

PRICE FIVE CENTS

### STOCKMEN SEEK TO HEAL BREACH

National Live Stock Association  
to Make Overtures  
to the Dissenters

### WILL MEET NEXT SPRING

President Hagenbarth Applies  
for Membership in New  
Organization

DENVER, Colo., Jan. 16.—Negotiations have been opened by the officers of the National Live Stock Association with the American Cattle Growers' Association, which was organized in this city last Friday by cattlemen who seceded from the stockmen's convention, with a view to establishing harmonious relations between the two organizations.

The National Live Stock Association's board of control has decided to meet in this city on May 9, next, on which day the American Cattle Growers' Association will hold its convention here. Meantime the executive committee of both organizations will make efforts to harmonize their interests. It is proposed to have the new association of cattle growers affiliate with the parent organization exactly as does the National Wool Growers' Association.

President F. J. Hagenbarth and several members of the executive committee of the National Live Stock Association have applied for membership in the Cattle Growers' Association, believing that it can be made of benefit to the united live stock interests of the country.

**STORY OF THE SPLIT**  
The cattlemen, horse and swine growers, together with representatives of some of the affiliated industries, refused to agree to the new constitution proposed for the new organization of the National Live Stock Association and withdrew when they considered its adoption probable, and formed a new organization under the name American Stock Growers' Association, whose aim it will be to wield a dominant influence in the interest of the cattle grower.

The sheep growers, commission men and stock yards interests remain with the National Live Stock Association, and the actual growers of all other animals for the market have gone with the new association.

The cattlemen have, from the first strongly opposed the admission into their organization of the packers, and especially of the railroads. They claimed that these two influences would ultimately dominate the cattle growing industry of the country to the detriment of the individual grower, and they refused to remain in an organization which included their representatives among the members of its central body.

The scheme outlined by Mr. Hagenbarth has failed so far as present organization is concerned. The western cattlemen would make no concession whatever and the Denver meeting broke up in a split. But, Mr. Hagenbarth had been no more honest and sincere in an effort to bring about a unified live stock interest than were the western range men who withdrew from the convention and organized the new American Stock Growers' Association. They feel, and have felt for years, that they have not been getting a square deal and naturally they were suspicious upon any proposition that has for its object the bringing of elements into the fold to which they have been antagonized for years.

**DENVER IS CHOSEN**  
Denver was unanimously chosen as the meeting place for next year's convention of the National Live Stock Association.

## SURRENDER OF PORT ARTHUR UNNECESSARY

Correspondents Visiting Town for First Time Declare That  
Stoessel Had 31,000 Men and Sufficient Munitions to  
Withstand Longer Siege—Disgraceful Scenes Followed  
Announcement That Commander had Yielded to the  
Japanese Forces

**HEADQUARTERS THIRD JAPANESE ARMY AT PORT ARTHUR, Jan. 14.**—The victorious Japanese army yesterday formally entered Port Arthur, General Nogai with his staff entered first through the old town and took his stand in the public square of the new town. The army was represented by one regiment from each brigade. The procession, which was five miles long, was three hours in passing the saluting base, after which the troops passed out of the city through the new town. The correspondents then visited the capitulated city for the first time. The old town buildings were badly smashed by shells, but the new town damage was slight. All the shipping in the harbor was badly damaged by the shell fire, the warships being practically useless owing to injuries they sustained by the shells.

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were bitterly opposed to it. The regimental officers and troops were not consulted. The first news they had of the surrender was Jan. 1, after General Stoessel had communicated with the Japanese. The scenes following the surrender were disgraceful. Drunken soldiers filled the streets, and refused to obey their officers. Many of them destroyed the guns upon the positions they had defended and came into the city without permission. The infantry loudly protested that the fortress had been given away. They threw their rifles and ammunition into the harbor and proceeded to break into the warehouses and loot and drink vodka until in a helpless condition. It is evident the surrender was not necessary, as there were 31,000 effective men in the fortress. Supply of ammunition was short but it was not exhausted.

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shall be the American Stock Growers' Association.

"Second—That this shall be an organization for the breeders and growers of horses, cattle, sheep and swine only."

"Third—The membership of this association shall be persons, firms and corporations engaged in the business recited in the foregoing paragraph, and the membership fees and annual dues shall be for the temporary organization up to May 1, 1905, \$10.

"Fourth—There shall be appointed by this meeting a president and a secretary of the temporary organization, whose duty it shall be to communicate in such manner as they may deem proper, through the press and otherwise, to the breeders and growers of cattle, horses, sheep and swine the fact that this organization has been formed, and secure membership thereto and jointly to carry out the purposes of this organization."

"Fifth—All funds of the association shall be in charge of the president and secretary, to be paid out in such vouchers as they may deem proper for the purposes of this organization."

"Sixth—Any one engaged in the live stock business as a producer or feeder thereof shall be eligible to membership upon application to the president or secretary of this temporary organization, upon payment of the dues, \$10, as hereinabove mentioned."

"Seventh—The office of said association shall be kept in the city of Denver and shall be provided by the president and secretary."

"Eighth—There shall be appointed a committee at this meeting, which shall draft a constitution and by-laws which shall be printed by the president and secretary and submitted to the members of this association thirty days prior to the first day of May, 1905."

"Ninth—That constitution and by-laws be prepared on the idea that the association will be an association of persons, firms and corporations, and not an association of associations, and in the preparation thereof that, insofar as the same is applicable, the record be paid to the constitution and by-laws of the National Live Stock Association, as shown in the national report for the year 1904."

"Tenth—That a meeting of the members of this organization, together with W. G. Comstock of Nebraska presented a resolution commending the attitude of President Roosevelt in attempting to secure an extension of the powers of the Interstate Commerce Commission in the regulation of discriminating rates by railroads, to destroy the evil thereof, and endorsing his message to congress on the subject."

The resolution was adopted and a copy ordered sent to the president.

**COLORADO MAN PRESIDENT**  
Conrad Schaefer of Deuel, Colo., was finally elected temporary president, to serve until May 2, when the permanent organization will be perfected.

On motion of J. M. Boardman of Montana the chairman was empowered to appoint an executive committee of five members, with power to select secretary, and in case of a vacancy in either the office of president or secretary to fill that position, and this committee to act in connection with the board of managers of the Cattle Growers' Interstate Executive Committee where it may be deemed advisable, and to draft the by-laws and constitution for permanent organization in May.

There was a rush to pay the membership fee of \$10 to the secretary of the meeting. Forty stockmen immediately joining the new organization and paying the fee.

Mitchell of Folsom, N. M.; James T. Craig of Bellefontaine, S. D.; James Cushing of Proves, Colo.; Dr. B. Wyatt of Greeley, Colo.; Watkins Morenille Company of Denver, Field Babar of Lincoln, Colo.; J. R. Smith of Lamar, Colo.; Ed L. Patrick of Patrick, Wyo.; William Green of Trinidad, H. Von Hagen of Ridgeway, Colo.; Ira F. Collins of Salsburg, Kan.; Conrad Schaefer of Deuel, Colo.; F. E. Valentine of Scott's Bluff, Neb.; J. E. Snow of Torrington, Wyo.; John E. Painter of Roggen, Colo.; W. E. Hughes of Denver, W. C. Barnes of Las Vegas, N. M.; J. A. Stimson of Springfield, Colo.; W. S. Hopwell of San Francisco, Modocett Brothers of Rushville, Neb.; D. C. Wyatt of Denver, Hicks & Jones of Las Vegas, Charles Irwin of Wyoming.

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### THIRTY BILLS AN HOUR, THE RECORD

New Measure Presented Every  
Two Minutes in Lower  
Body at Austin

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 16.—(Special.)—Thirty bills an hour, a new measure every two minutes, was the record in the lower body of the Texas legislature this morning.

The senate did not convene for lack of a quorum, but the house came up for being the only body in session by disposing of a mass of business.

**HIGH LICENSE BILL**  
Representative Love of Dallas introduced his high license bill making the license for saloons the uniform sum of \$2,000. The purpose of this bill is to do away with low license for beer saloons, and thus wipe out dives and cheap resorts.

**TO REDUCE PASSENGER FARES**  
A bill was introduced seeking to reduce passenger fares from 3 to 2 cents per mile.

A bill was also introduced prohibiting a divorced person from remarriage until three years after securing a divorce. A bill was also introduced making a more stringent law against barratry.

Another bill of interest to liquor dealers which was introduced was a bill making it a penalty to sell liquor in local option districts.

Representative Cottrell introduced a resolution appropriating \$1,650 to defray the expenses of the official messenger to Washington to carry the vote cast for presidential election.

**FARMERS FAVOR REDUCTION**  
DENISON, Texas, Jan. 16.—The sentiment of the entire farming community of this section is that cotton acreage should be reduced at least fifty per cent.

### MRS. DUKE IS NOT AFRAID

Lawyer Says She Has No Apprehensions  
As to Outcome of Alleged Indictment

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—Mrs. Alice Duke Webb, wife of Brodie L. Duke, who is now detained in Amityville Sanitarium, will not run away. She is not in the slightest degree apprehensive of the consequences to herself from the alleged indictment found in Texas. If a sheriff seeks to extradite the woman he will find he is powerless, for it will be the easiest thing in the world for us to prove she has not at any time been a fugitive from justice. She has been attending to business and the Texas people have been in communication with her.

Henry Unger of the law firm of Levy & Unger made this statement last night. He said he understood it was agreed by all that Mr. Duke was now undoubtedly sane.

### SHADOW OF THE GALLOWS RESTS ON THESE WOMEN CONVICTED OF KILLING HUSBANDS



NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—Here are two women within the shadow of the gallows, and who a number of wealthy women are seeking to save from execution by appealing to the governors of Vermont and Pennsylvania against the hangings and appeals for commutation of sentence. On the left is Mrs. Mary Rogers of Vermont, and on the right Mrs. Kate Edwards of Pennsylvania. Both have been convicted of the murder of their husbands and are sentenced to be hanged on Feb. 5.

### NOGI ASKS HONOR FOR FORMER FOE

Commends General Stoessel to  
Governor at Nagasaki in  
Generous Letter

TOKIO, Jan. 16, 11 a. m.—General Nogi has written to Governor Nagasaki the following: "As to the treatment of General Stoessel you will be advised by the proper authorities, but it may not be out of place to point out that General Stoessel is now neither a prisoner of war or a meritoriously served his country, and moreover, so honorably performed without unnecessary delay the complicated task of transferring the forts and munitions of Port Arthur he deserves to be accorded full military honors, and I commend him to your consideration."

### WOMAN AMONG PRISONERS

Japanese Astonished at Discovery Made  
at Nishima

TOKIO, Jan. 16, 11 a. m.—It is reported a Japanese gendarme discovered a woman about 20 years old disguised among the Russian prisoners brought to Nishima. She was much embarrassed at the exposure, and is now located in special quarters.

### PAN OF FUDGE COSTS NORMAL SCHOOL \$35,000

Lamp Overturned and Blaze Started  
Which Destroys Dormitory—Many  
Narrowly Escape

ST. CLOUD, Minn., Jan. 16.—A fire which is said to have been started by the overturning of an alcohol lamp, over which some of the girls were cooking a dish of fudge, destroyed Lawrence Hall, a dormitory at the St. Cloud Normal School. Loss \$35,000.

### FIRE IN PRISON INMATES SAVED

Thrilling Rescues Effected in  
Paris Jail Blaze at Early  
Hour Today

PARIS, Texas, Jan. 16.—At an early hour this morning the county jail caught fire from an overheated pipe and the building was badly damaged. With difficulty the prisoners were all rescued, but the wildest excitement prevailed for a time. The fire originated in the female ward and the burning roof was beginning to fall in before the inmates were all gotten to a place of safety.

### SAWDUST FIRE DAMAGE \$150,000

Schwarzschild & Sulzberger's  
Chicago Warehouse Partially  
Destroyed

CHICAGO, Jan. 16.—Fire which started in the beef storage warehouse of Schwarzschild & Sulzberger at Forty-First Street and Ashland avenue, last night is still burning today, although under control.

Firemen cut holes in the sides and roof of the building, a six-story structure, in their efforts to find the fire and although dense volumes of smoke and ammonia fumes poured out of these apertures, no flames were visible.

The fire is in the sawdust which was packed between the double walls of the building. Fourteen firemen were overcome by ammonia fumes and carried out by their companions. All will recover. The loss is estimated at \$150,000.

### STRIKE PARTIALLY ENDED

German Miners Accept Owners' Proposals,  
Winning Small Victory—Final  
Settlement in Prospect

ESSEN, Germany, Jan. 16.—The coal strike probably will be settled by the mine owners yielding a small part of the workers' demands now, thus allowing to them a moral victory, with the understanding other portions of their demands will be considered and agreed to later if possible.

The prospect of a general prolonged strike was so dismaying to the government that it sought to bring about a compromise. The strikers were not eager to fight to a finish in midwinter, extreme cold through Germany having affected the strikers' spirits. Therefore, the feeling suddenly became general it were better to accept a partial victory, with some small material gains than to persist with accompanying privations. The strike is by no means actually settled yet, but the mine owners and strike leaders are approximately near a provisional agreement. All liquor stores in the strike districts are closed by police order at 6 o'clock in the evening.

### ENGLAND SWEEPED BY STORM

Many Vessels Wrecked and Crews Lost  
Along Coast Accompanied by  
Bitter Cold

LONDON, Jan. 16.—A fierce gale last night caused much havoc along the coasts of the United Kingdom. There were a number of wrecks of small craft resulting in loss of life. A French ketch was driven ashore on the Isle of Wight and the crew of five men drowned. All arrivals report terrific weather. The harbors are filled with vessels seeking shelter. No less than fifty steamers are seeking shelter at Holy Road. This morning the bitter cold, accompanied by the gale, and the first skating of the winter commenced in Lincolnshire.

### EXTRA SESSION TALK COMMENCED

More Than Enough Work for  
Sixty Days Declared to  
Be in Sight

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 16.—The regular session of the Twenty-ninth legislature is just one week old and can not be said to have defied its swiftdingling apparel, but still there is some extra session talk among the members.

One of the representatives said yesterday that he had little doubt but that a special session would be held. He based his early legislative prognostication upon the fact that there were enough interesting measures already pending before the body to consume the first sixty days, and that the members were not willing to serve the country at a \$2 per diem rate.

He thought the precedent established by the Twenty-eighth legislature would be followed; that is, dispose of all important measures except the appropriation bill, adjourn and let the governor convene the body in special session to provide for the support of the government, and to pass on some other measures for which had some partiality which he could name in his call.

On the subject of the governor's recommendation to increase the tax levy to 25 cents on the \$100 worth of property as a means of relieving the state from its present financial embarrassment, there is some divergence of opinion among members of the house.

First, there are those who believe that with the rate increased to 25 cents with the expected increase in the state's values can be thus so largely added to that the present levy would be entirely sufficient.

Fourth, there are those who favor increasing the rate, discovering new sources of visible and invisible wealth, which with the regular growth, will enable the state to liquidate all deficiencies and provide plentifully for all the institutions at the same time.

Just which of these four plans will be adopted is questionable, problematical and uncertain, and the people of Texas can do nothing more and nothing less than wait and watch for the credit of Texas to be saved.

### TO CHECK PISTOL CARRYING

Members of the present legislature develop the fact, unquestionably, that there is a very strong sentiment to use the powers of legislation to its last limit, to make pistol carrying onerous, expensive, infamous and a species of outlawry to be placed in the same category with murder, arson or robbery.

This sentiment has already partially crystallized in the house and several bills have been introduced with this purpose in view.

Mr. Guin of Cherokee has a bill before the house which makes it a penitentiary offense to shoot or shoot at with a pistol, or cut or stab with a bowie-knife, dirk or dagger, or attempt even to do so with weapons of this kind unlawfully carried.

### MORTGAGE COTTON RATHER THAN SELL

Eighty-two Bales Covered by  
Instruments Since January  
1 of This Year

### BANKERS MAKING LOANS

Secretary Wilson of Cotton  
Growers' Association En-  
dorses the Plan

Tarrant county farmers who otherwise could not afford to hold their cotton for higher prices are mortgaging it rather than sell it at the prices it would now bring.

The county records of chattel mortgages show that eighty-two bales have been mortgaged since the first of the year, the farmers choosing the lesser of two evils, preferring to pay the interest on the money thus borrowed than to sell the product of their year's labor at low figures. The amount of cotton realized upon in this way is constantly increasing. Saturday's filings alone amounting to fifteen bales.

Bankers generally are co-operating with the farmers, the majority of the mortgages being held by banking institutions. All large lots are covered in this way, smaller holdings being given to individuals, probably for debt.

Secretary Oswald Wilson of the National Cotton Growers' Association declares the mortgaging in this way emphasizes the determination of the farmers to refuse the sale of their cotton at less than the cost of production.

"No difficulty," he said, "should be experienced in financing loans for all cotton in this section in that way." The heartily favors the plan.

"We can not afford to raise cotton at the present prices," said A. F. Smith, a farmer living on the Agie road, to a Telegram reporter this morning. "If we can not get a price for our products to equal the cost of production we have to have some money choose the next best thing and mortgage our crop. I for one am not going to depend upon a cotton crop for a living for my family during the coming year."

kind are carried, and while the bill making the offense a felony is made so by indirection it is plainly made so nevertheless.

Mr. Quinn of Angelina has introduced a bill on the same line which imposes a minimum fine of \$100 and imprisonment in the county jail for carrying a pistol, and a maximum fine of \$200 and twelve months imprisonment. The bill is specific in stating that both the fine and imprisonment penalties must be imposed.

In conversation with the authors of these measures it was learned that the introduction of these measures was incidentally to develop a sentiment in favor of legislation of this kind that will lead to the imposition of penalties much more severe and render the practice of pistol packing so odious that no self-respecting, law-abiding citizen will have the nerve and law defying audacity to tolerate it.

### WOULD RAISE JUDGES' SALARIES

Mr. Hudspeth of Crockett is a great advocate of the efficiency of Texas courts, and believes the best way to promote their usefulness is to make positions on the judiciary so desirable both from the standpoint of honor as well as business that they will be sought by the best lawyers in the state.

As a step in this direction he has introduced in a bill in the house which proposes to increase the salaries of district judges from \$2,500 to \$3,500.

He thinks this will be an inducement to the best legal talent to accept this position, as a result of which there will be fewer resignations, fewer appeals and the present congested condition of the higher courts.

### JUVENILE COURTS FAVORED

Mr. Hancock of Dallas, the author of the juvenile court bill now pending in the house, is greatly encouraged over the prospect of its passage. This encouragement comes not only from members of the house who are in position to kill or pass it, but from the people of Texas as well.

Yesterday he received a letter from one of the best known district judges in the state saying that the women of his city had organized a juvenile court bill association which had for its purpose the promotion of legislation of this kind.

This gentleman states further he notes with pleasure the interest manifested in so many different quarters which strengthens the hope that the time is ripe for this reform in the judiciary system of Texas.

### PURCHASING AGENT OPPOSED

The state purchasing agent's department may not be doomed to death, decapitation and destruction by the present legislature, but there is no doubt but what members will train their guns and bombard it with this end in view.

# Imagination?

Offer all Stomach Sufferers a Full Dollar's Worth of My Remedy Free to Try

I can afford to offer a full dollar's worth free because mine is no ordinary remedy. Ordinary remedies relieve symptoms. My remedy treats the causes that produce the symptoms. Symptom treatment must be kept up forever—as long as the cause is there. My treatment may bring on dizziness soon as it has removed the cause, for that is always the end of trouble.

Stomach trouble is not really a sickness, but a symptom. It is a symptom that a certain set of nerves is ailing. Not the voluntary nerves that enable you to walk and talk and act—but the automatic stomach nerves over which your mind has no control.

I have not room here to explain how these tender nerves are treated and regulated. How worry breaks them down and causes indigestion. How misuse wears them out and causes dyspepsia. How nervousness may bring on dizziness, heart and other troubles through sympathy. I have not room to explain how these nerves may be strengthened and made well by a remedy I spent thirty years in perfecting—now known by Druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Restorative. I have not room to explain how this remedy, by removing the cause, puts a certain end to indigestion, belching, heartburn, insomnia, nervousness, dizziness, etc. All of these things are fully explained in the book I will send you when you write.

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### BURGLARS PERCE WALL OF STORE

#### Adopt Novel Method of Gaining an Entrance in Heart of the City

Burglars forced an entrance to the store of A. Robinson & Company at 111 North Houston street early Sunday morning by cutting a hole through the wall of the establishment.

The opening, one of generous size, was cut through the north side of the building immediately beneath one of the windows, without interruption, although the store stands on an elevated court house square. The burglars while working, however, were shielded from the light by the shadow of the building.

Ten revolvers, a large number of rings and a number of valuable watches were secured from the stock in the store.

City Detective Thomason is at work on the case which is a unique one in police annals of this city.

#### CITATION

The State of Texas, in the district court, Tarrant County, Texas, February term, A. D. 1905—vs 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 J. D. Snodgrass, 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 said Monday in February, A. D. 1905, the same being the 13th day of said month, then and there to answer the petition of R. Vickery as plaintiff, filed in said court on the 14th day of January, A. D. 1905, against J. D. Snodgrass as defendant, said suit being numbered 23658, the nature of which demand is as follows, to-wit: That on the 1st day of November, 1901, plaintiff conveyed to defendant, J. D. Snodgrass, part of blocks Nos. 54 and 55 of Glenwood addition to city of Fort Worth, Texas, being 64 feet north and south by 500 feet east and west out of the southwest corner of block No. 54, and a strip 1 1/2 by 500 feet off the north side of block No. 55, as part consideration for said conveyance said Snodgrass executed and delivered to plaintiff his certain promissory note for the sum of \$875, bearing 8 per cent interest, payable quarterly, payable in monthly installments of \$10 each beginning Dec. 1, 1901, said note being secured by a vendor's lien upon said above described premises. Said note also provided for 10 per cent additional if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection. That plaintiff has demanded the payment of said note, but the same remains due and unpaid, except the sum of \$120, that the balance due now is the sum of \$339.05, together with \$33.90 interest, and plaintiff prays for judgment for said amount and for foreclosure of its vendor's lien on said premises, and general and special relief.

Herein full 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 15th day of January, A. D. 1905.

JNO. A. MARTIN, Clerk District Court, Tarrant County, Texas. By M. H. HARDIN, Deputy.

# WHEN DEAD HANDS CLUTCH TENDER LOVE MESSAGES

DOUGLAS STORY WRITES OF THE HORRORS OF THE BATTLEFIELD AND THE WORK OF THE RUSSIAN RED CROSS—WONDERFUL SURGERY IS LEAVING FEW CRIPPLES



(Photographed by Douglas Story for the Newspaper Enterprise Association.) NO. 1—GATHERING THE WOUNDED ON A BATTLEFIELD. NO. 2—RUSSIAN HOSPITAL. TWO RED CROSS NURSES AND AN OFFICER. NO. 3—AMBULANCES ON THE WEARY ROAD TO THE HOSPITAL.

By Douglas Story (Copyright, 1905, by the Newspaper Enterprise Association.) MUKDEN, Manchuria, Dec. 29.—Until, I, too, had gone out to battle, it was a matter of surprise to me that old soldiers talked much of war, but little of the actuality of fighting. Their speech was all of the movement of troops, the massing of batteries, the tactical blunders of generals. Their most intimate conversations were but a formal recital, a talking-up of official reports.

It was not until I had stood in the awful Presence, had realized the pathos of arms and legs stiffened at impossible angles, the tragedy in the litter of a battlefield, in its torn letters, it fingered photographs, its scattered keepsakes, that I knew why the veteran shrouds his memory of the reality of war. Now that I know, I appreciate his silence.

It is in the little things one feels the awfulness of war, the sacrifice of battle. One is startled by the humanity of soldiers, by their talk of home, of their loves and affections. One does not associate the soldier with the husband and the father, with the lover hungering for his mistress over seas. And yet these are the things that impress one when the burial parties are ordered out. Everywhere there is a terrible insistence upon the man with the uniform. The

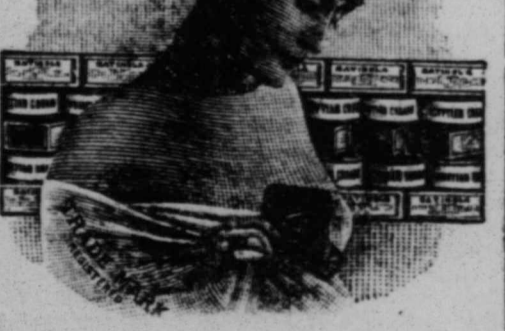
DEAD HANDS CLUTCH upon tender love messages, upon battered trinkets, upon the labored scrawls of infants sending their love to Daddy at the war.

THESE THINGS ARE NOT TOLD IN THE HISTORIES. THEY ARE THE REASONS VETERANS DO NOT SPEAK OF BATTLE AS THEY HAVE KNOWN IT.

The war between the Russians and the Japanese has produced as plentiful a crop of suffering as ever has done contest between nations. It takes much balm to soothe the hurts of 60,000 men wounded within a week, and that is the state of

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Mrs. Etta Brown writes:—St. Louis, Mo., June 30, 1904. "I have been using your Satinola, Egyptian Cream, Soap and Nading Face Powder and like them all very much. This is the first summer since childhood that I have been without freckles. I am 24 years old and have a better complexion now than when a girl."

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affairs the Red Cross workers have had to face in Manchuria. Very quietly, very helpfully, the doctors have gone about their duties in the field and in the advance hospitals. The Russian medical man is a quick and intrepid surgeon, a less certain physician. One old friend of mine, D. Boetz, a son of my own alma mater, is head of the Red Cross hospital at Mukden. Under his hands have passed the wounded from Chi-Lien-Cheng, Wafangho, the battles of the east and the battles of the south, Lao Yang and the awful struggles on the Shaho. He is a quiet man, chief surgeon of two hospitals in St. Petersburg, and his work, as I have seen it, is that of a master in his profession. It has been his pride

to excise joints and splice together splintered bones. It is matter for remark in Russia, that in a country constantly at war on one or other of its borders, one rarely sees a man lacking a limb. The reason is that many of the worst cases died where they fell. More recently, with the advance of science, the surgeons of the Russian army have endeavored to turn out men hale and able for their duties in life. It is the Russian surgeon's ambition to avoid the production of cripples.

In the days before the list of wounded became so heart-rendingly heavy, I walked with Dr. Boetz through the wards of his hospital and marveled at the skill of the surgery. In one pavilion lay some twenty wounded—all knees or elbow cases. Every one was doing well, and not one would sacrifice a limb to a wound which, a few short years ago, could only have been treated by amputation.

The Japanese bullet is so small, its initial velocity is so great, that it cuts its way through bone as though cheese. Men hold up a hand that has been shot through and for all signs of their suffering there is upon it merely a little red mark like the bite of a mosquito. In the war men have been SHOT THROUGH THE HEAD, THROUGH THE LUNGS, AND THROUGH THE ABDOMEN. WHO TODAY ARE FULFILLING THEIR REGIMENTAL DUTIES AS THOUGH THEY NEVER HAD COME IN CONTACT WITH A JAPANESE BULLET.

For recoveries of men shot through the abdomen much thanks is due to the emptiness of their stomachs at the time of engaging the enemy. An empty stomach is an inconvenience in time of battle, but a very present help when an enemy's bullet bursts its way through the viscera. The ugliest wounds in the war are those occasioned by splinters and by jagged fragments of shrapnel. These

TEAR THEIR WAY THROUGH the tissues and carry into the recesses of the body dirty rags of clothing and lumps of microbe-laden soil. Sabre cuts are clean wounds that need but attention and a needle to cure, unless arteries or great nerves have been injured.

The willing assistance of the surgeons are the Sisters of Charity—blue-eyed lassies from Finland and the Baltic states; magnificent black-haired women from the Caucasus; round and matronly bodies from Siberia. In the great hospitals, those which are the gifts of the empress and the grand duchesses, are ladies of the court, ladies of title, and the daughters of great landowners. Those ladies work as do the meanest peasant women from the steppes. The hand that binds a soldier's wounds may be the dainty hand of a countess from St. Petersburg, or the toil-worn hand of a convict's daughter from Irkutsk. The feeling that inspires has roused the woman's heart in both cases is the same.

Much has been alleged of the misappropriation of Russian Red Cross funds. I know nothing of that. It took place in the great cities, where men fatten on contracts and enrich themselves in the distribution of funds. WHEN THE WOUNDED ARE SCREAMING, AND STUTTERING LIPS ARE MUTTERING FAREWELLS, ONLY A FIEND COULD KEEP BACK THE HELP THAT IS NEEDED. SUCH FRIENDS ARE RARE IN WAR-TIME. I know only heroes among the surgeons, heroes among the Sisters of Charity. Their work is a monument that will live to the glory of the Red Cross.

# WOMAN SEEKING MISSING FATHER

Mrs. Ratigan Endeavors to Locate Parent Whom She Saw Last in 1849

Mrs. A. E. Ratigan of 419 Cleveland avenue is seeking to find her father, whom she has not seen since she was a little child.

She has written to the chief provost of Ottawa, Canada, asking his assistance in the search, as her father emigrated to Texas from that city. No reply has yet been received.

Mrs. Ratigan stated this morning that her father, Dr. Solomon Wood Jr., was raised in Ottawa and left there to come to Texas when a young man. In 1814 he married her mother, in Houston, where they lived together until 1849, when Dr. Wood went with a party of gold hunters to a gold field in New Mexico. Here he remained for twelve years, writing home to his wife and sending her means upon which to live.

DISAPPEARED DURING CIVIL WAR. When the civil war broke out, however, they heard no more from him and have not heard since. His wife died of a broken heart the following year, leaving Mrs. Ratigan an orphan at the age of 15 years.

Mrs. Ratigan says that she knows nothing of either her father's or mother's relatives, and that she is also anxious to find them. Her mother's name was Mary Lowery, her early home being in Maryland. Mrs. Ratigan is 57 years old, and her widow, her husband having died six years ago. She says she is very lonely.

Mrs. Ratigan made a similar effort a few years ago, when she wrote to the officials in New Mexico. She received no answer, however, to her inquiries.

# WEATHER

The cold wave which commenced on the night of Jan. 11, has spent itself after five days of cold, disagreeable weather, the cold snap being of longer duration than was experienced any time last year.

Following is a list of the temperatures for the five days of storm:

Days	Max.	Min.
Wednesday, Jan. 11	41	26
Thursday, Jan. 12	36	18
Friday, Jan. 13	26	12
Saturday, Jan. 14	21	13
Sunday, Jan. 15	32	11

On Sunday the temperature reached the lowest point and fell one degree below the coldest day of last year. Slowly rising temperature is announced.

# FORECAST

The forecast until 8 p. m. Thursday for Texas, east of the one hundredth meridian, issued at New Orleans, is as follows:

East Texas (North)—Tonight and Tuesday, increasing cloudiness; slowly rising temperature; probably rain in southwest portion and on west coast Tuesday.

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

The high pressure center is over the regions of the Cumberland mountains, with generally fair weather and temperatures 8 to 20 degrees below freezing. New Orleans and Jacksonville report killing frost, and Corpus Christi and heavy frost this morning. New Orleans had a minimum temperature of 28 degrees.

The Pacific coast is foul in weather, rain falling in California and Oregon. Snow is falling in North Montana and in New York state. The country is slowly warming, the lowest temperature is 12 degrees below zero in South Dakota.

Texas is clear, and temperatures vary from 18 degrees at Amarillo to 36 degrees at Galveston. The west portion of the state is warming, being above freezing at El Paso this morning.

# WEATHER RECORD

Following is the weather record for the last twenty-four hours—minimum and maximum temperatures, wind in miles per hour at 8 a. m. and rain in inches:

Stations	Temperature	Wind	Rain
Arlington	20 39	4	.00
Bismarck	6 14	4	.00
Chicago	8 14	22	.00
Cincinnati	34 40	10	.00
Corpus Christi	34 40	10	.00
Denver	24 42	4	.00
El Paso	30 48	4	.00
Fort Worth	11 32	4	.00
Galveston	35 49	10	.00
Kansas City	4 18	6	.00
Nashville	12 24	4	.00
New Orleans	25 40	8	.00
Oklahoma	14 22	10	.00
Palm Springs	22 36	4	.00
Pittsburg	12 29	15	.00
St. Paul	2 14	6	.00
San Antonio	21 42	4	.00
San Diego	56 68	4	.16

D. S. LANDIS, Official in Charge.

# GRIP COLDS

Laxative Bromo Quinine, the world wide Cold and Grip remedy, removes the cause. Call for the full name and look for signature of E. W. Grove, 25c.

# THE PILLS THAT CURE PARTIAL PARALYSIS

Mr. John Magann, 6 Chel-St., Boston, Mass., a well-known manufacturer, says: "I suffered a heavy stroke of paralysis two years ago. A second one followed, of still greater severity, and I could barely drag myself around. The necessary exertion caused me the most intense pain. Nothing gave me any relief until I tried

# Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People

After using six boxes of these pills I could walk with a cane and when I had taken eight boxes I was completely cured. No sufferer from any nervous trouble can afford to neglect this remedy.

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

stated that he hoped to have the Galveston station ready for operation by the first of February, and that a small station is now being erected in New Orleans.

"Our company is now sending messages between Kansas City and Cleveland, O., a distance of 725 miles. Recently we sent a very complex code message between Kansas City and Chicago, a distance of 400 miles," said Superintendent McPeak, who added that the 289 words were transmitted without an error.

Mr. McPeak also stated that he hoped to be able to send messages between Fort Worth and Kansas City in a short while.

It is the intention of the company to establish stations at all the important commercial centers in Texas, and in the south, for that matter, and this matter be the mission which has called Superintendent McPeak to Chicago.

The wireless company will cover the entire south within the next year or two, according to the statement recently made by Mr. McPeak.

Most of the company in getting into the south is to transmit market quotations.

The stations already established in this city and in Dallas are working very satisfactorily, and messages are being daily transmitted between the two cities. Before very long all the leading towns in Texas are to be connected with the system.

# PARK EXPERT COMING HERE

Mayor Powell Receives Offer of Gratuitous Service from American Civic Association

Mayor Powell is in receipt of a letter from Clinto Rogers Woodruff, first vice president of the American Civic Association, with headquarters at Philadelphia, to the effect that G. A. Parker, the vice president in charge of the park department, is shortly to visit Texas.

Mr. Woodruff speaks of Mr. Parker as a practical park manager and designer and thinks that he could accomplish much for a city that desires his services.

He is willing to come to the city without charge other than for his transportation from the city at which he was last. He will be in Mississippi, North and South Carolina and other southern cities the latter part of this month and the first part of February. He then proposes to come to Texas. After arriving in the city Mr. Parker will look over the ground and make suggestions in regard to city parks.

Mr. Parker is well known throughout the United States as a practical park man. He has visited over 1,200 of the parks and squares in the different cities of the United States. For twenty-five years he has been engaged in their construction or in similar work. As superintendent of Keney Park of Hartford, Conn., he has charge of one of the largest park enterprises in the country. He is honored in his own city as chairman of the city plan committee, by his state as park commissioner, by his associates in the American Association of Park Superintendents. He is chairman of the committee on park improvement and maintenance of the American Society of Municipal Improvements, and is the man who is most often consulted regarding the formation of park charters and the beginnings of park systems than any other man in the country. His services are always given without any compensation.

# STATE MISSIONARY HERE

R. W. Dowell, state missionary for the American Sunday School Association, spoke at the Cannon Avenue Cumberland Presbyterian church Sunday. After his talk "The Negro and His Rags." Plans of the association he serves. These plans met with hearty approval. A number of people signed the pledge to help in this work.

# TO ISSUE DIRECTORY

At the Taylor Street Cumberland Presbyterian church Sunday the pastor, Rev. J. W. Caldwell, called the roll, which showed two hundred members getting into a church directory for his congregation. This directory is now in the hands of the publisher and will be ready for use at an early date.

American railways handle about \$12,000,000 worth of grain a year.

# LEE BIRTHDAY PLANS MADE

Presentation of Emblems to Daughters of Confederacy Will Occur on That Day

There were few veterans present Sunday afternoon when Commander E. W. Taylor called Lee camp, United Confederate Veterans, to order. United Confederate Veterans, to order. United Confederate Veterans, to order. United Confederate Veterans, to order.

W. T. Shaw was appointed to present to Mrs. Jourdan a pin emblematic of the order of which she is the head, the Daughters of the Confederacy. The presentation will occur Thursday, Jan. 19. On the same occasion a similar pin will be presented to Mrs. C. H. Higbee, Duke Goodman was named to present the token to Mrs. Higbee.

Historian C. C. Cummings called attention to the fact that at the meeting of the camp on Jan. 19 the regular bestowal of crosses of honor will take place, and that not those members entitled to crosses who are present will receive them.

It was announced the Daughters of the Confederacy will give fifty members of Lee camp a supper on the night of Jan. 12. All but fifteen of the invitations have been delivered. Those members who are present will receive them.

A map of the battle of Sharpsburg, Md., painted by the war department, was presented to the camp by Major Van Zandt, together with the letter from the department with reference to any errors that might occur in the arrangement of the atlas, which is in fifteen sections and the adjutant was instructed to write a letter thanking the war department for the map.

The quarterly report of Quartermaster George Jackson was received and ordered filed.

The report of the committee on revision of the construction was read by Historian Cummings.

Application for membership by E. J. Parrent was reported favorably by the committee. He was a private in company D, First Texas regiment, state troops, and enlisted May 19, 1861. Spencer Graham presented an application for membership. He was a private in company G, Eighteenth cavalry, Wilson's brigade, and joined the army February, 1862. The application was referred to the membership committee and also reported favorably.

A list of these, not including all veterans who have died here, but only those directly identified with the camp, is as follows: John C. Anglin, W. H. Askew, Thomas B. Anderson, Joe Braunton, C. A. Butts, J. H. Bussey, D. L. Bankenship, John Carter, John W. Clark, J. T. Clements, M. C. Carville, S. J. Darcey, Henry Dennis, W. T. Ellis, J. B. Conking, J. T. Burt, J. L. Hancock, T. M. Forbes, S. P. Greene, J. C. Fincher, William Gerhold, S. Goodrich, Sam Evans, Felix Udice, Joseph Johnson, W. A. Standifer, William Kyle, J. M. Lyster, N. S. Lancy, J. W. Melton, D. H. Malone, A. W. Scott, J. C. Nichols, W. A. Maddox, W. H. Paxton, J. D. Parker, B. F. Patrick, W. C. Prince, W. J. Parrish, John Rattican, J. J. Rogers, W. L. Robinson, J. M. Sharp, W. M. Ragland, J. P. Robinson, C. A. Daniel, John D. Hocksett, E. G. Ferrant, J. C. Winter, George C. Ward, J. P. Smith, James Carlin, P. A. Groves, John P. Alford, Dr. Eugene Farmer, W. D. L. F. Craig and A. W. Huffman.

# THE MAN ABOUT TOWN

"We have troubles of our own this cold weather," said Secretary Calhoun of the city waterworks, when the man with the nose for news and the eye to the main chance, dropped into his office.

"Wa a shuntine and be enlightened," he continued, as he answered the phone.

"Hello! Is that the waterworks office? My water pipes are all 'busted' and frozen and I can't get a drop of water; I wish you would send a man over to fix it right away," came over the wire.

"Madam, we are not running a plumbing establishment here; we can't do anything for you," was the reply.

"Well; you put the pipes in and if you shouldn't fix them I'd like to know who should," said the man.

Secretary Calhoun hung up the receiver with a sigh. "That's just the way it has been going on all through the cold weather," he said, "and it's always a woman. If it weren't the men who ring up, I could cut them off quick, but it is invariably a woman."

Pipes all over the city have frozen and cracked on account of the cold weather and the plumbers will be kept busy until the thermometer runs up the tube about fifteen or twenty degrees.

Sheriff Honea's "information bureau" has found a rival in the weather bureau. D. S. Landis, the weather man, has received letters lately making some very peculiar requests. One communication from a neighboring town asks that the writer be supplied with the weather bureau with fifteen bushels of improved cotton seed.

Mr. C. Billings, who has been in Mexico since the first of last October, has returned to Fort Worth. He is associated with Dr. J. J. Lawrence also of this city and J. W. Tyler of Kansas City in orange growing in the republic. It is their orchard that produces the sweet Washington navels shipped to this market.

He reports that their crop was very good this year and most of it was shipped to this city, though one car went to Denver and small shipments were made to El Paso and the City of Mexico.

He visited the Brownsville country before returning to Fort Worth, and reports all irrigated crops doing exceptionally well. Many people are there prospecting with a view of investment. He says that section of the coast country is rapidly being developed and towns are springing up along the railroads recently projected into that section of the state.

"We have a fine season in the ground, with a strong probability of a first-class small grain crop," said W. H. Childson, a prominent cattle and oil man of Henrietta, who is in the city.

"This spell of weather is a little off on cattle, but they have not been hurt in the least. We have plenty of fine grass and other feed in our part of the state and the cattle are in the best possible condition."

# Queen Bess Whiskey

4 FULL QUARTS \$3.45 WE PAY THE EXPRESS



Send us \$3.45 and we will send you 4 full quarts whiskey, surpassing anything you ever had in age, purity and flavor. Express charges paid to your city.

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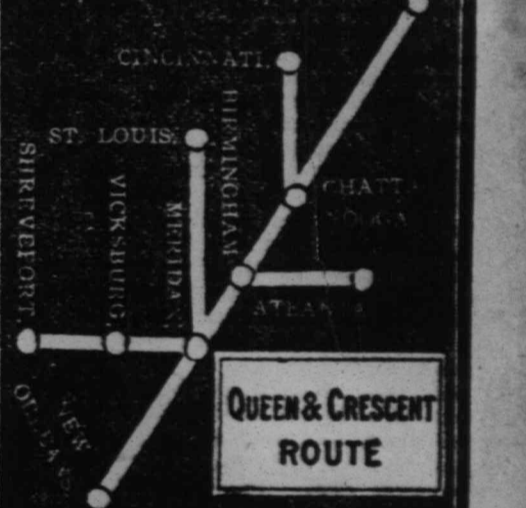
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TO TAYLOR AND RETURN, account Central Texas Gun Club Shoot.

Tickets on sale January 17 and 18; final limit for return, January 21.

T. T. McDONALD, City Ticket Agent.



Quickest Route to the East Pullman Sleepers Dining Cars

T. M. HUNT, T. P. A. C. F. WOODS, T. P. A.

I had occasion to compile some statistics for the government recently, showing that we have 127 wells now pumping and producing on an average of 1,300 barrels per day.

Mr. Childson is on his way to San Francisco. He will probably remain in California fifteen or twenty days.

Tom Rattan, one of the old residents in Fort Worth, said this morning that the present spell of cold weather is nothing in comparison with that during the years 1871-72-73, when the thermometer registered way below zero. "Chickens froze white on the roost and fell to the ground, while stray cats died in their tracks from the cold weather," said Mr. Rattan.

"We must remember the adage of Mark Twain, who once said that the weather of Texas was unbridled," when we have occasion to refer to the cold in Texas," he concluded.

Captain J. R. Doughty, who has been in the water works office quite a number of years, declares the present freeze did not do nearly so much harm as did the freeze in the fall of '93.

"That winter we could hardly breathe for phone messages. Every pipe within six inches of the ground was either cracked or frozen so that it was impossible to get any water. A large number of pipes were burst during this cold wave, but it cannot compare with that winter."

Live Stock

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes 'TODAY'S RECEIPTS' for cattle and hogs, and 'TOP PRICES TODAY' for various livestock types.

Receipts 5,000; market steady. Bees \$3.75 @ \$5.50, cows and heifers \$2.25 @ \$4.25, Texas and westerns \$2.50 @ \$4.50.

ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK. ST. LOUIS, Jan. 16.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,000, natives 2,000; market steady.

Hogs—Receipts 8,000; market lower. Pigs and lights \$3.75 @ \$4.40, packers \$4.65 @ \$4.55 @ \$4.65, lights \$4.35 @ \$4.55, bulk \$4.50 @ \$4.65, pigs \$3.50 @ \$4.10. Estimated receipts tomorrow, 12,000 head.

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COTTON RISES. MARKET STEADY. Few Backsets to Slowly Advancing Quotations—Liverpool Market Quiet

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COTTON FUTURES WERE BARELY STEADY. Following is the range in quotations: Saturday's market was quiet today. Prices and receipts were quoted as follows:

NEW YORK SPOTS. NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—The spot cotton market was quiet today. Prices and receipts were quoted as follows:

WHEAT DECLINES AFTER OPENING. Report of Heavier Stock in Kansas Than Expected Given as Cause

CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 16.—After opening slightly above Saturday's close and remaining strong during the early trading, wheat dropped this morning, noon quotations being \$1.16 1/2. Early trading set the price above \$1.17, a gradual decline marked by fluctuations then following.

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OREGON FAIR TO BE OPEN SUNDAY

Lewis and Clarke Exposition Stricken Unconscious on New Years' Day and Could Not Be Revived

Morgan J. Hawes, the 75-year-old son of L. L. Hawes, died this morning at 10:30 after lying in an unconscious condition since New Year's day.

His disease, which was made a special subject of investigation by the Fort Worth Medical Association and by the medical department of the University, was diagnosed as tubercular meningitis.

Funeral services will be held from the family residence, 1109 Sixth avenue, at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. Interment will be made in Oakwood cemetery.

His illness, as described in 'The Telegram' of Jan. 13, excited wide interest among members of the medical profession, humanitarian laws, etc.

PHILIPPINE SCOUTS HURT IN ACTION. WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—Lieutenant General Chaffee, chief of staff, today received a cable message from General Corbin, commanding the Philippines division at Manila, saying that he had received the following dispatch from Brigadier General Carter, commanding the department of Visayas, dated Tacloban, Jan. 14: "Lieutenant Avery, one of the Filipino scouts, and two native employees were wounded in an action at the Dolores river Jan. 14. Private Austin, a hospital corps member, was wounded and nine of the constabulary killed in action near Marikina, Samar, Jan. 18. Lieutenant Avery and Private Austin arrived here today."

The officer referred to in the foregoing dispatch is First Lieutenant Morton I. Avery of the Filipino scouts.

MISS JETTIE PATRICK of Cameron is in the city, the guest of Mrs. S. C. Tomlinson, 903 East Gulf street.

W. C. Rolley, the newly appointed agent for the Texas and Pacific at Midland, who succeeded Mr. Eldridge, who was transferred to El Paso as agent for the company at that point, is in Fort Worth today.

Miss Olive M. Blunt, a returned missionary from Japan, spoke at the St. Paul's M. E. church Sunday night on "My Own Experience as a Missionary in Japan."

At the residence of Mrs. L. P. Moore at First and Taylor streets this afternoon was extinguished before the arrival of the fire department.

Sam Johnson, constable, and Assistant Chief of Police John Cobble of Gainesville, Texas, were in town today on their way to Terrell, Texas, with two men to be placed in confinement in the insane asylum at that place.

On account of the absence of Chairman Ward the city charter amendment committee will not meet tonight as anticipated.

BURTON'S CASE REVERSED. WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—The case of Senator J. R. Burton was decided by the supreme court of the United States today, dismissing the writ of certiorari to the circuit court of appeals for the eighth circuit, and reversing the verdict of the district court for the eastern district of Missouri on the ground that the payments to Burton were made in Washington. The district court decision was therefore reversed and the case remanded for new trial.

ARMORE, I. T., Jan. 16.—Bill Raines, a farmer, living near here, drank six bottles of lemon extract, crazed by the effect of the mixture, he wandered away Friday and is still missing. Searching parties believe him dead.

WILL DANCE MINUET IN COLONIAL COSTUME. Dancing of the minuet in full colonial costume will be the feature of the colonial ball to be held Wednesday evening. This dance, which is given as its second number, the figures being presented by Misses Ray Saunders, Virgie Paddock, Kate Stripling and Frances Tarlton and Messrs. Walter Caldwell, R. L. Costan, Walter Stark and Walker.

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Morgan J. Hawes, the 75-year-old son of L. L. Hawes, died this morning at 10:30 after lying in an unconscious condition since New Year's day.

His disease, which was made a special subject of investigation by the Fort Worth Medical Association and by the medical department of the University, was diagnosed as tubercular meningitis.

Funeral services will be held from the family residence, 1109 Sixth avenue, at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. Interment will be made in Oakwood cemetery.

His illness, as described in 'The Telegram' of Jan. 13, excited wide interest among members of the medical profession, humanitarian laws, etc.

PHILIPPINE SCOUTS HURT IN ACTION. WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—Lieutenant General Chaffee, chief of staff, today received a cable message from General Corbin, commanding the Philippines division at Manila, saying that he had received the following dispatch from Brigadier General Carter, commanding the department of Visayas, dated Tacloban, Jan. 14: "Lieutenant Avery, one of the Filipino scouts, and two native employees were wounded in an action at the Dolores river Jan. 14. Private Austin, a hospital corps member, was wounded and nine of the constabulary killed in action near Marikina, Samar, Jan. 18. Lieutenant Avery and Private Austin arrived here today."

The officer referred to in the foregoing dispatch is First Lieutenant Morton I. Avery of the Filipino scouts.

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W. C. Rolley, the newly appointed agent for the Texas and Pacific at Midland, who succeeded Mr. Eldridge, who was transferred to El Paso as agent for the company at that point, is in Fort Worth today.

Miss Olive M. Blunt, a returned missionary from Japan, spoke at the St. Paul's M. E. church Sunday night on "My Own Experience as a Missionary in Japan."

At the residence of Mrs. L. P. Moore at First and Taylor streets this afternoon was extinguished before the arrival of the fire department.

Sam Johnson, constable, and Assistant Chief of Police John Cobble of Gainesville, Texas, were in town today on their way to Terrell, Texas, with two men to be placed in confinement in the insane asylum at that place.

On account of the absence of Chairman Ward the city charter amendment committee will not meet tonight as anticipated.

BURTON'S CASE REVERSED. WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—The case of Senator J. R. Burton was decided by the supreme court of the United States today, dismissing the writ of certiorari to the circuit court of appeals for the eighth circuit, and reversing the verdict of the district court for the eastern district of Missouri on the ground that the payments to Burton were made in Washington. The district court decision was therefore reversed and the case remanded for new trial.

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"There is no more polygamous or unlawful cohabitation in Utah than there is in New York or the District of Columbia," he added.

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WORK THAT HAS BEEN DONE

There was a meeting of the cattlemen's interstate executive committee at Denver last week, which was well attended. It will be remembered that this organization was perfected at Denver last May, in response to invitations sent out for a general conference by President Turney of the Cattle Raisers' association of Texas and the organization is in reality a national combination of cattlemen. The fact that necessarily arose for its organization has constituted a serious reflection on the National Live Stock association, as it was compelled to take up work that should have been done within that organization had it paid the proper attention to the demands of the situation from the standpoint of the cattlemen. While the organization is yet young, it has already accomplished a great work for the cattlemen. It has secured a marked reduction in live stock freight rates and has compelled the railroads of the country to give cattle shippers better service. It has stirred up a general awakening all along the line in live stock circles, and much of the interest that is now being manifested in the movement to amend the interstate commerce law is directly attributable to its efforts.

At the Denver meeting last week it was unanimously determined to keep up the organization as originally planned, and to send a strong delegation to Washington to work for the passage of the proposed amendment to the interstate commerce law.

Murdo Mackenzie asserted that the committee had secured reductions in live stock rates since its organization sufficient in the aggregate to save live stock growers between \$50,000 and \$75,000. He cited as an instance a reduction of 3/4 cents between Cheyenne and Omaha.

John M. Boardman of Montana said that as a result of the Chicago conference last January, St. Paul-Chicago runs had been reduced to twenty hours from twenty-four to thirty hours. He declared, however, that in Montana the tonnage system was still enforced, railroads declining to move shipments of fifteen cars or less, holding them until a train load of engine capacity had been secured and causing heavy loss by shrinkage. He also denounced arbitrary routing between St. Paul and Chicago, but said that as a result of the efforts of the committee the 1904 service had been much better than that of 1903.

Judge S. H. Cowan declared that live stock shippers owed a duty to the public that could only be discharged by prosecuting claims for damages on account of delays in transit. Only by this policy could the desired service be obtained. In the investigation before the interstate commerce commission railroads had claimed to load live stock trains twenty to twenty-five per cent below tonnage capacity and to run them at eighteen to twenty miles an hour and as compensation taxed this traffic higher rates than dead freight. Officials of the Union Pacific had stated that live stock was charged for a twenty mile an hour speed and to this shippers were entitled. If they did not secure it they must pursue the damage claims. By adhering to this policy railroads would ultimately be forced to give improved service. In Montana and on northwestern roads generally, he asserted that damage claims had been much lighter recently, a fact due to improvement in equipment.

By natural limitation the existence of this committee, which is practically a national cattlemen's organization, will expire May 1, next, but it has been decided to carry on the work with renewed energy. To this end each state will be asked to contribute. About \$6,000 will be needed up to May 1. The work of the past nine months has been replete with results. It has demonstrated that railroad managers contemplate a further advance in the stock rates as soon as they can reach an agreement. That a remedy is needed for existing evils and also measures for prevention in the future. That railroad managers have only flimsy excuses to offer for advancing rates and at the same time increasing service. That extraordinary measures are needed to secure remedial legislation now that public sentiment has been aroused.

Members of the committee are not worrying about the so-called "beef trust." They have offered their assistance to the department of agriculture, but are satisfied with the scope of the work as it is now being carried on and are convinced that if the existence of a trust is proved remedial legislation will be assured.

The problem now before those who are

conducting this propaganda is to raise the funds necessary to carry it on. So far a few men have borne the brunt of the expense. Sam Cowan says he has gone to Washington repeatedly at his own expense, in this work, and presumably others are doing the same. The success of this committee shows what can be done by effective organization and well planned work. If maximum benefits are to accrue the cattlemen must supply the necessary financial ammunition.

It is gratifying to note that the money necessary to keep up the work of this great organization has been promised, and the cattlemen of the country clearly appreciate the necessity of keeping it in existence. Its work has not been near finished and there yet remains much to be done. President W. W. Turney of the Cattle Raisers' association of Texas should be kept at the head of it, for he has an intimate knowledge of the work in hand and can keep it going without any delay.

Cattlemen all over the country should take the necessary steps to ascertain what additional money, if any, is necessary, and furnish it promptly. It is a situation where a few should not be permitted to carry on the fight for the benefit of the many, but the burdens of the situation should be so distributed as to be onerous on none. It is true that cattlemen generally feel that they have no money to throw at the birds at this time, but in this instance they are spending their coin wisely and well, from the fact that it is being used in the protection of their interests.

While other Texas cities and towns are having trouble over their water supply, citizens of Fort Worth are drinking the purest and best that the bosom of old mother earth affords, and the supply is equal to every demand. Fort Worth has the finest water system and the purest and best water of any town or city in the southwest.

It took General Nogi eleven months to capture Port Arthur, but he finally made a good job of it. The moral involved in the matter is that the fellow who hangs and rattles with a proposition usually comes out winner in the end.

The man who invented the gold brick died a few days ago, but according to popular belief people who buy gold bricks are born every minute, and there will always be sellers enough to answer the popular demand.

There is not much being said concerning land legislation at Austin, but that is no sign that there is not a hen on. Some step that will result in the abrogation of land rushes is an imperative public necessity.

The action of the ministers of the city in deciding to make the Woman's Rescue Home interdenominational is to be commended. This is a work in which all the Christian elements of this city may engage with becoming propriety.

The whisky trust has declared war on the independent concerns and is making the lowest prices on record for its finished product. The reduction in price will be of no benefit to toppers who live in local option communities, however.

Japan announces that she now proposes to push the war with Russia with greater vigor than ever before, and if she sticks to that resolution she will soon have the enemy pushed back beyond the lines of his own frontier.

Senator Tillman of South Carolina says the farmers who burn their cotton are idiots, as the market is certain to adjust itself in time, and it is quite probable that the senator is correct in both his conclusions.

The people of Fort Worth are disposed to give liberally to the Lord, as well as to all public enterprises. This fact is amply attested by the new \$50,000 Methodist church that is to be built in this city.

That reported snow in the Panhandle, which is expected to be of great benefit to the wheat crop, causes much rejoicing. The things that help the Panhandle also inure to the benefit of Fort Worth.

If the present rules governing corporation court bonds are defective they should be properly remedied, and in the proposed amendment of the city charter, this important matter should not be overlooked.

Cattlemen and sheepmen are reported to be standing side by side in the national association meeting at Denver this week, but it is noticeable that no mention is made of the fact that they are leaning on each other.

Aiva Adams has been inaugurated as governor of the state of Colorado, and Peabody can now proceed to deport himself from the state if he is not pleased with the result.

President Roosevelt is showing a disposition to lead congress very kindly and gently to the trough where he expects its members to drink deeply of the waters of tariff revision.

Senator Smoot of Utah now has the floor at Washington, and is proving to that investigating committee that he is the cleanest Mormon who ever came down the pike.

That Galveston man who attempted to butt a registering machine and was killed instantly butted into one proposition where fate held the winning card.

One of the burning questions over in North Fort Worth at this time is whether or not Rosen Heights is going to be good and stand high.

The cattlemen of Texas will be with us again in March, and we must not forget that they are to be suitably entertained.

Cleanings From the Exchanges

The Texas newspapers that were for Parker because they knew he could win are already talking about other ways to win. How little they have learned from the late cataclysm. Happily for the country, the man whose only thought is of winning is a thousand meters below the general level of American politics. When the democratic national organization again comes under control of men who will preach righteousness instead of victory it will have a chance to win. The people of the whole country have wisely learned to fear the politician who is out for success more than they fear any other pest which afflicts the land.—Dallas Lantern.

Those Texas newspapers which sprung Parker on the unsuspecting public as a dead sure thing are no longer prophets with honor in their respective communities. The best thing they can possibly do is to now look wise and say nothing, for there is nothing more to be said.

Texas says that the man who does not pay his poll tax should be disfranchised. In other words, you are classed with the insane, the convicts, and others of like stripe, if you do not pay this tax. That, it seems, should put up the amount demanded. Remember, you have but a short time to act in this matter.—Terrell Transcript.

No sane man wants to be placed in the same category with the men Texas will not allow to vote under any circumstances. When he gives the proper thought to the situation he will march up like a man and pay his poll tax.

The Fort Worth Telegram's staff correspondent has not yet been able to get a resolution introduced requiring all members of the legislature to answer roll call by holding up their railroad passes.—Brownwood Bulletin.

Such a resolution would result in an immediate adjournment. Hon. Curtis Hancock would be the only member left in the hall and he would be "present but not voting."

That Santa Anna man who returned a railway ticket to the local Santa Fe office that had been issued him in excess of the number purchased, may be regarded as a freak, but in reality he is only an honest man. The man who will beat a railway company out of what is justly his own, would take the same advantage in any other favorable opportunity that might present itself.—Fort Worth Telegram.

And yet we have known preachers to travel over the railroads as associate editors of newspapers with which they had no more active connection than they will ever have with Abraham unless they reform their ways.—Brownwood Bulletin.

As preachers are given a low rate in the purchase of tickets, there is less occasion for beating the railroads on their part than in any other profession. But the preachers were not altogether to blame in the premises. The newspapers permitting them to do this were the most active parties to the fraud. The right kind of newspapers respect the terms of the contracts they make with the railroads.

A state should never think of such a thing as taxing enterprise and industry in such a way as to discourage investment and hinder material development. There may be ex-carriage statesmen, proposing such unwelcome policies, but there should always be enough of the broad-gauged, fair-minded, progressive citizens to make the others ashamed of themselves.—San Antonio Express.

The doctrine of corporation ennoblement and domination has been so assiduously dinned into the ears of Texas people that many of them cannot realize the fact that there are many corporations which play an important part in the domestic economy of the state. All corporations are placed in the same category by the ultra, and they would welcome any form of legislation calculated to retire them altogether from business. But fortunately for Texas as a whole, these people represent a very decided minority.

It is no secret about the capital that at least one member of the present legislature made his campaign and was elected upon the personal platform that, if chosen, he would introduce and advocate a bill placing the support of the negro schools of Texas upon the taxes collected from negroes of the state.—Austin Statesman.

Such a bill may be introduced, in fact it has already been sprung in the state legislature, but it will never become a state law. Texas is not built on such niggardly principles, but will continue to provide for negro education as she has done in the past.

The blind chaplain of the house of representatives succeeded in landing again. This was right. If there is any position a blind man is capable of filling as well as a man with two good eyes it is evidently that of chaplain of the legislature. His being blind is really an advantage to him. He is not hampered in his petitions by things he has seen the members do and so can perhaps pray more fervently by being so situated.—Athens Review.

It is those members who are themselves spiritually blind, who are in need of the services of a prayer maker. The blind chaplain cannot see their evil deeds, but he knows enough of human nature to be able to correctly size up the situation.

How can the legislature renew its attack on the Southern Pacific? Surely, they would not thus deliberately give offense to a trusted lieutenant of that great corporation, who is also democratic executive chairman of Texas.—Belton Journal-Reporter.

NEW YORK'S NEW COMEDY A SUCCESS

George Bernard Shaw Has Pleas'd Gothamites With "You Never Can Tell." Clara Bloodgood, After Brief Starring Tour, Is Back In "The Climbers"



CLARA BLOODGOOD.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—George Bernard Shaw, attempting to do nothing more than amuse, has thoroughly succeeded with New Yorkers in "You Never Can Tell." Arnold Daly and a clever company are giving the play at the Garrick theater. It is a farce, as witty and bright as one could wish. From the unusual opening scene, with its dentist's chair and operating room, until the last, which ends with a fete at a watering place hotel, the play is one of brilliant wit.

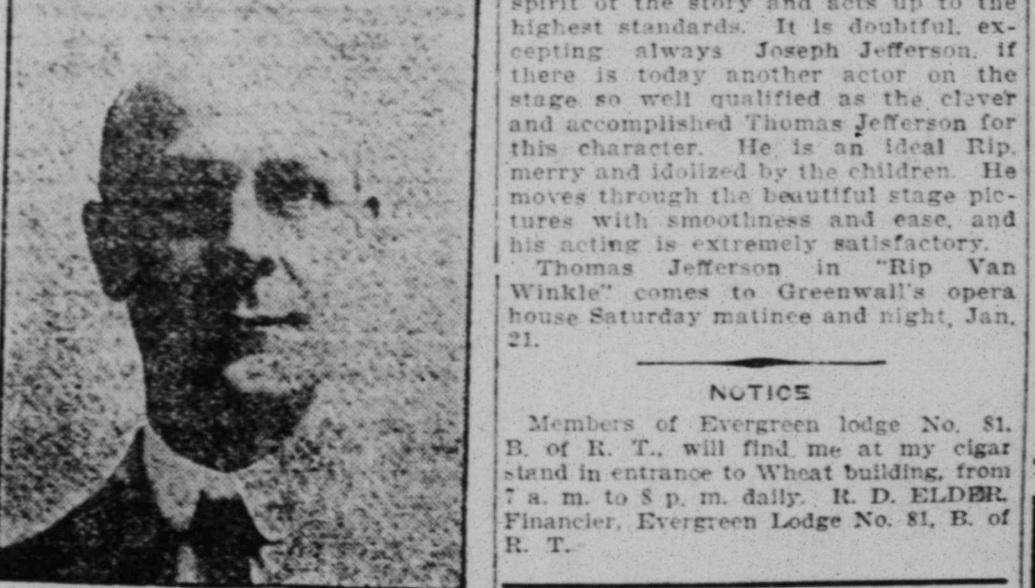
DRAMATIC

"A FRIEND OF THE FAMILY" Adapted for the English stage by Ralph M. Skinner and Frank Tannehill Jr. from the German of Robert Pohl. "A Friend of the Family" comes to Greenwall's opera house tonight.

It has been said that the days of the farce as a theatrical favorite are ended, but the reception given "A Friend of the Family" everywhere is a positive refutation of this idea. The production is said to be clever in its entirety, the wit real, the situations unique and surprising and the ideas new. The plot revolves around a widow who met and married her husband in Japan and who comes to America after his death to meet her step-children and secure a statement of his estate, incidentally finding a former lover as the husband of her husband's daughter. With the widow comes a volatile French count, madly in love with her and insanely jealous. The widow, to repay her former lover for his desertion, arouses the jealousy and anger of his wife and a maiden aunt, and the ensuing situations are comical in the extreme. The entire cast is said to be capable.

"THE BILLIONAIRE" The announcement of the appearance of a Klaw & Erlanger production is enough to excite public attention, as it always means a magnificent production. A Klaw & Erlanger production of a Harry B. Smith musical comedy adds to the interest, and this is what is announced for Tuesday matinee and night, Jan. 17, at Greenwall's opera house.

"The Billionaire" is the title of the organization with Thomas Q. Seabrooke



THOMAS Q. SEABROOKE IN "THE BILLIONAIRE."

at its head, and will introduce such well known favorites as Diamond Donner, Josie Intropidi, Helen Dexter, Lois Ewell, Vesta Stanton, Helen Carpenter, Ethel Intropidi, Beattie Kinella, Pauline Harrice, Harry Macdonough, Tony Hart, Walter Percival, A Seymour Brown, Frederick Scott, John Stepping, Charles Halton, James Grant and Abraham Friedland.

A GENUINE BOOK PLAY SUCCESS "Quincy Adams Sawyer" the dramatization of Charles Felton Pidgin's famous New England novel of the same name, is one of the very few notable instances where book plays have been successful.

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At the request of the Texas Swine Breeders' Association the premiums on registered breeding hogs offered by the fat stock show committee, were withdrawn at a meeting held last night, and the money placed in prizes for fat hogs instead.

The committee accepted the proposed change and will duplicate the amounts offered, as follows:

M. M. Offutt of Cleburne, Texas, \$10 cash for best registered Poland-China barrow under 12 months.

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## GOOD ROADS MOVEMENT

Has Not Yet Struck Tarrant County, Says Judge Milam

The good roads movement which has been inaugurated by the National Good Roads' Association, and which is to be extended all over the south and southwest by representatives of the association, has not struck Tarrant county as yet, according to a statement made this morning by County Judge Milam, who stated to a Telegram reporter that he had heard nothing from those who are in charge of the matter.

However, the judge stated, that some time ago he was advised that such an attempt was to be made here, but since then nothing has been done in regard to the movement here.

"I would be glad to have a meeting of this character held in this country," said Judge Milam, "and we will take great interest in such a matter should there be an effort made to show farmers the methods employed in prosecuting the good roads movement," he said, in concluding his remarks about the matter.

It is understood that the president of the Good Roads' Association is now due to reach Texas and that meetings are to be held at several important places south of Fort Worth. Whether one will be called in this county is not known, at least to the county judge.

## TORMENTING RHEUMATISM

Columbus, Ohio, May 20, 1903.

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## Conal and Donal and Taig

By SEUMAS MACMANUS

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ONCE there were three brothers, named Conal, Donal and Taig, and they fell out regarding which of them owned a field of land. One of them had as good a claim to it as the other, and the claims of all of them were so equal that none of the judges ever they went before could decide in favor of one more than the other.

At length they went to one judge who was very wise indeed and had a great name, and every one of them stated his case to him.

He sat on the bench and heard Conal's case and Donal's case and Taig's case all through with very great patience.

When the three of them had finished he said he would take a day and a night to think it all over, and on the day after when they were all called into court again the judge said that he had weighed the evidence on all sides with all the deliberation it was possible to give it, and he decided that one of them hadn't the shadow of a shade of a claim more than the other, so that he found himself facing the greatest puzzle he had ever faced in his life.

"But," says he, "no puzzle puzzles me long. I'll very soon decide which of you will get the field. You seem to me to be three pretty lazy looking fellows, and I'll give the field to whichever of the three of you is the laziest."

"Well, at that rate," says Conal, "it's me gets the field, for I'm the laziest man of the lot."

"How lazy are you?" says the judge.

"Well," says Conal, "if I was lying in the middle of the road and there was a regiment of troopers coming galloping down it, I'd sooner let them ride over me than take the bother of getting up and going to the one side."

"Well, well," says the judge, says he, "you are a lazy man surely, and I doubt if Donal or Taig can be as lazy as that."

"Oh, faith," says Donal, "I'm just every bit as lazy."

"Are you?" says the judge. "How lazy are you?"

"Well," says Donal, "if I was sitting right close to a big fire and you piled on it all the turf in a town land and all the wood in a barony, sooner than have to move I'd sit there till the boiling marrow would run out of my bones."

"Well," says the judge, "you're a pretty lazy man, Donal, and I doubt if Taig is as lazy as either of you."

"Indeed, then," says Taig, "I'm every bit as lazy."

"How can that be?" says the judge.

"Well," says Taig, "if I was lying on the broad of my back in the middle of the floor and looking up at the rafters, and if soot drops were falling as thick as hailstones from the rafters into my open eye, I would let them drop there for the length of the lee-long day sooner than have the bother of closing the eye."

"Well," says the judge, "that's very wonderful entirely," and says he, "I'm in as great a quandary as before, for I see you're the three laziest men that ever were known since the world began, and which of you is the laziest it certainly beats me to say."

"Oh, I'll tell you what I'll do," says the judge. "I'll give the field to the oldest man of you."

"Then," says Conal, "it's me gets the field."

"How is that?" says the judge. "How old are you?"

"Well, I'm that old," says Conal, "that when I was twenty-one years of age I got a shipload of awls and never lost nor broke one of them. I wore out the last of them yesterday mending my shoes."

"Well, well," says the judge, says he, "you're surely an old man, and I doubt very much that Donal and Taig can touch up to you."

"Can't I," says Donal. "Take care of that."

"Why," said the judge, "how old are you?"

"When I was twenty-one years of age," says Donal, "I got a shipload of needles, and yesterday I wore out the last of them mending my clothes."

"Well, well, well," says the judge, says he, "you're two very, very old men to be sure, and I'm afraid poor Taig is out of his chance anyhow."

"Take care of that," says Taig.

"Why," said the judge, "how old are you, Taig?"

Says Taig, "When I was twenty-one years of age I got a shipload of razors, and yesterday I had the last of them worn to a stump shaving myself."

"Well," says the judge, says he, "I've often heard tell of old men," he says, "but anything as old as what you three are never was known since Methusalem's cat died. The like of your ages," he says, "I never heard tell of, and which of you is the oldest that surely beats me to decide, and I am in a quandary again."

"But I'll tell you what I'll do," says

the judge, says he, "I'll give the field to whichever of you minds (remember) the longest."

"Well, if that's it," says Conal, "it's me gets the field, for I mind the time when if a man tramped on a cat he usn't to give it a kick to console it."

"Well, well, well," says the judge, "that must be a long mind entirely, and I'm afraid, Conal, you have the field."

"Not so quick," says Donal, says he, "for I mind the time when a woman wouldn't speak an ill word of her best friend."

"Well, well, well," says the judge, "your memory, Donal, must certainly be a very wonderful one if you can mind that time."

"Taig," said the judge, says he, "I'm afraid your memory can't compare with Conal's and Donal's."

"Can't it?" says Taig, says he. "Take care of that, for I mind the time when you wouldn't find nine liars in a crowd of ten men."

"Oh, oh, oh," says the judge, says he, "that memory of yours, Taig, must be a wonderful one." Says he, "Such memories as you three men have were never known before, and which of you has the greatest memory beats me to say."

"But I'll tell you what I'll do, now," says he. "I'll give the field to whichever of you has the keenest sight."

"Then," says Conal, says he, "it's me gets the field, because," says he, "if



"I'm afraid your memory can't compare with Conal's and Donal's."

there was a fly perched on the top of your mountain, ten miles away, I could tell you every time he blinks."

"You have wonderful sight, Conal," says the judge, says he, "and I'm afraid you've got the field."

"Take care," says Donal, says he, "but I've got as good, for I could tell you whether it was a note in his eye that made him blink or not."

"Ah, ha, ha," says the judge, says he, "this is wonderful sight surely, Taig," says he, "I pity you, for you have no chance for the field now."

"Have I not?" says Taig. "I could tell you from here whether that fly was in good health or not by counting his heart beats."

"Well, well, well," says the judge, says he, "I'm in as great a quandary as ever. You are three of the most wonderful men that ever I met, and no mistake."

"But I'll tell you what I'll do," says he. "I'll give the field to the supplest man of you."

"Thank you," says Conal. "Then the field is mine."

"Why so?" says the judge.

"Because," says Conal, says he, "if you filled that field with hares and put a dog into the middle of them and then tied one of my legs up my back I would not let one of the hares get out."

"Then, Conal," says the judge, says he, "I think the field is yours."

"By the leave of your judgeship, not yet," says Donal.

"Why, Donal," says the judge, says he, "surely you are not as supple as that?"

"Am not I?" says Donal. "Do you see that old castle over there without door or window or roof in it and the wind blowing in and out through it like an iron gate?"

"I do," says the judge. "What about that?"

"Well," says Donal, says he, "if on the stormiest day of the year you had that castle filled with feathers I would not let a feather be lost or go ten yards from the castle until I would have caught and put it in again."

"Well, surely," says the judge, says he, "you are a supple man, Donal, and no mistake."

"Taig," says he, "there's no chance for you now."

"Don't be too sure," says Taig, says he.

"Why," says the judge, "you couldn't surely do anything to equal them things, Taig?"

Says Taig, says he, "I can shoe the swiftest race horse in the land when he is galloping at his topmost speed by driving a nail every time he lifts his foot."

"Well, well, well," says the judge, says he, "surely you are the three most wonderful men that ever I did meet. The likes of you never were known before, and I suppose the likes of you will never be on the earth again."

"There is only one other trial," says he, "and if this doesn't decide I'll have to give it up. I'll give the field," says he, "to the cleverest man amongst you."

"Why? Are you that clever, Conal?" says the judge, says he.

"I am that clever," says Conal, "I am that clever that I would make a skin fit suit of clothes for a man without any more measurement than to tell me the color of his hair."

"Then, boys," says the judge, says he, "I think the case is decided."

"Not so quick, my friend," says Donal, "not so quick."

"Why, Donal," says the judge, says he, "you are surely not cleverer than that?"

"Am not I?" says Donal.

"Why," says the judge, says he, "what can you do, Donal?"

"Why," says Donal, says he, "I would make a skin fit suit for a man and give me no more measurement than let me hear him cough."

"Well, well, well," says the judge, says he, "the cleverness of you two boys beats all I ever heard of."

"Taig," says he, "poor Taig, whatever chance either of them two may have for the field, I'm very, very sorry for you, for you have no chance."

"Don't be so very sure of that," says Taig, says he.

"Why," says the judge, says he, "surely, Taig, you can't be as clever as either of them. How clever are you, Taig?"

"Well," says Taig, says he, "if I was a judge and too stupid to decide a case that came up before me I'd be that clever that I'd look wise and give some decision."

"Taig," says the judge, says he, "I've gone into this case and deliberated on it, and by all the laws of right and justice I find and decide that you get the field."

"The White Man's Burden."

He had won his Ethel after a protracted courtship, and now, although he was filled with a sense of delighted security, he thought it wise to ask one or two questions.

"I am sure you are not the sort of girl who would tell of domestic troubles before a man had eaten his dinner," he said, with confidence, but a rising infection.

"No, indeed," said Ethel.

"And when I seem a little ruffled or worried you'd be the very one to say soothing things. Now, wouldn't you?" proceeded Henry.

"Certainly I should," said Ethel, "and you'd like to do it, too, I know."

"Do what?" asked Henry, with a sudden fall to earth.

"The soothing and comforting and putting me in good humor when the cook had been called to her aunt's funeral for the third time and your business friends were coming to dinner," said Ethel gently.

"Ye-es, of course, I should try to," faltered Henry.

"And when you'd been bored at the office with your cousins from the country you'd never speak of it till dinner was all over, would you, dear Henry?" said the trusting Ethel. "I know the sort of man you are, who wants to carry his share of the burdens, don't I?"

"I-I hope you do," said Henry in a disheartened tone. "Let us speak of the new magazines, Ethel."

The Joke on Mark Twain.

One warm day in Hartford, Conn., Mark Twain on his way home from a long walk felt somewhat fatigued. Suddenly he sat down upon a carriage block to rest for a bit and began vigorously to fan himself with his hat.

There chanced to be in his immediate neighborhood at the moment the author of "Innocents Abroad" seated himself a street piano man, who soon struck up a lively tune.

An elderly lady passing the two evidently jumped to the conclusion that the author was the assistant of the musician, for she stopped and dropped a coin in the hat Mr. Twain had in hand.

Whereupon the humorist arose and, bowing most politely, gave expression in stately phrase to his thanks. Then it began to dawn upon the lady that she made a mistake. She stepped back, and an expression of uneasiness came to her countenance.

"Don't be frightened, madam," observed Mr. Clemens. "It's true the man doesn't attach a chain to me. Nevertheless, I'm quite well trained—quite—and, I assure you, entirely harmless."—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

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# CORBETT'S GOSSIP

## BRITTS METHODS DIAGNOSED

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I see a lot of unfavorable criticism in the newspapers these days about the recent fight between Jimmie Britt and Battling Nelson. The talk in the main comes from a class of people who were several thousands of miles from the scene of the battle. Nevertheless, they are more talkative than the ones who sat at the ring-side.

The criticism is chiefly on the ring methods of Jimmie Britt. These critics may be simply a biker and should not be classed as a fighter, despite the fact that he has stood up against and won the decision from every man he has met except Gans, and he lost to him on a foul.

It will be interesting to the readers of this column to know how Britt manages to get the long end of the purse every time.

There are two kinds of fighters. One is the man who stands up and takes two punches to land one.

The other is the man who likes to send the wallop as often as possible without receiving one in return.

In the old days of Sullivan, Kilrain, Mitchell and Jackson and even down to and during the days of McGovern, among the little fellows, the former class was in evidence and was always popular.

Today, however, you will find the latter class predominates. Britt is the leading exponent of this style. He goes into the ring always in the best possible condition. Long before, he has decided upon his plan of battle.

This is largely true of every other man in the business today, although many deny it. It is the result of ring evolution; the outcome of ring science.

Britt approaches his man cautiously. No telegrams are sent about his plans. He acts quickly. Before his opponent has prepared himself for the fast, quick blows he has received them and Britt is hanging on.

Britt, by doing so, is saving himself and making up in headwork what he lacks in strength, such as comes with years of labor in a blacksmith shop or a foundry.

This was particularly so in his fight with Nelson. King follows his claim and Britt concedes the advantage of Nelson in strength. This had to be offset in some manner and the style Britt adopted was the ideal one.

The result of his plans was that Britt landed two and probably three good punches, while Nelson, with his sleep-producing wallop hanging back, was waiting for his chance. The fight went on. Nelson was waiting. Britt landed five punches on the spot aimed at, while his opponent failed to deliver one.

At the conclusion of twenty rounds what was the referee to do? Give the fight to the man who have done nothing and was probably fresher because he had been taking beatings all his life, or to Britt, who had landed five good stiff punches to his opponent's one, and displayed excellent ring tactics and science?

I may be wrong, but if I were in the referee's place, I would give the fight to the man that rightfully won it on points, admitting, however, that had the fight gone on indefinitely, as in the old days, such a man as Nelson, providing he could

## CORBETT'S FIRST JOB AS REFEREE

The most peculiar incident I ever experienced in the ring was pulled off at the Metropole Club, at Providence, R. I., back in the early '90s. I had gone to that city to spar four rounds at a boxing show and when I arrived I found that I was expected to referee some other fights.

This was something new to me and I objected, but was compelled to do one stunt or return to New York without my end of the receipts.

Two greenhorn men were sent in for the wind-up. At the conclusion of the tenth round one man had the other so badly beaten that I was compelled to give him the decision to save a slaughter.

Instead of counting out the man, who was lying on the floor in a pool of his own blood, I took the other man's hand and held it up, declaring him the winner.

It was his first big victory and the shock of being pronounced the winner was more than he could stand, so he fainted.

The other fellow slowly crawled to his feet to continue the fight. He saw his opponent lying on the floor like a dead man. The sight revived him, and he demanded the decision.

I was in a pretty fix. Here was the winner, unconscious on the floor, and the defeated man standing on his feet.

The crowd appreciated my position, and at once declared I had done the right thing, but to this day I have an enemy in Providence.

**HE LIKED GOOD PHYSIC**

"Be you Mr. Corbett-4-1?" (with the accent on the et), asked a farmer one day in St. Louis.

"I be, and what can I do for you?" I answered.

"Well, well, I be pleased to see you. I am a great admirer of good physic," said the backwoodsman, good-naturedly, as he sized me up.

I walked away, wondering whether or not I resembled a hazyard bottle.

**A GOOD STORY ON "RUBE" FERNS**

"Rube" Ferns is one of the fighters who acquired his name honestly. One of the best stories I ever heard on him was just after his first experience in a sleeping car. He secured an engagement in a distant city, and was making the journey with his manager. "Rube" managed to get to bed all right without attracting much attention.

But in the morning, when he awoke, his manager was already in the wash room, which was filled with the usual number of men waiting their turn to perform their ablutions.

"Rube" came in wearing a broad smile. "What are you laughing at?" asked his manager.

"Someone paid the porter to shine his shoes last night, and he got mine by mistake," innocently responded "Rube."

A hearty laugh went up at the naive reply, and "Rube" realized that there was a mistake somewhere. When he noticed that every one in the room had his shoes polished, he realized who had made the mistake.

# RACE IN STAGNANT POOL FATAL TO CRACK SWIMMERS



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NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—Ethel Golden, champion woman swimmer of America, and George Van Cleef, the famous New York Athletic Club swimmer, who died of a peculiar malady, after having competed in a swimming contest in a stagnant swimming pool at the St. Louis fair. Two other noted New York swimmers who participated in the contest died with the same symptoms.

## TO PLAN IMMIGRATION

Joint Meeting of Bureau to Be Held in May

Secretary B. B. Paddock of the Board of Trade this morning received a letter from C. Hanson of Rockdale, a member of the Missouri Pacific Immigration Bureau, stating that the association members are due to reach Texas on the second Tuesday in May and will hold a joint meeting at San Antonio with a similar organization of the International and Great Northern railroad company.

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General Live Stock Agent Galbreath of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas returned Sunday from a trip to St. Louis. He reports that the weather is the coldest in Missouri known for many years. "Sleet, snow and ice are everywhere and business is practically at a standstill," he said.

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The present bad weather, he says, has had a depressing effect on all kinds of business in the north. Railroads are experiencing great difficulty from various causes, especially in getting water for the engines while en route, as the tanks are frozen up and water is secured after a great deal of trouble.

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