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PAY YOUR CITY AND COUNTY POLL TAX BEFORE FEBRUARY 1, OR LOSE YOUR VOTE

MUKDEN FILLED WITH WOUNDED

Hundreds of Russians Arriving from Scene of Battle with Japanese

NO CHANGE IN SITUATION

Intense Cold Prevents Extended Movements of Rival Troops

MUKDEN, Jan. 30.—(Delayed in transmission.)—Constant streams of wounded men are arriving here from the right flank, including Lieutenant General Mischenko, who is in excellent spirits and receiving visitors. According to the official army organ the wounded number 3,500. The cold is intense and the condition of the wounded causes the greatest anxiety because of the exposure of their wounds to frost, which induces gangrene. Preventative precautions have been taken, but the wounded are suffering the greatest pain.

The Japanese are taking good care to see that the Russian rank and file are not left uninformed regarding the disturbances in Russia. They are carrying on a regular campaign to spread sedition and discouragement among the troops. Letters are daily thrown within the Russian lines, declaring that all Russia is aflame with riot and revolt, arguing that the soldiers are shedding blood in vain, and calling on them to surrender or desert.

SITUATION UNCHANGED

Intense Cold Causes Cessation of Active Operations

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 31.—The Associated Press telegrams from Manchuria do not indicate the development of any importance since General Gripenberg's order to abandon an advance.

The Japanese yesterday made a demonstration in the eastern district, but apparently it was not serious. Operations on the Russian right probably will not occasion further heavy fighting at the present, unless the Japanese determine to follow up with a counter offensive movement, which is not likely in view of dispatches from Mukden saying the cold is more intense, thus rendering the movements of large bodies on either side well-nigh impossible. One result of the bitter cold has been to greatly increase the mortality among the wounded.

The military critics do not express approval of General Kuropatkin's offensive; Novoe Vremya declaring it a failure, and the Russ saying it was neither a reconnaissance in force nor a demonstration; hence it could not have been undertaken to capture a strategic point, and this object was not justified by the events.

RUSSIAN DEAD 1,200

LONDON, Jan. 31.—2:51 p. m.—A dispatch to the Japanese legation dated today says Field Marshal Oyama reports the Russians left 1,200 dead on the field since Jan. 25.

JAPS CAPTURE CONTRABAND

TOKIO, Jan. 31.—The Japanese yesterday captured off Hokkaido Island, Northern Japan, the British steamer Winkfield loaded with contraband for Vladivostok.

PERCENTAGE OF DEAD SMALL

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 31.—A telegram from Schlautau dated Jan. 29 states the Russian losses from Jan. 25 to 28 were 10,000, but the percentage of dead is small. The Japanese losses were very heavy. Over 300 were made prisoners.

RUSSIAN HOLD WEAKENED

Loss of Heikoutai Likely to Compel Change of Front—Japs Now Occupy Russian Works

TOKIO, Jan. 31.—11 a. m.—It is believed that the loss of Heikoutai weakens the Russian position and probably will compel a material change in the Russian front at that vicinity. Heikoutai will be strongly defended by the Japanese, who are now occupying Russian works. As the ground is frozen it is practically impossible to construct new works.

RUSSIANS ADMIT FAILURE

The Generals Wounded, Relinquish Commands

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 30.—6:50 p. m.—The Russian advance movement against the Japanese left failed and General Gripenberg has notified the emperor that he has discontinued the advance.

jured, have been obliged to relinquish their commands. The war office gives no estimate of Russian losses, but they are believed to be heavy.

OBJECT OF ATTACK

Sought to Capture Important Position at Sandepas

RUSSIAN HEADQUARTERS, Huan Mountain, Sunday, Jan. 29.—(Delayed.)—The object of General Kuropatkin's latest offensive movement was to capture the important position at Sandepas on the left bank of the Hun river and thereby outflank the Japanese from the Shakhe river and enable the Russian army to undertake a general advance.

At Sandepas the Japanese occupied a strongly fortified position, commanding the triangle formed by the confluence of the Hun and Shakhe rivers. The Japanese had erected there a fort of a permanent type with triple earthworks and trenches extending in a southwesterly direction. Several villages to the left bank of the Hun were fortified strongly. The positions were held by twelve battalions of Japanese, partly drawn from General Nogi's army and partly reserves.

The Russians carried the first line of intrenchments, but were unable to maintain their positions on the outskirts of Sandepas in the face of fierce cannonading. The fight was transferred westward. The Japanese counter attacked with a brigade of infantry, endeavoring to envelop the Russians, but the cavalry protecting the Russian flank drove back the Japanese with heavy loss. A counter attack on the villages captured by the Russians at the outset of the fight was also beaten off, but at the cost to the Russians of several thousand killed or wounded, including General Mischenko, who was wounded in the knee. The heaviest sufferers were the newly arrived brigade of riflemen.

HOBSON'S FATHER DEAD

Victim of Pneumonia at Age of 68 Years

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Jan. 31.—A special from Greensboro says: Judge James M. Hobson, father of Captain Richmond P. Hobson, died at that place this morning of pneumonia, aged 68 years. Judge Hobson was probate judge of Hale county eighteen years. Soon after his son's marriage he moved to Greensboro, where he was appointed by President McKinley postmaster at Greensboro, which office he held until his death. His wife died last year.

THREE-YEAR OLD BOY PREVENTS A FIRE

George Washington Glintenkamp Proves Himself Worthy Namesake of His Country's Father

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—George Washington Glintenkamp has proved himself a worthy namesake of the father of his country. George is three years old and was born in Frauncestown, a historic building in Broad street, where Washington once had his headquarters.

While at play on the second floor the little fellow smelled smoke and gave the alarm. A hurried examination by men whom George summoned failed to disclose the cause of the smoke and the firemen were called. They tore up part of the floor and found several heavy oak beams smoldering, ready to burst into flame.

The lad's quick intelligence undoubtedly saved the old house from being badly damaged and he was hailed by the entire neighborhood as a hero.

POSTAL FRAUD CASE AT FORMER STATUS

Supreme Court Refuses to Interfere With the Sentences of Machen, Lorenz and Groff

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—The supreme court of the United States has denied the application of Machen, Lorenz and Groff for a writ of certiorari in the case against them charging conspiracy to defraud the government in connection with the postoffice department irregularities. The effect is to leave standing the decision of the court of appeals of the District of Columbia finding them guilty as charged.

Machen, Lorenz and the Groff were sentenced to two years' imprisonment and to pay a fine of \$10,000 each.

There will be no further effort to delay the execution of the sentence by the supreme court, from which the defendants appealed successively to the district court of appeals and then to the supreme court of the United States. Charles A. Douglas, the attorney for Machen, said that there was nothing to do now but to yield to the inevitable. There is no further course.

THE WEATHER SPOTTER



ANTI-NEPOTISM BILL IS KILLED

Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence Disposes of it Unfavorably

STORAGE BILL UP AGAIN

Senate Votes to Reconsider Prohibition Measure by Vote of 13 to 10

Special to The Telegram. AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 31.—The legislature today put its stamp of disapproval on the bill seeking to put a stop to the practice of nepotism in this state.

The bill, which sought to make it a crime for a state official to employ any of his relatives in his department, was killed today by the committee on criminal jurisprudence by a vote of 7. No minority report will be submitted. This practically ends the matter.

SANTA FE CONSOLIDATION

The committee on common carriers today considered the Santa Fe consolidation bill. Several representatives of the road appeared before the committee advocating its passage. The house committee on revenue and taxation today concluded its open hearings. This committee has about fifteen tax bills before it and it will be several days before it makes a report.

FOR COLORED ORPHANAGE

Representative Glenn introduced a bill in the house this afternoon providing for an appropriation of \$25,000 for the purpose of building an orphanage for colored children.

The committee on criminal jurisprudence killed a bill today which sought to make it a misdemeanor for a man to willfully abandon his wife. In the senate a bill was passed to parole meritorious convicts. The senate committee on education killed a bill providing that a colored school be maintained by taxes collected from colored people. A petition signed by several hundred citizens of Houston was presented in the senate today protesting against the passage of an anti-fee pass bill.

TO RECONSIDER COLD STORAGE BILL

The senate decided to reconsider the anti-cold storage bill today by a vote of 13 to 10 on motion of Senator Harper.

In executive session the senate confirmed the appointment of William C. Walsh as member of the board of managers of the Confederate Home, to succeed Z. T. Fulmore, resigned.

HOUSE COMMITTEE REPORTS

AUSTIN, Jan. 31.—The committee on labor yesterday reported to the house and recommended that house bill No. 82, by Mr. Blount, protecting the public from being marred, crippled or killed by railroad, mill or mine owners, be sent to judiciary committee.

Committee on revenue and taxation continued its open hearing last night. Judge E. B. Perkins continued his argument in opposition to the gross income tax and made some arguments against it. He said the passage of the measure would nearly double the tax paid by the railroads of the state, while other property values would not be affected, and thus the present legislature would be guilty of a very manifest piece of injustice.

"If the tax levy is increased to 25 cents on the \$100," Judge Perkins said, "as Governor Lanham has recommended, it will increase the income of the state about \$1,000,000 for the first year, and 20 cents for the following year the income will be increased approximately \$500,000 for the second year. This will enable the legislature to wipe out the deficit the first year and have Texas plenty of money to spend the second year."

"Now, if the rate is increased and this gross income tax bill passed the revenues of Texas will be so increased that the legislature will have to remain in session all the time to get rid of it."

WOULD LIMIT WITNESSES

Judge Webb, the representative in the house from Shackelford county, is by no means impressed with the wisdom of allowing attorneys to have summoned a cloud of witnesses, and with a view of putting a stop to the practice presented a bill in the house yesterday which provides:

In criminal prosecutions the state and the defendant shall each be limited to twenty witnesses, and to compel the attendance of witnesses, but in no case that is not a capital felony or one involving the matter of an election shall more than fifty witnesses be summoned for either the prosecution or for the defendant.

In cases of criminal prosecutions for offenses not involving matters of elections nor capital felonies, neither the prosecution nor defendant shall have compulsory process to compel the attendance of more than twenty witnesses from outside of the county in which the prosecution is pending, except in cases where the venue is changed, in which event the number of such witnesses from outside the county may be increased to not exceeding fifty for the prosecution or defense.

Sec. 3. In cases of capital felony there shall not be summoned for the prosecution nor the defendant more than 100 witnesses.

TO PROHIBIT BULL FIGHTS

Hudspeth of Crockett county introduced a bill in the house yesterday prohibiting bull fights in Texas, as follows:

Be it enacted by the legislature of the state of Texas: That any person who shall voluntarily engage in a pugilistic encounter between man and man; or a fight between a man or bull; or any other animal, for money or any other thing of value, or for any championship or upon the result of which is any money or other thing of value is bet or wagered or to see which an admission fee is charged either directly or indirectly, or if any person shall engage in a contest of skill or endurance with any bull or other animal wherein an admission fee is or is not charged, and shall be deemed guilty of a felony and upon conviction shall be punished by imprisonment in the penitentiary not less than two nor more than five years.

SITUATION IN POLAND CAUSES GENERAL ALARM



A REVOLUTIONARY TYPE

A CIRCASSIAN SOLDIER

BEEF TRUST MUST OBEY INJUNCTION

Lower Court Ruling Under Sherman Act Made Effective by Supreme Body

CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—The effect of the supreme court decision delivered at Washington yesterday in the case of the United States against Swift & Company, known as the beef trust case, is to confine the injunction granted against the packers under the Sherman anti-trust law by the lower court. Officers of Swift & Company decline to discuss the ruling and J. Ogden Armour of Armour & Company is equally silent.

ROOSEVELT ASKS MORE POWER FOR INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION

Tells Union League at Philadelphia Government Should Regulate Railroads TO SERVE ALL ALIKE

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 31.—President Roosevelt and party returned to Washington from Philadelphia this morning in a special train, reaching the Pennsylvania station at 4:30 a. m. It was 7:40 a. m. when the president left the train, and after greeting the members of his party entered his carriage and was driven direct to the White House, where he breakfasted with his family.

In his address delivered at the Union League banquet last night President Roosevelt said:

"If either the business world or the world of labor loses its head, then it has lost something which can not be made good by any governmental effort. Our faith in the future of the republic is firm, because we believe that on the whole and in the long run our people think clearly and act rightly."

"Unquestionably, however, the great development of industrialism means that there must be an increase in the supervision exercised by the government over business enterprises. This supervision should not take the form of violent and ill-advised interference; and assuredly there is danger lest it take such form if the business leaders of the business community confine themselves to trying to thwart the effort at regulation instead of making it right. Such men as the members of this club should lead in the effort to secure proper supervision and regulation of corporate activity by the government, not only because it is for the interest of the community as a whole that there should be this supervision and regulation, but because in the long run it will be in the interest above all of the very people who often betray alarm and anger when the proposition is first made."

BURSTING FLYWHEEL WRECKS LIGHT PLANT

SHREVEPORT, La., Jan. 31.—One death, several narrow escapes from death or serious injury and damage to property aggregating between \$10,000 and \$15,000, resulted last night from the bursting of a monster flywheel at the plant of the Shreveport Gas, Electric Light and Power Company.

The flywheel, weighing twenty-five tons and making in the neighborhood of a hundred revolutions a minute, ran the dynamo supplying the electricity for lighting purposes and as a result the city was plunged in darkness for upward of two hours except for the lights afforded by the gas section of the plant, which was uninjured.

A portion of the bursting wheel struck James Scott, assistant engineer, killing him instantly. Scott's body was recovered through the efforts of the fire department, which was immediately summoned to the scene of the accident. Several other workmen at the plant had narrow escapes.

"Neither this people nor any other free people will permanently tolerate the use of the vast power conferred by vast wealth, and especially by wealth in its corporate form, without lodging somewhere in the government the still higher power of seeing that this power, in addition to being used in the interest of the individual or individuals possessing it, is also used for and not against the interests of the people as a whole. Our peculiar form of government, a government in which the nation is supreme throughout the union in certain respects, while each of nearly half a hundred states is supreme in its part of the union in certain other respects, renders the task of dealing with these conditions especially difficult. No finally satisfactory result can be expected from merely state action. The action must come through the Federal government. The business of the country is now carried on in a way of which the founders of our constitution could by no possibility have had any idea."

INTERSTATE COMMERCE

"All great business concerns are engaged in ordinary to the king."

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Grave Fears Entertained Lest Revolutionists Take Advantage of Strikers' Ugly Mood.

STARVING WORKMEN CLAMORING FOR RELIEF

Authorities Recognize Outlook Has More Serious Possibilities than at St. Petersburg. Number of Dead and Wounded Reaches 100—The Strike Movement Spreads

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 31, 2:45 p. m.—The latest reports from Warsaw depict the situation throughout Poland as increasingly serious. Minor collisions between the troops and police and the populace continue to swell the number of deaths.

Trade and industry are completely at a standstill, and the presence of thousands of idle workmen who have been out of employment for months, and are starving and desperate, adds a factor of greatest danger which was not present to the same extent in St. Petersburg, where the government orders for war purposes kept the factories busy.

STORES PILLAGED

The American vice consul at Warsaw, Witold Fouchas, telegraphs that many stores, chiefly Russian, have been pillaged by mobs; that shops and factories without exception, are closed and a general strike is in effect. Those who do not willingly walk out are compelled to join the strike by threats. Mr. Fouchas saw no improvement in the situation up to last night, and reported that he had received bad news from Lodz and Redom.

100 KILLED OR WOUNDED

It is estimated the number killed or wounded at Warsaw is about one hundred, which is a conservative estimate. The rioting in Poland will largely affect the economic situation. The factories at Warsaw, Lodz, Petrokof and other industrial centers in Poland have been compelled to gradually reduce their output and decrease their working forces since the outbreak of the war, which has almost entirely closed the Siberian and Manchurian markets. The result has been that thousands of workmen have been thrown out of employment for many months, furnishing a horde of hungry, dissatisfied, desperate men, among whom the news from St. Petersburg produced an outburst of riotous and incendiary spirit.

It is feared a large proportion of these thousands may be utilized by the revolutionary organization in Poland, which is the hotbed of socialism, and a movement may develop purely political in character, though there is no indication so far of any co-operation on the part of the intelligent classes of the Polish population, which are averse to a revolutionary movement.

The Nashazhiza, the liberal newspaper of St. Petersburg, which has received a second warning from Governor General Treppoff, in a moderate tone, raises the legal point connection with the firing on Jan. 22, that the law requires the police to exhaust all means to preserve order before calling in the troops, and the Nashazhiza claims this was not done before the military began firing.

MANY ARE SLAIN IN RIOTS

Conditions in Warsaw Such It Is Impossible to Secure Correct Accounts—City in Disorder

WARSAW, Jan. 31.—Several persons were killed and many injured in encounters with the troops and police in various parts of this city yesterday. The first aid society suspended operations today; telephonic communications were interrupted and conditions throughout Warsaw are such that it has been impossible thus far to ascertain the numbers of victims of the recent riot.

By order of the chief of police the doors of all houses are kept closed, and are only opened to admit people living on the premises.

Two additional regiments of infantry and two regiments of dragoons have arrived here.

CONDITIONS IN RUSSIA CRITICAL

PARIS, Jan. 31.—Semi-official reports which have reached here concerning the general conditions in Russia, outside of St. Petersburg, are very unfavorable.

BITTEN BY A HORSE

Young Farmer Near Denison Leaves for Pasture Institute

DENISON, Texas, Jan. 31.—Finn Faust, a young farmer, was bitten a few days ago by a horse having the hydrophobia and left last night for the Pasture Institute in Chicago.

HAS WED TWENTY TIMES, SAY POLICE

Johann Hoch, Arrested in New York, Willing to Go to Chicago

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Johann Hoch of Chicago, who was arrested here last night charged with bigamy and wife abandonment after a search which has extended over the entire country, told the officers at the police headquarters today that he is anxious to return to Chicago at once. He wanted to face the charges against him in that city, he said, and has no intention of opposing extradition. Here he was photographed for the rogues' gallery before being taken into court.

Hoch, it is alleged, married twenty women. He was arrested at a boarding house, conducted by Mrs. Catherine Kimmerle in West Forty-seventh street, last night by central office detectives. He admitted his identity, although when first arrested gave the name of Henry Bartels. At the Forty-seventh street station, where he was taken, he said:

"I'm Hoch, and am a much-abused man."

"How abused?" he was asked.

"He had nothing to say. He gave his name as John Joseph Adolph Hoch, said he was 45 years old, a machinist, living at 6430 Union avenue, Chicago. He is arrested on a charge of bigamy. Hoch is known under the names of Alfred Hecht, Albert Busenberg, Joseph Hoch, Jacob Hoch and Adolph Brumm."

Hoch said that after Marie Fischer died on Jan. 12 he came to New York at once, and has been here ever since.

Hoch went to Mrs. Kimmerle's Wednesday last. He was locked up in police headquarters. He stated that he had not been married twenty times. He said that he had been married only twice, and that his first wife is still alive.

Mrs. Catherine Kimmerle, the landlady, said Hoch engaged board on Saturday, and had not been in the house twenty minutes when he asked to be allowed to peel some potatoes for her. Yesterday he proposed marriage, and she then told the police. She added that the man talked a good deal to her yesterday and became much interested in her, she thought.

"He was so anxious to talk that I did not know what he was after," said Mrs. Kimmerle, "till all of a sudden he told me he wanted to marry me. I remembered reading in the papers about that awful man, and it suddenly flashed across my mind that this man who wanted to peel potatoes after being locked up for twenty minutes in police headquarters, was the same man they wanted in Chicago, and I ran to the station house as quickly as I could."

PRINCESS VICTORIA UNDER DOCTOR'S KNIFE

LONDON, Jan. 31.—Princess Victoria, daughter of King Edward, underwent an operation for appendicitis at Buckingham palace this morning. The operation was performed by Sir Frederick Treves, surgeon in ordinary to the king.

A bulletin subsequently issued says: "The circumstances of the operation were favorable. The princess bore it very well and is progressing very satisfactorily."

The princess, who has been ill for some time, came to London Jan. 27 to prepare for the operation. She was born in 1863.

Weak Kidneys

To any Kidney sufferer who has not tried my remedy I offer a full dollar's worth of free medicine...

There is nothing to pay, either now or later. I ask no deposit—no promise. You take no risk. The dollar bottle is free...

This is why I treat not the kidney that is weak but the ailing nerve that makes it weak. This is the secret of my success...

For a free order book 2 on the heart, book 3 on the kidneys, book 4 for women, book 5 for men, book 6 on rheumatism.

Mild cases are often cured by a single bottle. For sale at forty thousand drug stores.

Dr. Shoop's Restorative

COURT ANNALS

AN EXAMINING ACT

Formal Entry of Agreed Judgment Releasing Portion of Rosen Heights Made

The disputed annexation of a portion of Rosen Heights to North Fort Worth was settled this morning on agreed judgment...

The judgment, as granted by Irby Dunklin, judge of the Forty-eighth district court, at a hearing of the cause this morning...

The court having considered said petition and said agreement entered into by the plaintiff and the defendants...

NATURE TELLS YOU

As Many a Fort Worth Reader Knows by West

When the kidneys are sick; Nature tells you all about it. The urine is nature's calendar.

Another enterprise Lawson formed was the Massachusetts Real Estate Company...

the court, that the same be and the same is held to be null and void and of no effect...

It is further adjudged and decreed that the plaintiff have judgment against the defendants for all costs of court incurred...

SCHEDULE FILED

The schedule of the liabilities and assets of F. C. Bourner & Co., whom the United States court was asked to declare bankrupt...

LAWSON ONCE A KENTUCKY MAYOR

Inhabitants of Grand Rivers Honored Him Though He Was Not a Resident

PADUCAH, Ky., Jan. 31.—Twenty miles from Paducah is a little town in Kentucky which was built by Thomas W. Lawson...

Numerous enterprises were organized and started at a cost aggregating over a million dollars...

In 1887 W. W. Smith and Isaac Reese, capitalists of Nashville, Tenn., visited the Grand Rivers locality to prospect...

THE TOWN WAS DEAD For a year the town was dead. In 1891 arrangements were made with Thomas W. Lawson...

One of his first steps after looking over the situation was to organize the Grand Rivers Furnace Company...

Work was started on the first and only two furnaces erected. They were called "twin furnaces"...

OTHER COMPANIES While the furnaces were being put up he organized other companies...

The furnaces were started, but the making of iron proved a failure...

When they were closed down the interests of the Grand Rivers Furnace Company were so intricately mixed...

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No Gripes, Pain

Or discomfort, no irritation of the intestines—but gentle, prompt, thorough healthful cleansing, when you take Hood's Pills

LATE PAYMENTS OF POLL TAXES

Receipts Issued on Final Day Expected to Break All Records

The final rush of citizens to secure poll tax receipts caused a busy day at the offices of both the city and county collectors...

City Auditor Nunnally, Assistant City Secretary Gates and others about the city hall were called in to assist the regular force in the city collector's office...

Following Saturday's record of 374 payments, Monday, which it was feared would be a poor day, increased the record of daily payments to 467...

A similar rush was experienced at the office of County Collector Walker, the office force being increased by the addition of three men to meet the demand...

Taxes becoming delinquent tomorrow, payments on property are also heavy, adding to the rush at the offices. Total collections at the city and county offices respectively Monday were \$17,000 and \$12,000.

THE MAN ABOUT TOWN

Colonel Paul Smith of New York, with a party of friends, reached this city Monday morning from the east, en route to California on a revivifying trip to continue several months.

Colonel Paul Smith has conducted "Paul Smith's Hotel," a resort in the Adirondack mountains for the past forty years. The spot is an ideal one and is visited only by the wealthier class of people in the east...

Colonel Smith is a multi-millionaire. He is an old friend of R. E. Buchanan of this city, claim agent of the Santa Fe. The Smith party spent Monday in this city before proceeding on its journey westward.

AMENDED CHARTER CONTROLS SALOONS

Meeting of Committee Held This Morning in Office of the Mayor

A meeting of the charter amendment committee, with City Attorney Orlick, was held this morning in the office of Mayor Powell, who was also present.

No definite action was taken by the committee concerning any of the proposed amendments, the meeting being devoted solely to discussion.

At the conclusion of the meeting, however, Alderman Ward stated that the amendments as finally offered would contain strict saloon regulations, practically embodying the measure proposed by Senator Hanger distilling such establishments.

A report will be made by the committee to the city council at the regular meeting Friday night.

Together the meeting Friday night promises to be one of the most interesting sessions ever held by the body. Tomorrow the taxes due the city become delinquent and it is believed the city attorney will ask for instructions regarding the measure proposed by Senator Hanger...

The committee to whom was referred the application of F. W. Potter for a lighting franchise will also report at this meeting, although no meeting of the committee has yet been held.

The petition of citizens for the improvement of the conditions about the city hall will also be presented at the session. This petition, to which names are being added daily, is as follows:

"To the Honorable Mayor and City Council: We, the undersigned citizens, would respectfully call your attention to the deplorable and unsightly condition of the streets and sidewalks adjacent to and surrounding the city hall and Central fire station, in which condition they are an annoyance to mere passers, a source of constant inconvenience to the citizens in that neighborhood and a disgrace to the city at large.

The drainage and sewerage in and around these properties is so poor and ineffective that in wet weather mud and filth accumulate in such quantities as to make the condition a nuisance and an eyecore to any one whose business may call them that way.

Strangers seeking investments in this city must pass over these streets in going for their mail, and such a condition existing around the public buildings of the city give them a very unfavorable impression of the community at large.

"Believing that the bettering of these conditions will substantially benefit the city by adding to the values of its property, as well as by beautifying its most frequented streets, we would respectfully request that you have these streets and sidewalks paved and curbed with brick or asphalt or such other material as you may deem best, thereby enhancing the city pride of our citizens and setting an example in improvement which the citizens and especially the signers of this petition will not be slow to follow."

PLAN EASTER EGG HUNT

Annual Event Will be Held in City Park Plans are already being made for the holding of the annual Easter egg hunt at the city park...

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ROOSEVELT ASKS MORE

George Lerner of this city has the distinction of resembling Theodore Roosevelt to the extent that strangers often stop and gaze at him in wonder. This morning at the Texas and Pacific passenger station Mr. Lerner stood so that only half of his face was visible. Employees of the Western Union Telegraph Company at the station approached the Telegram reporter, asking him if he knew that the president was in town, pointing at the same time to Mr. Lerner, whose face, with glasses and ill, resembled Mr. Roosevelt. About his time the mock president moved and the charm was broken.

MONUMENT FUND GROWS

Plans Submitted for Shaft in Memory of John Peter Smith to be Erected

Contributions to the John Peter Smith monument fund are coming in freely to the Board of Trade, as a result of a movement inaugurated by Secretary B. B. Paddock.

Eighteen contributors have sent in the sum of \$1,200. The total sum now on hand is \$1,600, \$360 of which was previously donated.

Secretary Paddock this morning received a sum through the mail, accompanied by a few remarks regarding the lamented father of Fort Worth. An extract from the letter reads: "I see in the papers you are raising funds to build a monument to dear old Peter Smith. He was not only the wisest and best public servant and benefactor that Fort Worth ever had, but he was the most lovable man, personally, I ever knew. Accept my contribution, and may God bless his memory and repose his soul in peace. If I were able I would have enclosed you dollars where I give you cents."

Two plans for a monument have been submitted to Secretary Paddock. These plans and other matter regarding the movement will be submitted to a committee to be selected at a meeting of the contributors to the fund soon to be called.

LAST CALL FOR POLL TAX

COUNTY AND CITY COLLECTORS WILL WAIT FOR YOU UNTIL 9 O'CLOCK TONIGHT.

INCREASE IN POWER NEEDED

"At the present moment the greatest need is for an increase in the power of the national government to keep the great highways of commerce open alike to all on reasonable and equitable terms. Less than a century ago these highways were still, as they had been since the dawn of history, either waterways, natural or artificial, or else ordinary roads for wheel vehicles drawn by animal power.

"The railroad, which was utterly unknown when our government was formed and when the great principles of our jurisprudence were laid down, has now become almost everywhere the most important, and, in many large regions, the only form of highway for commerce. The man who controls its use can not be permitted to control it in his own interest alone.

"It is not only just but it is in the interest of the public that this man should receive the amplest payment for the masterful business capacity which enables him to benefit himself while benefiting the public; but in return he must himself recognize his duty to the public. He will not and can not do this if our laws are so defective that in the sharp competition of the business world the conscientious man is put at a disadvantage by his less scrupulous fellows. It is in the interest of the conscientious and public-spirited railway man that there should be such governmental supervision of the railway traffic of the country as to require from his less scrupulous competitors, and from any scrupulous big shippers, as well that heed to the public welfare which he himself would willingly give, and which is of vital consequence to the small shipper. Every important railroad is engaged in interstate commerce. Therefore, this control over the railroads must come through the national government.

"The control must be exercised by some governmental tribunal, and it must be real and effective. Doubtless there will be such the control over interstate commerce, but this is only one part of the problem. The control must be exercised by some governmental tribunal, and it must be real and effective. Doubtless there will be such the control over interstate commerce, but this is only one part of the problem. The control must be exercised by some governmental tribunal, and it must be real and effective. Doubtless there will be such the control over interstate commerce, but this is only one part of the problem.

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ROOSEVELT ASKS MORE (Continued from page 1) engaged in interstate commerce, and it was beyond question the intention of the founders of our government that interstate commerce in all its branches and aspects should be under national and not state control.

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THE MAP SHOWS HOW WIDESPREAD ARE THE TROUBLES IN RUSSIA. THERE HAVE BEEN RIOTS IN ALL THE TOWNS ALONG AND INSIDE THE BLACK BELT, WHICH IS THEREFORE THE BOUNDARY OF THE TERRITORY MOST SERIOUSLY AFFECTED. THERE HAVE ALSO BEEN ISOLATED DISTURBANCES IN THE CITIES APPEARING IN THE MAP OUTSIDE OF THE BLACK BELT.

ESTIMATED TOMORROW

New Orleans	4,300 to 5,000
Galveston	6,000 to 7,000
Houston	5,500 to 6,000

NEW ORLEANS FUTURES

(By Private Wire to M. H. Thomas & Co.)

NEW ORLEANS, La., Jan. 31.—The market in cotton futures was steady. The following is the range in quotations.

Open	High	Low	Close
March	6.74	6.86	6.71
May	6.79	6.91	6.75
July	6.87	6.99	6.85
September	6.97	7.09	6.97
October	7.12	7.24	7.04

NEW ORLEANS SPOTS

(By Private Wire to M. H. Thomas & Co.)

NEW ORLEANS, La., Jan. 31.—The spot cotton market was quiet today. Prices and receipts were as follows:

Today	Yesterday
Middling	6 15-16
Low	3.700
F. o. b.	800

GRAIN

CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—Wheat trading was lively throughout the morning, a steady opening being followed by several spurts putting the top price to 117 1/2. The upward movement seemed to gain strength during the morning, the figures being strong around 116 1/2 at noon. Heavy selling on the market acted only as a temporary check.

Minneapolis reports an excellent demand for good milling wheat.

Receipts today were: Kansas City, 107 cars; St. Louis, 42,000 bushels; Minneapolis, 205 cars; Duluth, 62 cars.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

(By Private Wire to M. H. Thomas & Co.)

CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—The grain and provision markets ranged in prices today as follows:

Wheat—Open	High	Low	Close
May	1.16 1/2	1.17 1/4	1.16 1/2
July	99 1/2	99 3/4	99 1/2
September	93 1/2	93 3/4	93 1/2

COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 31.—Today's cotton market proved a puzzle to all cause and effect exponents. Despite a Liverpool decline of 5 points expected to effect the opening here, trading began at an advance of a point over yesterday's close. From that on to noon the trend was steadily upward. Yesterday's sudden advance and decline is now attributed solely to scalping and the advance of today in view of the generally expected bearish tone of the ginners' report to be issued tomorrow is only explained on the theory that incompleteness of the report will offset its natural effect.

Spots were quiet and ruled at quotations. Sales for the morning aggregated about 2,000 bales. Galveston reports large spot demand at quotations, all offerings being taken by Houston houses.

THOMAS' COTTON LETTER

(By Private Wire to M. H. Thomas & Co.)

FORT WORTH, Texas, Jan. 31.—Our New York correspondent wires us today as follows:

There was no change in the general cotton situation and outlook today. The fluctuations in the market were due entirely to the attempted bull movement on the part of a number of local operators, acting in conjunction with some of the bullish traders at New Orleans and to a renewal of covering of shorts by some of the big bears and light offerings from southern or outside interests. The Liverpool market showed little snap and there was nothing in the spot situation or the general run of news from the south calculated to encourage any bullish activity. The market was narrow and was as expected influenced as was yesterday's when there was a rise of 11 to 16 points in the early trading, followed by a reaction and complete loss of all of the advance when the buyers endeavored to sell out.

Today the maximum advance extended to 10 points and most of this was sustained because of better support from New Orleans operators and the local element and their following continued fairly good buyers throughout the afternoon, and the leading bear interests were disinclined to assume a more aggressive position. We do not expect to see any revival of activity or the market to show any pronounced strength or advance of importance until something transpires to cause a more active demand for spots from European and domestic spinners. We think a good deal of the buying today was for short account. Some of the floor traders said that it looked like short covering, and a little bullishness with a view of creating a better market to sell on in the event of tomorrow's second installation of the ginners' report coming up to the expectations of the buyers.

ST. LOUIS CASH GRAIN

(By Private Wire to M. H. Thomas & Co.)

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 31.—Cash grain was quiet today as follows:

Wheat—No. 2 red	\$1.14 to \$1.15
No. 3	\$1.12 to \$1.13
No. 4	\$1.10 to \$1.11
No. 5	\$1.08 to \$1.09
No. 6	\$1.06 to \$1.07
No. 7	\$1.04 to \$1.05
No. 8	\$1.02 to \$1.03
No. 9	\$1.00 to \$1.01
No. 10	\$0.98 to \$0.99
No. 11	\$0.96 to \$0.97
No. 12	\$0.94 to \$0.95
No. 13	\$0.92 to \$0.93
No. 14	\$0.90 to \$0.91
No. 15	\$0.88 to \$0.89
No. 16	\$0.86 to \$0.87
No. 17	\$0.84 to \$0.85
No. 18	\$0.82 to \$0.83
No. 19	\$0.80 to \$0.81
No. 20	\$0.78 to \$0.79
No. 21	\$0.76 to \$0.77
No. 22	\$0.74 to \$0.75
No. 23	\$0.72 to \$0.73
No. 24	\$0.70 to \$0.71
No. 25	\$0.68 to \$0.69
No. 26	\$0.66 to \$0.67
No. 27	\$0.64 to \$0.65
No. 28	\$0.62 to \$0.63
No. 29	\$0.60 to \$0.61
No. 30	\$0.58 to \$0.59
No. 31	\$0.56 to \$0.57
No. 32	\$0.54 to \$0.55
No. 33	\$0.52 to \$0.53
No. 34	\$0.50 to \$0.51
No. 35	\$0.48 to \$0.49
No. 36	\$0.46 to \$0.47
No. 37	\$0.44 to \$0.45
No. 38	\$0.42 to \$0.43
No. 39	\$0.40 to \$0.41
No. 40	\$0.38 to \$0.39
No. 41	\$0.36 to \$0.37
No. 42	\$0.34 to \$0.35
No. 43	\$0.32 to \$0.33
No. 44	\$0.30 to \$0.31
No. 45	\$0.28 to \$0.29
No. 46	\$0.26 to \$0.27
No. 47	\$0.24 to \$0.25
No. 48	\$0.22 to \$0.23
No. 49	\$0.20 to \$0.21
No. 50	\$0.18 to \$0.19
No. 51	\$0.16 to \$0.17
No. 52	\$0.14 to \$0.15
No. 53	\$0.12 to \$0.13
No. 54	\$0.10 to \$0.11
No. 55	\$0.08 to \$0.09
No. 56	\$0.06 to \$0.07
No. 57	\$0.04 to \$0.05
No. 58	\$0.02 to \$0.03
No. 59	\$0.00 to \$0.01
No. 60	\$0.00 to \$0.01

N. Y. STOCKS

(By Private Wire to M. H. Thomas & Co.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Stocks opened

NEW YORK FUTURES

(By Private Wire to M. H. Thomas & Co.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—The market in cotton futures was steady today. Following is the range in quotations:

Open	High	Low	Close
March	6.81	6.93	6.81
May	6.83	6.95	6.83
July	6.91	7.03	6.91
September	7.01	7.13	7.01
October	7.11	7.23	7.11

NEW YORK SPOTS

(By Private Wire to M. H. Thomas & Co.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—The spot cotton market was quiet today. Prices and receipts were quoted as follows:

Today	Yesterday
Middling	7.25
Low	1.100
Sales	105

LIVERPOOL COTTON

(By Private Wire to M. H. Thomas & Co.)

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 31.—The spot cotton market was steady in tone, with a moderate demand. Spots were quoted at 3.78 for middling. Sales 8,000 bales. Receipts 14,000 bales, of which 9,800 were American. F. o. b. 100 bales.

The following was the range in prices:

Open	2 p. m. Close
February	3.82
March	3.83
April	3.84
May	3.85
June	3.86
July	3.87
August	3.88
September	3.89
October	3.90
November	3.91
December	3.92

PORT RECEIPTS

(By Private Wire to M. H. Thomas & Co.)

Receipts of cotton at the leading ac-

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and closed on the New York Stock Exchange today as follows:

Open	High	Low	Close
Missouri Pacific	106 1/2	106 1/4	106 1/2
Union Pacific	121 1/2	121 1/4	121 1/2
Texas and Pacific	34	34	34
New York Central	148 1/2	148 1/4	148 1/2
Louisville and Nashville	138 1/2	138 1/4	138 1/2
St. Paul	176 1/2	176 1/4	176 1/2
Southern Pacific	65 1/2	65 1/4	65 1/2
Atchafalaya	88 1/2	88 1/4	88 1/2
Atchison	101 1/2	101 1/4	101 1/2
Erle	43 1/2	43 1/4	43 1/2
Baltimore and Ohio	102 1/2	102 1/4	102 1/2
Southern Railway	34	34	34
Reading	87 1/2	87 1/4	87 1/2
Great Western	23 1/2	23 1/4	23 1/2
Rock Island	35 1/2	35 1/4	35 1/2
M. K. and T. pfd.	65 1/2	65 1/4	65 1/2
M. K. and T. com.	31 1/2	31 1/4	31 1/2
Pennsylvania	137 1/2	137 1/4	137 1/2
Colorado Fuel and Iron	47 1/2	47 1/4	47 1/2
Western Union	94 1/2	94 1/4	94 1/2
Tennessee Coal and Iron	71 1/2	71 1/4	71 1/2
Manhattan L.	170 1/2	170 1/4	170 1/2
Metropolitan	115 1/2	115 1/4	115 1/2
United States Steel	30 1/2	30 1/4	30 1/2
U. S. Steel, pfd.	94 1/2	94 1/4	94 1/2
Sugar	142 1/2	142 1/4	142 1/2
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	60 1/2	60 1/4	60 1/2
United States Leather	13 1/2	13 1/4	13 1/2
People's Gas	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/2
Amalgamated Copper	73 1/2	73 1/4	73 1/2
Mexican Central	22 1/2	22 1/4	22 1/2

JURY ASSESSES DEATH PENALTY

(Special to The Telegram)

GEORGETOWN, Texas, Jan. 31.—Preston Tankersly charged with killing his wife, Lou Tankersly, in August, was given the death penalty this morning.

The prosecution was led by County Attorney Neal. According to the evidence Tankersly went home and found his wife and charged her with infidelity and pushed her to death. Tankersly testified on the stand that he killed his wife.

The day of execution has not been fixed.

CANAL COMMISSION TO BE ABOLISHED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—The house committee on interstate and foreign commerce today authorized a favorable report on the Mann bill, abolishing the Panama canal commission and placing the government of the canal zone and the work of the construction of the canal entirely in the hands of the president.

SEEKS SETTLERS FOR TEXAS LAND

HOUSTON, Texas, Jan. 31.—A nucleus of what will be a state association of the land owners was formed here today. The meeting was called by the Houston and Galveston Business Leagues, and was very largely attended.

It was decided that negro labor is not satisfactory or dependable for farmers, following diversified crops and intensified agriculture. Immigrants are wanted from abroad. It was also decided to have immigrants here write their friends and families back home, including literature, inviting settlement in Texas.

An invitation was extended to United States Commissioner of Immigration Sargeant to visit Houston and Galveston, to further work along this line.

PRESIDENT NAMES NEGRO

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 31.—The president has decided to appoint Thomas J. Woodward postmaster at New Orleans, La. Walter L. Cohen, a negro, will be

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NOTICE

Notice is hereby given of the intention to apply to the Twenty-ninth session of the legislature of the state of Texas, now in session at the city of Austin, in said state of Texas, for the passage of amendments to the charter of the city of Fort Worth, amending and changing said charter as follows, to-wit:

1. Making all officers of said city elected by the people.
2. Prescribing limits in which may be conducted saloons and houses where intoxicating liquors are sold and in which may be sold in said city.
3. Providing means for the improvement of streets and parks.
4. Providing for a referendum in the granting or renewal of franchises and in the adopting of certain ordinances.
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Leaving St. Louis	9:00 a. m.	12:30 p. m.	9:06 p. m.	11:32 p. m.
Arriving at Detroit	7:50 p. m.	11:40 p. m.	9:40 a. m.	12:10 p. m.
Arriving at Buffalo	4:06 a. m.	7:35 a. m.	6:50 p. m.	7:50 p. m.
Arriving at New York	3:30 p. m.	9:00 p. m.	7:40 a. m.	7:30 a. m.
Arriving at Boston	5:20 p. m.	9:50 a. m.	10:10 a. m.	

Unexcelled Service Between St. Louis and Chicago

Leave St. Louis	9:22 a. m.	2:00 p. m.	9:06 p. m.	11:32 p. m.
Arrive in Chicago	5:20 p. m.	9:50 p. m.	7:30 a. m.	8:00 a. m.

Leaving St. Louis: 2:10 p. m. Leaving St. Paul: 7:10 p. m.

Arriving in Minneapolis: 8:15 p. m. Leaving Minneapolis: 7:45 p. m.

Arriving in St. Paul: 8:50 a. m. Arriving in St. Louis: 2:00 p. m.

The New Pittsburg Route

Leave St. Louis	9:00 a. m.	12:30 p. m.	9:05 p. m.
Arrive Toledo	7:40 a. m.	10:50 p. m.	8:10 a. m.
Arrive Pittsburg	6:30 a. m.	6:30 a. m.	4:15 p. m.

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George D. Ackley to W. P. Harrison, 6 acres of J. B. York survey, \$1,200.

Roy C. Vance et al to C. R. Keith, lot 13, Carlock's addition, \$5,000.

A. P. Moore to John F. Moring, lot 4, block 12, Handley, \$375.

J. P. Graves to E. R. Crosby, lot 9, block 18, Lawn Terrace addition, \$1,050.

Robert Tombs to A. Clingman et al, 320 acres, H. G. Cattlet survey, \$125.

W. L. McNeill and wife to J. W. Carter, lots 86 and 87, block 9, Ditto & Collins addition to Arlington, \$275.

J. W. Carter and wife to B. B. Spruance, lots 86 and 87, block 9, Ditto & Collins addition to Arlington, \$1,600.

MANY JAPANESE FROZEN TO DEATH

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 31.—General Kuropatkin in dispatches dated Jan. 29 and 30, reports the Japanese losses in the recent fighting were very heavy, many being bayoneted and sabred. The total number of Japanese prisoners has not been ascertained, but they already exceed three hundred. The Russian losses Jan. 25 among the advance posts were five officers and fifty men. General Kuropatkin says the Japanese offensive was indecisive and that the Russians, who are in excellent spirits, continue to occupy the village on their right flank, captured during the recent fighting. The Russians continue to successfully bombard Sandepas, where many Japanese have been frozen to death.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

W. H. Murphy and wife to Elbert Roberts, lot 15, block 1, Walcott's addition, \$2,500.

Richard Bruce and wife to Charles Bruce and wife, lots 568 and -8, block 22, Hyde Park addition, \$1,200.

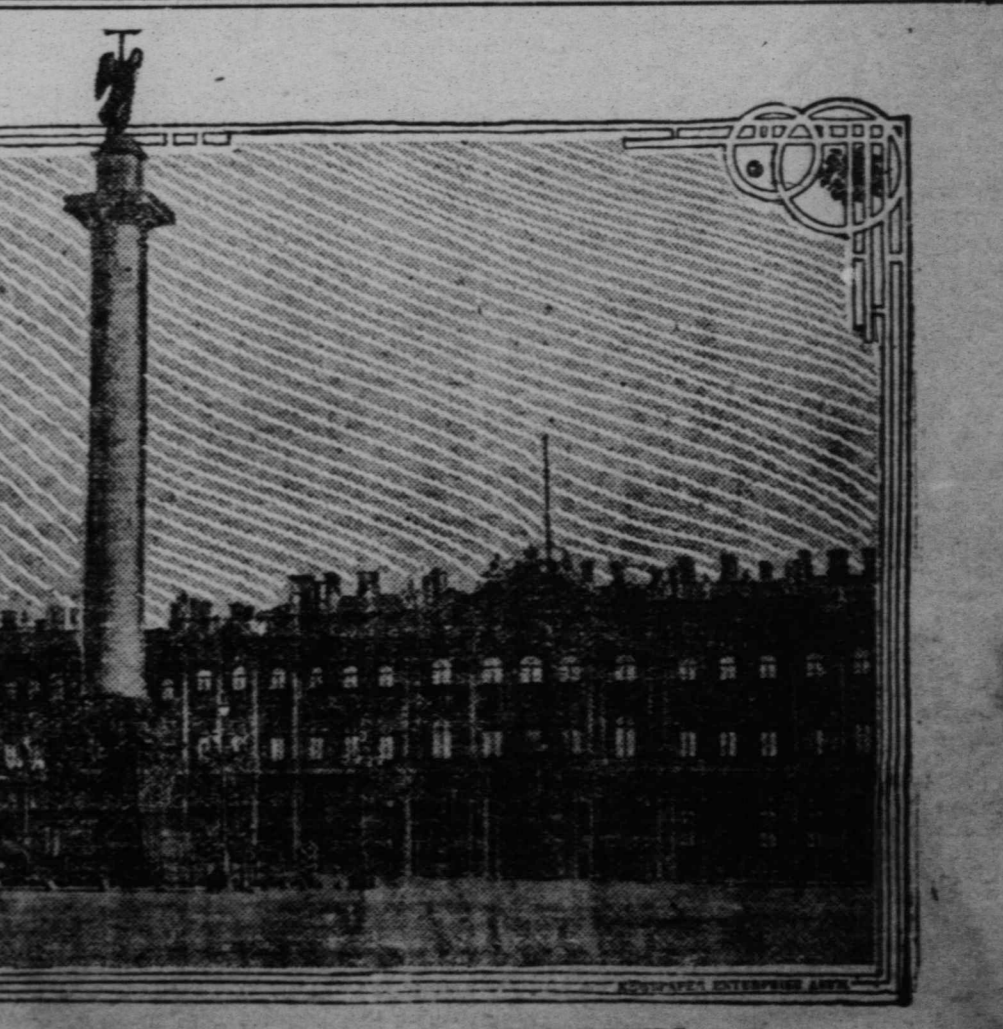
W. R. Harper to J. M. George, lot 4, block 47, Glenwood addition, and lots 7 and 8, block 7, Tyler's Lake Park Place, \$2,100.

Miss Hattie Gummels to Charles Wiggins, parts lots 1 and 2, block 68, Highlands in Glenwood, \$300.

John Smith to J. W. Wallace, 29.1 acres, E. H. Mahan survey, \$450.

A. Capitt to Robert Harrison et al, 8.4 acres, being part of Samuel's addition, \$1,500.

Dr. Broiles went to Decatur today on professional business.



Live Stock

TODAY'S RECEIPTS

Cattle	3,000
Hogs	2,000
Horses and mules	10

TOP PRICES TODAY

Steers	\$3.70
Cows	3.00
Bulls	2.25
Calves	4.50
Hogs	4.87 1/2

MARKET REVIEW

NORTH FORT WORTH, Jan. 31.—Receipts of cattle today were close to 3,000 head, the supply dragging in all day, against 2,237 Tuesday of last week, 1,613 the same day in December and 2,169 the corresponding day in 1904.

Quite a liberal supply of beef steers was in, but not the equal of the run on Monday. Most of the supply was short fed or grassers. Orders appeared to be plentiful, and bidding was energetic and continuous. Prices ruled steady with the week's opening, quality considered. Best steers on sale brought \$2.70, with the bulk at from \$2.50 to the former price.

The cow supply was large and at first the trade was inclined to drag, but when outsiders began bidding local buyers took hold, and thereafter the trade ruled steady. Top cows sold at \$3.

No one can tell what a day will bring forth in the cattle trade. After a degree of dullness in feeder bull sales, a demand developed today that exceeded the call for fat bulls. This insured steady prices all round.

The calf trade also picked up. No one to the extent of raising prices above the \$4.75 mark for tops, but a general feeling of betterment and a larger demand. Best calves sold at \$4.50 today.

HOGS

The hog trade opened with 1,700 arrivals and some lots overs. This was increased to 1,850 by noon, against 2,775 Tuesday of last week, 933 the same day a month ago, and 1,127 the corresponding day of the week in 1904.

The early trading was discouraging, being weak to 5c lower, but on the arrival of advices to the effect that northern markets were higher, prices took an upward turn and at noon heavy corn hogs were selling strong to 5c advance. The 600 razor backs suffered somewhat, and caused other light weight hogs to suffer.

Best hogs, \$4.87 1/2; bulk, \$4.70@4.55; lights and pigs, \$3.56@4.50.

TODAY'S SHIPPERS

CATTLE

M. E. Stewart, Monahans	29
Dan Stewart, Monahans	60
M. E. Stoker, Monahans	25
T. W. Bose & Co., Toyah	56
J. J. Miller, Hebbornville	56
E. Driscoll, Banquet	203
B. E. Houston, Cleburne	50
Mason & Allen, Marietta, I. T.	42
Satchell & Co., Waxahachie	21
Briggs & Peters, Waxahachie	49
E. A. K. Waco	50
D. T. Coy, Martin	54
M. Levy, Martin	26
J. J. Parker, Roscoe	33
Byham & Russell, Merkel	44
P. J. Bowers, Sanger	17
E. G. C. & N. Grapevine	27
J. W. & D. L. Knox, Jacksboro	142
First National Bank, Jacksboro	71
T. N. Payne, Graham	52
J. T. Spires, Frost	20
Coffin & Stone, Frost	23
Portenberry, Krum	18
Fanks & Pion, Valley View	18
J. G. Hardin, Wichita Falls	64
C. C. Arnett, Monahans	75
Harrison & McW., Baird	72
C. S. Littleton, Weatherford	42
D. E. Chew, Aledo	24

HOGS

P. C. Dallas	69
F. Berry, Minco	71
Cook, Mt. Pleasant	182
B. J. Tubbs, Oakwoods	215
B. B. Jones, Perry, Okla.	64
Deane Bros., Mulhall, Okla.	76
Deane & Ridpath, Goodnight, Okla.	82
D. E. Foster, Coyle, Okla.	93
F. M. Anderson, Guthrie, Okla.	70
F. Binehart, Meridian	90
Tascock Bros., Sweetwater	83

REPRESENTATIVE SALES

STEERS

No.	Ave. Price	No.	Ave. Price
29	750	27	825
45	1,064	21	1,065
44	1,042	25	996
54	1,011	34	1,162
8	1,236	39	1,098
45	1,094	37	1,105
26	1,041	34	1,030
29	837	27	590

HOGS

No.	Ave. Price	No.	Ave. Price
59	784	28	816
30	755	30	719
25	578	115	648
19	662	175	850
1	1,030	210	766
7	878	225	808
1	1,140	300	641
14	706	140	1,160
1	1,230	300	980
1	610	100	828
1	780	125	883
8	870	275	1,000
3	706		

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A BROADER STATESMANSHIP

The Telegram has referred to the broad statesmanship that has been developed in President Roosevelt and William J. Bryan, the two great leaders of our two great political parties, and how each has manifested a very decided disposition to endorse what is good for the entire country regardless of its origin. This disposition on the part of these leaders has elicited much favorable comment from the fact that it is measuring up to the requirements of the situation as viewed from the standpoint of all patriotic and conservative citizens. There has been too much fire-eating and too much partisanship in all of our past political history. No other nation on the face of the earth has gone politically daff so many times as our people. So bitter and acrimonious have been our great national contests that people from other countries have trembled with the fear of revolution, and when the smoke of political battle had cleared away and the fierce political battles were all forgotten, these people have wondered why it was that we could so easily forget and forgive the rancor so generally exhibited. It has been strange to them from the fact that they do not understand American people and American political methods.

But the American people are getting tired of this horse play. The nation is getting too big and too broad in its views to much longer submit to the methods of the past. Men are learning that American means much more than democrat or republican, and American manhood is going to find satisfaction in nationalism that could never be gained in partisanship. America has become a great world power, and is rapidly taking the front rank among the nations of this earth. Respected by the other nations of the earth for her manifest greatness and unlimited resources and possibilities, the time has already come when to be an American means something. Our people are taking a pride in their nationality, and our statesmen are quick to catch on and get in line with the masses of the people. Senator Beveridge, republican senator from Indiana, is one of these who believes that the spirit of nationalism should be fostered and encouraged. In a recent address he said:

"All our past history and the large and lasting statesmanship of the present is but the development of a single principle as simple as it is irresistible—the principle of nationality. And the laws of congress and policies of presidents in the future must spring from this same eternal principle. "What is good for all of our American people; what will bind closer and still closer together all the American people; what will make more fervent and lasting the spirit of brotherhood among all the American people; what will best destroy the spirit of provincialism and pride of locality wherever found and strengthen the spirit of Americanism and pride of nationhood over every inch of the republic—these are the questions which American lawgivers should ask themselves in determining every act. For our country, broad rivers divide it; steep mountains divide it. The speeding years promise a hundred and fifty million people within a single existing lifetime; and in the distant future it can be held together only by a national wisdom in the minds of the millions profound enough to understand that the interests of New York and Nebraska are one; that the destiny of Michigan and Mississippi are identical; that the opinion and the ideals of the people of Indiana are the opinion and ideals of the people of all the land, even to its uttermost borders; and that the thought and aspirations of Americans living on our seaboard are those of Americans dwelling midway between the oceans."

What is good for all our people—that is the idea exactly. Let us get above the groveling things that are embodied in extreme partisanship and take the broad view of what is best for our nation as a whole. Let us bear in mind that we are not a small portion of American citizenship, but that we are American citizenship in its entirety, and that if the affairs of this great nation of ours are to progress along proper lines, and our country achieve its manifest destiny it must be through the medium of unity and fraternity among our people. We want no north, no south, no east and no west in the affairs of this nation, but we do want the nation as a whole presenting a solid front, united and indissoluble forever. If one portion of the United States

suffers it should be the concern of all. If one section is menaced it must be protected by all. In fact, we must rise to the point where we can obliterate all sectional lines and call ourselves Americans in all that the term implies. Our public men can do the country no greater service than to cultivate and develop this spirit of nationalism, for it is the very cornerstone of our national existence. No government can stand that is not based on these broad principles. No party can continue to dominate when it is predicated upon selfish purposes. There must be liberality of thought and action, and it is most gratifying that the leaders on both sides are recognizing the necessity of falling into line and encouraging nationalism among our people.

Colonel B. F. Youkum may safely proceed with that contemplated railway construction in Texas. The people of this state have no intention of legislating any railway company out of business. All they want is laws that will compel these great corporations to stand their just proportion of the cost of government—no more and no less. One would infer from reading the daily papers that the great railway magnate was apprehensive that Texas is about to tear up all the railway tracks in the state, but such is not the case. Texas wants all the additional railway mileage she can obtain, but she is not willing to turn the state over bodily to the railways in order to have them develop the waste places. Our present railways seem to be thriving and they are all being operated under Texas laws.

Dallas says she will make an effort to obtain the next meeting of the Cattle Raisers' Association of Texas, provided Fort Worth will agree to support her in the effort. When the crack made by that town here last March is taken into consideration she displays her nerve in expecting assistance from Fort Worth, especially in taking to that city something that legitimately belongs to Fort Worth. Dallas should let the cattlemen of Texas alone and confine her efforts to things that come legitimately within her sphere. Fort Worth will assist Dallas any day in the year to obtain another boll weevil convention, but the cattlemen's convention is something that is beyond the heft of Dallas to handle and entertain.

There is much condemnation of the action of State Treasurer Robbins in the country press concerning that gentleman's action in declaring that he will not observe the declaration of the state democratic platform on the subject of nepotism. The country press stands very close to the masses, and if Treasurer Robbins is wise he will heed the gentle admonitions that are being wafted in his direction from the forks of the creek. The gentle zephyrs are laden with whisperings of the word "don't."

Immigration from Europe to the United States during the month of December broke all previous records, 53,926 immigrants having landed on these shores during that month. Much of this immigration is very undesirable, but it seems the bad has to come with the good. Many thoughtful minds are becoming seriously alarmed over the immigration problem, and it is predicted that future legislation on the subject will be much more restrictive than at any time in the past.

Those packers who have been insisting so vociferously that there is no beef trust will please take notice that the supreme court of the United States has succeeded in locating such an institution. Perhaps they will now contend that the members of that august tribunal are only agitators.

Honduras is now said to be rapidly planning and fomenting a revolution, and it may be that the services of this government will soon be called into requisition to give those struggling people a more stable form of government. Uncle Sam can provide the stable if they will only stand hitched.

The naval appropriation bill has been reported to the lower house of congress, and carries the sum of \$109,970,073. That is a pretty big price to pay for the privilege of plowing the mighty deep with sufficient warships to make the other nations of the earth show the proper respect for the American flag.

The man who is building the Orient railway in Texas does not seem to be influenced by any prospects of adverse legislation. Steel is now being laid north out of Sweetwater, and the state legislature is in session at Austin, engaged in the consideration of several different railway measures.

One member of the state legislature expresses the opinion that the session will last the full period of six months, and the people of the state are wondering what the members can find so attractive about Austin as to cause them to wish to linger so long.

It is now claimed that the trouble in Russia was all brought about through the machinations of socialists. It is a wonder that the statement has not been launched that Japanese torpedo boats were seen in the vicinity of all the rioting.

Two or three of the southern states have not yet sent in their electoral votes to be counted at Washington, and the president officer of the senate is preparing to send special messengers after them. The time under the law when the returns should have been in expired on Jan. 23.

The emperor of Germany is anxious to effect a change of professors with the United States. If he will take mind readers, chiropodists, hypnotists, horse doctors and negro teachers, we could well afford to give him about one hundred for one of the real thing.

WITH THE CATTLEMEN

RULES FOR FAT STOCK SHOW The catalogue of the coming Fat Stock Show has not yet been received from the printer, but we give the following rules and regulations in advance for the guidance of intending exhibitors. The catalogue will say: In view of the fact that the tendency in our state is towards the maintenance of smaller herds of higher excellence it has been decided to offer a set of prizes to the young men showing the greatest ability as judges of live stock. One hundred dollars divided into four prizes will be awarded to those doing best work in judging. Classes of animals similar to those in the regular exhibition rings will be made up and the contestants required to state how, in their opinion, these animals should be placed and their reasons for such placing.

RULES AND REGULATIONS 1. Any resident of the state under 25 years of age who has never taken an agricultural college course may compete. 2. An undergraduate agricultural student or student regularly enrolled at A. and M. College in 1904, is eligible to compete. 3. An entrance fee of \$1 will be required from each contestant at the time of entering. 4. All those wishing to compete must make application to the secretary of the National Breeders' and Fort Worth Fat Stock Show one week before the opening day of the show. 5. Each contestant will be required to judge classes of cattle, sheep and swine. The first prize will be \$50, second \$25, third \$15, fourth \$10.

RULES FOR EXHIBITORS The rules for the government of exhibitors at the show are here set forth: 1. All stock intended for exhibition must be in the pens at Fort Worth stock yards by 6 o'clock p. m., Monday, March 20. No entry fee will be charged except on carloads of fat cattle, which will be \$5 per car. 2. Special care will be taken that no animal having disease of any character will be admitted into the yards at any time of the show, and the secretary is instructed and authorized to refuse unloading privileges to any stock having disease. 3. In as far as possible shelter will be provided for breeding stock brought in for exhibition. Intending exhibitors of breeding stock are requested to notify the secretary far enough in advance in order that he may make reservation of sheded space. Carloads of cattle intended for competition in the fat classes are not promised shelter. 4. Exhibitors of animals must furnish the secretary with their names and addresses, the number and class of animals to be exhibited, on or before March 1, 1905, as no entries will be received after that date. 5. Every exhibition animal must be entered and exhibited for competition in the name of the bona fide owner at the time of entry. 6. No animal on exhibition can be re-

Such cows must have produced a matured calf since Sept. 1, 1903, or show satisfactory evidence of being in calf. Where objection is made (and sustained by the executive committee), as to a cow's eligibility under this rule, any premium awarded to such a cow shall be withheld until said cow shall have produced, on or before June 1, 1905, a calf. 15. Decisions of judges shall be final and no appeal will be considered, except in case of protest. 16. Those offering special premiums reserve the right, where classes on which such premiums are offered do not fill, to transfer same to whichever class they may choose. 17. In the absence of competition only first premium will be paid. 18. Age of registered cattle will be computed from Jan. 1, except in junior and senior classes, which will be Sept. 1. Beef cattle, hogs and sheep will be computed from Jan. 1. 19. All cattle for exhibition must be shown in one ring. 20. Requisitions for space in covered sheds will not be accepted later than March 1, 1905, and space will be allotted in the order that bona fide written applications are received. 21. The judges are instructed in all classes where entry is not worthy of first premium to rate them according to their merit. 22. No exhibitor will be allowed to make more than two entries in any one section. 23. An admission fee of 25c for adults, and 10c for children under 12 will be charged. Exhibitors are requested to notify shipping agent at original shipping point that stock is intended for exhibition, and have agent mark on bill of lading. "For Exhibition at Fort Worth Fat Stock Show." This will entitle exhibitors to return their stock free, provided same has not changed hands. Full local rates must be paid to Fort Worth by the exhibitor, and when certified by the secretary that stock is being returned to point of origin and original consignor, the railroads will make return shipments free. The native pens at the Fort Worth stock yards are recognized by the quarantine authorities, and cattle from points north and west of the line can come and go out with a clean bill of health. Address all communications concerning the show to V. S. WARDLAW, Secretary, Fort Worth, Texas.

Gleanings From the Exchanges If all the surplus cotton in the country was used to build new cotton factories Texas would not only have as many cotton mills as it has congressmen, but in some parts as many as it has county



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Advertisement for 'Last Call' featuring a graphic of a hand holding a telephone receiver. Text: 'Last Call You can yet pay your POLL TAX, County or City, tonight. The Tax Collectors will wait for you till 9 o'clock TONIGHT'

Advertisement for 'Great Cities Reached Great Railway' listing cities like Chicago, St. Louis, Kansas City, etc. Text: 'By a Great Railway TWICE-A-DAY SERVICE Lowest Rates Always Write PHIL A. AUER, G.P.A., Fort Worth'

Advertisement for 'Do Not Neglect a Cold' featuring 'BALLARD'S HOREHOUND SYRUP'. Text: 'Every cold weakens the Lungs, lowers the Vitality and makes the system less able to withstand each succeeding cold, thus paving the way for more serious diseases. CAN YOU AFFORD TO TAKE SUCH CHANCES? BALLARD'S HOREHOUND SYRUP PERMANENTLY CURES Consumption, Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Asthma, Croup, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Sore Lungs. EVERY MOTHER SHOULD KNOW THAT BALLARD'S HOREHOUND SYRUP CONTAINS NO OPIATES, DOES NOT CONSTIPATE CHILDREN AND WILL POSITIVELY CURE CROUP AND WHOOPING COUGH.'

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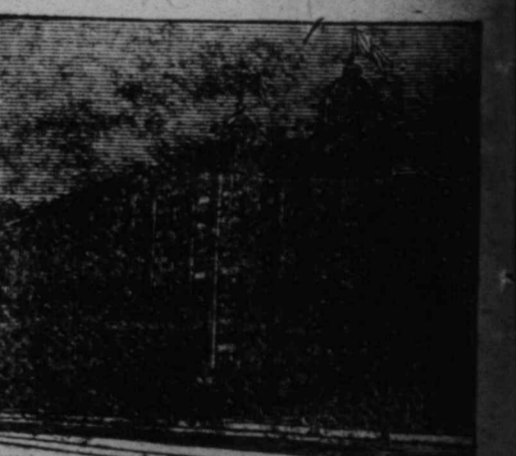
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Picturesque Groupings and Handsome Costumes.

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ENGLISH GRAND OPERA

How Savage Company Has Grown During Nine Years Past

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That same company has now become the largest and best in the world. It is known in every musical school in the land. It opened the way for American opera. On its roster this year are the young singers from every state in the union and from Canada. Thus was the Savage English Grand Opera Company founded and nourished, the same company that will be heard here in choice productions from its repertoire. There will be separate casts for each opera, giving an opportunity to hear all the favorite

SINGLE DIAMOND WORTH \$4,000,000

Most Valuable Gem in History
of the World Found in
South Africa

JOHANNESBURG, Jan. 31.—The most magnificent diamond known in the history of the world has been discovered in the Levy mine near Johannesburg, a stone which weighs 3,600 carats and is valued at \$2,500,000 to \$4,000,000.

This weight is a pound and a half, averduupois!

The owner of the mine is a New York man, Jefferson M. Levy. A brief telegram was sent him announcing the find.

The stone is believed to be perfect. What its weight will be after cutting is problematical, the loss in cutting the diamond being 790 carats in the rough to 186 carats cut.

The largest rough diamond hitherto found was in Brazil, in the eighteenth century. It weighed 1,850 carats, or fourteen ounces. It was sent to the court of Portugal, to which nation Brazil then belonged, and was variously valued by experts up in the millions. But it turned out to be worth only \$2,000,000, as it was not brilliant.

LAST FOUND WEIGHED 900 CARATS

The last diamond of any note found in recent years was the "Syndicate," dug up in the De Beers mines about two years ago. It weighed, until cut, 900 carats.

Some others, noted for their size or history, are the Great Mogul, the Orloff, the Regent, the Florentine, the Southern Star, the Kohinoor, the Shah, the Sanel, and the Polar Star. The collection of gems of the late emperor of Brazil was said to have contained for his use as a Brazanite, which weighed 1,850 carats, or about twelve ounces. It is believed, however, it was only a fine colorless topaz.

Another large diamond, when cut, was owned by the rajah of Mattan. It weighed 367 carats. It was egg shaped, with an indented hollow near one end. Many years ago the governor of Borneo offered \$500,000, two warships fully equipped, a number of cannon, and a quantity of powder for it.

The Kohinoor is valued at \$1,500,000, and it once was in the possession of the great mogul. It is believed that in the first cutting a big piece weighing 180 carats was taken off and since became known as the Orloff. The Orloff is owned by the emperor of Russia and is said to once have been the eye of an Indian idol. It is valued at \$1,000,000.

THE REGENT BEYOND PRICE

The Regent, another famous jewel, weighed 280 carats and was cut down to 136. In 1781 it was valued at \$2,400,000. Since then it has not been valued. It is unrivaled for limpidness and form. It was found in Golconda and brought from India by Pitt, grandfather of the first earl of Chatham, who sold it to the duke of Orleans for \$75,000. It decorated the hilt of the sword of state of the first Napoleon, but was taken from him by the Prussians at the battle of Waterloo. It now belongs to the king of Prussia.

The Star of South Africa weighed 288 carats and was cut to 135 carats. It was sold to an oriental potentate for \$400,000.

The Florentine weighed 135 carats after leaving the cutter's hands and sold for about \$300,000. The Victoria diamond shown at the Paris exposition of 1875 was sold to the nizam of Hyderabad for \$400,000, nearly a year's income in his realm.

In point of historical interest the Sanel diamond probably comes first. It weighed 106 carats, and belonged to Charles the Bold, duke of Burgundy, who wore it in his hat at the battle of Nancy, at which he fell. A Swiss soldier found the jewel and sold it to a clergyman for a gulden. It passed into the possession of a French king of Portugal, who was obliged to sell it for \$20,000. It then got into the possession of Sanel, a Frenchman, one of whose descendants was sent as an ambassador by his sovereign, who required the diamond as a pledge. The servant carrying it was murdered, but not until he had swallowed the diamond. His master had the body cut open and found the stone. The diamond then went into the possession of the crown of England, and James II carried it with him to France in 1688. Louis XV wore it at his coronation. In 1835 it was purchased by a rich Russian nobleman.

"THE CALL OF DUTY CAN'T BE IGNORED"

Says W. J. Bryan When Asked if He Again Will Be a Candidate

CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 31.—William Jennings Bryan has made it plain that he is in the hands of his friends in the event they are casting about for an available man to lead the democratic hosts four years hence. Furthermore, he says events are so shaping themselves that the democrats will be in fine position to sweep to victory. Mr. Bryan came to the city yesterday and held a long conference with Mayor Harrison.

"The democrats were not defeated any worse in the last election than they have been before," said Mr. Bryan, "and this overthrow will simply serve to bring together all the factions and cement them into a strong body with a decisive purpose."

"Will you be a candidate four years hence?"

"I am not prepared to say at this time whether I will be a candidate or not. However, no democrat can ignore the call to duty when it comes."

"You have been praising President Roosevelt liberally of late," was suggested.

"Specifically, yes. Certain specific acts on his part call for commendation and support of all parties. However, I am not praising the republican party and its acts as a whole."

Mr. Bryan intimated that the republicans had stolen the democratic thunder in several instances. The attacks upon trusts and the efforts to regulate railroad rates and other determined stands, he said, had been democratic gospel for years. He believed it was a good thing for the democracy that the republicans had taken up these issues.

BUSINESS CHANGES AT FRISCO

FRISCO, Texas, Jan. 31.—J. A. Bryant & Company, of Frost, Texas, have purchased the stock of dry goods of Work & Wiggins at this place, and are now making inventory. It is the intention of the new firm to add several thousand dollars to the business and continue it at this place, which will be a good and substantial addition to Frisco.

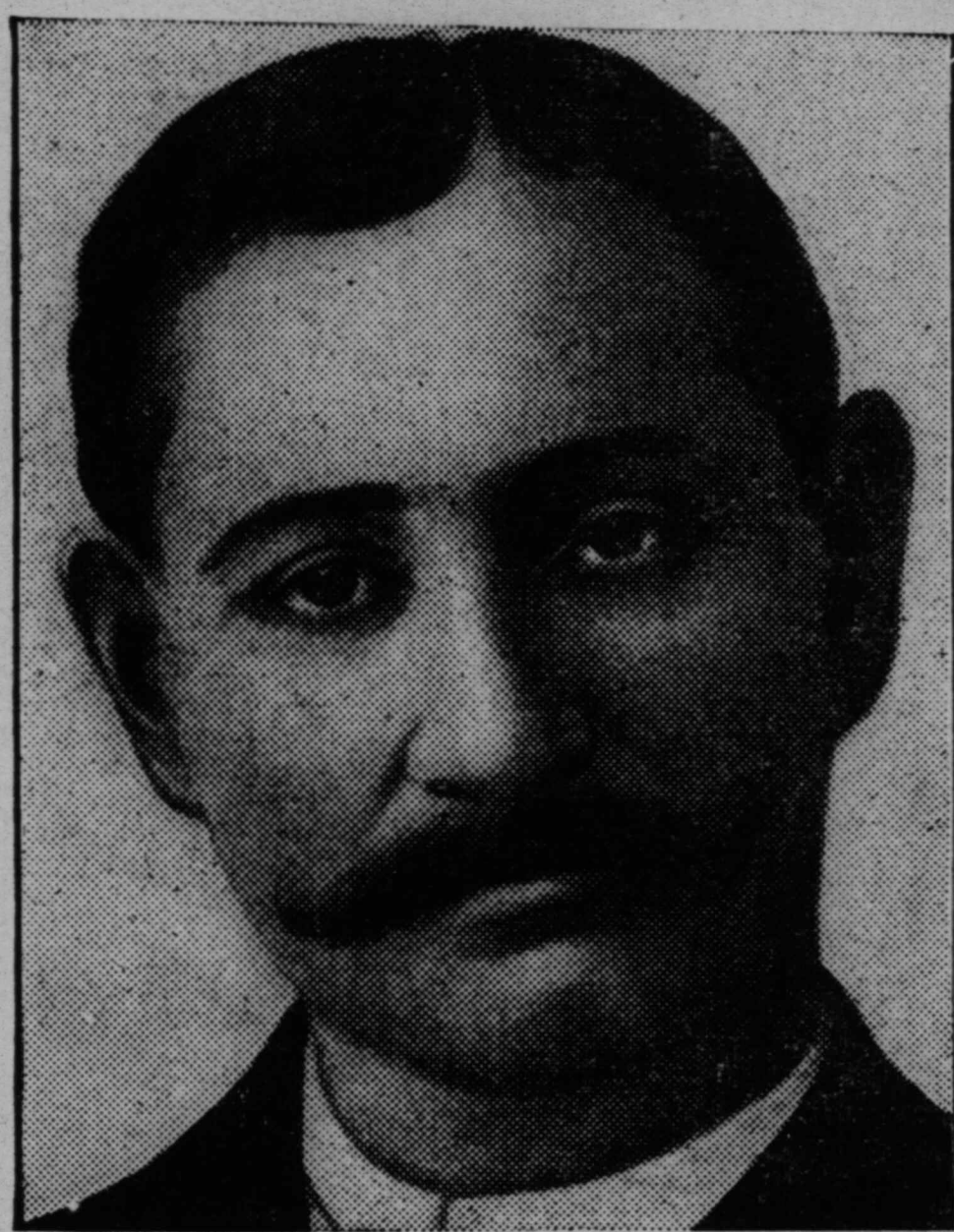
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"Early last fall I caught cold, but being strong and rugged, had an idea I could wear it off. I felt getting worse all the time. The trouble went deeper into the throat and developed a bad case of catarrhal bronchitis. Medicine seemed to have no effect. The poison worked into my lungs, and by February the doctors gave me up to die of consumption. Hemorrhages impoverished my blood; I lost flesh, and was completely prostrated.

"In despair I commenced taking Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey. The effect was like magic. I felt better from the first dose. Hops crept into my heart, refreshing sleep came back, night sweats were not so frequent. I could take deep breaths with less pain, my digestion improved, and, thanks to your wonderful medicine, in six months I was completely cured; once more a strong, hearty, well-filled-out man, full of vim, vigor and ambition."—E. A. KARNER, 3523 N. 23d Street, St. Louis, Mo. July 19, 1904.

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WIFE SHOULD AID FAMILY INCOME

Pennsylvania Professor Says
Too Many Married Women
Are Idle

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—In an address before the League for Education here, Simon N. Patten, professor of political economy of the University of Pennsylvania, has advocated that women should marry early and when married they should work, in order to have economic independence.

Professor Patten deplored the fact that so many married women are in the leisure class. He argued that the ideal which is held by so many men in regard to the support of their wives is carried on much further it will result in a deterioration of the race and a real danger to society.

In order to carry out this plan of economic independence, Professor Patten stated that the standard of life of the family should never fall below that created by the joint income of husband and wife, and under no condition should the wife think of allowing the burden of her support to fall upon her husband until he has been so enlarged as to admit such action.

"Lack of income," he continued, "is a reason often advanced against early marriage. While I realize that this kind of a condition offers disadvantages, I believe that where both the man and woman set out in industrial development they will, at the same time, develop in character also."

INDUSTRIAL DIVIDENDS

Show Marked Decrease in Comparison With 1904

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Industrial dividends payable in February show a marked

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BOUKNIGHT IS FOUND

Boy Who Left This City in 1903 Employed
in Denver

Word has been received in this city that H. C. Bouknight has been found in Denver, ending a long search for him conducted by his brother, T. J. Bouknight, an employe of the postoffice department here. Homer Bouknight was formerly a resident of this city, no news of him being heard after he accepted a position at Denver. A dispatch from this city to a Denver paper following the appearance of the story in the Telegram was seen by Bouknight, who is in the employ of one of the leading business houses of that city.

No explanation was given of his failure to communicate with the members of the family.

Bouknight was employed by the Texas Printing Company while in this city. Shortly after leaving here in the fall of 1903 he went to Mexico, returning to Texas two months later and going to Dallas. He left Dallas in February, 1904, and went to Tyrone, Okla., where he bought some land. Shortly afterward he left Tyrone and went to Denver, Colo.

Henry Bouknight, who is 20 years old, was a member of the Knights of the Macabees, having joined the organization in Dallas shortly before leaving that city.

WATER SUPPLY PLANS

Storage Tank May Be Used at Site of
New Wells

The construction of a storage tank from which the water will flow from the new wells to connect with the present water works system is now under consideration by City Engineer Hawley.

Variations in the ground to be traversed in laying the pipe line connection, together with the necessity of putting no greater pressure than necessary on the pipe has led to consideration of this plan. Under it the water will be pumped from the new well into the tank, flowing then by gravity to the connection with the present supply.

City Engineer Hawley says the tank will scarcely be of sufficient size to be designated as a stand pipe.

The contract for digging the additional well has been let to J. M. Welton, who will begin work within a few days. The work of laying the pipe line will begin immediately upon the arrival of materials.

VOTE ON STATEHOOD FEB. 7

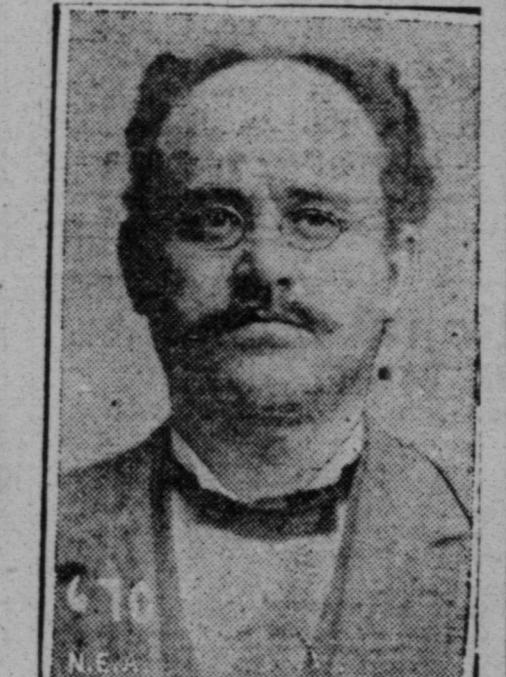
WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 31.—The senate has agreed to vote on the joint statehood bill before adjournment on Tuesday, Feb. 7.

DODGE-MORSE CASE FULL OF TANGLES

Number of Indictments Returned by New York Grand Jury Still Withheld

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—How many persons have been indicted by the grand jury in the now famous Dodge-Morse tangle is not yet known, but five indictments have been made public. The men named are Edgar L. Fursman, former justice of the supreme court of New York; Abraham Hummel and Benjamin W. Steinhardt of the well-known law firm of Howe & Hummel; Edward J. Bracken, a detective, and Charles P. Dodge, former husband of Mrs. Dodge-Morse. Hummel and Steinhardt are charged with subornation of perjury and conspiracy. The other three are charged simply with conspiracy.

The case promises to furnish all sorts of sensations before the courts get to the bottom of it. Mrs. Morse is now in Paris, from which city Morse departed a few



ADOLPH HOCH.

days ago with the announced intention of coming to New York. Mrs. William R. Gelsheisen, a wealthy New York widow, whose testimony

WAS GREATLY DESIRED

In the case, it is in Europe. Following is a concise and complete history of the mystery up to date:

Charles F. Dodge and Clemence Cowles met and married in San Francisco in 1877. They lived together for ten years, although there were many differences between them, and finally came to New York, where they separated. In 1895 Dodge went to Atlanta, Ga. He heard from his wife occasionally, but they never met.

In 1897, Dodge, who was in the dining car service, was approached by a lawyer of Atlanta, who made him a proposition to furnish the evidence upon which his wife could secure a divorce. In 1898 Mrs. Dodge sued for and received a decree of divorce. Dodge put in no defense, but was represented by a lawyer, who has since died.



ABE HUMMELL.

In 1901 Mrs. Dodge married Charles W. Morse, the New York ice king and millionaire. They lived happily until suddenly

DODGE CAME FORWARD

with a suit to have the divorce his wife had secured from him annulled on the ground that he had not been served with papers in the case. The divorce was annulled. Then the lawyer who had acted for Mrs. Dodge in her divorce suit found among the papers of a lawyer who had represented Dodge apparent proof that he had been retained and that Dodge had been served with the papers in the case. Dodge was then indicted for perjury and the annulment of the divorce was annulled. Meantime Mrs. Dodge-Morse had her marriage to Morse annulled, but that interlocutory decree was never made final. Dodge disappeared, and Mrs. Dodge-Morse went to Europe, where she still is.

WAS FINALLY ARRESTED

as he left the train from New Orleans in Texas. New York lawyers immediately became interested in him and fought his application for his extradition. Money

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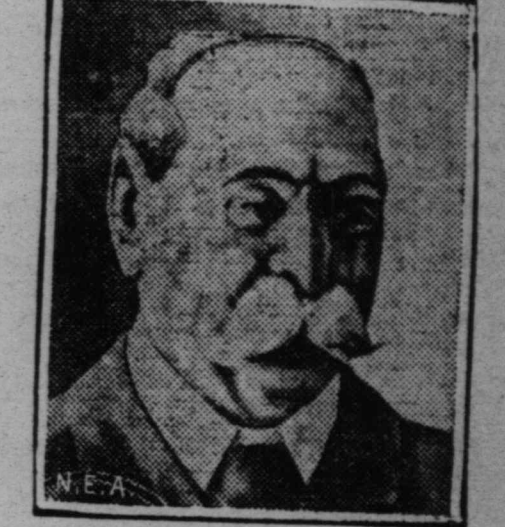
was spent lavishly in the efforts to keep him out of New York. The fight in Texas dragged along for months. Dodge was



BENJ. L. FURSMAN.

finally sent back to New York, and on his return is alleged to have made a sweeping confession involving several men of prominence.

The grand jury has had the Dodge-Morse tangle under consideration for a month. During the proceedings Mrs. Gelsheisen went to Europe. Many lawyers who have been connected with the case at various times have appeared as witnesses before the grand jury, and the books of several law firms have been examined by the jury.



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STATUE ERECTED FOR WOMAN PHYSICIAN

Honor For Dr. Mary Harrison Thompson Said to Be First of Kind Ever Bestowed

CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—What is said to be the first statue erected in honor of a woman physician in the United States, has been unveiled in Fullerton Memorial Hall at the art institute, when the friends of the late Dr. Mary Harrison Thompson presented a portrait bust of her to the institute.

Dr. Thompson was the founder in 1865 of the Mary Thompson hospital for women and children and was the pioneer woman physician of the north-west. The memorial cost \$2,250 and is the work of Daniel C. French.



A Solemn Duty.

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AMUSEMENTS

What is Catarrh?

Tonight, at 8:15—"The Runaways."

"THE RUNAWAYS"

Just about one year ago patrons of Greenwall's opera house attended the performance of Arthur Dunn in Sam S. Shubert's musical extravaganza, "The Runaways." The universal satisfaction and keen delight afforded at that time still lingers in the minds of local theater goers. The great Casino success comes again tonight at 8:15.

This year "The Runaways" will be upon a still more elaborate scale. New songs and electrical effects have been added, as well as a number of ultra-fashionable gowns from famous Parisian modistes. Among the musical numbers will be "My Radiant Firefly," "Pretty Maid Adelaide," "The Man With the Dough," "There's Nothing New to Say," "A Kiss for Each Day in the Week," "Susanna From Urbana," and "The Maid and the Jay." In the cast supporting Mr. Dunn will be all the former favorites, including Charles Cox, Clarence Harvey, Thomas Whitebread, William Meehan, Misses Ermine Earle, Blanche Wayne, Sallie Randall, the Althea sisters and the original Casino show girls.

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"SERGEANT KITTY"

The dramatic critics of New York and of every city visited this season by the comic opera "Sergeant Kitty," have agreed in saying that it is one of the best, if not the very best comic opera that has been produced on the American stage in ten years. That is saying a good deal, but the theater goers agree with the critics and that seems to strengthen the impression.

There is no grand opera in the comic opera "Sergeant Kitty," and there are no transformation scenes nor clown pantomimes in the piece. It is a straight comic opera and claims to be nothing else. The management has done all that is possible to provide a good evening's entertainment.

"Sergeant Kitty" comes to Greenwall's opera house Thursday night, Feb. 2.

BESSIE TOONE IN "IRIS"

Admirers of Pinter, the famous English dramatist, will see him at his best in the wonderful social study "Iris," to be presented at Greenwall's opera house Friday night, Feb. 3.

Of the trilogy of his serious plays, "The Second Mrs. Tanqueray," "Lettie," and "Iris," the last named strikes the deepest note. It deals with the more elemental passions in a direct and convincing way. The audience witness an every day story of tragic interest, told by characters sketched from life by a master hand. The action never pauses from the rise of the curtain to the fall. Everything is concise, logical and inevitable, leaving the conviction of actual experience and real men and women living in a social environment distinctive of a certain class in London and New York. "Iris" is a part exactly suited to Miss Bessie Toone's methods and is in some respects the most arduous she has attempted in a distinguished artistic career.

"THE LITTLE SWED"

The attraction at Greenwall's opera house Saturday matinee and night, Feb. 4, will be Hampton & Hopkins production of John Crittenden Webb's beautiful dialect comedy drama, "The Little Swede." Mr. Webb is also the author of "Land o' Cotton," "Sandy Bottom," and "After Twenty Years." "The Little Swede" contains a world of pathos and human interest that appeals to every one. It contains a story that goes straight to the heart and gets between the tears of emotion and brings the glad smile of happiness.

WARDE AND KIDDER

The engagement of the Frederick Warde and Kathryn Kidder Company in an elaborate scene production of "The Winter's Tale" at Greenwall's opera house, Monday night, Feb. 6, will be one of the most important events of the theatrical year in this city. The concentration of such talents and such scenic elaboration is sure to attract the attention and insure the attendance of all lovers of high-class drama, while it will also draw out many who have been somewhat indifferent to the legitimate drama because of the inadequateness of its presentation.

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CAMPAIGN STARTS FOR HOMESEEEKERS

Systematic Effort Based on Liberal Advertising Adopted by Trunk Lines

A systematic effort is being made by the trunk lines from the north to the southwest to advertise Texas, Oklahoma, Indian Territory, Kansas, New Mexico and Arkansas, the object being to bring homeseekers into these states and territories. To carry out the plan W. R. Draper, former publicity agent of the Frisco, has been placed in charge of the work.

This movement will be supplemented by the work of 500 immigration agents of different roads throughout the country. Mr. Draper has been given authority to use the metropolitan newspapers in the north and east to further the plan and to give widespread publicity to the movement.

IMPROVING LINE

General Superintendent Dolan Announces Denver Will Spend a Million

General Superintendent Dolan of the Denver road says that company is expending a quarter of a million dollars in better equipping the line to give the traveling public a better and quicker service between Fort Worth and Denver.

Heavier steel is being laid on the upper division toward Denver, and in the spring heavier rails will replace the light steel on the south end of the line.

New steel bridges are replacing the wooden structures and curves and grades are being removed in order that faster time may be made.

ROCK ISLAND IN MEXICO

Effort to Secure Fibre Traffic Threatens Conflict

A traffic war between the Rock Island system and the National lines of Mexico for the freight and passenger business of Yucatan, is not an improbability of the near future.

General Agent Cleveland of the Rock Island was recently ordered to Yucatan to secure the freight and passenger business to be shipped by steamer to New

Orleans and thence by rail. The National can ship to Vera Cruz, thence over the Intercoastal and then continuously by rail to the north. This is considerably the shorter route of the two. However, the mission to Yucatan of Mr. Cleveland is to make it an object for the planters and fruit growers of that southern section to ship over the Rock Island's route. If this is done the National will probably offer similar inducements.

The bulk of traffic from Yucatan is composed of fibre, which is shipped in great quantities from Progreso. The handling of this fibre gives the carriers a very large revenue, and its output is being greatly increased every year.

SIERRA MADRE EXTENSION

Line to Dedrick Offers No Engineering Difficulties

Judge A. B. Fall, general attorney for the Sierra Madre railroad, has just returned from making a trip over the proposed extension of that road southwesterly to the new town of Dedrick, 120 miles, and reports progress very satisfactory on the route.

The building of the extension, Judge Fall says, will not be very difficult, with the exception of about fourteen miles of heavy work in San Miguel canon, seventy miles from Terrazas. This canon is very crooked and it will be necessary to bridge it in several places. The altitude at Terrazas is 4,800 feet. From there the slope is gradually upward to San Miguel canon, which has an elevation of about 7,200 feet. From there the road is comparatively level to Dedrick.

The first eight miles of the extension out of Terrazas are being graded. The definite location of the remainder of the road will be completed in a few days. Colonel Hunt of El Paso is the right-of-way agent for the Greene road and is pushing his part of the work. He states that it will not be long before the people living along the northern boundary of Mexico will have railroad connection with the outside world.

WILL CHEAPEN FUEL

Phelps-Dodge Line Will Cut Cost of Coal at El Paso

Surveying is in progress for the new road that is to run from Durango, Colo., to El Paso, Texas, a distance of 500 miles. The company that is to build the line is organized under the laws of New Mexico. Estimates of the cost of construction are being made, and the road is to be built soon, according to reports received here.

The stock of the company is owned principally by the Phelps-Dodge Company. Much of the right-of-way has already been purchased and the remainder is being secured as rapidly as the work can be done.

The new road will open up the extensive Durango coal fields and put them in direct connection with El Paso, an object that is much desired by the people of El Paso, as it will give that city cheaper fuel. Besides, the railroads in that part of the country and those in Mexico will be enabled to get cheaper fuel than is now the case. While other interests will be served by opening up these coal fields, the Phelps-Dodge Company's object in building the line is to supply their immense smelting plants in El Paso and at points in Arizona.

The meeting of the Trans-Continental Passenger Association, which was to have been held in New Orleans Feb. 6, it is now announced, will meet at Chicago Feb. 13.

REPLY FROM ROOSEVELT

Doubts Ability to Attend Coming Convention of Cattle Raisers' Association in This City

John T. Lytle, secretary of the Cattle Raisers' Association, Monday evening received a reply to the invitation sent President Roosevelt to attend the cattlemen's convention in this city.

The letter expressing doubt of ability to be in Texas at that time is as follows: "THE WHITE HOUSE, WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—John T. Lytle, Secretary of Cattle Raisers' Association of Texas, Fort Worth—My Dear Sir: The president thanks you heartily for your telegram and appreciates the invitation it conveys, but it is doubtful whether he will be able to be in Fort Worth as early as the dates of your meeting. The matter will, however, be given careful consideration, and Colonel Lyon will be advised with concerning it. Very truly yours, WILLIAM LOEB, Secretary to the President. Judge F. E. Albright, who left for Washington last night, carries with him an official invitation from the city council, asking that the president come here on the occasion of his Texas trip."

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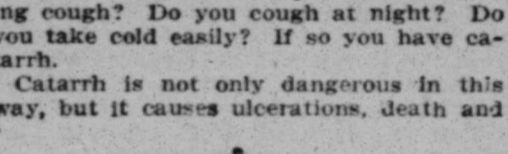
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CAMPAIGN STARTS FOR HOMESEEEKERS

A systematic effort is being made by the trunk lines from the north to the southwest to advertise Texas, Oklahoma, Indian Territory, Kansas, New Mexico and Arkansas, the object being to bring homeseekers into these states and territories.

REPLY FROM ROOSEVELT

John T. Lytle, secretary of the Cattle Raisers' Association, Monday evening received a reply to the invitation sent President Roosevelt to attend the cattlemen's convention in this city.

IMPROVING LINE

General Superintendent Dolan Announces Denver Will Spend a Million General Superintendent Dolan of the Denver road says that company is expending a quarter of a million dollars in better equipping the line to give the traveling public a better and quicker service between Fort Worth and Denver.

ROCK ISLAND IN MEXICO

Effort to Secure Fibre Traffic Threatens Conflict A traffic war between the Rock Island system and the National Lines of Mexico for the freight and passenger business of Yucatan is not an improbability of the near future.

Orleans and thence by rail. The National can ship to Vera Cruz, thence over the Interoceanic and then continuously by rail to the north. This is considerably the shorter route of the two.

SIERRA MADRE EXTENSION

Line to Dedrick Offers No Engineering Difficulties Judge A. B. Fall, general attorney for the Sierra Madre railroad, has just returned from making a trip over the proposed extension of that road southwesterly to the new town of Dedrick, 120 miles, and reports progress very satisfactory on the route.

The building of the extension, Judge Fall says, will not be very difficult, with the exception of about fourteen miles of heavy work in San Miguel canon, seventy miles from Terrazas. This canon is very crooked and it will be necessary to bridge it in several places.

WILL CHEAPEN FUEL

Phelps-Dodge Line Will Cut Cost of Coal at El Paso Surveying is in progress for the new road that is to run from Durango, Colo., to El Paso, Texas, a distance of 500 miles.

The stock of the company is owned principally by the Phelps-Dodge Company. Much of the right-of-way has already been purchased and the remainder is being secured as rapidly as the work can be done.

The meeting of the Trans-Continental Passenger Association, which was to have been held in New Orleans Feb. 6, it is now announced, will meet at Chicago Feb. 12.

THE WHITE HOUSE, WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—John T. Lytle, Secretary of Cattle Raisers' Association of Texas, Fort Worth—My Dear Sir: The president thanks you heartily for your telegram and appreciates the invitation it conveys, but it is doubtful whether he will be able to be in Fort Worth as early as the dates of your meeting.

WILLIAM LOEB, Secretary to the President. Judge F. E. Albright, who left for Washington last night, carries with him an official invitation from the city council, asking that the president come here on the occasion of his Texas trip.

If you are weak and worn-out—if you are nervous, irritable, have headache, backache, neuralgia, or periodical pains, it is because you have exhausted your nerve force.

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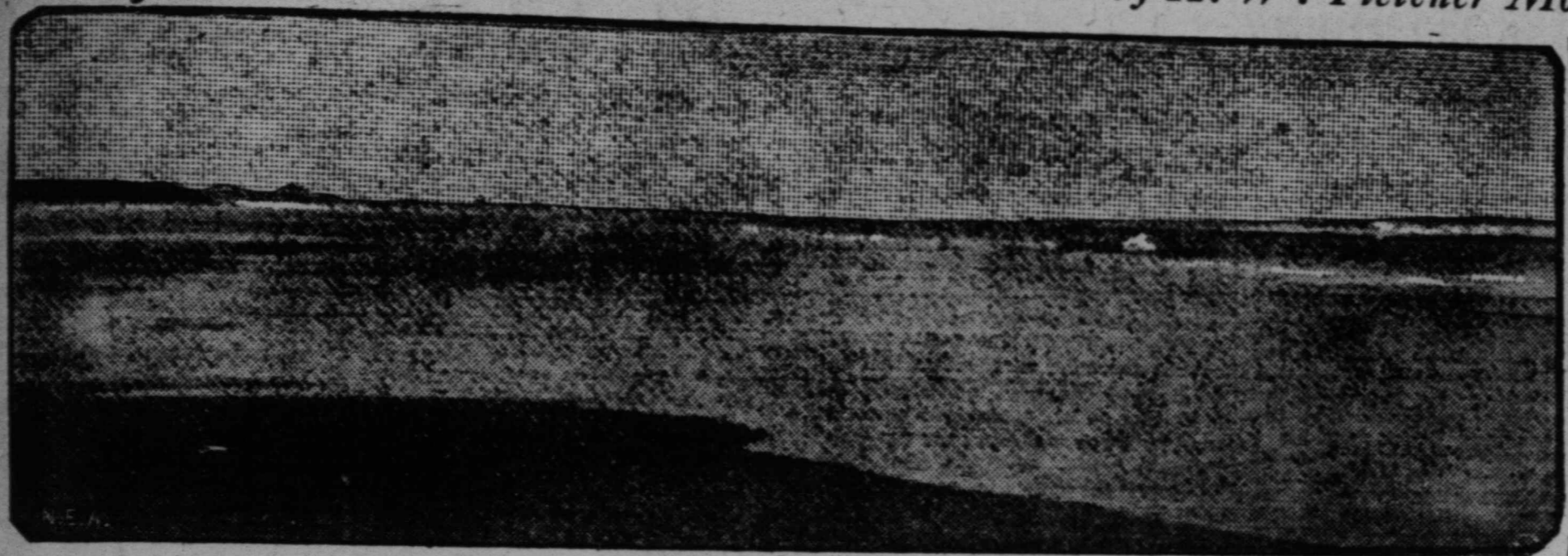
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Beach at Ormond, Fla. Where the World's 100-Mile

Automobile Record was made by H. W. Fletcher Monday



BY GEO. R. PULFORD
Special Staff Correspondence to The Evening Telegram.
ORMOND, Fla., Jan. 31.—This is it! This is the point upon which the eyes of the lovers of automobile racing are centered this week; the place where every straightaway record in existence from one mile to 100 miles will be knocked into the surf and washed away like the sins of the repentant.

The splendid beach, 400 feet in width, 5 1/2 miles long, is recognized as the fastest automobile course in the world. It would be impossible, declare engineers who have studied track building for years, for man to construct a track of any material that would offer the advantages held by the Ormond-Daytona course made by nature.

For eons the waves of the restless Atlantic have surged up to the foot of the bluffs overlooking the beach. They have carried on their resistless march the minute shell of the Coquina clam, a shell of peculiar composition and formation, which when it settles on top of millions of its fellows, leaves a roadbed upon which the flying wheels of the "devil chasers" leave absolutely no impression.

For eight hours a day the juggernauts tear up and down the beach, their be-hooded and be-goggled drivers bending every ounce of energy, human and mechanical, and applying every bit of brain they possess, toward landing their machine in front at the finish.

On an ordinary track this continuous rush back and forth would wear furrows into the roadbed that would make a continuance of the sport dangerous, but here, on the shell beach, the

ruts do not appear, and if they did, the beach next day would possess the virgin smoothness that characterized it before man guided an automobile over its white surface, for the overnight tide irons the surface until, as the waters recede, a new coating of shells has been placed by generous nature.

Following immediately the most successful automobile show ever held in this country, where the variety of exhibits gave the spectators an im-

HANDICAP WEIGHT CHANGE POPULAR

Reduction of Minimum Figure Will Benefit Smaller Eastern Tracks

By Manhattan.
NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Judge Murphy of the Hot Springs Jockey Club should be brought east. The manner in which he is taking the kinks out of jockeys who are either careless or worse is calculated to do good to the hearts of all admirers of square sport. There was plenty of work of the kind which called for the

pression that the automobile industry was the leading one of the world, the Ormond beach races have every appearance of being an unprecedented success.

The present week ushers in the third annual races of the Florida East Coast Automobile Association, an organization the chief object of which is to further interest in racing.

With entries from almost every country of Europe and almost every car manufactured in the United States,

Murphy treatment on the metropolitan tracks last season, and probably will be next. If it is impossible to get Murphy it might be possible to at least get a bit of the Murphy method.

In the opinion of Secretary Riggs of the Maryland Jockey Club the action of the Jockey Club when it changed the weight of handicaps has placed the smaller tracks on a par with the big courses, and Baltimore will be benefited.

The minimum weight was 124 pounds, and no owner of a high-class animal was anxious to race it at that weight. They, however, would take a chance at something less, and it was to get good horses in light for small purses that the rule

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was amended. Now a handicapper can place the weights of a handicap race at 100 pounds if the purse be \$500, and this will allow good horses to race.

The three tracks, Pimlico, Buffalo and Jennings, will be benefited by the change. There is a medium quality of horses that have breeding and class which can show a good article of racing, and these are the ones which are too valuable to load down with top weight to run for cheap purses. The new ruling will largely benefit this class.

During the spring meeting at Pimlico the Goughacre stable intends to race a longer string of horses than it did last fall. The horses that will carry the purple and black cap will be Shorthose, Bryn Mawr, Spring, Derry, Grecian Maid, Fallabeen, Thomond, Roscrea, Rhythm, Fergus, Alfie, Preen, Sheen, Delphie, Incense and Yeoman.

Many good 2-year-olds will be in the string, and it is thought that twenty-four horses will represent that stable at the spring meeting. Most of the youngsters are by Atheling and are expected to show speed in early training.

Harry Payne Whitney will be represented by a formidable string of thorough-

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clubs, he had to confine his operations to the tracks in the south and west.

Colonel William S. Barnes of Lexington, who for many years has owned and managed the Melbourn stud, is in the city prosecuting a suit for damages against the Lond Island Railroad Company.

Tommy Burns, the jockey who rode part of last year for Captain Sam Brown of Pittsburg, has not yet made an engagement for next season, but he is just now in communication with Captain Brown and thinks it probable that he may again find employment with Robert Tucker.

Burns, who has been at Sheephead Bay since he quit riding at Bennings in the fall, will go to Hot Springs. By skating and other outdoor exercise he has kept his weight down to 100 pounds, and at the same time retained his robust health.

Lucien Lyne is wintering at Lexington with his parents. He, too, is taking plenty of exercise and leading an abstemious life.

It is understood to be his intention to maintain the prestige of the Whitney name on the turf. Owing to the death of his father, Mr. Whitney's horses were raced in the name of Herman Duryea, who was formerly young Mr. Whitney's racing partner. Mr. Whitney was a constant visitor at the track last season, however, and took a keen interest in the sport.

From the published entry lists of stakes already closed there is not any indication that stables are nominating less generously than they did some years ago.

While in quantity some of the big handicaps are behind previous years, when it comes to quality they are all fully up to the mark, and quality, after all, is what counts.

Another western racing combination is coming east. Charles E. Durnell, known as "Boots" Durnell, who was a member of the racing firm of Durnell & Herz, which sold McChesney to E. E. Smathers for something like \$29,000, will be a part of it.

He was ruled off the turf in France three years ago, and recently returned to that country, where he remained a couple of months, pleading for the restoration of his license. When he left France for the United States he carried with him an assurance from a friend that he would be reinstated, and upon his arrival in Chicago recently he received a cablegram informing him that he is again in good standing on the French turf.

As soon as he received the news he sought out "Monte" Tenness, with whom he was associated last season. After a brief conversation Durnell announced that he had disposed of his entire stable of horses to Tenness and that he had been retained as trainer at a salary of \$20,000 a year.

The horses in the stable are Golden Rule, New Mown Hay, Flaxman and others.

It is stated that Tenness and Durnell will race in the east. This has been Durnell's ambition for some time, but owing to the fact that the jockey club recognized the rulings of the foreign jockey

YESTERDAY'S RACE RESULTS

AT ESSEX PARK
First race, 3 furlongs, 1-year-olds: San Dora 1, Mathews 2, Temple 3. Time, 0:38.
Second race, 5 1/2 furlongs, selling: Gettysburg 1, Ike 2, Clifton Boy 3. Time, 1:13 1/4.
Third race, 6 furlongs, selling: Bensonhurst 1, Colonel Simpson 2, Chansey 3. Time, 1:20 1/4.
Fourth race, 1 mile and 20 yards: Toscan 1, Possession 2, King Ellsworth 3. Time, 1:48.
Fifth race, 6 furlongs: Black Art 1, Pancreatic 2, Our Lillie 3. Time, 1:19 3/4.
Sixth race, 1 mile and 70 yards, selling: Ben Heywood 1, Tete Noir 2, Falkland 3. Time, 1:53 1/4.

AT OAKLAND

First race, futurity course, selling: The Hawaiian 1, Trapsetter 2, Penell Me 3. Time, 1:17.
Second race, 6 furlongs: Golden Idol 1, Lily Golding 2, San Jose 3. Time, 1:20 1/4.
Third race, 5 furlongs, selling: Best Man 1, Puredale 2, Educate 3. Time, 1:04 1/4.
Fourth race, 1 mile and 50 yards, selling: Barrack 1, Cincinnati 2, Instrument 3. Time, 1:52 3/4.
Fifth race, 7 furlongs, selling: Dora I 1, Foxy Grandpa 2, Box Elder 3. Time, 1:35.
Sixth race, 5 1/2 furlongs: Misty's Pride 1, Trampler 2, Sea Voyage 3. Time, 1:11 3/4.

AT NEW ORLEANS

First race, 6 furlongs: Fallons 1, Long Days 2, Isabella D 3. Time, 1:18 1/2.
Second race, 3 1/2 furlongs: Mosaic 1, Leonard Joe Hayman 2, Chauncey Olcott 3. Time, 0:44 1/2.
Third race, 6 furlongs, selling: Ralbert 1, Byplay 2, Norwood Ohio 3. Time, 1:18.
Fourth race, handicap, 1 mile: Forehand 1, Garnish 2, Lauralighter 3. Time, 1:46 2/5.
Fifth race, 1 mile and a sixteenth, selling: Joe Lessar 1, Lady Charlotte 2, Seahawk 3. Time, 1:54.
Sixth race, 5 1/2 furlongs: Little Red 1, Gladiator 2, Sharp Boy 3. Time, 1:10 3/5.

AT ASCOT PARK

First race, 1 mile and a sixteenth: Proccasia 1, Mirena 2, Stragger 3. Time, 1:49 1/2.
Second race, 5 1/2 furlongs, selling: Mercedes 1, Linda Rose 2, Crown Princess 3. Time, 1:09.
Third race, 6 1/2 furlongs, handicap: Arabo 1, Tim Payne 2, Kenilworth 3. Time, 1:29 1/4.
Fourth race, 1 mile and an eighth, selling: Golden Light 1, Helgerson 2, Position 3. Time, 1:54 3/4.
Fifth race, 5 furlongs: Awakening 1, LaLonda 2, Gold Enamel 3. Time, 1:01.

WORLD'S AUTO RECORD FOR 100 MILES MADE

H. W. Fletcher Covers Distance in Less Than an Hour and a Half at Ormond Beach, Fla.

ORMOND, Fla., Jan. 31.—A world's record for motor cars has been made for 100 miles. H. W. Fletcher, driving a ninety-horse-power car, covered the century distance yesterday in 1 hour and 26 minutes and 38 seconds, an average of 48 2/5 seconds a mile, and beating all other contestants by about three minutes.

Ten of the fastest cars started in this race, and the course was laid for the two-mile post north to the sixteen-mile post, then back with three turns at the two-mile post. There were four turns at the sixteen-mile post and the finish was at the club house. The cars started out at one minute intervals. The ninety-horsepower car, owned by O. P. Thomas of New York, and driven by H. W. Fletcher, was the dark horse in the race, starting last with nine minutes between it and the leader. At different stages in the race it overtook the field except two and won the race by about four minutes. Paul Sartori was second, with M. G. Bernin a good third, less than one minute behind.

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Townsend-Esch Measure, Favorably Reported to House, Sweeping in Provisions

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NEAR SOLUTION?

Colorado Springs Chief of Police Prepared to Issue Warrant

COLORADO SPRINGS, Col., Jan. 31.—Chief of Police Rebole of the city, who has been on the trail of Milton Franklin, suspected of having murdered Bessie Bouton, has returned. He announces that he is convinced of two things; first, that the body found on Cutler mountain is that of Mrs. Bessie Bouton; second, that Milton Franklin, alias George Bouton, alias George Barnett, who he believes is responsible for her death. The chief says he will have a warrant issued at once for Franklin's arrest. He says that Franklin is in hiding in New York city and that he has been traveling with a woman who calls herself his sister.

STATION AT WACO
WILL COST \$75,000

Work on Structure to be Built by Cotton Belt Will Commence Next Spring

The new Cotton Belt passenger station here will be one of the prettiest and most up to date in the country. It will be two stories high, built or pressed brick or stone, appropriately trimmed, and will extend clear through the ground from Third to Fourth streets, with sheds in the street for trains to pass under. All modern appliances will be at hand, and the structure will cost about \$75,000, possibly more ere it is finished.

The damage suit of J. H. Scharborough against the Katy railway for \$1,700, the allegations being that the railway had a lot of Johnson grass growing along its right of way, the seed of which was allowed to mature and get into a farm of Judge Scharborough, has been passed upon in the jury verdict for plaintiff.

The largest central body of building trades unions ever organized in this city, the Associated Building Trades, has effected permanent organization. It contains thirty-three unions directly engaged in the building trades with an aggregate membership of 75,000, and is a much stronger body than even the old board of building trades of which Samuel Parks was president.

Five representatives from every affiliated union are in the new organization, which now has an inner body called the board of representatives or walking delegates which will meet every Wednesday. This board will order strikes when authorized by the Associated Building Trades, but has no voting power at regular meetings of the body. The unions of housemasons and brickmen and of bricklayers—two of the strongest local labor bodies, are the only ones of consequence not included in the membership. They have been asked to join.

Arbitration of all difficulties is provided for under the constitution which states that strikes will be a last resort. Within a week a committee will be appointed to wait on the Building Trades Employers' Association and demand a conference to end the present lockout and order that a joint conference may be held of representatives of unions and employers to formulate a new arbitration agreement.

WEATHER

FORECAST
Forecast until 8 p. m. tomorrow for Texas, east of the one hundredth meridian, issued at New Orleans, is as follows:

East Texas (north)—Tonight and Wednesday, unsettled weather, and probably rain, colder Wednesday, and in extreme west portion tonight and Wednesday (lighting) any one, and probably rain. Colder in west portion Wednesday.

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

Snow continues to fall from Idaho eastward to the Atlantic coast, and southward on a line east and west with the central portion of Iowa. An area of high pressure is entering the upper Missouri valley with temperatures varying from 10 to 20 degrees below zero. Rain is falling over middle California, middle Kansas and the west Gulf coast. Foggy weather prevails in Oklahoma and Tennessee. The country is generally cloudy, except in the southwest quarter of the country.

Texas is cloudy, and some rain has fallen in the southwest. Temperatures vary from 20 degrees at Amarillo to near 60 degrees on the coast. D. S. LANDIS, Official in Charge.

WILL KEEP SCHOOL OPEN

At a mass meeting of citizens held at the Rosen Heights school building Monday night a committee was appointed to take steps toward having Rosen Heights made an independent school district. Another committee was appointed to confer with the school trustees of North Fort Worth in regard to the proper division of Rosen Heights into two school districts. The committee expressed on all sides that the school should be continued at all events and that immediate action must be taken to see that it remains open the entire term.

C. A. Carpenter, Riley Hubb and J. N. Burton have been appointed as school trustees for the district, exclusive of North Fort Worth. The committee appointed to investigate making Rosen Heights an independent school district and the committee to confer with the board of North Fort Worth were instructed to report at a meeting of citizens which will be held at the school house on Thursday night.

Among other things discussed at the meeting was the question of permitting children of North Fort Worth to attend the Rosen Heights school. After discussing the matter it was decided that such children would be allowed to continue in attendance until the close of the term. The number of such children is said to be about sixty.

A MARRIAGE IN THE DARK

(Original.)

Geoffrey Curran was sleeping soundly in his bed when a neighbor rapped at the front door and asked if some one in the house would go for a clergyman to attend a dying man. Geoffrey, being young and vigorous, was called, put on his clothes, yawning the while, and sallied forth into a stormy night. He had been up late for several nights and found it difficult to get himself thoroughly awake. However, he found his way to the residence of the nearest minister and rang the bell. A maid opened the door, let him into the hall, which was unlighted, and thence into a waiting room. There she scratched two or three matches, all of which failed to ignite. Then she went away.

Geoffrey sat down in an easy chair and in a few minutes was sound asleep. He was awakened by a voice saying: "For heaven's sake! Asleep? Get up. There; take hold of her hand."

Geoffrey, only half awake, stood on his feet, felt a soft little hand grasp his and heard a man's voice rapidly speaking words which ended, "What God has joined together let no man put asunder."

The words restored Geoffrey to his full consciousness. It was plain that something unusual had happened, and he was curious to know what would be the result. By a street light that shone dimly in at a window he saw several figures leaving the room, heard a carriage door shut without and the rumbling of wheels.

"You understand what to do, I suppose," said a man's voice. "Certainly," replied Geoffrey, and walked out of the room and the house. It had come over him suddenly that through some mistake he had been married. There was only one woman in the world he wished for his wife and that was his cousin. He was much troubled. How the law would regard the matter he did not know, but he feared it would hold him to be a married man. For the time being the thing for him to do was nothing. He was the only one cognizant of the fact that he, Geoffrey Curran, had gone through the marriage ceremony, and he resolved to keep the secret. He hunted up another minister, and took him to the house where he was expected. Then Geoffrey went home.

Ten years passed. Geoffrey, whose cousin had married another, was in middle life and was getting tired of living alone. He had fancied several women, but loved none. This he had considered fortunate, for the scene in which he had taken part in the minister's waiting room constantly came up before him like a dream, and he feared to marry unless his unknown bride might turn up.

One evening at a ball Geoffrey met Eugenia Elmore. The acquaintance ripened into friendship and friendship into love. Miss Elmore was about ten years his junior, just the age a man nearing forty would prefer. For the first time since his cousin married he wished to take a wife. Miss Elmore gave every sign of response, and there seemed nothing in the way of their union except Geoffrey's secret. He put a suppositious case to a lawyer, who told him that the intention of the law not being fulfilled perhaps he was not married, but the weak point was that either the man or woman in the case must prove that he or she had been married by mistake and either could make trouble for the other. Geoffrey would not wed without making a clean breast of the affair to the lady he was to marry. One evening he sallied forth to see Miss Elmore, tell her the whole story and ask her if she loved him well enough to take the risk of a marriage that might be pronounced illegal by the courts. He skillfully led up to the subject, declared his love and without waiting for a response added: "But I regret to say that there is an impediment to my marrying any one."

"That is doubly unfortunate," replied the lady. "How so?" "I have a confession to make. I have loved before."

"Indeed," "Yes, when a very young girl—only sixteen—I was infatuated with a youth of eighteen. My father objected to my marriage on the ground that I was too young. In an evil hour I consented to a secret marriage. It was arranged that at midnight, after all were asleep, I should steal out, greet my lover at the rectory and be married. On arriving there the rector was just coming downstairs in the dark, and my fiancé was in the reception room. I was very much frightened and would not wait for lights. Indeed, I preferred to run no risk of being seen. The marriage took place at once, and we separated immediately after. The next day I was surprised to learn that my boy lover had weakened and had not been to the rectory at all. His father got wind of his relations with me and sent him away. I have never seen him since."

Geoffrey listened to this brief recital with astonishment, and when it was ended clasped his love to his breast, exclaiming: "My wife!" He was so delighted that it was some time before Miss Elmore could calm him and get his story. She would not, could not, believe that so singular a coincidence had come to pass and would not consent to another marriage which both considered necessary until Geoffrey had pronounced affidavits of those who knew of his going out on the eventful night to secure a parson. This he did, and when the ceremony took place it was in broad daylight and in the presence of a large number of witnesses.

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Notice is hereby given, as required by Sec. 57, Art. 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, that application will be made to the XXIX legislature of the State of Texas, at its next regular session, for a local or special law authorizing and empowering the St. Louis Southwestern Railway Company of Texas to acquire by purchase, and to consolidate with its own line, and to own and operate and to assume the indebtedness of the lines of railway and all other property owned by the Dallas Terminal Railway and Union Depot Company located in the City of Dallas, and to authorize the Dallas Terminal and Union Depot Company to sell and convey its lines of railway and all other property, real, personal or mixed, including its franchises and appurtenances, and to authorize the St. Louis Southwestern Railway Company of Texas to issue its bonds in payment for said property so purchased, and to regulate reports of the operation of said property, and authorize each of said companies to do any and all things necessary to effect said consolidation.

Tyler, Texas, Dec. 21, 1904. F. H. BRITTON, President, St. Louis Southwestern Railway Company of Texas. R. D. COBB, Secretary, St. Louis Southwestern Railway Company of Texas, Dallas, Texas, Dec. 21, 1904. W. C. CONNOR, President, Dallas Terminal Railway and Union Depot Company. H. T. ALLEN, Secretary, Dallas Terminal Railway and Union Depot Company.

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The three subscribers to The Telegram who turn in the largest list of errors found between Jan. 9 and Jan. 31 will receive:

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TWO two-room houses on lot 109x125 feet, \$700, or the ten houses on lot 50x125 \$550, houses rent for \$5 each.

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SIX-ROOM house in fine condition, close in, \$1,600. See H. Three beauties in block of 6th ward school. See them. Lot on May, Jennings or St. Louis at reduced bargains.

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PHONE 2353 if you have a five, six or seven-room house to rent.

DESPISE NOT THE DAY OF SMALL THINGS-You don't, and trust you won't. We are prepared to sell you a home in one of the most desirable and rapidly growing suburbs of the city for a small price, a small cash payment and small monthly installments. If you are interested, see W. H. Ingalls, with Glen Walker & Co., Sixth and Houston streets. Phone 621.

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Special Prices

Table listing various Mantel Beds reduced from \$51.50 to \$38.75, \$46.50 to \$34.75, etc.

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Furniture, Carpets, Mantels, Etc. 1619-21-23 Main

GUINEA PIG WILL BE MARTYR TO SCIENCE

Students at Fort Worth Medical University Waiting for its Death From Anthrax. In a little pen at the Fort Worth Medical College is a patient, a little guinea pig.

MASS MEETING CALLED

Reported Effort to Place Saloon Near School House. No effort will be made by the brewing companies supplying the saloon trade in this city to place a saloon near the Seventh ward school building.

It is admitted that the establishment of the saloon at the site in question would be wholly within the limits of the law.

AND IN A HURRY, TOO



"I suppose, admiral, you were greatly stirred when the Japanese ships came in sight," said the war correspondent.

IN THE COURTS

MARRIAGE LICENSES. Willie T. Thompson and Leslie Hill of Fort Worth.

CASES FILED. The following cases were filed in the district court today.

DISTRICT COURT. The jury in the criminal assault case against R. H. Arnold, returned a verdict of not guilty.

POCAHONTAS INSTALLATION. At the regular meeting of Naomah Council No. 11 tonight the following officers will be installed by Mrs. S. A. Hoyt.

What Shall We Have for Dessert? This is an important daily question. Let us answer it to-day. Try

Jell-O

America's most popular dessert. Received Highest Award, Gold Medal, World's Fair, St. Louis, 1904. Everything in the package; add boiling water and set to cool.

COUNTY COURT

A verdict for \$75 with interest at the rate of 6 per cent from Jan. 1, 1903, was rendered in the county court for the plaintiff in the case of W. C. Ballew vs. Boy Collins.

In the case of F. M. Brown & Co. vs. Neil Thompson, debt, a verdict for plaintiff in the sum of \$636.65 was rendered by a jury.

An agreed judgment was rendered in the case of A. J. Roe vs. C. E. Courtney for \$30 for each party to the suit, the costs to be paid equally by the defendant and plaintiff.

The debt cases of the Texas Manufacturing Company vs. Alex Canto et al. was continued.

In the case of J. E. Fridge vs. the Rock Island, damages, a verdict was given for defendants.

VITAL STATISTICS

Births—To Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Gordon of Fort Worth, a girl; to Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Turpen of Fort Worth, a girl; to Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Williams of Fort Worth, a girl; to Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Dillow of Fort Worth, a boy; to Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hopkins of Fort Worth, a girl; to Mr. and Mrs. John Hoff of Fort Worth, a girl.

Deaths—Nettie Hughes Allen, aged 26 years, of Fort Worth, Jan. 22; Joe Brooks, aged 56 years, of Fort Worth, Jan. 29; Duke Goodman, aged 62 years, of Fort Worth, Jan. 25.

ARRESTED ON BURGLARY CHARGE

Will Richmond has been arrested on a warrant charging him with burglarizing the general store of J. E. Foust at Grapevine a few nights ago. Richmond was arrested at Grapevine yesterday, brought to Fort Worth and placed in jail. He will have an examining trial before Justice Rowland this afternoon.

O'CONNOR TO MANAGE AUSTIN BALL TEAM

Reaches State Capital and Will Prepare Players for Active Practice at Once. AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 31.—Mike O'Connor, the veteran ball player, who is to manage the Austin baseball team during the coming season, arrived from San Antonio yesterday. Mike does not look a day older than he did when he was here seven years ago.

He is here to prepare the team for active practice, which will begin in a few days. President John F. Kelley of the Austin team, also owner, will be here today, when the location of a ball park will be decided upon and all details arranged for the commencement of actual work.

Manager O'Connor stated that it was the purpose of the team, as soon as it is fully organized, to give some exhibition games. A first class grand stand is to be erected and when the location has been selected the grounds will be placed in first class condition.

"We have six or seven fine players already signed," said Manager O'Connor. "and expect to have the team completed within the next few days. When it has been fully organized it will be one of the finest teams in the league."

LAST CALL FOR POLL TAX, COUNTY AND CITY COLLECTORS WILL WAIT FOR YOU UNTIL 9 O'CLOCK TONIGHT.

RAILWAY NOTES AND PERSONALS. J. W. Ward, division superintendent of the Texas and Pacific, with headquarters at Big Springs, is in Fort Worth today.

Live Stock Agent Conway of the Santa Fe is still absent from the city in the San Angelo country.

Another party of fifty men to work on the Orient construction north from Sweetwater was taken west Monday night over the Texas and Pacific, making a total of seventy-five to date.

POCAHONTAS INSTALLATION

At the regular meeting of Naomah Council No. 11 tonight the following officers will be installed by Mrs. S. A. Hoyt: Mrs. Anna Butler, Pocahontas; Mrs. Sarah Cottar, Winonah; Ed Bailey, Powhatan; Miss M. Robbins, prophetess; Mrs. Agnes Geer, keeper of records; Miss H. B. Zimmerman, first scout; Miss Grace Butler, second scout; Miss Sabina Davis, first counselor; Mrs. Sophia Woodman, second counselor; Miss Lillian Slack, first runner; Miss Claryner Cavender, second runner; Mrs. Neva Hall, first warrior; Mrs. Westman, second warrior; Miss M. McKillen, third warrior; Mrs. Nordstrom, fourth warrior; Mrs. Deems, guard of tepee; W. O. Parker, guard of forest; Dr. L. A. Suggs, physician, and Mrs. Anna Blue, chairman of entertainment committee.

CITY BRIEFS

Queen Quality Starch. All Grocers. Cut flowers at Drumm's. Phone 101. Boaz's Book Store, 402 Main street. J. W. Adams & Co., feed, produce, fuel and fat kindling. Phone 530.

It will always be found a little better and perhaps a little cheaper at the William Henry & R. E. Bell Hardware Co., 1415-17 Main.

In everybody's mouth. Eagle Bread. For sale by all grocers. Three prizes given away on C. C. page of The Telegram.

Charles Miller, formerly of the firm of Miller & Voss, is now located at 215 Main street. Phone 1230.

Win a prize. See Telegram want page. Voss Electric Co., 508 Rusk street. Phones 490.

For cold feet use Manning's Powder. Guaranteed by Pangburn.

One hundred and eighty-eight days—one-half a year—of solid comfort can be spent in a room at the Kingsley, Eighth and Throckmorton streets.

Mayor W. K. Featherstone of Henrietta is in the city.

C. A. Bencini, manager of the Brown-wood cotton oil mill, is in the city.

E. A. Lewis of Burnett is a guest at the home of Mrs. W. L. Cate, 1216 Sixth avenue.

W. H. Singletary of St. Louis, a former resident of this city, is here on a business trip.

Dr. H. R. Mullin of Newark is visiting at the home of A. K. Rolston, 775 Elmwood street.

D. T. Bomar, vice president of the Continental Bank and Trust Company, has gone to Austin.

J. H. Havens, United States deputy marshal at Ardmore, I. T., is in Fort Worth today.

Miss Minnie Aberstadt of Jefferson, Texas, is visiting Mrs. J. Heninger of 605 East Weatherford street.

Sam Cantej, accompanied by his two daughters, Misses Martha and Marguerite, has returned from a trip to Chicago.

T. B. Ellison of the Ellison Furniture Company has just returned from a business trip east.

Louis Baldrige, a cattleman of Fort Stockton, Texas, was a visitor in Fort Worth Monday.

Martin Gray, live stock representative for the National Live Stock Bank of Chicago, was in town Monday.

A program of sixteen numbers was rendered at the Christian Tabernacle Monday night by the class of Miss Overstreet.

Don't forget to come to 300 Main street tomorrow. The Etteson stock will be put on sale at a great sacrifice.

Good quality ladies' and misses' hose, 8c per pair at 300 Main street. The Etteson stock.

W. C. Farmer has been called to Alford, Texas, by the illness of his brother's wife.

Ladies' and misses' rubbers, 25 cents pair, at 300 Main street. The Etteson stock, as being given away, commencing today.

This is the last day of the classified page cash prize contest. Are you one of the likely winners? See today's C. C. page.

Plans for the new church building of the Mulkey Memorial congregation will be submitted to the building committee at a meeting to be held Wednesday night.

G. W. Ratliff and wife left Monday for Denton. Mr. Ratliff will begin his duties as chief clerk in the railway mail service.

The ladies of the Glenwood Methodist church will give a Valentine party at the Junior Order hall in Glenwood on the evening of Feb. 14. The Polytechnic Student Band will furnish music for the occasion.

On account of illness the social session of the Penelope Club will be held Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Agnes Geer of 513 West Daggett avenue, instead of being held at the residence of Mrs. Brown.

Fire of unknown origin Monday afternoon destroyed the residence of J. B. Thompson, at the extreme northwest corner of the city boundaries. The total loss is placed at \$1,000, with \$500 insurance, power available to 2,700 horse power.

Rev. A. G. Noble of the North Texas conference will fill the pulpit at the Glenwood Methodist church next Sunday. Rev. Noble will preach both morning and evening. An interesting fact in regard to the minister's visit here is that he was the first school teacher of Rev. J. D. Young, the present pastor of the Glenwood Methodist church.

The work of the Traction Company in storing its power house at Handley, is being rapidly finished. The walls of the addition are up and workmen have begun putting on the roof. When the building is finished a new dynamo will be installed, which will increase the total horse power.

Plans for the North Fort Worth pumping station have been submitted to City Engineer Hall and Consulting Engineer Hawley. They provide for a neat brick building with engine and pumping rooms.

A. N. Evans leaves today for Palestine to attend a conference of immigration agents of the International and Great Northern Railway Company to be held Wednesday. A movement is to be inaugurated to induce settlement along the lines of the above company.

Jere Lehane, brother of General Freight and Passenger Agent J. P. Lehane of the Cotton Belt, who has been very low with pneumonia for the last week, is reported worse today. His friends are very much alarmed over his condition. He has been unconscious the past two days.

Word has reached here that A. M. Young of this city was in Jacksboro Monday, making arrangements for the organization of a bank in that city. Mr. Young will be at the head of the bank, which will have a capital stock of \$25,000. The majority of the stock has been sold in Jacksboro. A. M. Young was formerly cashier of the Continental Bank and Trust Company of this city.

Work has begun on the rebuilding of the building owned by Anson Brothers, situated on Main street, between Tenth and Eleventh, which was partly destroyed by fire early the morning of Jan. 21. The stores of Brown & Vera, Neumegen & which were burnt check and pockets cut by a large faint check and pockets cut horizontally. The man who found the wrong coat hanging on the hat rack prefers the fit of his own coat and could be made mighty happy if the other fellow would call at the aforesaid barber shop.

THE B. ETTTELSON BANKRUPT STOCK. Consisting of \$5,200 Worth of Clothing, Shoes, Hats and Gent's Furnishings, was bought by the GOLDEN RULE COMPANY at a Great Sacrifice, and will be put on sale Wednesday, Feb. 1st AT NINE O'CLOCK

The Entire Stock will be Marked in Plain Figures and will be Sold at Unheard-of Prices

THE QUALITY OF UPPER CRUST Special Flour. Is remembered long after the price is forgotten. Upper Crust Special SATISFIES. Burrus Mill & Elevator Co. FORT WORTH, TEXAS

Ledyard was elected chairman of the board of the Michigan Central, Senator Dewey, former chairman of the Michigan Central, having resigned.

THE UNTRAPPED VINTAGE. Now being shipped of G. H. Mumm's Champagne accounts for the phenomenal imports of 131,350 cases in 1904.

20 BELOW IN WISCONSIN. LA CROSSE, Wis., Jan. 31.—What the weather bureau says will be the last of the extreme cold weather for the winter prevails at La Cross and Wisconsin points today.

S. F. B. MORSE RELEASED. Discharged from Bankruptcy by United States Court in New York. NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—A discharge from bankruptcy has been granted to S. F. B.

BANKER BECKWITH ILL. Physician Thinks He Could Not Stand a Trial. OBERLIN, Ohio, Jan. 31.—C. T. Beckwith, president of the defunct Citizens' bank, lies at his home in North Pleasant street in critical condition.

VANDERBILT LII. OFFICIALS CHANGE. W. V. Newman Elected President of Michigan Central, and Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis.

HERE IS RELIEF FOR WOMEN. Out of her long experience as a nurse in New York, Mother Gray discovered a certain Herb remedy called "Austra-Han-Leaf," an aromatic, pleasant drink for Women's ills.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—At a meeting of the board of directors of the Vanderbilt lines, held in this city today, President Ingalls of the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis railway and President Ledyard of the Michigan Central railroad resigned.

W. V. Newman, president of the New York Central, was elected president of the Michigan Central and also of the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis. Mr. Ingalls was elected chairman of the board of the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis and Mr.

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