

# THE REPUBLICANS

## A. J. Rosenthal Promises a Sensation in the Shape of a Resolution Calling on the Democratic Administration to Show the State Books to a Committee and if Nothing Wrong is Developed the Republicans of Texas Will Pay Expenses of Commissioners

An easy victory for Lyon and the consolidation of the national committee and the state chairman in one person is the outlook for the republican convention which opens its sessions tomorrow, the withdrawal of Lowden and his announced support of the consolidation scheme as a promoter of party harmony seeming to leave a clear path for the youngster from Sherman.

It is not predicted, by any means, that this victory will be won without a struggle. The withdrawal of Lowden only served to bring up in a strong light the candidacy of H. F. MacGregor of Houston, whose managers have announced he is in the fight to the finish. Opposing the third term and the consolidation of the offices as making the party a one-man power, he will have weapons with which to make a strong fight although the instructions of the delegations seem to show that Lyon will have a good margin of the 1,133 votes in the convention.

The MacGregor candidacy is said to be even more odious to Mr. Lyon than was that of J. G. Lowden, who would seem to be able to make a stronger fight than the Houston man. The reason for the great distaste for the MacGregor contest with the Lyon faction lies in the fact that they fear a repetition of the Hawley-Lyon incidents when that congressman elected from Galveston was able to spoil many of the plans and appointments of the Lyon folks.

The fact that MacGregor is a candidate for congress, although with little chance of success, has stirred the Lyon faction to extra efforts to prevent a repetition of those incidents.

**THE COLOR LINE**

As their strong cards in the convention, they will urge the good of the interests of the party at large needing

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It was announced this morning that the meeting of the executive committee expected to be held at 11 o'clock would not be held until 2 o'clock this afternoon. This was announced by Cecil Lyon and a short time afterward a number of the members of the committee held a meeting in the Worth Hotel. The postponement, it is learned, was made to enable the holding of the smaller meeting of this morning, when there was brought up for discussion a number of resolutions, including one which promises to prove the sensation of the convention.

This resolution, said to have been drawn up by A. J. Rosenthal, from the Galveston district, refers to the deplorable conditions of the state finances and calls for an investigation of the same. Although the resolution itself is being carefully guarded, it is learned it contains a proposition for an investigation by the republican and democratic chairmen, together with a third person chosen by them. If all accounts and records are found to be correct and straight, the expense of the investigation will be borne by the republicans, for which purpose a fund of \$5,000 will be raised by the convention, and if the charges are sustained, the proposed proposition provides that the balance of the smaller meeting of this morning will also bring up the question regarding the failure of the First National bank at Austin and will make an inquiry as to whether officers of the state of Texas were indebted to that bank at the time the doors closed and when there was in the institution a large amount of money belonging to the state.

Mr. Rosenthal is guarding his resolution carefully, and will not give it out for publication, but he has shown it to a few of the faithful in the party, and he believes that it will be well received by the platform committee and by the convention.

concentration in the hands of one leader to bring it up to its real power in the state. The fact that Lyon is a lily white will also be of aid to them in this convention, which will be unique in the comparatively few negro delegates. In fact everywhere there is an apparent inclination to keep the negro in the background, to prevent the recalling of the president's admitted mistake in foisting the question upon the country. The negro, too, in this day are without a competent leader and are expected to take little part in the convention, although there are rumors that a local negro politician who succeeded in warming things up in the county convention for some of the lily whites is at work directing the movement of the members of his race represented in the convention.

Last night Noah Allen, who was acting for Mr. MacGregor prior to his arrival today, issued the following statement of their claims:

Mr. MacGregor is in the fight to stay. He entered the race under the belief that Mr. Lyon would retire as state chairman after being made national committeeman and that he would have the hearty support of many of Mr. Lyon's friends as well as that of Mr. Lyon himself. His candidacy was announced long before he had any reason to suppose that Mr. Lyon would be a respective candidate and he feels

that he has as much right to be an aspirant for the position as any other person. His services to the party in the past are well known. If not a candidate himself he would be unalterably opposed to the union of the two offices of state chairman and national committeeman in one man, as he deems it "better to have the hills we have than to fly to others we know not of." He deems the scheme absolutely un-republican and unsafe.

**MR. LYON'S WORK**

We are told as a reason for this one man power proposition, that Mr. Lyon has done so much for the party and in two years more he will do wonders, but specific results do not show up. In 1900 Mr. Hannoy, as the candidate for governor received over 100,000 votes. In 1902 Mr. Burkitt who was the candidate for governor on the bob tail ticket put out by Mr. Lyon, received less than 75,000 votes. A growth of about 50,000 votes the wrong way, under the great work of Mr. Lyon. Building up the party at that rate is like the old problem of figuring the proverbial cat out of the well when it slips up ten feet in the day time and crawls back twenty feet at night. The party would soon reach the ultimate destination of the cat.

If it has taken Mr. Lyon, with his wonderful power as an organizer, four years to organize our party to a point where a dozen or fifteen counties only, put out republican county tickets, and numerous counties fail to hold county conventions to send delegates to the state convention as is now the case, we would have to continue this great organizer, with the duties of both positions on his hands, for at least a quarter of a century in order to organize the party so as to get out county tickets in the 24 counties in the state.

And if it takes us that long to get

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now, if they have a leadpipe cinch on the deal.

Freed from the prestige of his position as national committeeman, Mr. Lyon would stand but little chance of succeeding himself as chairman and consolidating the two positions in one forever.

Many of the friends of Mr. Lyon who are now supporting him were avowed supporters of Mr. MacGregor before Mr. Lyon sent out his little notice that "Barkis is willing," and that he would accept a re-election if given to him. But a word to the wise office-holder was sufficient, and many of them, while opposed to the principle of the combination, began to say "What shall I do to be saved?" and immediately there was a change of heart and a jump over the fence into the Lyon camp.

But with all of that, there is an earnest protest against an official syndicate and one-man dictation in the management of the party coming from the people, and the cry of harmony, harmony, when there is no harmony, will not avail the autocrat of the patronage bureau.

The votes in the convention will decide the question and not the unfounded claims of enthusiastic supporters of either candidate.

**A STATE TICKET**

The question of the state ticket is not exciting nearly so much interest as the committee-chairman contest, it being generally agreed that John N. Simpson, who was first announced in The Telegram as the choice of the leaders for the gubernatorial race, will head the ticket. All agreements as to other candidates are being kept in the background if made, but it is said that an effort will be made to have a full ticket in the field.

The platform committee promises to be one of the most important of the convention, this document being announced to contain a scathing arraignment of the present state administration and denouncing nepotism, indorsement of the national platform and congratulation of the party on its record, with special laudation of the Panama canal as a benefit to the south and Texas will be contained in the instrument.

**MR. MacGREGOR ARRIVES**

H. F. MacGregor of Houston arrived this morning and opened, or rather joined his headquarters at the Worth hotel.

When approached while mingling freely with the El Paso delegation, which by the way, is un-instructed, he refused to discuss the situation, pleading that he had just arrived and referring all inquiries to his manager, with whom he had not yet communicated. Jovial and breezy, he had not the appearance of a man who thought he was making a losing fight.

Accompanying Mr. MacGregor was the Houston delegation and supporters embracing the following: Dr. Max Erwitz, John M. Adkins, George P. Brown, Richard Allen, W. F. Galvin, F. M. Mills, Charles B. Peck, Charles N. Love, Lock McDaniel, F. I. Richardson, S. B. Strong, Daniel Williams, George E. Kipple, Nathan Haller, W. M. Bamberg, Joseph Bunch, B. Reppendorf, W. M. Greene, J. M. Limbocker, S. J. Leonard, F. J. DeMeritt, W. N. Spencer, A. M. Lawson, D. W. Wilson, A. L. Kulp, H. Watts, E. T. Barden, Bailey Sparks, J. H. Crawford, J. M. Codwell, J. W. Vann, W. A. Strouder, S. M. Penfield, O. B. Millard, W. W. Anderson, W. H. Shaw, A. O. Blackwell, B. J. Williams, R. M. Magill, J. T. Cottrell, T. M. Kennerly, W. M. Jones, S. J. Dixon, W. E. Lewis, L. W. Woods, J. S. Burns, Ed H. Hall.

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This afternoon addresses will be made by Judge Ownby of Paris and W. H. Atwell of Dallas, and possibly several others.

**DAVIDSON FOR LIEUTENANT GOV. SENIOR**

The friends of Sam Davidson of Fort Worth are working to the end that he be nominated for lieutenant governor. His nomination is looked upon with favor by Cecil A. Lyon and other leaders of the party.

Some democratic friends of Mr. Davidson asserted this afternoon that he would receive a big vote from the democrats in this county.

It is likely he will be placed on the ticket.

**STILL IN THE RACE**

Colonel Ed Anderson of Austin jumped into the scene, as he put it, a little bit late, but still in the ring. He says some enthusiastic friend has announced his withdrawal from the state chairmanship race, all of which is premature.

Colonel Anderson says why should he withdraw when he has thirty-one instructed counties and fourteen absolute promises with a strong following of all the convention going republicans in Texas and no enemies.

He says "I have been a fighter against Texas democracy for twenty-five years, have converted many un-instructed counties to the republican faith and why should I throw away honors so well earned?"

"The plain fact is no man is authorized to announce my withdrawal. Wait until it comes from me. I stand as a living monument as the one man who has received the largest number of republican votes ever cast in Texas and have three times snowed under democrats in the capital county of Texas. Then talk of running away. Who from? The convention stands a good chance of nominating me on the first ballot. I am no man's candidate and no set of men's candidate. Everybody knows me and everybody knows my faith. I am in the race for chairman of the state executive committee until it is my pleasure to leave town or do as I please. It will all be to the interest and betterment of the republican party as in the past."

**THE ONLY BANNER**

The only banner yet hung out for the occasion is that of Lyon for state chairman. Floating above the crowd in the lobby of the Worth Hotel, it sways back and forth, the G. O. P. elephant and a lion rampant supporting between them a five-pointed crimson star. It has been rumored that the maroon lion is meant as a Part in compliment to the Tarrant delegation, instructed for the national committee. Although banners are scarce, the delegates are resplendent in badges, most of them being of lily white color, suggestive perhaps of what the present convention aims to be. Grayson county has an attractive one, as has a number of other delegations. Mingling with all are to be seen the reception badges of the local committee.

**THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

The executive committee of the republican party of the state arrived in the city yesterday morning and the members are stopping at the Worth hotel. They are:

A. J. Rosenthal of Galveston, C. A. Lyon of Sherman, Charles A. Boynton of Vaco, John E. Williams of Hamilton, William E. Dwyer of Brenham, C. R. Bone of Beaumont, W. O. Wilson of Marshall, O. P. Baum of El Paso, W. M. Hanson of Houston, H. F. MacGregor of Houston, W. H. Frabough of Austin, Charles B. Peck of Houston, Eugene Nolte of Seguin and George P. Brown.

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the tickets in the field how long would it be before we could elect any of them? It is true the office-holders seem to be well organized, but we are not yet willing to admit that they constitute the republican party of Texas, when there is no political fodder in the rack to horn each other over, the party seems to grow, but when the pic-drophobia breaks out in our ranks, the party sickens and almost dies.

The official pill peddlers then all join in prescribing harmony in box car doses, under the concentrated powers of national committeeman and state chairman in one man's hands, he shall be of their own selection, who shall be the chief and sole dispenser of the medicine, and every fellow must take his pill whether he likes it or not. If he grunts, he at once becomes a disturber of their official peace and must be disciplined.

Some of us do not subscribe to that platform and will continue to protest against it, and will be felt in the convention.

**OFFICE-HOLDERS' UNION**

It is claimed by Mr. Lyon's friends that he has 700 delegates pledged to him, and that Mr. MacGregor stands out for publication, but we can show of being elected, but we can not see why all of the marshals and their deputies and other members of the office-holders' union are so intensely in evidence and actively at work

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**LYON IS ORGANIZING**

Chairman Lyon arrived yesterday, accompanied by his secretary, Mr. Baker, and at once got down to the work of organizing his following. Accompanying him was the Grayson county delegation composed of H. A. Johnson, J. M. North and John Donaldson.

J. G. Lowden was on the scene early this morning and was soon surrounded by a crowd of admirers and friends whose words showed that Lyon could congratulate himself on the withdrawal of the Abilene man. Accompanying him were Logan McPherson, congressional candidate from the Sixteenth district, and John H. Morrow, candidate for state senator.

**THE EL PASO DELEGATION**

The El Paso delegation immediately upon their arrival began the distribution of El Paso badges designating that place as "the biggest city in the biggest county, in the biggest congressional district, in the biggest state, in the biggest nation on earth." At the foot of the badges is an announcement that the republican club of that city has 850 members. Members of the delegation, however, insist that their city is not seeking the next convention. The delegation consists of J. A. Smith, C. B. Stevens, O. H. Baum, W. B. Greene, P. M. Millsbaugh and K. B. Holeman.

The Coke county delegation composed of J. J. Fry and Tom Greene, Beaumont, as represented by L. R. Boone, A. H. Gage and A. L. Nelson, also arrived this morning. Among the other arrivals of the morning were J. L. Hickson, J. L. Cleaves and Thomas M. Bosson of Gainesville, T. J. Martin of Spofford, R. B. Allen of Hallettsville, who is a MacGregor man, H. F. Lange and A. R. Larsin of La Grange and Frank Spurenberg of Big Springs.

Among the arrivals yesterday were: United States Marshal W. M. Hanson of Galveston, Judge Lock McDaniel of Houston, Collector C. H. Harris of Brownsville, Deputy Collector A. J. Rosenthal of Galveston, W. B. Bates of Brownsville, Fred E. Marks of Rio Grande City, W. S. Simpson of Bovina and Noah Allen of Houston.

**THE REPUBLICAN LEAGUE**

Under the original call of President F. H. MacGregor of Houston the republican league of Texas was to have met this morning at 10 o'clock, but it was thought best to delay the session until tomorrow morning in order that many of the delegates who would arrive in the city later might be privileged to be present.

The attendance was quite large, there being several hundred members present when President MacGregor rapped for order.

The convention will select something like sixty-five delegates to represent Texas in the national league convention which assembles at Indianapolis, Ind., October 5 and 6.

The object of the republican league is identical in some relative to the republican party as the democratic campaign committee is to the democratic party.

Hon. William H. Atwell of Dallas is the national committeeman from Texas. Hon. John Hampton Moore, secretary of Philadelphia, Pa., is the president of the national league.

The membership in Texas is about 10,000.

The state officers of the league are: President, H. F. MacGregor of Houston; vice president, J. B. Schmitz of Denton; secretary, Whit Dryden of Fort Worth; treasurer, S. L. Haines of Houston. Sam Davidson of Fort Worth is vice president for Texas of the national organization.

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port the national committeeman for state chairman. As a rule, the negro delegates are saying little.

Goose Neck Bill nor any others of the leaders of that trace have yet put in an appearance, and as a body they seem to be waiting the arrival of a leader before declaring themselves. The number of them reaching the city seems to show that despite statements to the contrary they will be in the convention in large number and possess a voting strength to be reckoned with.

**CONVENTION NOTES**

P. F. Dennis of Marshall, a colored delegate: "The colored people are divided on the question of state chairman," Dennis said. "Some are for Lyon and some for MacGregor, but I think the majority are for the latter. The colored people believe inasmuch as Mr. Lyon is national committeeman from Texas and as he is also honored by being at the head of state military affairs, the additional honor of being state chairman should go to some other good republican."

"Some of the colored people do not think it wise to put out a full state ticket, while others favor it. However, the colored people will go with the majority, whatever is done. The colored voters in Texas will, to a man, stand by Roosevelt, as they consider him their staunch friend."

J. W. Ownby of Paris, United States attorney of the Eastern Texas district, is here and will address the republicans

## J. G. Lowden of Abilene Will be Put Forward by Friends as a Candidate for the Republican Nomination for Governor Against John N. Simpson, the Gold Standard Man, and the Contest Promises to be Lively—El Paso Leading for Abeline Man

at the city hall auditorium tonight on invitation of the Roosevelt Central Club of this city. "What will be the basis of your address?" the judge was asked. "My talk will be on the political issues of the day, especially will I tell why everybody should be republicans, and there are many reasons."

The judge said he had nothing special to say, as he only came down from Paris this morning and had not "mixed" much with the crowds.

K. B. Holeman, railway editor of the El Paso Herald, and who is also a delegate to the republican convention, is stopping at the Worth along with the El Paso delegation, which is a large one. "Our delegation came here un-instructed as to who will be supported for state chairman," said Mr. Holeman. "The delegates from West Texas are generally un-instructed. Our delegates will size up the situation and go with the majority."

"The republican situation in West Texas is in a much better condition than ever before. We have more than a fair chance to elect our candidate, A. L. Sharpe, to the state legislature, as against P. A. Dwyer, democrat. We also stand a good show to win out on the sheriff and district clerk."

"We have a republican club of 850 members and most of them are fixed to vote, having paid their poll tax, and are prepared to make a vigorous fight in this campaign."

George H. Sparenberg, postmaster at Big Springs, a delegate, joined the El Paso delegation. He is stopping with Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Sheib, on the South Side. Mr. Sparenberg says crop conditions are in good shape and the country rapidly set-

## J. G. LOWDEN IS BEING GROOMED AS CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR

The friends of James G. Lowden, who was for a while prominently mentioned as a candidate for the state chairmanship of the republican party in opposition to Cecil A. Lyon, but for the sake of harmony in the party withdrew, have shied a bomb into the already unsettled conditions of the party in the state by announcing that they propose to put up Mr. Lowden at the head of the state republican ticket.

The plans are now being arranged by the friends of Mr. Lowden in this city, and it will be sprung upon the convention meets tomorrow is corded by the leaders of the party who are now here.

A conference was today held with Cecil A. Lyon and others on the proposition, but what the result of this conference is, of course will not be made public, and possibly will not leak out before the meeting of the convention tomorrow morning.

Logan McPherson of Abilene, republican nominee for congress from the Jumbo district, is championing the candidacy of Mr. Lowden and is working like a beaver among the leading delegates. He was seen at noon today and he stated that the boom was being boomed with vigor and that the chances are favorable that he will be pitted against John N. Simpson, governor, who has been considered the possible nominee of the party for some time. Mr. Simpson has until recently been an avowed gold democrat, but has experienced, so it is said, a radical change of heart, politically, and from now on proposes to train with the republicans of the state.

Mr. Lowden is developing much strength and the fight for the nomination promises many interesting things.

Mr. Lowden has been a prominent factor in the councils of the republican party in Texas for years and has considerable influence, which is having its weight among the delegates who are now here. He is president of two national banks, one at Abilene and the other at El Paso. In addition to this he is disbursing agent for the United States government at Abilene and is said to stand next to the administration. He has also been mayor of Abilene and has always been identified with the best interests of West Texas in whatever affects the people of that part of the state. He is popular with both the republicans and the democrats, and his influence places him in an enviable position in politics.

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ing with a good class of people—some republicans."

Logan McPherson of Abilene is here. He is the republican nominee for congress from the Sixteenth (or Jumbo) congressional district in opposition to the present democratic incumbent, Robert Smith. While Mr. McPherson does not expect to be elected, he is making the race as interesting as possible for his opponent.

Mr. McPherson is one of the rising young lawyers of West Texas.

**BIG DELEGATION COMING**

AUSTIN, Texas, Aug. 22.—A large delegation will leave Austin tonight for Fort Worth to attend the state republican convention tomorrow. Austin has two candidates for chairman of the executive committee. Ed Anderson and Major Burke will both make strong fights for chairmanship.

**REPORT IN DALLAS**

DALLAS, Texas, Aug. 22.—It was announced in Dallas that Ed Anderson of Austin, candidate for republican state chairman, has withdrawn in favor of Cecil A. Lyon.

**OLD OFFICER DIES**

EL PASO, Texas, Aug. 22.—Juan Armentariz, for thirty-four years county commissioner from Socorro precinct, El Paso county, the longest record continuously in the state, died this morning.



ROPING THE CHICAGO STEER



HUSBAND NEVER VISITS ACCUSED WIFE BY HIMSELF

THE GOSSIPS WONDER WHAT W. R. KRAUSS FEARS HE MAY LEARN FROM HER LIPS



THE KRAUSS HOME AT HARTFORD CITY, IND. WHERE CRYSTAL KRAUSS WAS POISONED AND DIED.

BY WM. B. KENNY. (Staff Special to The Telegram.) HARTFORD CITY, Ind., Aug. 19.—Whatever may be the feeling towards Mrs. Krauss, in connection with the mysterious poisoning, there is only sympathy expressed for her husband.

But the strange feature of these visits, and a feature that has set a wagging the tongue of all the gossips in the city, is that he never visits her alone.

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him of his idolized daughter and sent his bride of three months into a cell, charged with murder, W. R. Krauss' conduct has been such as to win admiration.

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EXTRA PRIZE OF \$5,000.00

This fortune in itself will be given to the party who estimates nearest to the popular vote of the successful Candidate for President of the United States for 1904, if his or her estimate is made on coupons issued to those entering our contest between August 1, 1904, and September 1, 1904, making \$105,000—that we will pay to successful contestants.

You are interested in the coming election. You see something about it in every paper you read. Have you ever given the matter thought as to what the popular vote cast for President is? To help you in making your estimate, we give you the popular vote of the Presidents elected for some years back.

Table showing popular votes of Presidents from 1884 to 1900: 1884—Grover Cleveland's Popular Vote was 4,874,986; 1888—Benjamin Harrison's Popular Vote was 5,439,853; 1892—Grover Cleveland's Popular Vote was 5,554,437; 1896—William McKinley's Popular Vote was 7,102,272; 1900—William McKinley's Popular Vote was 2,219,101.

Can you estimate what the popular vote will be cast for the winning Candidates for 1904. If you can, a fortune is yours. Think it over. 3,415 cash prizes will be paid to the 3,415 men, women or children besides the extra prize we offer of \$5,000. Who can estimate nearest to the popular vote cast for the winning Candidate for President of the United States for 1904. These prizes amount to

\$105,000.00

THE LARGEST PRIZES EVER OFFERED IN ANY CONTEST, AND ARE DIVIDED AS FOLLOWS

Table detailing prize distribution: To the nearest estimate \$25,000; To the second nearest estimate 10,000; To the third nearest estimate 5,000; To the fourth nearest estimate 2,500; To the fifth nearest estimate 2,000; To the sixth nearest estimate 1,500; To the 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, \$1,000 each 4,000; Next 10 nearest estimates, \$500 each 5,000; Next 20 nearest estimates, \$250 each 5,000; Next 25 nearest estimates, \$200 each 5,000; Next 50 nearest estimates, \$100 each 5,000; Next 100 nearest estimates, \$50 each 5,000; Next 200 nearest estimates, \$25 each 5,000; Next 1000 nearest estimates, \$10 each 10,000; Next 2000 nearest estimates, \$5 each 10,000; Extra prize 5,000; TOTAL \$105,000.

This is purely an educational contest, undertaken to arouse interest in the coming election, and those interested in this company believe that an offer of these magnificent sums in prizes will attract attention throughout the country, to the competing Candidates.

Estimates 25c Each—5 For \$1.00

For every estimate you are given a separate engraved and numbered certificate with coupon attached. These certificates will cost you 25 cents each or 5 for \$1.00. An investment of a small amount may mean your independence for life. You have just as much chance as any one else to receive a fortune. Collateral to the amount of the prizes is on deposit. See statement of one of the New York financial institutions herewith. We cannot touch this collateral. It is held by The International Bond and Mortgage Company, for no other purpose than to guarantee the payment of these prizes, as soon as the committee on awards declares the successful contestants. This committee has no interest whatever in the contest, and is made up of prominent business men, who have agreed to award the prizes, and your estimates are turned over to this committee on the 1st of November, before the election takes place, so there is no possibility of collusion or unfairness from any source. In case of tie estimates, the amount offered will be divided equally among those entitled to it.

The International Bond and Mortgage Company. New York, N. Y., July 20, 1904. THIS IS TO CERTIFY that "THE INTERNATIONAL BOND AND MORTGAGE COMPANY" holds as Trustee, collateral to the amount of \$105,000.00, which collateral is held by us to guarantee the payment of the awards in the Presidential Guessing Contest, conducted by the National Contest Company. Signed, C. G. DUNN, Treasurer, The International Bond and Mortgage Co.

We do not ask you to estimate now. We will simply sell you the certificates with duplicate coupons attached—hold them yourself, up to the last days of the Contest, when you will be better able to judge which Candidate has the best chance of election, and the approximate number of votes he will receive. Then fill in your estimates, and send coupons just so they are received in our office not later than November 1, 1904, the date on which the Contest closes. Estimates are only 25 cents each, or 5 for \$1.00. A special rate is made to Agents. The small sum of 25 cents or \$1.00, or even \$5.00, is of little value in itself. Can you find a better place to invest a small amount than here, where it may bring you an independent fortune? If you desire to enter the contest for this extra prize, order your certificates at once. Don't think that tomorrow will do as well. The habit of putting off until tomorrow grows on one, until the day comes when he or she realizes that the opportunity has gone forever, while the more thoughtful neighbor acts promptly, and receives the fortune which might as well have been yours. An investment of 25 cents or \$1.00 may mean that you will be independent for life. Write today. AGENTS WANTED

National Contest Co., Colorado Bldg., Washington, D. C.

FAT STOCK SHOW AT ST. LOUIS IS NOW OPEN

It is Claimed to Be the Greatest Exhibition of the Kind Ever Held, With Many Exhibitors

ST. LOUIS WORLD'S FAIR GROUNDS, Aug. 22.—The World's Fair live stock show opened today, to continue until November 4, and is one of the principal features of the exposition. The scope of this enterprise, which extends to every department of live stock, ranging from cattle and horses down to Belgian hares, exceeds that of any other events in the history of live stock shows. The total valuation of the prizes to be awarded is placed at \$400,000. The list of jurors appointed to judge the several exhibits includes the names of the foremost men in the live stock world. The live stock forum where all of the events are scheduled to take place is the largest arena ever erected for live stock show purposes.

FIVE SKELETONS WANT MONEY OF ITALIAN

The Police Are Asked to Ferret Out a Threatening Letter Which Has Been Received by a Citizen

CHICAGO, Aug. 22.—Antonio Barbato, a well-to-do Italian and a leader among the members of his nationality on the North Side, has asked the police to run down the writer of a letter in which Barbato was threatened with death in default of payment of \$10,000 to an organization called "The Five Skeletons." Barbato was a patient at a hospital when the letter was delivered at his address and he did not receive it until his return home.

THE SONS HOPE TO BUILD A FINE MONUMENT

Commander Tisdal Reports to the Veterans of Lee Camp Regarding the Movement to Honor Southern Men

Former Assistant Adjutant General McNeely, in the absence of Commander E. W. Taylor, presided over the Lee camp meeting of Confederates yesterday afternoon. Prayer was offered by Chaplain Pankey, and the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

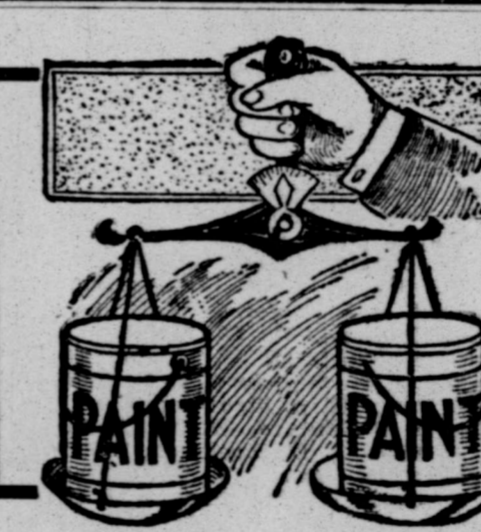
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which has been turned over to the sons by the veterans. The object is to secure a large sum of money with which to erect a monument somewhere in the south. The sons' committee now has the matter under way and has already raised quite a large amount.

Commander Tisdal supplemented the statements made by Judge Cummings by reading one of the subscription blanks that the veterans are expected to sign. Mr. Tisdal said there had already been raised over \$10,000, which sum is now drawing 4 per cent interest. He said there was too little interest taken in the movement and hoped that in the future there will be renewed activity.

General Van Zandt reminded the camp of the second reunion of the Confederate Park Association, and wanted all who can to be present. He said there would be many interesting features. B. H. Shipp was admitted as a member of the camp. He was a private in company C, Fifth regiment, Ralme's brigade, army of Missouri.

ORANGE LINE TO EXTEND. There has been a delay in the extension of the Orange and Northwestern Railroad into Louisiana from Orange, the extension having some time ago been commenced and the line built some thirty-five or forty miles. This delay is said to be attributed to the fact that the company was waiting for the railway commission of Texas to pass upon the valuation of the road already built so that the company might determine the amount of bonds that it will be permitted to issue on the already constructed road with which to make the contemplated extensions.



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A branch of this line is now under active construction from a point on the main line near Brownsville to Hidalgo, from which point it will be continued up the Rio Grande to the site of a new town situated about four miles south of Rio Grande City. This branch road will be used as the main line into Mexico and will connect with the new Matamoros line of the National Railroad of Mexico.

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servative estimate. It is learned in Fort Worth that a local railroad contract firm has already closed a contract for the construction of the Orange and Northwestern and it is likely that now the work on the extension will soon be commenced in view of the fact that the railroad commission has determined the value of the road's mileage.

COTTON BELT OFFICIALS. A special train conveying a party of late last evening on a tour of inspection. The party was taken in charge of by members of the Country Club and given a dinner and automobile spin over the city. The officials left this morning for a trip over the road in east Texas.

REVIVAL SERVICE AT CANNON AVE. CHURCH. Rev. M. B. Lambdin, pastor of College Avenue Presbyterian church, preached the opening sermon of the revival services he is conducting at that church, last night. He preached the fifteenth chapter of Luke's gospel and tenth verse, "Likewise, I say unto you, there is joy in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner that repenteth."

It was also emphasized that the joy was not that of the angels, but of God himself, "in the presence of the angels," and that it was caused not by the repentance of a "multitude," but of "one sinner." Christ himself, in his work on earth, emphasized the value of the individual soul. He preached His great doctrine of the "new birth" to an audience of one, Nicodemus, and His discourse on the "Water of Life" was made to a Samaritan woman. Finally that repentance was possible only to a sinner who had the spirit expressed in the petition, "Lord, be merciful to me a sinner."

Mr. Lambdin will preach at this church tonight and every night this week. Everybody is invited out to hear him. Among the interesting sights of Hindoostan are the Karle caves of India, artificial temples of worship, which were cut out of solid rock a century before the Christian era, it is claimed.

Clear Skin. You have doubtless heard a great deal about Ayer's Sarsaparilla—how it makes the blood pure and rich, tones up the nervous system, clears the skin, reddens the cheeks. Ask your doctor. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.



Market Quotations

NORTH FORT WORTH, Aug. 22.—Receipts of cattle today were liberal at all points. Here, with about fifty cars in, the total receipts ran close around 2,000 head.

There was a liberal supply of steers on sale, mostly of medium quality, and selling ruled slow, with sales weak to 10c lower, the bulk going at a range of from \$3 to \$3.60.

Cows were plentiful, and mostly of medium grades. A few of the best of the supply sold in the early market steady with last week's close, but the bulk went at prices weak to 10c lower, with the bulk at a range of from \$1.50 to \$2.

Bulls were scarce and no noticeable change was noted in quotations, the bulk selling at a range of from \$1.50 to \$2, with choice up to \$5.50.

Calves found a strong demand and active outlet to packers, with sales steady. The quality was only medium and sales were at a range of from \$2 to \$3. Something fancy would bring as high as \$3.50.

Hardly enough hogs came in today to make a market. Only one shipment arrived and with a few wagon hogs, receipts figured about 100 head.

There was a strong, active demand from packers, but the quality was good and sales were made early on a steady basis, compared with last Friday, or 10c to 15c higher than Saturday's close. The top price paid was \$5.50.

Receipts of sheep figured about 250 head. Supplies were of medium quality and selling ruled steady, 25c averaging eighty-three pounds selling at \$3.65.

TODAY'S SHIPPERS

Table listing shippers and their respective quantities for various livestock categories like cattle, hogs, and sheep.

TODAY'S RECEIPTS

Table showing receipts for cattle, hogs, and sheep.

TOP PRICES TODAY

Table listing top prices for various livestock types.

REPRESENTATIVE SALES

Large table showing representative sales for various livestock categories, including prices and quantities.

GRAIN

CHICAGO, Aug. 22.—Wheat—This market was 1/4 to 1/2c lower today. It was on the whole a quiet market.

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SENATOR HOAR WEAVER

WORCESTER, Mass., Aug. 22.—No bulletins were given today from the home of Senator Hoar but it is understood the senator is growing steadily weaker.

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CONFEDERATE CAMP

CONFEDERATE CAMP, Tarrant County, Aug. 22.—(Special Correspondence.)—All of Sunday and this morning people have been coming and going to and from the Confederate camp.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

CHICAGO, Aug. 22.—The grain and provision markets ranged in prices today as follows:

Table showing Chicago grain and provision prices for various commodities like wheat, corn, and oats.

LIVERPOOL GRAIN CABLE

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 22.—The following changes were noted in the corn and wheat market today:

Table showing Liverpool grain cable prices for various grain types.

STOCKS

NEW YORK STOCKS

Table showing New York stock prices for various companies and sectors.

VIOLATIONS OF THE LOCAL OPTION LAW

CLEBURNE, Texas, Aug. 22.—County Attorney Cleveland went to West Texas for a month and while he was away clubs became numerous in the larger towns.

TWO YOUNG MEN DROWN IN THE LAKE

CHICAGO, Aug. 22.—In the sight of scores of bathers, many of whom attempted to rescue them, two young men have been drowned in the lake at the foot of Robins Terrace.

FIRE AT CLEBURNE

CLEBURNE, Texas, Aug. 22.—Last night four frame houses on the north Robinson street were burned, also several barns and one buggy house.

A RANCHMAN'S WIFE IS STABBED TO DEATH

TEMPLE, Texas, Aug. 22.—Information was received here today of a shocking tragedy occurring at Bonham, Knox county, in which Mrs. L. P. Jones lost her life by being stabbed to death.

CUSTOMER IS BUSY

Captain Thomas Lyle, who is the custodian of the grounds, is as busy as a bee. He is constantly hopping about all day long, looking after the care of the property and of the pleasure of campers and visitors.

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A CONGRESSMAN THERE

This morning Congressman Gillespie and family arrived and are living in tents. They will be here throughout the entire week.

TENTS ARE PITCHED

A number of tents have been pitched and most of the occupants are arriving today to occupy them.

PRELIMINARY POSTPONED

Jim Jones, alias O. S. Lattimore, alias Bertha Moody, the colored man arrested on the alleged charge of having forged the name of the county attorney to a \$8 order for shoes at the Newbury Shoe Company, was to have been given an examining trial before Justice Rowland this morning, but the case was postponed until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

VITAL STATISTICS

Births—To Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Quinn of Fort Worth, a boy; to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Taylor of Fort Worth, a girl; to Mr. and Mrs. S. L. King of Fort Worth, a boy.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

The following marriage licenses were issued by the county clerk Sunday and today:

MISS LAING IS VERY SICK IN THIS CITY

Miss Frances Laing, daughter of Joseph Laing, a prominent railroad contractor known all over the state, was taken seriously ill Saturday night at the house of Mrs. R. E. L. Miller, whom she was visiting.

WEATHER FORECAST

The forecast for Texas east of the one hundredth meridian, issued at New Orleans, is as follows:

WEATHER CONDITIONS

D. S. Landis issued the following statement of weather conditions this morning:

DISTRICT AVERAGES

Table showing district averages for various locations like Atlanta, Dallas, and Fort Worth.

REMARKS

Temperatures continue about normal throughout the cotton belt. No rain of note is reported from any point.

NINETEEN INJURED

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 22.—Nineteen persons have been injured in a rear-end collision between two Creve Coeur street cars.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN

Following is the weather record for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 a. m., seventy-fifth meridian time, Monday, August 22, 1904:

Table showing cotton region bulletin data for various locations.

THE BEST NEW YORK HOTEL

On 45th street between 5th avenue and Broadway is located the famous Hotel Gallatin. This house is in the heart of the fashionable district of New York and convenient to theaters and big stores.

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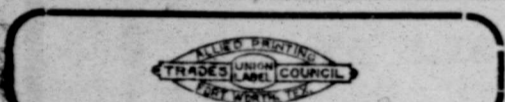
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INFLATED PRICES

A dispatch states that the Republic Iron and Steel Company, at Youngstown, O., has cut the pool's price for billets; that they have snapped their fingers at the pool and defy it to do its worst, as the independents have sold their output for a year in advance.

The same dispatch goes on to say that the only way the United States Steel Company can stop the cutting of prices is to "take in" the Republic Iron and Steel works—presumably at a valuation not pleasing to the latter.

Is it a new illustration of the old adage that when rogues fall out honest men get their dues?

Clearly, there is still good profit at the cut price, else the fact that a year's output has been sold in advance would be no advantage.

Surely, the traditional merchant who claimed to be selling clothing at less than cost price and when asked how, if that were true, he could make it pay, said, "Well, you see I sell so many of them,"—surely, this is not the model accepted by the big independent steel company.

If there is reasonable profit in the reduced price, there is extortion in the higher one.

When prices are set with little consideration of cost as a foundation and pools formed to maintain them, and the fact is flaunted in the face of the public, is there not a chance for somebody at Washington to get busy?

That this is no unusual condition may well be suspected. But when an open rupture lays bare the facts and carries suspicion into absolute knowledge, it is a good time to dust off some statute books and see what they are good for.

GOOD CROPS AND BAD

The hot, wet weather that spreads the black rust through the wheat fields of the west and enables the Chicago bull clique to boost September options brings also its recompense. It makes the corn fairly jump from the ground.

It is one of the misfortunes of the western farmer that good corn weather may be bad wheat weather. But he can be an optimist if he will and look at it from the other side—bad wheat weather may be good corn weather and bad corn weather may be good wheat weather.

He may grumble with pessimistic forebodings, or laugh with optimistic hope. It is all one so far as material results are concerned. He is bound by fixed conditions, but while the conditions may hurt him they may at the same time help him.

And the farmer isn't so very different in this respect from all the rest of us. There are other conditions as inexpressible as the weather, to which we all are subject. And they help us and hurt us at the same time. We can all be pessimists, or optimists, just as we please.

But it is a good thing to bear in mind that, whatever the crops or the income may be, the optimist is always rich and the pessimist is always poor.

Some farmers grumble and groan because their wheat is bad, forgetting their good corn; others laugh and are glad because their corn is good, forgetting their bad wheat. It is a difference in human nature that is not confined to the farmers.

Government crop reports just made public indicate an increase of 320,000,000 bushels in the corn yield over that of last year. Estimates for wheat, however, are 32,000,000 bushels under last year's yield.

This concerns us all. It means less white bread but more "hog, hominy and Johnny cake" for all of us.

But we are free to frown, or smile, over it, just as we feel. We can regard our country as unfortunate, or prosperous, just as we please.

Our frowning, or smiling, will not make the slightest difference—hold on! It makes all the difference in the world—with ourselves. Hog, hominy and

Johnny cake with optimism is better than white bread with pessimism. Whatever the other conditions may be, optimism is prosperity and pessimism is hard times.

"LOOK FOR THE WOMAN" The French have a saying—"Look for the woman"—and it holds good in English.

Whenever a good man goes wrong we suspect there is a woman involved. Shrewd detectives always look first to see what a defaulter's connection with fast women has been.

Recently an embezzling New York bank clerk was caught by tracing the woman on whom he had lavished money. Human wickedness runs in ruts. It is almost impossible for any man short of a genius to invent a new crime. And even a genius cannot find any new motive for wrong doing. Men seldom do strange and unusual things without a strong incentive, and that incentive is nearly always, directly or indirectly, a woman.

But—mind you—there are two sides to this question. Look about you at the men who are living straight and truly successful lives. Read the histories and learn the forces that have operated to give the world so many imperishable names. Scarcely a man has ever achieved honorable distinction in this world but has attributed his success to the good and gracious influences of a mother or a wife or both. A mere list of the names of such men would fill many columns like this.

Respecting the honesty, the integrity, the faithful adherence to high purposes and lofty ideals that have given them a place in the hearts and histories of a people, they all gladly set forth in their own choice of words the one great truth that "a woman was at the bottom of it." But the unfortunate ones who stand on the gallows, or are shut in the jails for life—does any of them dare to tell you it was a woman's precept or example placed him there?

The merchant at his counter, the clerk at his desk, the carpenter at his bench, the farmer following the plow, the statesman on the forum, the sailor on the broad sea—all men everywhere are made more true and kind and faithful and manly because of the influences received sometime and somewhere from woman.

A woman is nearly always better than her environment. Her virtues are inherent, her wrongs are usually borrowed from the lords of creation.

Whenever you see a monument reared to perpetuate the memory of some world-worshipped name, bear in mind that while there is a man at the top if it you may rest assured there is "a woman at the bottom of it."

Whenever you see a real man, anywhere, you may confidently "look for the woman."

She by no means always lurks in the shadow of crime. By no means is she always a temptress.

Ah! no! It is she too who points to the sun-kissed heights of success.

Some wise guy who likes to "figger" says that \$1,000,000 in American eagles shows a loss of \$100 from abrasion in shipment from New York to Paris. What's the use of stopping there? If it were shipped across the Atlantic 5,000 times it would shrink to half a million and in 10,000 trips there wouldn't be a cent left.

It has been discovered that several million dollars' worth of radium has been thrown away at Cripple Creek since the opening of that district. It has taken a long time to throw away that stuff when you remember a pound of it's worth more than a million.

Lillian Russell has been airing her views on happiness in marriage. Lill can't expect anybody to recognize her as an authority on that question. She should talk on "Happiness in Divorce."

Alice Roosevelt has a snake for a pet. At least, a lot of newspapers say she has. But maybe, Alice has a present agent who starts those things. Anyway, she doesn't spell her name A-l-y-s.

Harry Davis wore an unconventional sack suit when notified of his nomination. To be certain, he wore his conventional suit while de gang was in St. Louis.

The czar has appointed General Glaszof minister of public instruction. He's the man the young Russian will go to when he wants a Glassoff water from the Plesian spring.

A Berlin scientist has found a coin that proved to be the oldest in the world. Strange to say, it didn't belong to Russell Sage.

There's many a girl showing her elbows when walking on the downtown streets who's afraid to show her wrists in a kitchen.

They say the muff attained its greatest vogue in the reign of Louis XV., but a notable renaissance is evident in some of the minor leagues.

Now it's reported that John W. Gates is willing to bet \$100,000 he didn't lose \$100,000 in wheat.

Also Henry G. Davis is old enough to know better than to make a 6,000-word speech.

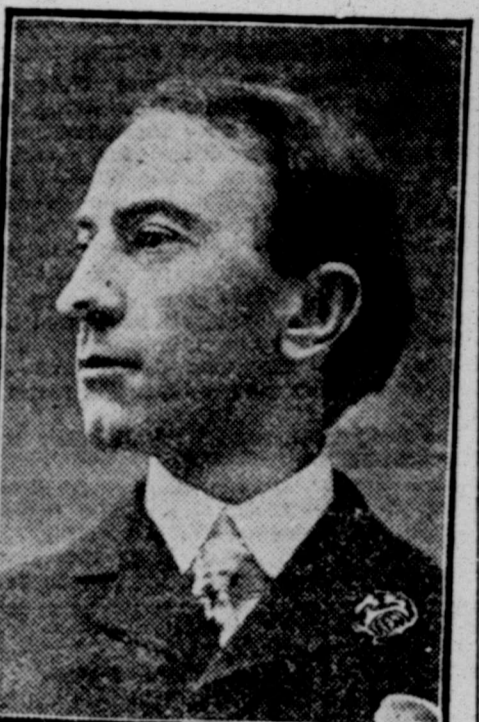
Bishop Potter's reform hasn't reached the point where he is willing to open church with a bung-starter.

The Japs did pretty well, but WE never had to sink Cervera's ships but once.

Who counts the Japanese dead?

AMUSEMENTS

OPENING OF SEASON TONIGHT The Albert Taylor Stock Company will be the attraction at Greenwall's opera house tonight for the opening attraction of the season. This company comes here for a week's engagement, with matinees daily from Tuesday. Opening bill tonight, "A Fool and His Money." Change of bill at each performance. Popular prices to prevail throughout engagement.



ALBERT TAYLOR

"If Albert Taylor ever had reason to doubt the sincerity of his home people the doubt was dispelled last night when he looked out from the stage of the Casino theater at Pickett Springs upon the largest, the most cultured, the most enthusiastic audience that ever gathered in the little suburban playhouse.

Montgomery fairly laid tribute at the feet of its one actor of the stage. It was the first appearance here this season, and for several seasons, of the young Montgomeryerian who has won plaudits away from home. And Montgomery gave her own a reception that was undoubted, a reception sufficiently cordial to move the heart of any man.

The play chosen by Mr. Taylor for his premier in Montgomery was "Peaceful Valley," the play made famous by Sol Smith Russell. There were persons in the audience last night who were so enthusiastic as to believe that Albert Taylor played the part as well as the lamented Russell.

While the dramatic ability of Mr. Taylor in repertoire was well known to his Montgomery admirers, his work as Hosea Howe was a revelation to them last night. To be natural is the first requisite for an actor, and Mr. Taylor has the first requisite. He seemed thoroughly at home in the part, so much so as to actually make the audience feel intrusive at times. His work deserves nothing but praise and his audience realized it fully, and showed that they realized it by their applause.

The star shines bright above the supporting company, but not too bright to place them in shadow, for the company as a whole is excellent for a park stage. The cast is unusually strong in a play which is not a regular thing with them, but only one play of their repertoire and in this it is a remarkable company.

"Miss Sylvia Summers as Virgie Rand deserves credit for an excellent piece of work which took well with the audience. She is handsome and played the part in an understanding way.

"Jack Voss as Ward Andrews, the city scoundrel who deceives a country girl, made himself thoroughly detestable in the eyes of the audience by his clever rendition of the part.

Each member of the company, for that matter, did the part assigned to him in finished style and the entertainment moved with surprising smoothness. "It is safe to say that no company that has ever played in the park theater ever brought better specialty acts to Montgomery. The acts were shining examples of clean and attractive vaudeville, and the people showed their appreciation of them by continued applause until the actors had to retire through sheer exhaustion.

"Clarence Oliver in monologue told some new rags in a novel and pleasing manner which entitled him to an encore.

"The McGreevys in a song and dance act captivated the audience and responded to several encores. Both are clog dancers of exceptional merit and their specialty was thoroughly enjoyed.

"Arthur Browning in a 'Weary Willie' act showed off to advantage in his dancing and imitations. The imitation that he gave of a train climbing a grade was as fine a piece of work of its kind as has ever been seen here.

"Miss Pearl Stanley sang well in illustrated songs which pleased."

POLICE NEWS

A small negro boy, giving his age as 11 years, was arrested by Officers Walker and Black about 10 o'clock last night, charged with burglary. The boy was discovered taking articles from one of the show windows in front of the Fair by A. H. Benson, bookkeeper at the Cartier-Battelle Grocery Company.

Mr. Benson was walking along Houston street when he noticed two negro boys acting suspiciously in front of the Fair. One of the boys was tampering with a show case, while the other seemed to be keeping watch on the corner. Mr. Benson walked nearer to investigate and the boys fled, Benson giving chase to the one whom he had seen near the show case.

Down Houston street they sped, the small barefooted negro running like a deer and Benson in hot pursuit.

Near Pangburn's drug store the boy was overtaken and captured. Just then Officer Walker appeared on the scene and Benson turned over the lad to him.

It was found that the negro boy had taken four combs, one box of soap and two bottles of perfume. He had in some way opened the lock on the show case.

The boy, who gives Jake Davis as his name, was arraigned in the city court this morning. From his appearance it is very evident that he much needed the combs and the soap. The use of the perfume would also not be amiss.

Officer Walker stated this morning that the same boy has been arrested several times.

EIGHT PRISONERS ESCAPE About 7 o'clock yesterday evening eight prisoners confined in the city prison quietly walked out through the unlocked door and escaped.

One of the officers had unlocked the door to put in a new prisoner. He went away and forgot to lock it. Consequently those inside who laid for fresh and freedom quietly and deliberately walked out.

Letters to The Telegram

To The Telegram.

"Negro Influence," the leading editorial in yesterday morning's Telegram, is both timely and to the point, and will be heartily indorsed by every true southern man who reads it.

It applies, also, to a local issue here, on a smaller scale, but involving the same principle.

We soundly abuse President Roosevelt for allowing a negro to dine with him, and everything with southern blood in its veins gets up on its hind feet and goes for our strenuous president with its stinger out.

In a short time there will be a celebration of labor day in Fort Worth. A long, large and wide parade will be one of the principal features of the day. This parade will be composed of the different unions in the city, visiting unions, and the farmers' union. I understand, also, that a recently organized negro union will be in the parade. A few days ago The Telegram stated that it had been decided that the negroes would have a separate parade and picnic, but since then I have heard that the negroes would go in the regular parade.

Will you please point out the social difference between parading the street with the negro and sitting down at the same table and eating with him? I must confess that I can see none.

And yet we jump on the hero of San Juan with both feet for entering with the most intelligent and best educated negro in the country, while we of union faith vote to fine our members for refusing to parade the streets of a southern city with a whole crowd of negroes.

Consistency is said to be a jewel, but I think an expert would be baffled in a search for jewels in this instance.

Yours, for white supremacy, now and forever, more, likewise separate parades and picnics.

A SOUTHERN UNION MAN. Fort Worth, Texas, Aug. 22.

JUST LIKE A LONE HORSE

When young Claypool was killed a few nights ago by a buggy that was being driven on the wrong side of the street, I believe The Telegram in giving an account of that unfortunate occurrence called attention to a city ordinance on the subject or rather on the question of right of way, but no attention has been paid to it since by the officers or the people, except by that class of people who instinctively obey the law without compulsion.

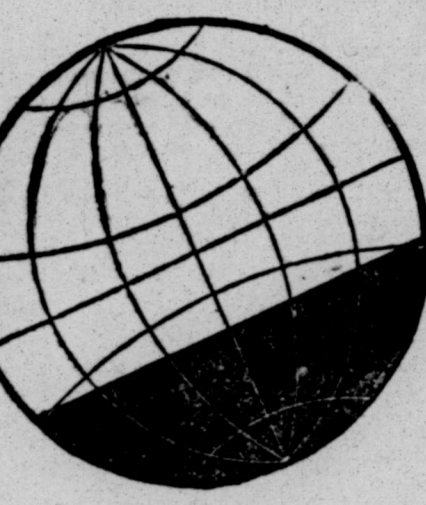
The Telegram's warning was timely as the following incident will prove: I was standing on Main street a few evening since on the west side of the street car tracks watching for a car to go south. My position on the street was correct with reference to the aforesaid ordinance and I was perfectly safe from harm from that class of people who have respect to the law and the rights of other people but there is a class of people, unfortunately, that have to watch, law or no law, or they will kill you in spite of the devil.

Suddenly and all at once something crashed into my frame from the rear that jarred and as I pulled myself out from between the front wheel of a buggy and the body, my feminine voice cried out: "Look out!"

I bowed, and with as much grace as was left in me (for I tell you I was mad), I said: "I will, when I hear, after this, that you are out again." And she went driving on down on the wrong side of the street ticketly split as hard as she could tear. I could only grit my teeth and mutter "I hope the old thing will ram a lumber wagon at some corner and go to pieces. I do."

Put everything was on down on the wrong side of the street except her, and no one else seemed to want a car but me, and the woman and the old mare tore on through on the wrong side of the street like the devil beatin' tan bark without further accident.

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STORIES TOLD IN THE SHADOW OF THE "TA PAGODA" FAR AWAY

Douglass Story, the Famous English War Correspondent, Tells of an Evening With the Czar's Officers at the Front in Manchuria

BY DOUGLASS STORY  
(For The Telegram and the Newspaper Enterprise Association.)

LAO YANG, Aug. 19.—Out from the northwest angle of Lao Yang there stands a pagoda, a monument to old-time Manchu bravery and virtue.

Here, in the evening, at the time the snarrows and the martins, the pigeons and the magpies flutter about the hoary lead of the Ta Pagoda, the band of the second battalion of sappers plays Rubinstein and Tchaikovsky, regimental marches and ruddy Slavonic melodies, sometimes chants a folk song.

Later, when the turquoise blue of the Manchurian twilight has deepened into night, we mingle here with the officers sojourning at headquarters, learn of their fights and their ambitions, discuss the war and its strategy, drink to the health of absent comrades, and, on occasion, withhold our farewells till 3 o'clock of the morning.

It was here I met Lieutenant Rebasoff, a young garde des frontieres, 23 years of age, clean cut and strong of limb, already a hero. With a detachment he was at Wafangkau, a fortnight ago, upon a scouting expedition. Suddenly the little party of Russians was cut off by a squad of Japanese under a major.

The scouts wheeled and broke their way back through the ranks of the enemy. The Japanese major pursued and taunted them with fleeing. He was an officer trained at St. Petersburg, and his insults in Russian stung the lieutenant. The Japanese major swung his saber and slashed at the head of Rebasoff. The Russian crouched along the barrel of his pony, avoided the blow, replied with an uppercut at his adversary till his sword's edge blunted against the vertebrae of the major's neck. The Japanese swayed from his saddle and died.

"See, they are a stiff-necked people, those Japanese!" remarked Rebasoff, showing me the dent on his service sword. But the lieutenant's day's work was not yet accomplished. His quartermaster sergeant was unhorsed, severely wounded, shot through the chest. Rebasoff caught the charger of the dead Japanese, mounted his watchman's head, rode away for the railway line. From the hit of his hanger swings a Yaponzki trophy—the sword knot of the major. Beside it is the Russian red badge of courage.

HEARS A STORY  
It was here I heard the story of Captain Worosoff, the sole survivor of Colonel Muller's battery of artillery from the cruel fight of Chuilencheng. I had seen the captain in the hospital, lying very quiet and very gray, with a leg shattered by fragments of a Japanese shell. He had told me nothing of the disaster that had brought this disaster upon him, had merely taken from a purse at his bedside a jagged piece of iron and passed it to me, quietly smiling—sufficient comment from a soldier.

I heard him tale in the shade of the imperturbable pagoda, learned how, on that bloody first of May, he had stood by his guns as on parade, holding his men to their posts, demanding from them all the niceties of discipline—head back, shoulders square, feet properly placed at attention—till every officer of the battery was dead or wounded, and he at length, too, fell crippled by a bursting shrapnel.

ENEMY WORTHY OF RESPECT  
There were more sinister tales whispered across the tables in the evening light. I have been told by a colonel—an officer of undoubted probity—of his discovery of two dead Cossacks, with their throats cut, their tongues cut out, their breasts rudely carved with representations of the emblems upon their shoulder straps. But these are the deeds of the Chunchuses. War is very ugly out there in the outposts. The rules of Geneva yield to many exceptions.

Sadly as men comment upon these evidences of barbarity, there is a universal feeling that the Japanese themselves are indeed an enemy worthy of respect of

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NAMES OF COUNTIES

Story of Manner in Which Subdivisions of the State Were Designated by the Fathers of Texas

HISTORY IS INTERESTING

Information Regarding Men Who Were Important Factors in the Early Work of This State

BY HARRY HAYNES.

AUSTIN, Texas, Aug. 22.—The following is the sixth installment of the nutshell history of the names of Texas counties:

Throckmorton county was named for Dr. William E. Throckmorton, father of Governor J. W. Throckmorton, who came from Tennessee to Texas in 1841, and died in Collin county in 1842.

Tom Green county was named in honor of Tom Green, who was a private in the artillery corps in the battle of San Jacinto, and in the United States army in the war with Mexico. From which between the states he volunteered in the Confederate army, achieved fame in the Arizona, Texas and Louisiana campaigns, as commander of a brigade that fought at Blair's Landing, La., April 12, 1864.

Travis county was created in 1840, and it was a most befitting tribute that the capital county of the state should be christened in honor of William B. Travis, whose heroic defense of the Alamo covered both himself and Texas with fabled renown. He came from Georgia to Texas in 1830, was a brilliant lawyer by profession, and practiced first in Liberty and then in San Felipe, from which place he volunteered in the Texas army in 1835 and was killed March 6 of that year.

Tyler county was named in honor of John Tyler of Virginia, who was elected vice president of the United States in 1840, and served as president of the state from 1841 to 1842. He was a member of the Texas senate in 1835 and was killed March 6 of that year.

Uphur county was created in 1846 and named in honor of A. P. Uphur of Virginia, a great friend of Texas. When President Tyler re-organized the Harrison cabinet in 1841, Mr. Uphur was made secretary of the navy, which high position he filled with ability.

Uvalde county was created in 1850, and named as a compliment to Colonel J. Uvalde, who conducted several campaigns against the Indians in West Texas, and achieved his greatest victory in a campaign near the present county site of Uvalde.

Van Zandt county was named in honor of Isaac Van Zandt, who came to Texas in 1834, was a member of the congress of the republic in 1840, and served as governor in 1847. He was a prominent candidate for governor, but died in Houston of yellow fever before the election was held.

Walker county, one of the old counties of Texas, was named in honor of Robert J. Walker of Natchez, Miss. He was a member of the United States senate in 1835, and in 1845 secretary of treasury during Polk's administration. He died in Washington, D. C., in 1869.

Edwin Waller, a Virginian, who came to Texas in 1831. He was in the battle of Velasco in 1832, and was a member of the secession convention in 1861, and president of the Texas Veterans' Association in 1873.

Ward county was named for Thomas W. Ward, an Irishman, who came to Texas from New Orleans in 1835, a member of the New Orleans Grays. He commanded an artillery company at the battle of San Antonio in 1837, and was mayor of Austin; land commissioner of the republic of Texas in 1841; American consul at Corpus Christi in 1867. At the battle of San Antonio he lost both an arm and a leg.

Washington county was made a municipality in 1825, and named for George Washington, commander-in-chief of the American forces during the revolutionary war and first president of the United States. It became a county in 1837, and collector of customs at Corpus Christi in 1867. At the battle of San Antonio he lost both an arm and a leg.

Wichita county was named for William H. Wharton and John A. Wharton, two brothers, natives of Virginia, who came to Texas in 1829. William H. was minister to the United States in 1836. John A. was adjutant on Houston's staff at the battle of San Jacinto, afterwards secretary of the navy of the republic, and a member of congress.

Wilbarger county was named for a family of that name who came to Texas in 1830, and settled in Bastrop county. Matthias Wilbarger was a surveyor and rendered the early comports much assistance in locating their grants. He died in 1852. Josiah Wilbarger was scalped by the Indians in a fight on the Colorado river, just below Austin, in 1832. He survived for twelve years and died from his effects.

Williamson county was named in honor of R. M. Williamson, a distinguished lawyer, who came to Texas from Georgia in 1827. He was an alcalde in 1834, commanded a company of rangers in 1835, was member of the consultation of 1840, re-elected until the state was annexed to the United States, and was a member of the senate for several terms after annexation. He died in 1858.

Wilson county was named for James C. Wilson, who came to Texas in 1837. He was a Mier prisoner, but escaped. In 1844 he was clerk of the district court of Brazoria county; commissioner of the court of claims in 1856, and a member of the senate from Matagorda county.

Winkler county is named in honor of C. M. Winkler, who was a gallant Confederate general, a distinguished lawyer, and in 1876 an associate justice of the court of criminal appeals.

Wise county is named for Henry A. Wise of Virginia. He was a member of the United States congress in 1832, minister to Brazil in 1847, governor of Virginia in 1848. In 1850 he signed the death warrant of John Brown, hanged for attempting to excite the negroes to insurrection. He was a general in the Confederate army and died in 1876.

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A meeting of the business men of Fort Worth, those who are interested in the movement started some weeks ago looking to the building up of a better local cotton market in Fort Worth, will be held in the Board of Trade rooms tonight at 8 o'clock, and the committee having the raising of funds earnestly request that the attendance be a large one, as it is the desire to settle all details in connection with the move.

It is understood that the sum of \$2,000 has been raised and a report will be made by the committee at the meeting tonight. It is intended to make the fund \$3,000, which members of the committee today say can easily be done.

There are quite a large number of the very best merchants who have not yet been called upon by the committee as they were out of the city or otherwise engaged at the time the committee called upon them. The work of soliciting will not cease until the full amount at first agreed upon has been secured.

Under the plan of procedure determined at the first meeting of citizens at the Board of Trade rooms, it will be necessary that the \$3,000 be raised.

**THE OLYMPIC GAMES**  
NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—Although the entry list for the third modern renewal of the Olympic games, to be held at the World's Fair in St. Louis next week, does not close until tonight, enough entries are in to show that there will be a strong showing on the part of New York athletic organizations. Teams will be sent by the New York Athletic Club, the Greater New York Irish Athletic Association and the Pastime Athletic Club of this city to take part in all the events, while the Metropolitan Association of the Amateur Athletic Union will send eight local runners to compete in the Marathon race.

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SCHOOL BOYS MUST PICK THE COTTON

An interesting fact in regard to the county public schools came up the other day when The Telegram was interviewing Milton H. Moore, county superintendent of public instruction.

The Telegram asked Mr. Moore when the different county schools would open this fall.

"I can't definitely say," said Mr. Moore, "as you know that the opening of the rural district schools depends largely on the cotton crop.

"Most of the children in the country pick cotton and just as long as cotton picking continues there will be no school. It seems rather peculiar, doesn't it? But it is the truth. The farmer needs his son in the field and although he is anxious for his children to receive an education, he is just as anxious about his cotton crop. So if Johnny and Sammy and Lem and Buck are needed in the cotton field the opening of the rhythmic and the blue back speller can wait awhile."

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SPORTING NOTES

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BASE BALL!

Boles being used in the field the day he is not in the box, with no substitutes in case of accident as yesterday, when Boles had a broken thumb and Burleson a strained ankle, with Ditch and Christianman loaned to South Texas to help a South Texas team win the pennant, the team is in no shape to play pennant winning ball.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

Table with columns: Club, Games Played, Won, Lost, Per Cent. Rows include Corsicana, Fort Worth, etc.

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BEAUMONT 2, GALVESTON 1

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THE CROPS IN TEXAS

CLEBURNE, Texas, Aug. 22.—Prices on sandy land near here have gone up the past few months. The rise in the price of this land is due to the fine results obtained by fruit, berry and vegetable growers this season.

THE TRUCK GARDENERS

WACO, Texas, Aug. 22.—General Manager Leroy Trice of the International and Great Northern railway, who spent a day or two in Waco the latter part of last week, took much interest in the talk he heard regarding truck farming in this vicinity.

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Stonewall J. Phillips, Fort Worth and Ennis R. P. O., has been transferred to the Fort Worth and Houston R. P. O.

BONDS OR NO BONDS TALK AT CLEBURNE

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\*MISSOURI, KANSAS AND TEXAS Depart. 8:35 am. "Katy Flyer". Arrive. 7:45 pm

\*COTTON BELT ROUTE Depart. 7:20 am. Mail and Express. Arrive. 5:50 pm

\*TEXAS AND PACIFIC Depart. 7:45 am. Cannon Ball. Arrive. 7:45 pm

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WANTED—Two or three good boys at Midland Brass Works. Apply this morning.

WANTED—Boy, about 15 or 16 years old. Wood & Co., hat cleaners, 719 Houston street.

WANTED—An all-around good first-class stove repair man; no other need apply. 288 Houston st. Evers & Trueman.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WHAT you want and what you will get are two things which grow to resemble each other after you have used these want ad columns.

WANTED—White house girl. 1403 Pennsylvania avenue.

WANTED—A good cook. Apply 310 Jackson street.

WANTED—A country girl or young widow that don't run around, to keep house for widower, three in family—no little ones. Address Lock Box 852, Fort Worth, Texas.

AGENTS WANTED

WANTED—Agents, lady or gentlemen, to solicit for door plates and house numbers on commission. Apply mornings only, 9 to 12. The J. J. Langerwey Co., opp. City Hall.

SITUATIONS WANTED

YOUNG man desires position as stenographer. Understands double-entry bookkeeping; no bad habits; moderate salary to begin. References. M., Telegram.

THIS sale will last for thirty days. The Arcade, 1294-6 Main street.

STILL A MOVING—The big sale at The Day Light Store.

SITUATION wanted at once by an experienced collector who is well acquainted with city. Address box 182, city.

COMPETENT HOUSEKEEPER desires position with widow of family. 111 Live Oak street.

IF YOU ARE a looking for any thing in the clothing line we can save you money. Abe M. Mehl, 1211 Main street.

WANTED—Position as collector, by middle age lady, with good reference. Address, E. care Telegram.

WANTED

FAIRM WANTED—A good two-story residence of 12 rooms, conveniently located in this city, to exchange for farm or acreage property. Call on or address, Hec A. McEachin, room 5, Scott-Harold building, Fort Worth, Texas.

THE want ads are "the busy little bees of publicity"—and they may be harnessed at your service when you use this page.

WANTED—500 overcoats; will loan money or buy them. Simon's Loan Office, 1502 Main street.

WANTED—A few boarders. A private home; first class neighborhood. Must give references. 511 East Bluff street.

WANTED—Two furnished or unfurnished rooms, with board for couple, in private family, first-class accommodations desired. B.-H., care Telegram.

WANTED—Real estate in or near Fort Worth to trade for property in Sherman, Texas. Fidelity Trust Co., 317 Houston street. Phone 2004.

RESTAURANTS

WHEN YOU WANT the best and the most for the least money, go to Kelly's Restaurant, 608 Houston street.

IT'S THE TRUTH—The "O. K." regular dinner satisfies, 25c. 908 Houston.

ROOMS FOR RENT

ELEGANT RIGS AT ALL TIMES AND FOR ALL OCCASIONS. TRY US. PHONE 49.

BURNS' STABLE

ROOM FOR RENT, apply 310 Jackson.

NICE ROOMS AND BOARD with privilege of phone and bath. 214 North Elm street. Mrs. Dikes.

FOR RENT—One furnished room for gentlemen; convenient to car line. Apply, 411 Blissouri avenue. Phone 1878 red.

MRS. R. C. MOORE, formerly of the Harrold hotel, corner Tenth and Houston streets, has opened up a first-class rooming house, at 912 Monroe street.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms, with or without board, near center of town. Old phone 2376. New phone 1347 red. Apply 512 East Sixth street.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms for housekeeping, desirable, cheap. 203 Rusk.

SEATON FLATS—Over Monnig's Leader, corner First and Houston streets. Nice rooms. Reasonable rates. Transient trade solicited. Mrs. M. G. Becker, Prop.

THE HAYS—South rooms, good board; service family style; everything clean; bath and phone; terms reasonable. 312 South Calhoun.

FOR RENT—To couple without children, two large airy rooms, with quiet family, at reasonable rates—furnished for housekeeping. References given and required. Apply 712 East Belknap street.

TWO nice cool rooms, with table board. 321 South Boaz.

FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping. 806 East Belknap. Phone 1370.

A NICELY furnished room for light housekeeping, can furnish three if required. Four blocks from Main. 619 Pecan street. New phone 1317 green.

TWO NICE front rooms for rent; furnished; southern exposure.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for housekeeping. 1304 Calhoun street, Marine.

PERSONAL

VIAGA—Mrs. L. G. Thomas. Phone 1284. Rent your fans from Bound Electric Co.

OUR GLASSES

ALWAYS FIT

Our glasses stop headaches, straighten cross eyes and relieve nervous disorders, when due to eye strain. We fit more glasses than all others in Fort Worth combined. We guarantee to satisfy. Examination free.

LORD, the Optician

401-403 Houston Street.

BIBLES

The genuine Oxford, at CONNER'S Book Store, 707 Houston Street.

FOR MINERAL WELLS Water Phone Mineral Wells Depot.

NIGHT SCHOOL—Opens September 1. Draughton's Practical Business College, corner Seventh and Houston. Board of Trade building. Bookkeeping, shorthand, typewriting, penmanship and English branches. Catalogue free.

Today and tomorrow you need MODEL MOTHER'S BREAD SAVE TAGS.

SPECIAL NOTICES

FOR SALE

We have always sold for less than others, cash or time. For August we will undersell ourselves. We are overstocked and must sell. Your price buys.

NIX

The Furniture Man, 202-4 Houston St. Both Phones.

CARPET RENOVATING WORKS—Carpets, rugs, feathers and mattresses renovated, made to order. Phone 187 1/2 red phone.

Get your lawn mower sharpened at Bound Electric Co., 1006 Houston st., by an expert.

"CALAMITY is man's true touchstone" and to lose your job is often to find one twice as good if you try The Telegram want ad way.

DR. ABDILL moved from Columbia to Dundee building, over Parker's drug store.

GLASSES FITTED by my method will permanently stop headaches, indigestion, constipation, neuralgia, dyspepsia, epileptic fits and straighten cross eyes. No knife or medicine. Dr. T. J. Williams, Scientific Refractionist, 215 Houston street.

WE HAVE a safe and speedy cure for eczema and all skin diseases. Also a sure dandruff cure. Both guaranteed. Price \$1. Write for testimonials. Biting Eczema Cure Co., Sherman, Texas.

The BEST POPULAR PRICE VEHICLES in the MARKET

WOOD & WOOD

401-403 Houston Street.

KING'S REPAIR SHOP—100 East Second street.

LOST AND FOUND

FIRST-CLASS DRIVING RIGS OF ALL KINDS. BURNS' STABLE, PHONE 49.

FINANCIAL

SIMON'S LOAN OFFICE makes loans on all articles of value. 1503 Main street.

I HAVE a limited amount of money to invest in vendor's lien notes. Otto S. Houston, at Hunter-Phelan Sayings Bank and Trust Co.

MONEY TO LOAN on farms and ranches by the W. C. Belcher Land Mortgage Co., corner Seventh and Houston streets.

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos, stock and salaries. The Bank Loan Co., 108 W. 9th St. Phone 2494-2r.

LOANS on farms and improved city property. W. T. Humble, representing National Mortgage Bank of Texas, Fort Worth National Bank Building.

PUBLICITY that is still privacy—your friend need not know that you want another job if you advertise for it on this page.

TEXAS LOAN CO., salary and chattel loans. Phone 1013, 1 ring. 1310 Main.

MINERAL WATER

MINERAL WATERS, Gilson, Texas, Carlsbad, Wagon, Milford, Marlin Wells water delivered daily. Old phone 2167. New phone 919. Mineral Water Depot, 1002 Houston st.

WANTED—Every body to know of the Ederville water cure. The famous Ederville mineral water is far superior to any mineral water known in the United States. Also the large commodious and well ventilated Ederville Hotel, located at the wells, is an ideal place for overworked business men to rest. Come and bring your friends. Ederville is seven miles east of Fort Worth, and one and one-half miles north of Handley. Water delivered to any part of the city. For information and terms, address Ederville Mineral Wells Company, Handley, Texas. Transportation furnished by S. M. Haney.

FOR RENT

H. C. Jewell, H. Veal Jewell, H. C. JEWELL & SON, The rental agents of the city, 1000 Houston street.

TYPEWRITERS for rent; any make. Lyerly & Smith, 506 Main St.

FOR RENT—Five-room house with bath and screened back porch; 1318 Kane street, near Ellison green house. Apply 1346 Fifth avenue. Phone 1721-1 ring.

FOR RENT—Furnished 4-room house in exchange for board. See Mrs. Francis at Turner & Dinger's.

FOR RENT—New two-story barn at 513 East Sixth.

FOR RENT—Four-room house, \$8 per month. Apply 414 West Third street. Phone 1612.

BUGGIES AND WAGONS

FOR STRICTLY HIGH GRADE VEHICLES SEE

WOOD & WOOD

401-403 Houston Street.

PHONE \$6 FOR A NICE CARRIAGE. PHONE \$6 FOR A NICE HORSE AND BUGGY. PHONE \$6 FOR A NICE SURREY AND HORSE. PHONE \$6 FOR A NICE PICNIC CARRIAGE, SEATS TEN PEOPLE.

DO you want the best? If you are thinking of buying a runabout, surrey, phaeton or anything in the vehicle line, then see us. Fife & Miller, 312 Houston street, W. J. Tackaberry, Manager.

If you want a Buggy or Wagon at best prices and on best terms, see H. A. WILLIAMS, 213-215 W. 2d st. Fort Worth.

LESS THAN half cost, Studebaker rubber tire Stanhope, nearly new. Phone 417.

WANTED TO BUY

WE want to buy your second-hand furniture, highest price paid in cash or exchange. Furniture Exchange, 308 Houston. Old phone 2588. New phone 771.

WANTED TO BUY—Clean rags. At Telegram Office.

TOBACCO TAGS bought at Sam Gilbert's, 1311 Main st.

OSTEOPATH

DR. HARRIS, Osteopath, fourth floor, Fort Worth National bank building. Telephones 733 and 1651.

FURNITURE

FURNISH your house at \$1.00 per week. I have two houses full of goods. H. E. Lewis Furniture Co., west of court house, on Houston street, and I. X. L. store, corner of First and Houston. Phone 1329 1r.

MESSENGERS

Caswell's Messenger Service

ROOM 6, SCOTT-HARROLD BLDG. Phone 1689 Never Close BUSH CASWELL, PROP.

BANK RAILING

BANK RAILING—TEXAS ANCHOR Fence Co.; catalogue. Ft. Worth.

INSURANCE

W. H. WILLE—Fire, tornado and plate glass insurance. 102 West Sixth street, Fort Worth, Texas. Telephone 1500.

AWNINGS

AWNINGS made at Scott's Renovating Works and Awning Factory. Phone 121 1 ring, new phone 864.

REAL ESTATE

MUST HAVE MONEY—Will take \$275 for east front, corner lot on Washington street, two blocks from City Belt car line.

OWNER

SMITH & BUCHANAN

506 Main Street.

VACANT LOT BARGAIN—East front corner, on Fifth avenue, \$200. Smith & Buchanan, 506 Main street.

FOR SALE—Seven-room, two-story, frame and plastered house, with hall, closets, porches, bath room, servants' house, barn, lot 50x150 feet to alley. Price, \$2,250; \$100 cash, and \$25 monthly. FIVE-ROOM cottage on south side, hall, closets, porches, hydrants, barn, sheds, south front, corner lot, 100x100 feet. Price, \$1,250; \$100 cash, balance \$15 monthly. J. A. INGRAM, 706 1/2 Main Street, over Wells Fargo Express Office.

Do You Know a Good Thing?

We have just had listed with us one beautiful, seven-room cottage, on an east front lot, 50x100 feet, to a fifteen-foot alley. This cottage is centrally located on the south side, within one block of the car line. It has a hall, bath room, five closets, four mantles and grates, folding doors, twelve-foot ceiling; barn and buggy house; servants' house; sewer connection, gas, etc. An ideal home and the location in the city. Reason for selling too much room. If taken at once can be had for \$3,500. Terms given.

Haggard & Duff

Phone 840. 706 1/2 Main Street.

BEAUTIFUL new seven-room house, halls, bath and porches, south front, sewerage, gas, etc., strictly modern in every way; close in on West Side, or Quality Hill. Terms as you want them. Price, \$2,650. Don't fail to see this piece of property.

Haggard & Duff

Phone 840. 706 1/2 Main Street.

HOMES—\$5 down and \$1 weekly will purchase you a home on short notice. Inquire, People's Trust Company, 603 1/2 Main street.

HOTELS

MANSON HOTEL, Fourth and Main, pleasant rooms, the best to eat in Fort Worth. Take advantage of our low rates for summer. Call or telephone. Old establishment. Mrs. E. J. Massey.

ROOM AND BOARD

BOARD AND ROOMS, 510 West Belknap. Phone 2142.

ROOMS and board, \$5 per week; everything nice and new. Over the J. J. Langerwey Co., opposite City Hall. Phone 1960.

TO EXCHANGE

"TO CATCH occasion by the foretop" is to begin to advertise for a new tenant as soon as you know the old one is to leave.

TEXAS BUSINESS CHANCE BUREAU will sell, exchange or buy your merchandise, farm, ranch or city property. E. T. Odum & Co., 203 Houston street, both phones.

CIGARS

IT WILL pay to trade with us; give premiums. Wolf Cigar Store.

STOVE REPAIRING

REPAIRING—We repair all heating, cooking gas, gasoline stoves and ranges; also repair and refinish all kinds of furniture. We do job tin work. All work guaranteed. Gasoline stove experts. Evers & Trueman, 208 Houston. Old phone 1954-1r.

ARTISTIC WIREWORK

ARTISTIC WIREWORK—Texas Anchor Fence Co.; catalogue. Ft. Worth.

COUNTER RAILING

COUNTER RAILING—TEXAS ANCHOR Fence Co.; catalogue. Ft. Worth.

ORDINANCE NO 911

An ordinance regulating the deposits in sewers. Be it ordained by the city council of the city of Fort Worth:

Section 1. That it shall be unlawful for any person to throw or deposit or cause or permit to be deposited in any vessel or receptacle connected with a public sewer any garbage, hair, ashes, fruit, vegetables, peelings or refuse rags, cotton, clinders or any other matter or thing whatsoever except feces, urine and the necessary toilet paper and the necessary toilet paper is hereby defined to mean the ordinary toilet tissue paper and to exclude newspapers and all other papers other than the ordinary toilet tissue paper; and it is hereby made the duty of all citizens to aid the police in bringing offenders against this section to punishment and also to prevent breaches of the same.

Section 2. Any person violating the provisions of Section 1 of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and on conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not exceeding one hundred dollars.

Section 3. That all ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed to the extent that they conflict herewith.

Section 4. That this ordinance be in force and take effect from and after its publication as required by law.

Filed August 5, 1904. JOHN T. MONTGOMERY, City Secretary.

Passed under suspension of rules August 5, 1904. JOHN T. MONTGOMERY, City Secretary.

Recorded in Ordinance Book E, page 100, August 5, 1904. JOHN T. MONTGOMERY, City Secretary.

This ordinance not having been approved or disapproved by the mayor within three days after its passage, as required by the charter, takes effect the same as if approved. JOHN T. MONTGOMERY, City Secretary.

DENTISTS

RELIABLE DENTIST—Dr. McCormick, southeast corner Third and Main st.

WIRE FENCES

IRON AND WIRE FENCES—Texas Anchor Fence Co.; catalogue. Ft. Worth.

CITATION

The State of Texas, in the District Court, Tarrant County, Texas, September term, A. D. 1904. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Tarrant County, Greeting:

You are Hereby Commanded, That, by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in the county of Tarrant four weeks previous to the return day hereof, you summon C. A. Burnett, whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the district court, to be held in and for the county of Tarrant, at the court house thereof, in the city of Fort Worth, on the second Monday in September, A. D. 1904, the same being the 12th day of said month, then and there to answer the petition of Mary E. Burnett as plaintiff, filed in said court on the 11th day of August, A. D. 1904, against C. A. Burnett as defendant. Said suit being numbered 23325, the nature of which demand is as follows, to-wit:

That plaintiff and defendant were legally and lawfully married in Fort Worth, Texas, about October the 19th, 1889, and lived together until some time in February, when defendant took plaintiff home to her mother at Kemp, Kaufman County, Texas, where he left her with the intention of permanently abandoning her; that as a result of said marriage they had three children, Litt Burnett, now 13 years of age; Quincy Burnett, now 7 years of age, and Mabel Burnett, now 4 years of age; plaintiff says that defendant is not a proper person to have the care and custody of said children and that she can by her own labor provide for and take care of said children. Wherefore plaintiff prays that defendant be cited in terms of law and upon final hearing she judgment for divorce, and care and custody of said children.

Herein fail not, but have you then and there before said court, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, JNO. A. MARTIN, Clerk of the District Court of Tarrant County. Given under my hand and seal of said court in Fort Worth this 12th day of August, A. D. 1904. JNO. A. MARTIN, Clerk District Court, Tarrant County, Texas.

By M. H. HARDIN, Deputy.

B. & O. S. - W.

Baltimore & Ohio South-western R. R.

ANNOUNCE FOLLOWING VERY LOW, ROUND-TRIP

Excursion Rates From St. Louis

Asheville, N. C. On sale all summer. Return limit, October 31. \$20.50
Chautauqua Lake, N. Y. On sale all summer. Return limit October 31. \$22.35
Christiansburg, Va. On sale all summer. Return limit Oct 31. \$20.55
Deer Park, Md. On sale all summer. Return limit, Oct. 31. \$27.15
Harpers Ferry, W. Va. On sale all summer. Return limit, October 31. \$35.45
Jamestown, N. Y. Going Sept. 11, 12 and 13. Return limit, September 19. \$18.00
Pittsburg, Pa. On sale all summer. Return limit, Oct. 31. \$22.95
Roanoke, Va. On sale all summer. Return limit, Oct. 31. \$20.75
Sandusky, O. On sale all summer. Return limit, Oct. 31. \$20.40

For the convenience of patrons of the B. & O. S. - W. R. R. an office has been established in the east end of the Transportation building, where tickets can be purchased, sleeping car tickets secured, and full information furnished. For additional information, sleeping car reservations, etc., apply to any agent or address. F. D. GILDERSLLEEVE, Asst. General Pass. Agent. H. C. STEVENSON, City Pass. Agent. St. Louis, Mo.

St. Louis Ticket Offices: Olive and Sixth streets and Union Station.

International Association Fire Engineers

Chattanooga, Tenn., Sept. 13-16, 1904

Account meeting International Association of Fire Engineers at Chattanooga, Tenn., Sept. 13-16, the

Southern Railway

will sell tickets from all points on its line at the very low rate of one fare plus 25 cents for the round trip, minimum rate 50 cents. Tickets will be sold Sept. 11-12 with final limit Sept. 20, 1904.

Original purchasers of tickets may secure an extension of limit until Sept. 30, 1904, upon payment of 50 cents deposit fee, provided deposit is made not later than Sept. 20, and not earlier than Sept 11. Write any agent of the Southern Railway for full particulars.

C. A. BENSOTER, Asst. General Passenger Agent.

1904. Publishers Fort Worth Telegram, Fort Worth, Texas.

Enclosed herewith find TEN CENTS, to cover postage and expense of mailing No. ... of "THE FOREST CITY," to which I am entitled as one of your readers.

Name State

P. O. State



# CRUISERS PRESENT A VERY DAMAGED APPEARANCE NOW

VLADIVOSTOK, Aug. 22.—The Gromobol and Russia present a battered appearance. Their smoke stacks show great rents, while the masts, bridges and ventilators look like sieves and there are marks of battle everywhere. Guns are dismantled, boats are shattered and there are enormous holes in the cruisers' hulls, through which a man could easily pass. Many cabins are completely wrecked.

Some Japanese shells performed queer actions. On the Russia a shell burst in a clothes cupboard. Garments therein were torn in shreds, but a mirror was not scratched. Photographs and knickknacks on the writing table nearby were not disturbed.

In another part of the cruisers' walls were blackened by smoke from a fierce fire, in which eight men were burned alive, yet an almanac on the wall was not even scorched. Aboard the Gromobol shells entered the wardroom and wrecked furniture, but a parrot cage was not disturbed.

All officers are full of praise for the coolness and bravery of the men, who died in the battle without a murmur. Comrades took their places without awaiting orders.

It was deadly work on the upper deck, where gunners were without protection and shells were striking and bursting into a thousand fragments, killing and wounding men until the deck became a veritable shambles, strewn with dead and dying and slippery with blood. Not a single gunner protected by casemates lost his life. The value of protective armor was demonstrated when ever projectiles struck the armored portion of the vessels. There were many deeds of heroism during the five hours.

## BARBER LINE TO USE LONG ROUTE

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—The steamer Satsuma, of the Barber line, has arrived from Yokohama, Japan, by way of the Suez canal. She sailed from Yokohama on May 5. Owing to the watch being kept on the Mediterranean by Russian vessels, the Barber line has decided that until those of the war the route of the ships hereafter shall be around Cape Horn. When the Satsuma started from Yokohama the Chinese crew burned incense and cast paper slips on the water, bearing prayers to the sea gods for a safe passage. A service of thanksgiving was held when the vessel arrived off Sandy Hook and in addition to the incense burning, prayers were offered to little wooden idols, which were brought out on the deck.

## A LIEUTENANT DOES NOT STOP FOR HURTS

VLADIVOSTOK, Aug. 21.—(Delayed in transmission.)—Captain Berinski, who was wounded in the battle with the Japanese squadron August 14, was buried last Wednesday with most impressive military honors. Nearly all the inhabitants of the town attended the funeral.

Most of the wounded officers now in the hospital are expected to get well and of the wounded men the recovery of 312 is now assured.

Vice Admiral Skrydloff has visited the hospital, complimented the survivors and distributed among them crosses of St. George.

The death of Lieutenant Brush of the cruiser Gromobol is reported to have been particularly tragic. He was hurled from the bridge of the cruiser by the explosion of a shell. Although mortally wounded, the lieutenant pulled himself together and continued to hold for long any of the men until he was removed between decks.

A man seriously wounded by the same shell continued doing his duty and did not report to the surgeons for treatment until the next day.

## CONSULAR BODY HAS UP THE NEUTRALITY

SHANGHAI, Aug. 22.—A long meeting of the consular body was held today for the purpose of discussing the case of the Russian cruiser Askold, and the destroyer Grosowoi, which put into this port on August 12. No decision was reached, but it is believed that the final action will be the same as that taken in the case of the Russian gunboat Mandjur, which put into this port and which was compelled to dismantle on March 21.

The consular body will meet again this afternoon.

The Japanese torpedo boat destroyer which entered the harbor yesterday has left the harbor with dispatches for the fleet.

The tactical has, by order of the war woupons (ministry) foreign affairs again makes a hand in the affairs, and has issued another extension of time to the Russian vessels, which have been ordered now to leave at noon Tuesday. At low

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And that's what we do. It's our intention you shall go away satisfied. Satisfaction of money back—that's fair. Suppose you try us for satisfactory service.

## LACKEY'S PHARMACY

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## To Remove Odor of perspiration use Manning's Powder, guaranteed.

## Pangburn Sells it

THOMAS D. ROSS, Attorney and Counsellor at Law Land Title Block FORT WORTH, TEXAS.

tide the Askold could not get over the bar this week. Therefore repairs must cease. The American men-of-war in the harbor, while retaining the outward appearance of inaction, have for several days been practically cleared for action with gun sight in position and steam up.

Rear Admiral Sterling and steam up that the Japanese shall attempt to enter the Russian vessels. He has, it is reported, offered to escort the Askold and Grosowoi beyond the three-mile limit.

The Japanese torpedo boat destroyer is expected to return to the harbor tonight.

## REINFORCEMENTS FOR JAPS CHEEFOO, Aug. 22.—It is asserted in reliable quarters at Port Arthur the Japanese received reinforcements of 30,000 men from the north. The steamer Victoria, which arrived here this morning from New Chwang, reports hearing spasmodic heavy firing at Louisa and Pigeon bays, northwest and west of Port Arthur, between 10 o'clock last night and 1 o'clock in the morning. Shells were seen falling and skyrockets signaling at 1 o'clock last evening.

## NO INSTRUCTIONS GIVEN WASHINGTON, Aug. 22.—Consul General Goodnow of the state department today, after Shanghai, telling of the appearance of a Japanese vessel in the harbor there. He made no mention of the reported action of the American torpedo boat.

The cablegram referred to in the report above, which was received near the Russian cruiser and also said the Russian consul general refused to disarm the Askold.

It is asserted positively at the navy department the American fleet at Shanghai has not changed its policy of neutrality by any instructions. The officials here are convinced the Japanese have no intention of violating Chinese neutrality and furthermore they will not jeopardize the immensely valuable foreign interests at Shanghai by making the harbor a naval battle ground. No instruction has been sent to Admiral Stirling to interfere with the action of the Japanese vessels.

## SITUATION AT PORT ARTHUR TSING TAU, Aug. 22.—According to what Major Hoffman, German military attaché at Port Arthur, who has just arrived here, said in a guarded interview today, the foreign naval attaches during the last few days of their stay there were quartered on the Tigers Tail, where a battery of 600 feet high prevented them from witnessing the naval battle of the night of 19th and 20th inst., but just 10 shells fell in the vicinity, but they did not consider themselves in a dangerous position that account. The attaches were treated with great consideration, but were allowed no plan from which to view the naval operations. Before leaving, Hoffman, however, mentioned that the U. S. N. American naval attaché, was quartered in the old town. Shortly after starting for Pigeon Bay to take a junk for Chefoo, a shell hit his house and wrecked it. Major Hoffman, commenting on this reason, remarked it was lucky for this reason Lieutenant McCully left when he did. But few women and children are at Port Arthur.

## SITUATION AT PORT ARTHUR Chinese Come From the Garrison Which Has Been Long Besieged

CHEEFOO, Aug. 22, noon.—Chinese have just arrived from Port Arthur, bringing dead of the field and also ammunition, which they say is plentiful, confirm the statement that Lia Ti portromontary was not assaulted for the reason that the Japanese are unable to move on it from the north. The Japanese main attack has been heaviest against the Russian center and right, particularly against the center fronting which the Russian have taken strong position at Shushi Yen.

Pigeon Bay has been the scene of fighting for several days before the final assault began, the Japanese never being able to hold for long any of the Russian might gain. Their attacks are made mostly at night, during foggy days and misty mornings. The Japanese believe superior physical condition will win the battle for them, but they are determined to win by the use of their superior physical condition.

The Japanese fire is accurate. Hospitals and Chinese houses at Port Arthur are full of Russian wounded. The Russian says the dead and the wounded are buried in warehouses and then buried on the outskirts of town. Quicklime is being used freely to prevent infection.

SHANGHAI, Aug. 22.—Rear Admiral Stirling says the trip of the American torpedo boat destroyer Chancy from Woo Sung to Shanghai yesterday was to carry dispatches. Her movements had no connection with the arrival of the Japanese torpedo boat destroyer.

The meeting of the foreign consuls here today resulted in the preparation of a statement to establish facts regarding the Russian warships Askold and Grosowoi. The Russian authorities show inclination to reconsider the refusal to comply with China's demand the two ships leave Shanghai or disarm.

## BUILDINGS ARE DESTROYED. ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 22, 5:20 p. m.—According to Governor Sahanlia rice government buildings and eleven houses were demolished during the bombardment of Korsakovsk by the Japanese.

## MORE FIGHTING REPORTED BUENOS AYRES, Aug. 22.—There has been further fighting in the republic of Uruguay. In a hand to hand fight between Uruguay and government forces at Santa Rosa held by the government thirty-five men were killed and eighty-five wounded. The town eventually surrendered and the government troops returned by water. More were killed or drowned during the retreat. The others sought refuge on an island belonging to Argentina.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—There is a good demand for spot cotton. It looks as if the market will go higher.

## Easy to Take Easy to Operate Hood's Pills

Because purely vegetable—yet thorough, prompt, healthful, satisfactory.

## PATRICK ACTS AS LAWYER FOR PRISONER

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—It has just developed Albert T. Patrick, the lawyer who is in Sing Sing prison under a sentence of death in the William Marsh Rice case, but who now has an appeal pending, recently aided a fellow prisoner in securing a temporary stay which served to prolong his life.

Patrick took up the affairs of Michael Brush, convicted of having killed Policeman Carright, who it is claimed caught Brush in the act of committing a burglary in Harlem last March. Brush's lawyers refused to appeal from the verdict of murder and the client was sentenced to death in an electric chair. The prisoner soon began to explain his affairs to the other prisoners, and Patrick finally took them in hand. He dictated a notice of appeal which Brush mailed to the district attorney's office as well as to the court. This act as a stay against execution of the sentence, but the appeal shortly comes up for argument and whether Patrick will be permitted to appear as counsel is doubtful.

## REAL STRUGGLE IN THE STRIKE NOW BEGINS

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—The real struggle in the present building trades strike here began today and possibly by one of the most extensive yet experienced. On one side is arrayed the building trades employers' association which controls the greatest part of the building work of Manhattan and the Bronx and part of Brooklyn. On the other side is the trades alliance and also a number of other unions not affiliated with the alliance, but which will likely be drawn in.

All unions involved in strikes and lockouts received notice from the building trades employers' association last week that work will be resumed today and if the strikes in the respective trades are not declared off, non-union men or union men will be employed indiscriminately in places. The plan of the employers is to form the new men into unions under an arbitration agreement. These proposed unions are to be the only ones recognized by the employers' association and members of old ones will only obtain work by joining the new organizations. Of the unions which are not in the building trades alliance there are a number which, according to representatives, will refuse to work with non-union men but not out of sympathy with the alliance. Among these is the house-smiths and bridgemen's union. In the meantime there are no signs of settlement of the subway tie-up. The conference proposed last week with Contractor McDonald failed to materialize.

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J. F. Zurn received a telegram this morning from Hon. H. B. Stoddard of Bryan announcing the death of Mrs. Stoddard at an early hour this morning.

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As crown prince he must get used to scepter and crown



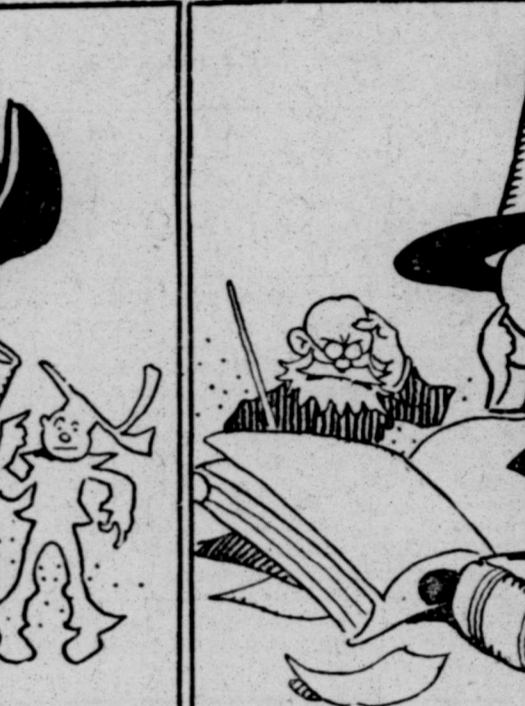
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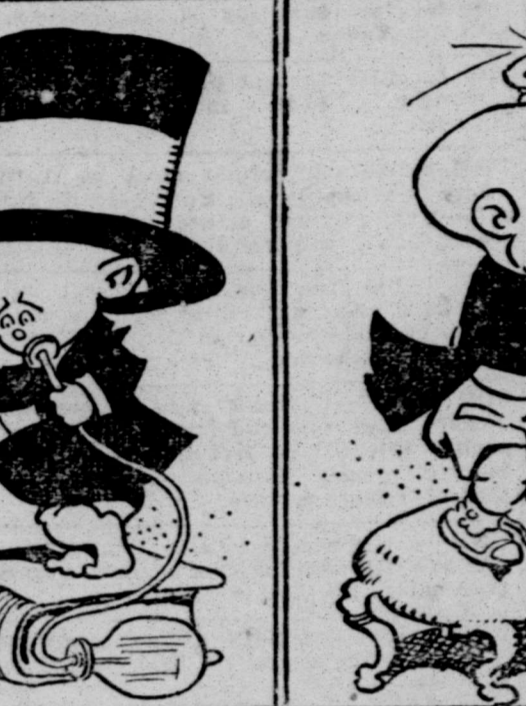
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As an honorable admiral he is lucky, for he can read about Togo without going against him



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