversed and dismissed—Maddux vs. Bell, from Parker.

Reversed and remanded unless remittitur filed—Red River, Texas and Southern railway company vs. Hughes, from Tarrant.

Reversed and remanded—Lyon vs. Waggoner, from Baylor.

Affirmed—Buchanan et al vs. Graham et al, from Ector; Texas and Pacific Telephone Co. vs. Prince, from Nolan; Alford vs. Carver, from Clay; Carroll vs. Snead, from Erath.

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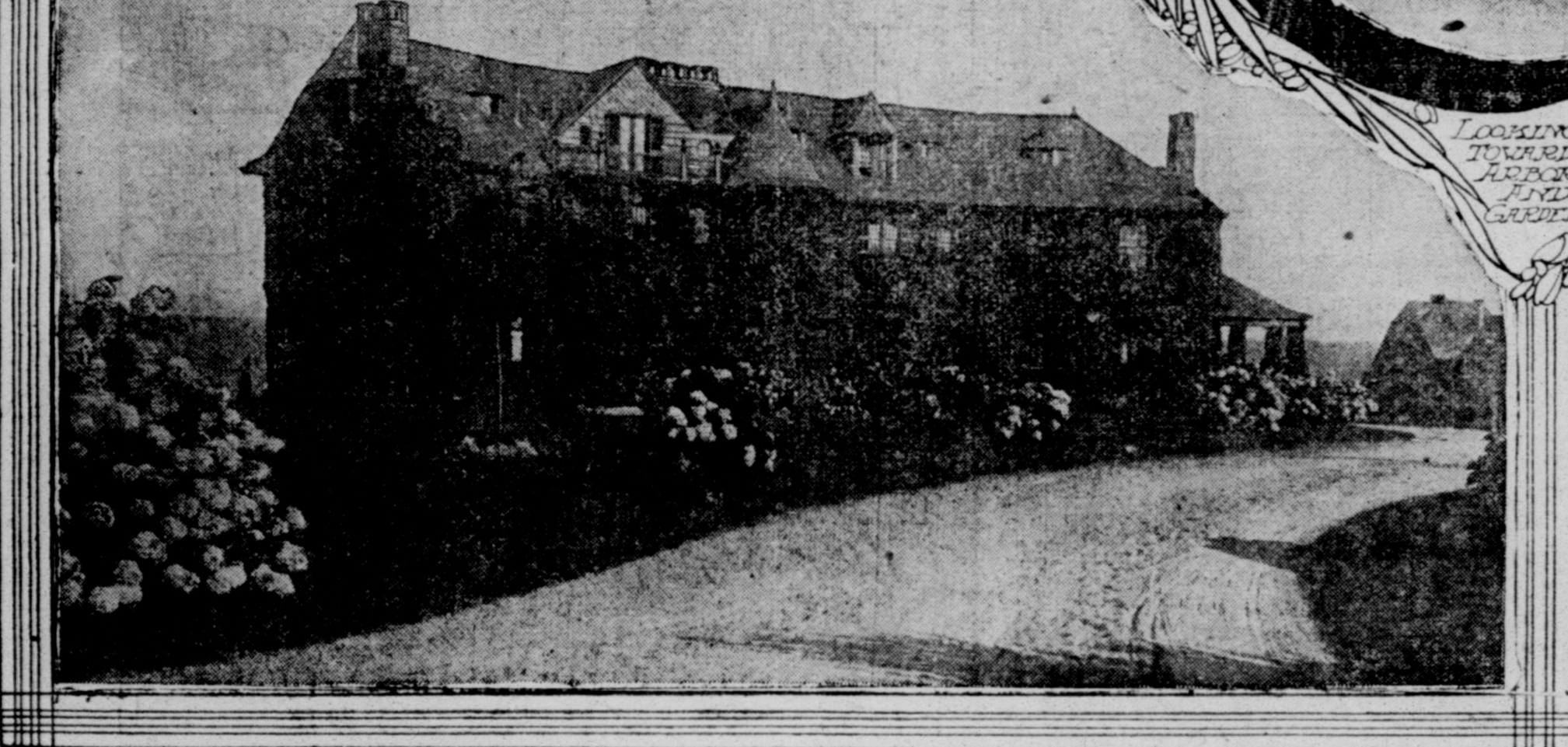
Ah, How Delighted Alphonse, Gaston and Leon Were to See Him!

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# American Country Seats



SHORE ACRES A VINE CLAD COUNTRY SEAT



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THE FOUNTAIN AT A COUNTRY SEAT



A BOWER OF ROSES



ENTRANCE TO A COUNTRY SEAT

BY WALDON FAWCETT.

No phase of American life has experienced during recent years a more rapid development than the following of country life for its own sake. For years the whole tendency of a large proportion of the rural population was cityward, and there was everywhere manifest an inclination to dispose of country property and migrate to the vicinity of the great urban communities; but lately a reaction—or, perhaps, it might better be termed a compensating influence—has been manifest, and city dwellers who have the means are seeking the country as a place of residence during at least a large portion of the year. The tremendous growth in the popularity of suburban life—often enjoyed under conditions which make it practically country existence—but constitutes another exemplification of the increasing appreciation of Nature's offerings of matchless settings for artistic habitations.

The more pretentious country seat of the present day is created under the most auspicious conditions. Very frequently the owner of the estate upon which such a house is located makes no attempt to cultivate his holdings from the agricultural standpoint, and even in case the "gentleman farmer" has a pride in fostering the products of the soil or in raising blooded stock, the occupation is to a considerable extent a pastime, rather than an interest of supreme importance. This new relationship has been highly beneficial in a way, for whereas the old-fashioned farmer was wont to devote the most attractive portion of his farm to a pasture for his cattle or a site for his barn, the city-bred lover of country life manifests no scruples against selecting for his home the most attractive location on the estate—a site that commands all the pleasing vistas and fine views available at any one point.

Although late years have witnessed the erection of many magnificent country houses in the territory contiguous to Chicago and in California, it must be confessed that the best exemplification of the tenets of the new era of country seats is found in the eastern portion of the country. This is only natural, in view of the fact that along the Atlantic seaboard are a number of country seats in the creation of each of which a fortune has been expended. Splendid country seats virtually form a cordon around New York city, being found in

great numbers along the Hudson, in Westchester county, on Long Island and on the northern shore of Long Island Sound. Within short distances of Boston and Philadelphia are many magnificent country houses, and still other centers of the new country life are found in the Berkshire Hills, near Lakewood, N. J., and in the country surrounding the national capital. The present interest in country life has resulted in a revival of interest in picturesque sections of the country long neglected. Thus we find lovers of the beautiful eagerly purchasing for use as country seats the old manor houses of Virginia, whereas in the New England States tenants are readily being found for the "abandoned farms," the usefulness of which was supposed to have been exhausted years ago.

It has been truly said that, architecturally, the best country houses in America are an independent growth and designed, first of all, to contribute to the comfort and enjoyment of the occupants, and likewise has there been no adherence to slavish precedent in the selection of the material of which they are constructed. Indeed, practically every form of construction adopted in the construction of city residences may now be found in country habitations. Be it said to the credit of the builders of the new country houses, however, that they have in almost every instance striven for character and individuality of design, and this same is true of country residents who have remodeled structures already in existence.

From many standpoints there is naught to compare with a stone house as a place of abode in the country, but its cost constitutes an obstacle in many instances. Ranking next to the stone structure in durability is that of brick, and worthy of mention for similar qualifications is the well constructed stucco house. However, a majority of the more pretentious country houses in America are frame structures, and there has been a most extensive introduction of the best class of shingle work. It may be noted in passing also that log and other rustic construction is no longer confined to woodland homes.

The present day tendency is to give the country seat an expensive setting. There are in America country homes, each in its way of distinctive beauty, occupying estates ranging in extent all the way from a few acres to several

hundred or even several thousand acres, but it is noticeable that the far-seeing possessors of country seats, whatever may have been the original dimensions of their holdings, are ever seeking to increase the acreage under their control, and repeated demonstrations have proven that this is the part of wisdom for undesirable neighbors or the presence in too close proximity of industrial establishments may mar the enjoyment, if not the beauty, of the most attractive country home.

With the increase in the number and pretensions of American country seats has come the solution of many problems which originally threatened to constitute formidable obstacles to the full enjoyment of life remote from city conveniences. Obviously, one of the most important considerations at a country seat is the water supply. Where springs are available they, of course, constitute the ideal source of supply, although it is only in rare instances that it is not necessary to supplement such supply by that derived from wells. Where there is a natural lake or adjacent to an estate such a body of water affords a reservoir from which water may be drawn for many purposes. Windmills yet afford power for pumping water on many of the newer country estates, although hot-air pumps have been introduced to a considerable extent.

Another sphere in which notable progress has been made is in the construction of private icehouses. As some estates the icehouses are designed merely as storage places for the year's supply of ice, and the use of the latter for preservative purposes is embraced in its employment in ordinary refrigerators, but at other country seats the icehouses are so constructed as to afford commodious cold-storage chambers which supplant all old-style refrigerators. The

provision of ground cellars for the storage of supplies during the winter is another step in the direction of the complete equipment of the country home.

In the interior finishing and furnishing of country seats in the United States there is manifest that same marked individuality which is noticeable in the exterior architecture. Broad verandas extending on several sides of the house, pergolas, broad central halls and immense open fireplaces are adjuncts which have been very universally introduced. Likewise in the furnishing there has been a considerable departure from the policies which have long obtained in the case of the town house. Willow, rattan and grass furniture has been introduced extensively, and the newly fashionable furniture of simplicity of design and stanchness of construction appears to be peculiarly adapted to the needs of the country resident.

Since the owner of a country seat, particularly if he has been transplanted to rural surroundings direct from a city, is likely to be restless and energetic to a certain degree, it is the part of wisdom to provide diversified interests in the rural estate. This explains in part the extensive stables and dog kennels to be found at many American country seats, and in not a few instances evidence has been afforded to what an extent such outbuildings may be made to conform to the general architectural policy carried out in the dwelling. Where land is available golf links and tennis courts may also be provided with slight expenditure and serve to add materially to the possibilities of entertainment afforded by a country home.

To the person of moderate means—and it might almost be said without regard to means—the evolution of a self-satisfying and artistic country seat is a work that requires time, for there are many phases of the undertaking which are dependent to a considerable extent upon nature, and may not be hurried. For instance, there is the redemption of low ground, the creation of handsome hedges, the formation of elaborate flower gardens and a host of other tasks for which time and patience are required. This brings us naturally to passing consideration of the conditions governing the maintenance of a country seat, and it is to be noted at the outset that, with very few exceptions, even the wealthiest owners of American rural or suburban estates maintain no such forces of caretakers and workmen as are to be found on the great English country estates, where formal gardening has reached its fullest development.

The preference of a majority of those Americans who have lately adopted country life is for natural landscape gardening and save on estates such as that of Mr. Vanderbilt at Biltmore, N. C., where scientific forestry and dairying are carried on on an extensive scale, there is necessity for the employment of only a moderate number of workmen. However, there is a tendency to gradually increase the size of the working force at the pretentious country seat, a move which must inevitably follow the growing appreciation by country residents of the difficulty of securing and retaining workers who are really competent to care for an estate and who will manifest something of that degree of interest on the part of employees which is largely responsible for the perfection attained on many English estates.



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## The Collar For the Tailor Shirwaist.

Yale students, to whom young girls and men look for the introduction of smart styles, have set a fashion in collars that is making great headway in the East, and will soon be seen in other parts of the country where college girls and boys are to be found. The collars are turnovers, but the fronts open very low and come down quite far in long points, while at the back they are moderately high. At first one of these collars gives one a sort of decollete feeling, but it is immensely comfortable for warm weather. A broad, four-inch hand tie is the proper thing to wear with such neckwear, and this should be tied in the very latest fashion—that is, with a broad semiloose knot. The day of the small tie is past, and from that extreme the fashionable youth has gone to the other.

There is a story told of a very particular and stylish young actor of New York, who played a short engagement in New Haven with one of our best Broadway companies, and before the opening night he took a little tour of the campus, and was struck at once with the smart neckwear of the students. Of course, it would never do for him to appear that night in an ordinary collar and tie, so a diligent search through the college haberdasheries was made, with the result that the proper neckwear was finally purchased, and the youthful actor relieved in his mind. It would be a blot on the reputation of New York to have one of their representative actors behind the fashion instituted by college men.

## Calabash Bowls

Very few people know the beauty and usefulness of the calabash bowl. It looks very much like a polished coconut shell, but is really the gourd of the calabash tree. The color is a rich dark brown and the shape and size varies from a tiny globe sliced across the top to a huge flat bowl that could be used for nuts. Ten dollars is the price for a small gourd, while a large one costs from thirty-five to fifty. It takes the natives of Hawaii some time to get the gourd ready for polishing and then considerable energy is required to bring out the mottled browns that are so beautiful.







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