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PE-RU-NA, A BESSING IN THE HOUSEHOLD. Mrs. Ella Hovalter, 426 Johnson street, Topeka, Kas., member First M. E. Church, writes: "Peruna has been a blessing in our household. My daughter, Sylvia, was cured of a bad case of catarrh of the throat."

Entire Family Cured By Taking Pe-ru-na. Mr. Samuel L. Davidson, 215 Abigail street, Cincinnati, Ohio, Director of the Hebrew Synagogue, writes: "I took Peruna six years ago for serious throat trouble, which was so bad I could not speak above a whisper."

For Eight Years This Family Saved Doctor Bills By Using Pe-ru-na. Mrs. Mattie King, 1527 Polk street, San Francisco, Cal., Recording Secretary Native Daughters of California, writes: "I have used Peruna myself and in my family for the past eight years and am free to admit that it has proven itself to be a most decided household blessing."

Mrs. Bigelow Expresses Her Gratitude For Pe-Ru-NA. Mrs. Nora Bigelow, box 207, Fremont, Mich., writes: "Peruna is a wonderful remedy for catarrhal troubles. I can scarcely find words to express to you my thanks for what your remedy has done for me."

Have Found No Medicine as Valuable as Pe-ru-na. Mrs. J. R. Walker, Blue Mound, Kas., member United Presbyterian church, writes: "I have been married eight years and have two children, and have never in my life found any one medicine as valuable a household remedy as Peruna."

THE HOME IS THE BIVARK OF MODERN CIVILIZATION. Anything that attacks the home attacks the nation,—attacks the very source of advancement and prosperity. Catarrh is the natural enemy of every home. Over every home hangs the inevitable certainty of catarrhal invasion. No home is free from it.

"We have given it to the children for colds, coughs, cramps and indigestion, and find that one or two doses relieve them at once. We have been married nine years and have a bright family of five children. Peruna is a blessing to our home."

"I consider it of special value in keeping the body in such healthy condition that it throws off disease, thus saving doctor bills and the annoyances incident to sickness in the home."

"I found that it is the only medicine that we need and do not hesitate to recommend it as a splendid household remedy."

Peruna is an internal remedy that searches out every part of the human system and finally eradicates catarrh permanently.



A SETTIN' HEN (From the Lewistown Journal). When a hen is bound to set, Seems as though 'tain't eticket Downin' her in water till She's connected with a chill. Seems as though 'twas skurley at Givin' her a dreadful fright, Tyla' rags around her tail, Poundin' on an old tin pall, Chasin' her around the yard. —Seems as though 'twas kind of a Bein' kicked and slammed and bed 'Cause she wants to raise a brood I sh'd say it's gettin' gay. Jest 'cause natur' wants its way —While ago my neighbor, Penn, Started bustin' up a hen; Went to yank her off the nest, Hen, though, made a peck and I Grabbed his thumbal good and hot —Like to yanked the darn thing off Penn he twitched away and then Tried again to grab that hen, But, by ginner, she had spunk, 'Cause she took and nipped a jumb Big's bean right out his palm, Swallowed it, and cool and calm, H'tated up and yelled "Cab-dah!" —Sounded like she said "Hoo-rah!" Wal, sir, when that hen done that Penn he bowed, took off his hat —Spunk jest suits him, you can bet. "Set," says he, "got darn, ye, set."

distinctly unlike, or that the audiences were not the same. When within four days fifteen hundred people in a town of this size give of their money, time or both in order to hear or to encourage others in the enjoyment of the best class of musical efforts it is time for serious consideration and impartial inquiry.

heartier appreciation of what is best than I have had here. Fort Worth must be a musical town or there would not have been such an audience as was here to-night."

Fort Worth owes much to her music teachers. Not a teacher of the piano failed to take an active part in telling the public of Malek's worthiness. More than a half dozen took tickets and disposed of them with a zeal that only unselfish love for their calling could account for.

The promise was made to the subscribers to the Malek concert that if it was a success that next season it would not be necessary for any music lover to go away from home to hear great music interpreted by artists of distinction.

EVENTS OF THE WEEK The week's wedding in which more than ordinary interest centered was that of Miss Bess Ellis to H. K. McCollum. The ceremony took place last Wednesday at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Ellis, and was attended by a large number of intimate friends.

made, with wedding bells of white in shining effect over the palms.

The bride's gown was of white chiffon with a plisse skirt, scarf of lace and medallion insert. A girle of cream panne velvet, and veil with lilies of the valley completed the bridal toilet.

The following letter is only one of the many expressions of appreciation brought out by the Malek concert: "It is a treat from an artistic standpoint to listen to Malek's rendering of his musical selections. There is an exquisite refinement in his interpretations, making one fully realize that his is indeed one of the fine arts."

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MISCELLANEOUS The S. E. Ws. met with Miss Addie Neumann last week, a pleasant afternoon being spent by Miss Emma Beggs, Katherine Darter, Agnes Stewart, Bernice Crowder, Virginia Ames, Frances Van Zandt, Annie Fritchett, Helen Hubbard, Helen Cowan, Helen Johnson, Marguerite Welton. Fancy sewing entertained the young ladies after the business of the meeting was over and recitations by Misses Stewart, Hubbard and Johnson were added.

Fritz Schmidt of Dallas, violinist, will give a pupils' recital at the Arion studio next Thursday evening at 8:15. Those on the program are his Fort Worth pupils.

Some days ago a number of we society dolls' mothers spent a very happy evening with their doll babies with Miss Dove Brown at 924 Travis avenue. The affair was very informal, but greatly enjoyed by those present.

won the consolation prize. A one-course supper was served. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Buck, Misses Bess Gaskill, Sadie Cain, Mabel and Blanch Hosea, Winnie Woods, Bessie Brown, Nora Pullan, Lula Dunlavy, Jessie Vaughn, Mary Minor, Smith, Mosses, Shults, Strothers, Wilson, Bonous, Blocker, Cooper, Mayers and Harrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer T. Love arrived yesterday from St. Louis, where they were married a few days ago. Mr. Love is connected with the auditing department of the Frisco. His bride was Miss Welleck Jackson of St. Louis. They will live in Fort Worth.

The Ladies' Aid society of the First Presbyterian church received their friends at the home of Mrs. J. R. Shannon last Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Shannon is chairman, with Mrs. Burton Buchanan, Burnside, Goetz, Stewart, Getz and St. Clair her assistants.

The Penelope club met in its rooms in the Carnegie library and studied chapters 8 to 10 of German history, which covers the growth of the socialist party in Germany.

terpean Club next Tuesday evening at the Christian Tabernacle. This will be the last open meeting of the year. Professor R. J. Lamb, the well known and able conductor, has the chorus under his direction. The program follows: PART I. Chorus—"The Miller's Wooing".....Fantine Voice—"With You".....Prati Mrs. Houston. Pastoral Scene. Piano—"Shepherds All and Maiden's Fair".....E. Nevina Miss Anita Lateri. Violin—"Hungarian Dances".....Papin Lucile Davidson. Voice—"Who May Abide".....Messali Professor Pease. PART II. Address.....Mayor Powell Chorus—"Song of the Vikings".....Fantine Voice—"Lovely Spring".....Covh Mrs. Wise. Piano— (a) "Truistesse de Colombine".....Schuti (b) "Tiertot Reuver".....Schuti Mrs. Carol Warren. Chorus—"The Carnival".....Rossini Paganini Rossini and Tulow were stranded in Rome during the carnival which is similar to the New Orleans Mardi Gras, and in order to raise a little cash to join in the festival, Rossini suggested they would dress up as blind beggars and go out on the street and sing to the populace. Having agreed to this proposition, Rossini, who was a very quick writer, wrote the trio, "Il Carnovale in thirti minuti." The trio committed the composition to memory, went out on the streets of Rome and greatly to their surprise had their pockets filled with money before the carnival was half over. This trio has been rearranged for a mixed chorus. The first piano will be played by Professor Lamb; second piano, Miss Tomlinson, and organ, Professor Bauer. Malek said the "Gebhardt" piano, to be used for this concert, is the best "upright piano" he has ever played on. R. J. Lamb, agent, 833 Taylor street. Ingewood Club was cordially entertained on Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. D. M. Willford. After the reading of several interesting sketches from the life of Frances Willard, refreshments were served and the question of an Easter market was discussed pro and con. Upon general approval it was orally decided. Committees were appointed and the Ingewood market will doubtless be a novel and attractive Easter festival. Next Wednesday Mrs. Parrott will be hostess at her home on 308 Rosedale street. The members present were Mesdames Hotchkiss, McBride, Baker, Terhune, Payne, Parrott, Dowdy and Willford. The guests were Mrs. Miller, Miss Miller, Mrs. Boyd, president, Mrs. R. L. Moore, Mrs. Hyner and Mrs. Brown. All members of the Euterpean chorus are requested to meet at the Christian Tabernacle Monday afternoon from 5 to 6 o'clock. This is the last meeting of the chorus before the concert Tuesday night. The attention of friends who have received invitations to the open meeting of the Euterpean chorus is called to a typographical error on the cards which read Thursday, when it should be Tuesday. The hour will be 8 o'clock and the evening Tuesday, April 4. The St. Cecilia will meet Monday evening in the Arion studio, under the direction of W. J. Estes. The Maple Club is a newly organized club with a membership of thirty. The following are the officers: Mrs. Sarah A. Hoyt, president; Mrs. R. L. Moore, vice president; Mrs. Myrtle Stewart, secretary and treasurer. The object of this club is to promote sympathy and united efforts for the broadening of musical and self-culture. The club will study parliamentary law and current events for the present. A program committee is outlining a regular course to be taken up for study next year. Mrs. George Wilcox was given the initiative in outlining the club. Mrs. Moore was the hostess last Wednesday. The visiting guests were Mrs. Anna Walton, Mrs. Willey and Mrs. Jordan of Dallas and Miss Goldie May Willie. The club will hold its next meeting Wednesday afternoon at the residence, Mrs. S. A. Hoyt, on Missouri avenue. Mrs. M. T. Bilson entertained the T. T. club last Friday afternoon. Mrs. Watum, 1161 Bryan avenue, will be the next hostess. The Woman's Auxiliary will be entertained this Thursday afternoon by Mrs. O. L. D. Rader, 1411 Sixth avenue. The '93 club departed somewhat from the usual style of month open meetings last Wednesday afternoon and invited their friends to enjoy with them a literary and dramatic entertainment of unusual excellence. Among the members of Miss Viola Allen's company is James Young, an actor of ability and great promise. He has prepared for club women a lecture, entitled a "Defence of Shylock." It was this lecture the members of the '93 club desired their friends to share with them. Mr. Young is a thinker as well as an actor, but that word is unnecessary. To be an actor a man must be a thinker. Mr. Young's analysis of the character of Shylock was apart from the stage conception. He built from the opening lines of Shylock and Antonio a preceding scene in the Rialto and from this creation of his fancy and logic he followed the incidents as Shakespeare wrote them, making Shylock a man of justice, a man of honor, neither a human monster nor yet a heartless usurer. He places the burden of proof upon Antonio, Bessano and even fair and learned Portia, to show cause why they should not be condemned for dishonesty, injustice and inhumanity. At the close of the lecture there was applause that brought the speaker again before the ladies. This time it was to speak a word of enlightenment on his calling and the women members of it. "The women members of a reputable dramatic company have fewer unpleasant features to contend with than women workers of any other calling," said he. Mr. Young's mother is the president of the Maryland Woman's Press club, and his father is the owner of one of Baltimore's leading daily papers. Mrs. C. O. Abernathy of Pecos Bluff, Ark., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ben M. Terrell. Miss Margaret McLean has returned from a visit of several months in Virginia.

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Clubs The Penelope club met in its rooms in the Carnegie library and studied chapters 8 to 10 of German history, which covers the growth of the socialist party in Germany. The next meeting will be April 4. This will be the annual election of officers and every member is urged to be present as a full vote is desired.

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LOCAL NEWS

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G. A. Miller of Longview is in the city. Incubators and poultry supplies at Baker Bros.

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H. Van Buskirk of Childress was in the city Saturday evening.

Cut flowers at Baker Bros.

A. D. Rogers of Decatur is in Fort Worth today.

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W. B. Harbison of Dallas spent Saturday evening here.

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Miss Marguerite Harlan of St. Louis is visiting in the city.

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W. B. Eckert of Colorado City is in Fort Worth.

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L. I. Wade of Nacogdoches spent Saturday here.

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Carl Anderson of Houston is spending the day here.

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J. W. Head of Comanche was in Fort Worth Saturday evening on business.

Fruit Trees. We are still guaranteeing them to grow. Baker Bros.

W. K. Gibbs of Fredericks, O. T., is in the city.

The newest creations in spring millinery have arrived at the Strauss Millinery Store, 311 Houston street. No mistakes as to the best styles at least prices.

J. N. Browning of Amarillo is in Fort Worth to spend the day.

Monthly roses, large and small, may be planted now. Baker Bros.

W. Boyce of Amarillo was in Fort Worth Saturday afternoon.

Fisher & Griffin have the finest lot of millinery in the city. Ladies who want the latest at lowest prices had better visit this store.

W. J. Mustang and wife of Baird are visiting in the city.

Shade Trees. We have a few extra large elms and hackberries which we will close out at reduced prices. We guarantee them to live. Baker Bros.

James White of Amarillo spent Saturday evening here.

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Mrs. Bessie Goodwin of Paris is visiting in the city.

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E. D. Freeman of Aledo spent Saturday evening in the city.

Better see M. A. Norris, the tailor, 315 Main street, about that spring suit right away. Some lovely bargains for stylish dresses. Quality best for dressers.

Frank M. Ferguson of Bloomfield, Iowa, is in Fort Worth. Mr. Ferguson is on a prospecting trip through the southwest.

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Men's Half Hose 25c. Men's fast black and gray Hose, silk clocked; lace lisle Hose, hand embroidered, in tan or black; fancy fine lisle Hose in tan vertical stripe; special values Monday, at pair 25c.

Some Late Arrivals in Millinery



You may depend upon this millinery department for a correct and faithful reflection of the season's newest and best ideas in headwear. The week just closed has brought us charming additions to our always interesting display of hats for women.

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In the Churches

AT ST. PAUL'S M. E. CHURCH. Sunday morning at 11 o'clock the following special program of music will be given as a part of the regular service at St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal church, corner of Seventh and Lamar streets: Organ prelude, "The Angels' Salutation" (Wickman), Mrs. F. L. Jaccard; anthem, "A Song of Praise" (Adams), the choir; solo, Miss Ethel Fry; organ postlude, "Praise Ye the Lord" (Mendelssohn), Mrs. F. L. Jaccard. In this service the pastor, Rev. J. F. Boyce, will preach on the theme, "How Much I Owe; and How to Pay It." At the service at 8 o'clock p. m. there will be special music also.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. Corner Fourth and Calhoun streets. Dr. William Caldwell will preach at 11 a. m. on "The Open Windows of Heaven." In the evening at 7:45 o'clock the subject will be "The Christ Whom We Serve." The Young People's Society meets at 6:45. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

PEACH STREET M. E. CHURCH. Peach Street Methodist church, Rev. George F. Campbell, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and at 7:45 p. m.

BROADWAY PRESBYTERIAN MISSION. At the Broadway Presbyterian Mission, west of the International and Great Northern roundhouse, preaching Sunday morning and night by Rev. W. E. Shire.

TAYLOR STREET C. P. CHURCH. Rev. J. W. Caldwell, pastor. All regular services today. Quarterly communion at 11 o'clock. Preaching at 8 p. m., subject: "Salvation, All of Grace." Rowland D. Williams, baritone, late of Memphis, Tenn., will sing at the morning service. Special music for the evening service. A cordial welcome for all, and especially for any strangers who may be in the city.

AT THE COURT HOUSE. Christian Evangelist A. W. Young of Sunset, Texas, will preach in the court house basement Sunday at 11 a. m. and at 7:20 p. m.

AT THE TEMPLE. Laura B. Payne will lecture at the Temple on Taylor street Sunday evening, April 2, on the subject "Soul and Spirit."

ROSEN HEIGHTS M. E. CHURCH. At the Rosen Heights Methodist Episcopal church there will be special services all day Sunday. Rev. George MacAdam, D. D., president of Fort Worth university, will preach at 11 o'clock service. Rev. C. D. Kennerly in the afternoon. George E. Nies will speak at the evening service. Good music will be had at all services.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH. At the First Christian church, corner Sixth and Throckmorton streets, Rev. R. H. Hamilton, pastor, will preach today upon the following themes: At 11 a. m., "The Spiritual Law in the Natural World;" at 8 p. m., "A Man Must Do Something to be Saved."

UNITARIAN CHURCH. "Religion Natural, Not Statutory" is the subject upon which Rev. B. C. Limbaugh, the Unitarian minister, will preach this morning at 11 o'clock in the Temple, in Taylor street, just off Seventh street.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH. Corner Jones and Fourth streets. Preaching at 11 a. m. and at 8 p. m. by the pastor, Dr. Alonzo Monk. Subject of the morning sermon, "Where the Redeemed Shall Be in Heaven." Subject of the evening sermon, "Where the Redeemed Shall Be in Heaven." Subject of the evening sermon, "Where the Redeemed Shall Be in Heaven."

CHRISTIAN SCIENTIST. First church of Christ, Scientist, corner St. Louis and Tenth avenues. Services will be held at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Subject, "Are Sin, Disease and Death Real?" Sunday school immediately after morning service. Wednesday evening testimonial meeting at 8 p. m.

AT ALLEN CHAPEL. Sunday services at Allen Chapel, A. M. E. church, corner First and Elm streets. Rev. D. S. Moten, pastor. Sunday prayer band, 6 a. m.; Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; preaching, 11 a. m. theme, "Christian Concord;" general class meeting, 3 p. m.; Allen Christian Endeavor, 4 p. m.; Christian Endeavor topic, "The Making of a Christian; His Food;" preaching, 7:30 p. m.; theme, "The Dynamic of the Regenerate Life." Week-day services as usual, with the following: Monday, 8 p. m., official board, choir practice Tuesday, 8 p. m.; regular class meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school teachers' meeting, Thursday, 7 p. m.; second quarterly love feast, Friday, 8 p. m.; second quarterly conference Saturday, 8 p. m.; second quarterly meeting all day the second Sunday. The first Sunday monthly sacramental services deferred until second Sunday, quarterly meeting day.

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OUR LAY SERMON

The Emporia Gazette last week chronicled a sad, sad story that ought to be a warning to the young girls of Emporia, and of Bonham, as well. The story, in brief, is this: A young girl of that city, who had been well reared, who had good opportunities, a handsome figure and a lovely face, made a chance acquaintance with a young traveling man who visited the town once or twice a year. He was one of your "handsome, jolly good fellows," and he wasn't bashful about anything. He had talked to this young Miss scarcely ten minutes until he was saying flattering things of her grace, her beauty, her loveliness—things no gentleman would say to her who had known her so short a time. Before an hour was ended he had proposed that she meet him for a drive. At first his advances were repulsed, but still the flattering tongue held her silly thoughts, and before another day ended she met him without the knowledge and consent of her parents. From bad to worse things went, until one day she left her home and went away with this "handsome, sweet young fellow." Oh! the old, old story of a flatterer's lying tongue, a woman's listening ear, a short season of blind love and passion, and a young girl awake to the awful knowledge that her chastity had been stolen, her heart broken and her life ruined. Deserted by the man who had deceived her, she crept back to the roof of her father's home in a vain effort to find some loving heart to shield her and to hide her shame. Not as parents often do, did her turn her into the street, but they took her to their hearts—heart broken and torn and bleeding though they were by reason of her folly—and they will do what they can to help her on her way to a womanly life. But help her all they can, her life is ruined. God may forgive her, but the world never will. Worse than the mark of Cain will be the stigma she bears through life, no matter under what name she lives, nor what climes she seeks.

This story is about one girl, in one little city in Kansas. But with only a few slight variations it is the story about thousands of girls in thousands of hamlets and towns and cities all over this land. There are girls in Bonham today starting on identically the same road this girl traveled. Like her, they do not believe that there is any harm in it, and like her, it will be too late when they see for themselves that the harm is there. Nothing can save them, unless they are willing to heed the advice of older heads. Not many of them will do this. Some of them will go on until the same sad, sad ending shall come to their sweet dreams.

Only the other day we saw a young lady of this town riding with a young drummer she had not met half a dozen times in his periodical visits here. Traveling men, as a class, are not worse than another class of men, but many of the younger ones, and the models of chastity, and these are the kind who seek to ingratiate themselves into the good graces of the young women they meet. To a man who has observed the ways of the world, it seems that the most unworthy men are the ones who can most easily win the favor of the average young girl. The other day we heard one of Bonham's most exemplary young men commenting on the action of a young drummer and a young lady of Bonham. He was rather ironical in his comments, which were about as follows:

"Drummers—especially the unmarried youngsters—usually live upon a very high moral and religious plane. Their conduct is most exemplary. Hence, the good mothers of our land should most heartily encourage their daughters to be very intimate with the aforesaid specimens of humanity, and to keep company with them as much as possible! It will not only be a great encouragement to the poor drummers, who so rarely have an opportunity to be with the women, but it will lift the young womanhood of our land upon a much higher plane! Girls, encourage the young drummers who come to your town only a few times a year! The world is overstocked with virtue, anyway! Yes, do encourage young drummers—those innocent creatures! You have nothing to lose, and all to gain! Sure! Take them into your homes; encourage them! Then, may the Lord have mercy on your souls!"

This young man's remarks were directed at the drummers, but as we remarked before, the drummer is just as good as the young business man, the clerk, the society gentleman, or any other class. The point is that no young lady should permit any young man to keep company with her until she knows from long acquaintance who and what he is, and then only with the knowledge and consent of her parents. There is scarcely one who reads this but can bring to mind some example of a girl of his or her acquaintance who has made shipwreck of life by not heeding the lesson this article seeks to teach. How many girls will resolve now to profit by it while yet they can?

The foregoing extract from the Bonham News fits the case exactly, and the words of warning therein contained should be seriously pondered by every young girl in Texas.

The Telegram does not advise young ladies that all drummers or commercial men are bad and wolves in sheep's clothing. There are many high-toned gentlemen among the traveling fraternity who would extend protection to a thoughtless and heedless girl, but there are others who are built on the other extreme. And there are men in every walk of life who are constantly on the lookout for opportunities to take advantage of the unwary girl who is so unfortunate as to place herself within their clutches. There is but one way to evade the situation, and that is to evade the cause.

The man who seeks the acquaintance of a woman in a clandestine or improper manner can always be safely judged as being inspired by improper motives.

It is usually the very young and inexperienced girls who fall victims to the machinations of these villains. The girl who is of maturer years and who carries a level head on her shoulders always repulses every advance of the kind that is made, and if they are persisted in she goes to her father or big brother, who can always be depended upon to make such vermin hunt their holes. With the very young and inexperienced it is different, however. Their heads are turned with the idea of capturing a new and stylish beau, and they lend encouragement where the demand is for the proverbial 40-year-old elm club that is strong and full grown for its age. The gay masher is encouraged and gradually goes from one extreme to another. He takes one small liberty under protest, and then another. Finally, he gets the girl just where he wants her and it is the same old story of a woman's trust and a man's perfidy.

There is but one thing for the erring woman to do outside the too common procedure of ending it all by seeking death, and that is to return to the one she has brought the grief and shame upon and try to live it down. But living a thing of this kind down is more difficult than passing a camel through a needle's eye. That woman is a marked woman as long as she lives. Her life is ruined and forever blighted. No matter how sincerely she may strive to atone for her error, the finger of scorn is always pointing unerringly in her direction. She has sinned, and the consequence of her sin is social death.

There has been so much said on this subject that it almost seems a work of supererogation to again refer to it. But as a matter of fact, the young girls of our land are not profiting by the advice and suggestions that have been offered them to the extent that we of us can see a repetition of the very same conditions referred to by the Bonham paper. Pitfalls are daily being laid for the unwary, and feminine feet are walking just as straight into the very jaws of ruin and degradation as it is possible for mortal feet to go.

Under such circumstances, it is proper to repeat former admonitions and beg the victims of these deplorable conditions to consider well the dangers to which they are subjecting themselves. It will be too late when the little affair has progressed just a step further. The girl who values her honor will not submit to any form of attention from the stranger. When he follows her upon the street, ogles her, or in any manner seeks to force himself upon her attention, she should immediately report the matter to those to whom she has a right to look for protection, and not temporize with the danger one particle. The obnoxious object that is seeking opportunity is keenly alive to the first sign of encouragement, and is also keeping one eye peeled for retributive justice. He is an animal always ready to make tracks at the first approach of danger, and the girl can easily render herself entirely free from his attentions if she will only apply the methods within easy reach.

It is a shame that the young and unsophisticated girls of the country should be subjected to such dangers, but so long as men of this class are permitted to run at large there will always be grave danger. Parents and guardians who come in contact with men of this class should deal with them in no half-hearted or compromising manner. They should be made an object lesson of, in order that others of their ilk might easily see and understand that in this fair land of ours the honor of our women will be protected and maintained, even though the heavens should fall.

The girl who hesitates is lost. The Williams intangible assets bill has finally passed the senate and now goes to the governor for his signature. Friends of the measure feel that as it passed it was shorn of many of its valuable features, and there is general regret that the Pullman Company managed to escape its dragnet. There is no justice in placing additional taxation upon the railways and allowing the sleeping car company to escape. Business with the sleeping car company is within itself a considerable tax upon the railways.

Senator Hanger talks just like a man who is familiar with his subject when he says the corporation lobby has made itself too conspicuous around Austin during this session of the state legislature. And the talk he gave on the subject had the bark on it.

Representative Williams should not allow his head to be turned by the whisperings of those who would pour suggestions of gubernatorial honors in his ears at this time. Such sugges-

tions are often made in order to remove an active man from the sphere of his present usefulness. A young man with gubernatorial aspirations can sometimes better afford to wait than to risk the probability of being slaughtered in the house of his alleged friends.

Every time the lower branch of the state legislature gets a chance to vote on the anti-free pass proposition it endeavors to put it further and further away from any possibility of consideration. The bare subject of free passes ought to be sufficient now to almost give the average member of the state legislature a bad case of the nightmare.

Japanese statesmen are rushing into print with the declaration that Russia must pay a big indemnity to their country as the price of peace. Such declarations are somewhat premature until it is definitely known that Russia is anxious for peace. She may decide that it is better to spend a few more millions in an effort to whip the Japanese than to pay them the same amount to quit fighting.

The big packers are quick to rush into print with a vociferous denial that they are interfering with the witnesses summoned to Chicago by the federal government to testify in the pending beef trust investigation. The answer of the government is found in the indictment of the president of one of the big packing concerns on a charge of conspiracy.

The imperial committee convened by the czar of Russia to consider the war situation has unanimously reported in favor of continuing the scrap with Japan. It is hardly probable that any of the committee will volunteer to take an immediate position out on the fighting line. Russia has too many men who want war and are unwilling to fight.

New bills are being introduced in the state legislature just as if the members are expecting to spend the summer in Austin, on the munificent salary of two dollars per day. No doubt that is more money than many of them will make after they return to their homes.

Next Tuesday we are to have a city election in this city, and it is needless for The Telegram to suggest that it is a time when every democrat is expected to do his whole duty. Duty in this instance can only be defined as a trip to the polls and a legal ballot for the regular nominees of the democratic party.

The governor of Colorado is paid the sum of \$5,000 per annum, and the avidity with which the office was recently seized would readily lead the uninitiated to believe there are millions in it.

According to the astute weather prognosticator, the equinox appears to have made the necessary connection this time without slipping a single eccentric, and the bulk of the Texas fruit crop remains safe.

A New York judge has recently ruled that a woman's tongue is a concealed weapon. The case in point must have been that of a dumb woman, who was unable to offer any testimony by word of mouth.

As the United States has by its good offices promoted the adjustment of peace between Japan and Russia, it might now be possible to invoke the best efforts of the czar in the settlement of our troubles with President Castro of Venezuela.

*This is April, and the day of the Easter bonnet is drawing on apace. The feminine heart has been somewhat sick with hope deferred, but it is now only about three weeks until those fairy creations will be in full blossom.

It is reported that about 300,000 Americans have left this country during the past few years and made their homes in Canada. If this report is correct, it serves to demonstrate that the day of annexation may not be as far off as some people may be imagining.

Those republican critics who predicted an early demise for Uncle Henry Gassaway Davis during the late presidential election, will please take notice that inauguration day has passed, and while Uncle Henry was not there, he is alive and just as coltish as ever.

Indiana now has the honor of furnishing both the democratic national chairman and that of the republican party. This would seem to indicate that the Hoosier state is prolific in successful politicians as well as in authors.

That extra session of congress that is to be called in October will be convened for the especial purpose of putting some democratic platform demands into practical operation. President Roosevelt is showing to the world that his statesmanship is of the very broadest type.

A crowd of people has gathered at Decatur, Ill., under the impression that the end of the world is to materialize on April 15. The probabilities are that they will all return home very seriously disappointed.

Governor Lanham will meet President Roosevelt at Taylor and accompany him to the capital city, where the state legislature will be on exhibition and other forms of entertainment provided for the delectation of the Strenuous One.

Judge Swayne has been whitewashed and allowed to retain his seat on the Federal bench, but it is probable he will not permit his expense account to become quite so elastic in the future.

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WITH THE CATTLEMEN

THE PECOS VALLEY. CALLESDAN, N. M., April 1.—The Pecos country is establishing another new record, this being the wettest spring in its history. It rains for days at a time and it rains for business. The Pecos is again on a bender, stopping all work now in progress to repair damages from the floods of last fall. Roads are impassable. Empty wagons bog in the most unexpected places. But who cares?

The men running stuff on the range wear genuine smiles for every day. They are said to be a pessimistic lot that at all times fear some disaster. But abundant moisture at the right time is bringing early grass, and every cowman knows what it means in dollars and cents. They know that the steers will be sleek when the buyers come and that the stuff will sell well.

Ask these men about the winter losses. They smile and say: "None whatever; well, maybe a few old cows that ought to die anyway." The flockmasters have lost some, but it is hardly worth counting. Anyway they are not in need of alfalfa pasture for lambing this year.

The farmers are as happy as the others. The first cutting of alfalfa will be early and heavy. Their lands are in fine condition for planting. In fact, better than usual when all moisture is supplied by irrigation. So the farmer is not stewing because the wetness is delaying the repair work on dams and canals.

The health seeker, however, has fared badly this winter and the spring has brought no relief. The men who have told about the 333 days of sunshine every year in New Mexico the health seeker considers record-breaking liars.

A few buyers have been her to look the field over as to the quality and quantity of steers on the slope. No sales are reported. Between 25,000 and 30,000 steers of good quality may be gathered this spring. No figures as to prices are obtainable at present, but the stockmen think cattle will sell at a fair price this season.

The flockmasters are doing a little business. Texas parties have bought a few thousand ewes at \$4. It is only about eight years ago that fully as good stuff went begging at 75 cents. The flockmasters feel that the world is not so bad after all.

EARLY GRASS CATTLE. C. D. Maddox of Amarillo, Texas, a prominent young cowman of the Panhandle district, says: "Grass is coming along very fast, and the whole Panhandle country is in fine shape. The cattle came through the winter all right, and they are now looking well. We have had good rains all over that country and the farmers have put in a large amount of oats and other grain. There is considerable wheat raised in the Panhandle country nowadays and the crop this spring is looking the best ever known."

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Wild cattlemen in that country are predicting that we will have grass cattle ready for the market earlier this summer than for many years, owing to the bright prospects at the present time. We had an unusual amount of moisture last winter and this spring, and now if we get the usual amount of sunshine there is no doubt but what the cattle will get an early start.

"There were very few losses among the cattlemen here fed left, so that even if we should get a few cold spells they are prepared for them. The raising of more rough feed during the past few years in that country and the better care that stock has had, are responsible for the light losses and the good condition of the cattle at the present time. Several of the big cattlemen have made arrangements to move cattle to the Kansas pasture fields about the first of April. A large number of cars have been ordered for several places and shipments are expected to begin before very long."

FINE GRASS IN TEXAS. Albert Dean, chief of the bureau of animal industry at Kansas City, and Ed Titus, general live stock agent of the Santa Fe, are back from Fort Worth where they attended the convention of the Texas Cattle Raisers' Association, held there last week. Both declared they had never seen conditions in Texas, either from the standpoint of the stockman or that of the farmer, better than at present.

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"No, I do not think the shipments from Texas to the Osage pastures will be as heavy this year as they were last," said Mr. Titus in reply to a question. "One reason for this is the plentifulness of grass in Texas and another is the dipping regulations which appear to be distasteful to some."

There are too many lawyers in Texas who have to be supplied with official berths for newspaper men to stand any show. The newspaper man who has the temerity to offer for office usually gets it where the girl got the beads.

No more disreputable chapter of fraud has been written in this whole country than that now being translated into fact by the investigations in Oregon. United States senators, representatives and marshals, eminent lawyers and judges are implicated in these transactions and they are self-confessed as perjurers also in testimony they have given before the United States judges. The landed wealth of this country has been largely confiscated in the past by railroad grants and subsidies, and it is further threatened by these conspirators who under the guise of homesteaders are confiscating the acres that are left to actual settlers on the public domain. Uncle Sam is after these men and the higher in office they stand the lower should they be brought down by the hand of a stern and implacable justice.—San Antonio Light.

The condition of affairs in Oregon is a serious reflection upon the public man of today, from the fact it discloses that even those who occupy exalted positions are not averse to feathering their nests as opportunity presents itself. The fact that the Federal government is doing all in its power to bring these men to justice is encouraging, from the fact that they are republicans and under the present administration partisanship is clearly no shield from the consequences of crime.

The worthy senator from Fort Worth, Mr. Hanger, is of the opinion that the plain people will lash the minority in the senate. It is just possible that when the plain people learn a thing or two they may lash others than the minority.—Austin Statesman.

"The plain people" will not turn to the Statesman to learn a thing or two, for the very simple reason that paper has aligned itself in opposition to just about every measure introduced during the present session, in which they were interested. Senator Hanger voiced the real sentiments of the plain people of Texas when he gave the senate minority that recent well-merited castigation.

"A Looker On" in Dallas Beau Monde writes the fact that the democrats of Georgia have selected Clark Howell, the distinguished editor of the Atlanta Constitution to succeed Governor Terrell of that state, and remarks that it is an honor well bestowed, and that Texas would profit by following in the footsteps of the Cracker state. The suggest-

Gleanings From the Exchanges

THE EASTER HAT MADE SAM LAUGH

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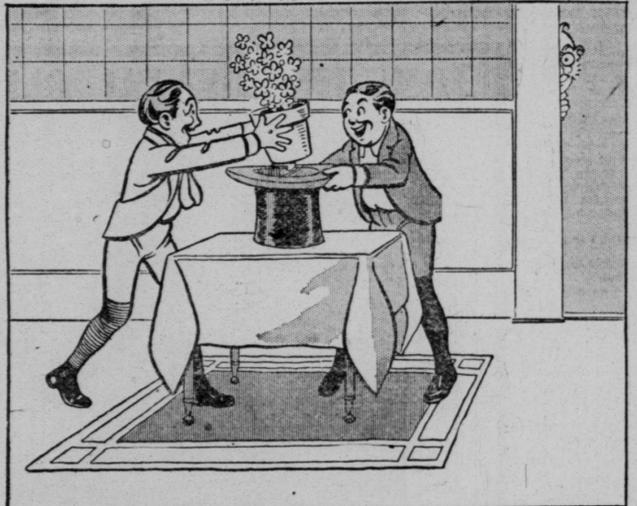


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FOXY GRANDPA

HIS NEW EASTER HAT GIVES HIM A LUCKY CHANCE TO TURN THE TABLES ON HIS MISCHIEVOUS BOYS

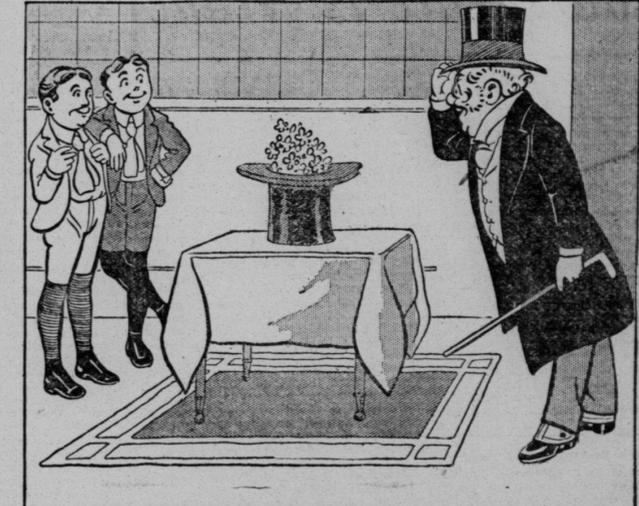
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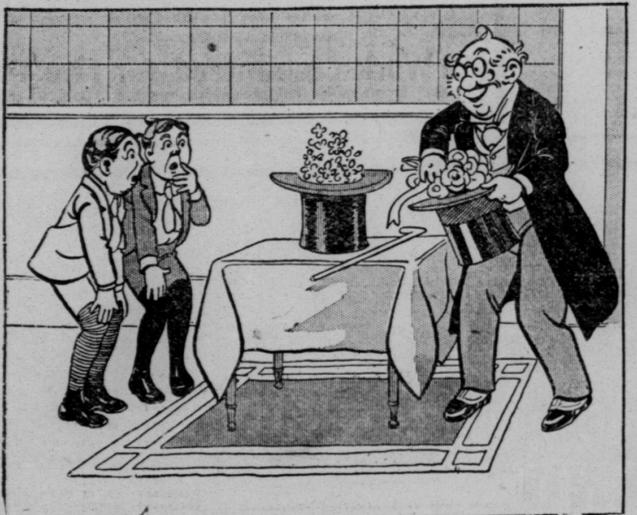
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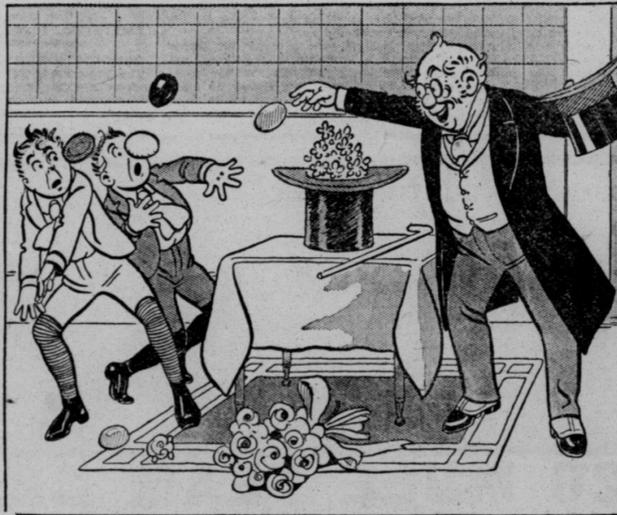
2. GRANDPA: "Those young mischiefs evidently do not know I have a new Easter hat. I'll just be in readiness for them."



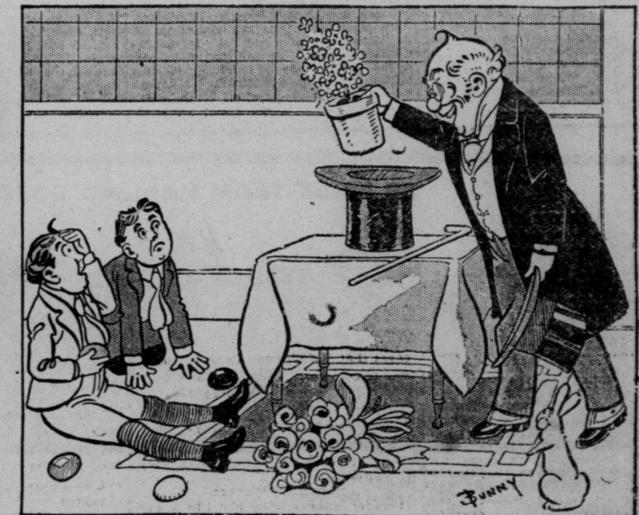
3. GRANDPA: "Why of course, boys, I know flowers grow in Easter hats. There may even be a few in my new hat."



4. GRANDPA: "Yes, boys, here are some very nice ones."



5. GRANDPA: "And some Easter eggs, too. Catch, boys."



6. GRANDPA: "Well, well, boys, what's this? Why, you young mischiefs have been playing another joke on your innocent old grandpa."



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How Peace is Made

(London Daily News.) When nations have had their fill of fighting and one of them at least has come to the conclusion that peace is worth having at any price the first thing is usually to arrange an armistice and then preliminary terms of peace are discussed. Few people have any idea of the number of points about which a settlement must be made at the end of a war. In 1814, when Napoleon had been checked and made prisoner and the king of Great Britain and his European allies had placed the legitimate French monarch on his throne, the first treaty of Paris was made. It began like such agreements between Christian nations. "In the name of the Most Holy and Indivisible Trinity," and went on to declare that their majesties were animated by "an equal desire to terminate the long agitations of Europe and the sufferings of mankind by a permanent peace." The articles of the treaty provided for the restoration of the old boundaries of France as in 1782, with some increase of territory on the side of Belgium and Germany. The communications with Geneva, the navigation of the Rhine and other rivers, the sovereignty of Malta, Holland and certain Italian states, the federation of Germany and the independence of Switzerland had to be dealt with, and the nations taking part agreed to hand over to the king of France the colonies and territory lost by the ill-fated republic, which had been in possession for twenty years. Great Britain handed over many colonies, fisheries, etc., but received as her own parts of the French West Indies, while Sweden restored Guadeloupe to France and Portugal returned French Guiana. The division of warships and arsenals found in the territories changing hands had to be provided for and also the portion of public servants, public pensions and fund holders, public and private debts and the property in land purchased from the state. The "high contracting parties," desirous "to bury in entire oblivion the dissensions which have agitated Europe," arranged that no citizen in the restored countries should be prosecuted, disturbed or molested in person or property for his political opinions or his attachment to any government, even one that had ceased to exist. The following year Napoleon escaped and there was great consternation. The powers made another treaty with the king of France, whom they were delighted to have preserved "from the convulsions with which France and Europe were menaced by the late enterprise of Napoleon Bonaparte and by the revolutionary system." France agreed to pay to the allied powers an indemnity of 700,000,000 francs, or £28,000,000, but a portion of this was to be spent by the allies in maintaining forces on the French frontier to preserve the country intact "without prejudice to the sovereignty of its most Christian majesty." An indemnity was also paid by the king of Sardinia to Austria in 1849, when he had helped Lombardy and Venice in their revolt and Austria had crushed the rebellion. The treaty began by declaring: "There shall be from henceforth and forever peace, friendship and good understanding between their majesties, their heirs and successors and their respective states and subjects." After our war with China in 1842 there was an indemnity payable to us of \$21,000,000, or about £4,000,000. The emperor did not sign a treaty, he merely published an edict in which he agreed to the terms. "The barbarians are allowed to carry on their dealings indiscriminately with whomsoever of our merchants they please," he wrote. As to the indemnity, the edict went on: "It is a vast amount, and where is such a sum to come from? Let Ke Ting be held responsible for the matter!" Next came the Crimean war, and the peace of Paris in 1856. By this treaty Turkey took her place among the powers, and as the sultan was Mohammedan, the treaty could no longer be invoked. "In the name of Almighty God," the treaty therefore began. No cash indemnity was provided for by this treaty. It was after the Franco-German war that the indemnity came to be so big a factor in terms of peace. The amount fixed at Versailles in February, 1871, was five milliards of francs, or £200,000,000, an amount which people thought must crush and enslave the French people for a generation. To the surprise of Europe, the last installment of this gigantic tribute was paid on Sept. 5, 1873, and the last German troops crossed the frontier on the 16th of the same month. While the soldiers remained France had to keep them! After the Russo-Turkish war Russia sought to follow the example of the Germans by demanding a huge and crushing war indemnity. The treaty of San Stefano, in February, 1878, compelled Turkey to agree to the independence of Montenegro, Servia, Roumania and the autonomy of Bulgaria and Crete, and to promise to pay the following bill of Russia's costs: War expenses 900,000,000 Roubles. Damage to the Caucasus 100,000,000 " Damage to Russian subjects in Turkey 10,000,000 " Total 1,410,000,000 Or nearly £150,000,000. At the conference of Berlin, however, we protested against this amount as preposterous and quite beyond Turkey's power to pay. Russia agreed to reduce the sum, and at the treaty of Constantinople, Jan. 27, 1879, she agreed to deduct from the indemnity the value of the territory handed over by Turkey—Adjara, Kolia, etc. This brought the indemnity down to 825,500,000 francs, or £33,000,000, to which was to be added the damage suffered by Russian subjects in Turkey. Even the reduced indemnity proved too much for Turkey's powers of payment, and Russia has allowed it to fall into arrears and used it from time to time as a means of squeezing her unfortunate neighbor. After the China-Japan war of 1894 China paid an indemnity of 230,000,000 taels, or £34,500,000, and was compelled to borrow the money, as well as nearly as much more for her own war expenses, in the European market. The United States set a moderate and humane example in the matter of indemnity after the war with Spain. At the peace of 1898 she took the Philippines and other islands, and made Spain grant the independence of Cuba, and also take over the debt of Cuba and the Philippines, amounting to \$46,000,000. But America did not demand a war indemnity as well as the islands; on the contrary, she handed over \$4,000,000 as part compensation to Spain for their loss. In the present case Japan is not likely to demand a crushing indemnity of the Franco-German type. She is not in a position to strike at her enemy as Germany struck at France, and up to date has probably not spent much more than

£50,000,000 over the war. If she gets Fort Arthur and Lia Yang peninsula, Japan will probably be glad to accept peace with a quite moderate cash payment. ELECTION PROCLAMATION By virtue of the power vested in me by the charter of the city of Fort Worth, Texas, I hereby call a general election to be held in the city of Fort Worth, Texas, on the 4th day of April, 1905, for the purpose of electing a city marshal for the city at large, and an assessor and collector for the city at large. Polls will be open during the legal hours for holding elections. First Ward—Joe Lahey, presiding judge; polls at Mansion hotel. Second Ward—B. M. Harding, presiding judge; polls at court house. Third Ward—R. Chambers, presiding judge; polls at Huffman's stable. Fourth Ward—S. T. Bibb, presiding judge; polls at city hall. Fifth Ward—Joe Poythress, presiding judge; polls at fire hall. Sixth Ward—W. P. McLean Jr., presiding judge; polls at fire hall. Seventh Ward—H. L. Calhoun, presiding judge; polls at Magnolia and South Main streets. Eighth Ward—R. M. Erwin, presiding judge; polls at Magnolia and Hemphill streets. Ninth Ward—C. T. Prewett, presiding judge; polls at court house. THOS. J. POWELL, Mayor. Attest, JNO. T. MONTGOMERY, City Secretary. Fort Worth, Texas, March 14, 1905. CANDIDATE FOR CITY MARSHAL The Telegram is authorized to announce Andrew McCampbell Jr., as candidate for city marshal, subject to the will of the qualified voters. April election.

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picture-dealer's establishment. He was a small, stout man, with a red face and a peppery manner.

"Yes, sir. On my very counter, sir," said he. "What we pay rates and taxes for I don't know, when any ruffian can come in and break one's goods. Yes, sir, it was I who sold Dr. Barnicot his two statues. Disgraceful, sir! A Nihilist plot—that's what I make it. No one but an anarchist would go about breaking statues. Red republicans—that's what I call 'em. Who did I get the statues from? I don't see what that has to do with it. Well, if you really want to know, I got them from Gelder & Co., in Church street, Stepey. They are a well-known house in the trade, and have been in this twenty years. How many had I? Three—two and one are three—two of Dr. Barnicot's and one smashed in broad daylight on my own counter. Do I know that photograph? No I don't. Yes I do, though. Why, it's Beppo. He was a kind of Italian piece-work man, who made himself useful in the shop. He could carve a bit and gild and frame, and do odd jobs. The fellow left me last week, and I've heard nothing of him since. No, I don't know where he came from nor where he went to. I

over this very fellow. It was more than a year ago now. He knifed an other Italian in the street, and then he came to the works with the police at his heels, and he was taken here. Beppo was his name—his second name I never knew. Serve me right for engaging a man with such a face. But he was a good workman—one of the best.

"What did he get?"

"The man lived and he got off with a year, but he has not dared to show his nose here. We have a cousin of his here, and I dare say he could tell you where he is."

"No, no," cried Holmes. "Not a word to the cousin—not a word, I beg of you. The matter is very important, and the farther I go with it, the more important it seems to grow. When you referred in your ledger to the sale of those casts I observed that the date was June 3 of last year. Could you give me the date when Beppo was arrested?"

"I could tell you roughly by the payroll," the manager answered. "Yes," he continued, after some turning over of pages, "he was paid last on May 20th."

"Thank you," said Holmes. "I don't think that I need intrude upon your time and patience any more." With a

turn which affairs were taking. He made no remark, however, save that, unless we hurried, we should be late for our appointment with Lestrade. Sure enough, when we reached Baker Street the detective was already there, and we found him pacing up and down in a fever of impatience. His look of importance showed that his day's work had not been in vain.

"Well?" he asked. "What luck, Mr. Holmes?"

"We have had a very busy day, and not entirely a wasted one," my friend explained. "We have seen both the retailers and also the wholesale manufacturers. I can trace each of the busts now from the beginning."

"The busts?" cried Lestrade. "Well, Sherlock Holmes, it is not for me to say a word against them, but I think I have done a better day's work than you. I have identified the dead man."

"You don't say so?"

"And found a cause for the crime."

"Splendid!"

"We have an inspector who makes a specialty of Saffron Hill and the Italian Quarter. Well, this dead man had some Catholic emblem round his neck, and that, along with his color, made me think he was from the south. Inspector Hill knew him the moment he caught sight of him. His name is Pietro Venucci, from Naples, and he is one of the greatest cut-throats in London. He is connected with the Mafia, which, as you know, is a secret political society, enforcing its decrees by murder. Now, you see how the affair begins to clear up. The other fellow is probably an Italian also, and a member of the Mafia. He has broken the rules in some fashion. Pietro is set upon his track. Probably the photograph we found in his pocket is the man himself, so that he may not knife the wrong person. He dogs the

loaded hunting-crop, which was his favorite weapon.

A faint light was at the door at 11, and in it we drove to a spot at the other side of Hammersmith Bridge. Here the cabman was directed to wait. A short walk brought us to a secluded road flanked with pleasant houses, each standing in its own grounds. In the light of a street lamp we read "Laburnum Villa" upon the gate post of one of them. The occupants had evidently retired to rest, for all was dark save for a faint glow of the hall door, which shed a pale light upon the path that led to the house. The wooden fence which separated the grounds from the road threw a dense black shadow upon the inner side, and here it was that we crouched.

"I fear that you'll have a long wait," Holmes whispered. "We may thank our stars that it is not raining. I don't think we can even venture to smoke to pass the time. However, it's a two to one chance that we get something to pay us for our trouble."

It proved, however, that our vigil was not to be so long as Holmes had led us to fear, and it ended in a very sudden and singular fashion. In an instant, without the least sound to warn us of his coming, the garden gate swung open, and a lithe, dark figure, as swift and active as an ape, rushed up the garden path. We saw it whisk past the light thrown from over the door and disappear against the black shadow of the house. There was a long pause, during which we held our breath, and then a faint light and a sound came to our ears. The window was being opened. The noise ceased, and again there was a long silence. The fellow was making his way to the house. We saw the sudden flash of the lantern beam in the room. What he sought was evidently not there, for again we saw the flash through another blind, and then through another.

"Let us get to the open window. We will nab him as he climbs out," Lestrade whispered.

But before we could move, the man had emerged again. As he came out into the glimmering patch of light, we saw that he carried something under his arm. He looked stealthily all round him. The silence of the deserted street reassured him. Turning his back upon us he laid down his burden, and the next instant there was the sound of sharp rap, followed by a clatter and rattle. The man was so intent upon what he was doing that he never heard our steps as we stole across the grass plot. With the bound of a cat he sprang upon his knees, and an instant later Lestrade and I had him by either wrist, and the handcuffs had been fastened. As we turned him over I saw a hideous, sallow face, with writhing, furious features, glaring up at us. I saw that it was indeed the man of the photograph whom we had secured.

But it was not our prisoner to whom Holmes was giving his attention. He was squatting on the doorstep, and he gazed at most carefully examining that which the man had brought from the house. It was a bust of Napoleon, like the one which we had seen that morning, and it had been broken into similar fragments. Carefully Holmes held each separate shred to the light, but in no way did it differ from any other shattered piece of plaster. He had just completed his examination when the hall lights flew up, the door opened, and the owner of the house, a jovial, rotund figure in shirt and trousers, presented himself.

"Mr. Josiah Brown, I suppose," said Holmes.

"Yes, sir; and you, no doubt, are Mr. Sherlock Holmes? I had the note which you sent by the express messenger, and I did exactly what you told me. We locked every door on the inside and awaited developments. Well, I'm very glad to see that you have got the rascal. I hope, gentlemen, that you will come in and have some refreshment."

However, Lestrade was anxious to get his man into safe quarters, and he led us into a room which had been summoned and we were all four upon our way to London. Not a word would our captive say, but he glared at us from the shadow of his matted hair, and with a few touches covered with his reach, he snapped at it like a hungry wolf. We stayed long enough at the police station to learn that a search of his clothing revealed nothing save a few shillings and a long sheet of paper, the nature of which bore copious traces of recent blood.

"That's all right," said Lestrade, as we parted. "Hill knows all these gentry, and he will give a name to them. You'll find that my theory of the busts is all right. But I'm sure I am exceedingly obliged to you, Mr. Holmes, for the workmanlike way in which you laid hands upon him. I don't quite understand it all yet."

"I fear it is rather a late hour for you to be out," said Holmes. "Besides, there are one or two details which are not finished off, and it is one of those cases which are worth working out to the very end. If you will come round once or twice, I shall be able to show you that even now you have not grasped the entire meaning of this business, which presents some features which make it absolutely original. I permit you to chronicle any more of my little problems, Watson, I foresee that you will enliven your pages by an account of the singular adventure of the Napoleonic busts."

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COURTESY TO ONE'S NEIGHBOR

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An interesting discussion has lately taken space in newspapers, north and south, on the subject of good neighborhood.



A southern woman, coming to New York a stranger, yearned for the pleasant companionship of her old home, where people were friendly and everybody knew everybody else. She was living in an apartment and just across the hall, a matter of three or four steps away, was the apartment of an unknown lady, a neighbor.

According to the established rules of apartment life in the big metropolitan city, proximity counts for nothing, and people may dwell under the same roof for months and years and never so much as greet one another with a passing bow. It is good form to preserve an icy indifference of demeanor if one meets one's neighbor on the stairs or in the elevator. The desert is not lonelier than a flat in New York, nor are strangers and foreigners more distinctly aloof than one in one of the great caravansaries which lift its domes from the main street toward the sky, in a New York street. Sheltering many families, each family is segregated by iron-clad custom, and an unformulated law of remoteness seldom broken.

I once spent a very cheerful evening in an apartment of sumptuous elegance where we kept festival for the birthday of our hostess. As we said good night, a mournful little procession passed us heavily going upstairs, in the deep black that is eloquent of a recent affliction. "The baby must be dead, and they have just come back from the funeral," said one of my entertainers. "The janitor told me they were from the country somewhere, when they moved in. I suppose they took the child home for burial."

"Shall you not go and offer them your sympathy?"

"On no account. We do not intrude on one another, when we have not been introduced," was the reply.

Well to go back a little, the southern gentleman aforesaid found herself uncomfortable in an atmosphere alien to her lifelong traditions. She was a woman of kind impulses and she thought she would make an overture.

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It was presently returned without the formality of thanks or regret, a cheerful refusal that sprang from a cheerful heart. The cordial southerner was chilled, as well she might be, but she ought also to have been relieved, as a person of her neighbor's type rarely makes an overture.

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and a nice dessert, sending her whole appetizing menu to her friend, Mrs. C., and accepting the latter's cold corned beef and potato salad, that she might help her friend over a hard bit of the road. Mr. C. having brought a couple of business friends home from town without previous notice.

I have known a more neighborly act than this. A dear little woman, the mother of five small children, at the age when copper toes are needed for the boys, and the little girls must have their hair curled every morning, was taken ill. There was no particular disease, but she was worn out and run down, and the doctor ordered a sea voyage, and eight weeks' absence from home. She must get away from the darlings, whom she loved better than life itself, if her life were to be preserved for them. This little mother had no kinsfolk to come to her aid, and the family exchequer was taxed to the uttermost inch of capacity in arranging to send her away. In the emergency, the neighbors rose to the occasion.

One friend took the twins, rollicking little schoolboys of seven. "I have a large family already," she said. "Two more will not bother me in the least." Another claimed the two little girls, five and three years old, and still another opened her arms and begged the favor of keeping the baby while the baby's mother went off on the outing that was thus made possible and easy. This was showing love to the neighbor in a beautiful practical way.

Are hearts in the city, then, harder than adamant, and is there any hope of introducing a finer and sweeter element? No, to the first query may be answered, and yes to the second. As "love laughs at locksmiths" so "nice customs curtesy to kind kings."

Let a man or woman establish a home in an apartment or a house, in grandeur or simplicity, in a great town's most thronged vicinity, or in an exclusive old village where blue blood is prized beyond dollars, and that home will presently gather to itself neighbors.

Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch could stay nowhere long in isolation. Neither could such a woman as one of whom I speak with devout admiration, a woman working for her daily bread in a business house, yet making her little nook, garret high, the refuge of the sorrowful, the delight of the children, the Mecca of the homeless, and as cynical in its attitude, as any a big city can show.

The magnetism of a real friendliness cannot be repelled. Northerners and southerners, alike, we are human, and human loving-kindness somehow makes its triumphant way, as the sunbeam that lights the darkened landscape, surely and swiftly its own.



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had nothing against him while he was here. He was gone two days before the bust was smashed."

"Well, that's all we could reasonably expect from Morse Hudson," said Holmes, as we emerged from the shop. "We have this Beppo as a common factor, both in Kennington and in Kennington, so that it worth a ten-mile drive. Now, Watson, let us make for Gelder & Co., of Stepey, the source and origin of the busts. I shall be surprised if we don't get some help down there."

In rapid succession we passed through the fringe of fashionable London, hotel London, theatrical London, literary London, commercial London, and finally, maritime London, till we came to a riverside city of a hundred thousand souls, where the tenement houses swelter and reek with the outcasts of Europe. Here, in a broad thoroughfare, once the abode of wealthy city merchants, we found the sculpture works for which we searched. Outside was a considerable yard full of monumental masonry. Inside was a large room in which fifty workers were carving or moulding. The manager, a big blonde German, received us civilly, and gave a clear answer to all Holmes' questions. A reference to his books showed that hundreds of casts had been taken from a marble copy of Davine's head of Napoleon, but that the three which had been sent to Morse Hudson a year or so before had been half of a batch of six, the other three being sent to Harding Brothers, of Kennington. There was no reason why those six should be different to any of the other casts. He could suggest no possible cause why anyone should wish to destroy them—in fact, he laughed at the idea. Their wholesale price was six shillings, but the retailer would get twelve or more. The cast was taken in two moulds from each side of the face, and then these two profiles of plaster of paris were joined together to make the complete bust. The work was usually done by Italian hands, in the room we were in. When finished, the busts were put on a table in the passage to dry, and afterward stored. That was all he could tell us.

But the production of the photograph had a remarkable effect upon the manager. His face flushed with anger, and his brows knotted over his blue Teutonic eyes.

"Ah, the rascal!" he cried. "Yes, indeed, I know him very well. This has always been a respectable establishment, and the only time that we have ever had the police in it was

last word of caution that he should say nothing as to our researches, we turned our faces westward once more.

The afternoon was far advanced before we were able to snatch a hasty luncheon at a restaurant. A news-bill at the entrance announced "Kensington Outrage. Murder by a Madman," and the contents of the paper showed that Mr. Horace Harker had got his account into print after all. Two columns were occupied with a highly sensational and flowery rendering of the whole incident. Holmes propped it against the cruet-stand and read while he ate. Once or twice he chuckled.

"This is all right, Watson," said he. "Listen to this: 'It is satisfactory to know that there can be no difference of opinion upon this case, since Mr. Lestrade, one of the most experienced members of the official force, and Mr. Sherlock Holmes, the well-known consulting expert, have each one come to the conclusion that the grotesque series of incidents, which have ended in so tragic a fashion, arise from lunacy rather than from deliberate crime. No explanation save mental aberration can cover the facts.' The Press, Watson, is a most valuable institution, if you only know how to use it. And now, if you have quite finished, we will walk back to Kennington, and see what the manager of Harding Brothers has to say on the matter."

The founder of that great emporium proved to be a brisk, crisp little person, very dapper and quick, with a clear head and a ready tongue.

"Yes, sir, I have already read the account in the evening papers. Mr. Horace Harker is a customer of ours all year, but he said nothing to either of us as to the result of his researches. For my own part, I had followed step by step the various windings of this complex case, and, though I could not yet perceive the goal which he would reach, I understood clearly that Holmes expected this grotesque criminal to make an attempt upon the two remaining busts, one of which, I remembered, was at Chiswick. No doubt the object of our journey was to catch him in the very act, and I could not but admire the cunning with which my friend had inserted a wrong clue in the evening paper, so as to give the fellow the idea that he could elude his scheme with impunity. I was not surprised when Holmes suggested that I should take my revolver with me. He had himself picked up

the fellow, he sees him enter a house, he waits outside for him, and in the scuffle he receives his own death-wound. How is that, Mr. Sherlock Holmes?"

"The man clapped his hands approvingly."

"Excellent, Lestrade, excellent!" he cried. "But I didn't quite follow your explanation of the destruction of the busts."

"The busts! You never can get those busts out of your head. After all, that is nothing; petty larceny, six months at the most. It is the murder that we are really investigating, and I tell you that I am gathering all the threads into my hands."

"Mr. Josiah Brown, I suppose," said Holmes.

"Yes, sir; and you, no doubt, are Mr. Sherlock Holmes? I had the note which you sent by the express messenger, and I did exactly what you told me. We locked every door on the inside and awaited developments. Well, I'm very glad to see that you have got the rascal. I hope, gentlemen, that you will come in and have some refreshment."

However, Lestrade was anxious to get his man into safe quarters, and he led us into a room which had been summoned and we were all four upon our way to London. Not a word would our captive say, but he glared at us from the shadow of his matted hair, and with a few touches covered with his reach, he snapped at it like a hungry wolf. We stayed long enough at the police station to learn that a search of his clothing revealed nothing save a few shillings and a long sheet of paper, the nature of which bore copious traces of recent blood.

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"Exactly."

"I have your letter here. You said that you possessed a copy of Davine's Napoleon, and am prepared to pay you ten pounds for the one which is in your possession. Is that right?"

"Certainly."

"I was very much surprised at your letter, for I could not imagine how you knew that I owned such a thing."

"Of course you must have been surprised, but the explanation is very simple. Mr. Harding, of Harding Brothers, said that they had sold you a bust, and with a few touches covered over the bust, he made for the factory in which he worked, and he knew that he had only a few minutes in which to conceal this enormously valuable prize, which would otherwise be found on him when he was searched. Six plaster casts of Napoleon were drying in the passage. One of them was still soft. In an instant Beppo, a skillful workman, made a small hole in the wet plaster, dropped the bust into it, and he was gone. He made for the factory in which he worked, and he knew that he had only a few minutes in which to conceal this enormously valuable prize, which would otherwise be found on him when he was searched. Six plaster casts of Napoleon were drying in the passage. One of them was still soft. 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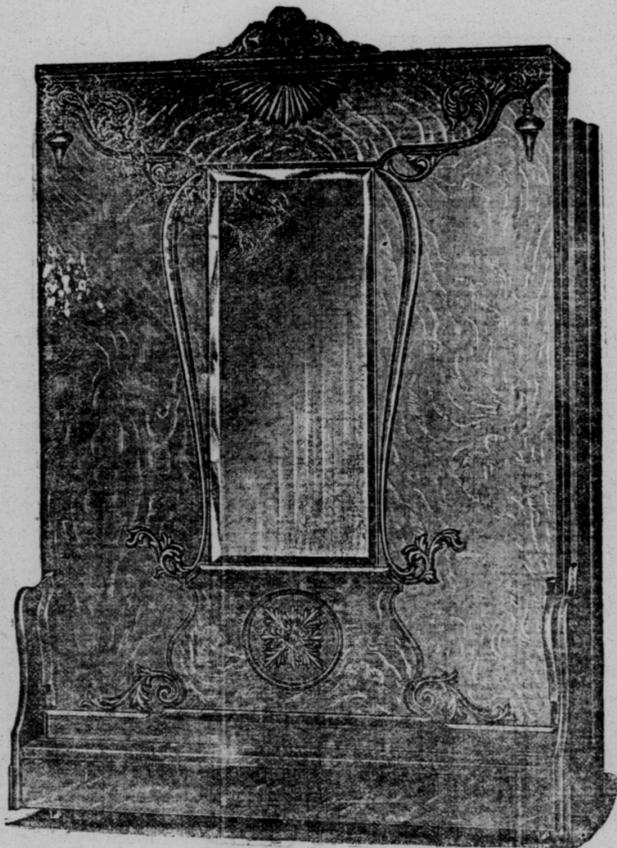
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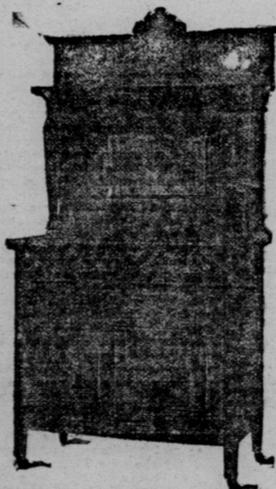
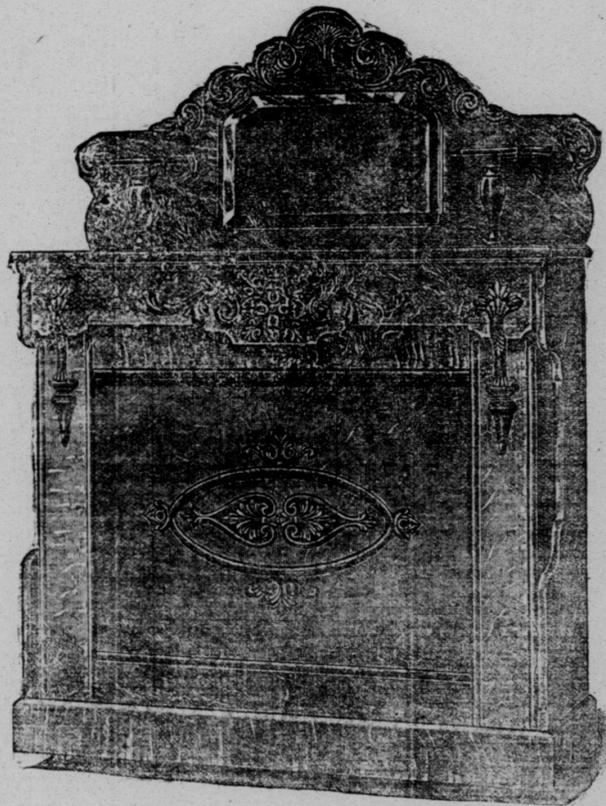
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DECIDING BATTLE OF WAR NEAR

Meager Dispatches From Manchuria Indicate Final Struggle Between Oyama and Linévitch Is at Hand

RUSSIAN FORCES NUMBER 300,000

Peace Rumors Believed in London and Paris to Have Emanated Wholly From Friends of Russia

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Special Cable to The Telegram.
TOKIO, April 1.—From the fact that the war office is permitting dispatches from the army at the front to become public, it is surmised that another battle soon may be expected in Manchuria. The dispatches themselves are of comparatively little importance, but tell of the movement of troops and unless Oyama's plans for a general advance were pretty near fruition even this fragmentary information, judging by what has gone before, would not be permitted to reach the public. It is the belief here among officials as well as on the part of the general public that the coming fight will be more nearly decisive even than the recent battle at Mukden and if Linévitch succeeds in withdrawing any considerable number of his troops to Harbin it is not believed those will be in shape to offer serious resistance when the Japanese make their appearance before the forces of the city.

That the Japanese government does not anticipate an early cessation of hostilities is evinced by the fact that more reserves have been called to the color and thousands of men ordinarily exempt from military duty are being assembled at the concentration camps constantly. It is estimated by those in a position to know that fully 300,000 men are now ready for transportation to the front. While some of these are being sent to fill out the gaps made in Oyama's regiments by the recent fighting, the greater portion of them are believed to be destined for the campaign against Vladivostok and Sanchalien, which will be pushed with vigor as soon as the weather permits.

FRANCE GIVES UP HOPE

Negotiations For Peace Suspended If Not Actually Abandoned—Russian Defeat Means Panic

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Special Cable to The Telegram.
PARIS, April 1.—Hope has been practically abandoned of bringing about an early understanding between Russia and Japan and the effort which has been made by the French foreign office in the interest of peace, if not abandoned, have at all events been suspended for the time being.

Men in high finance make no secret of the fact that there is danger of a smash in Russian securities in the French market which may assume the proportions of a panic. In the event of another Russian defeat either on land or on sea, the small holders of Russian securities and there are thousands of them throughout France, are liable to become panic stricken and throw over their holdings regardless of consequences.

The fact that the French government has practically abandoned hope of a Russian success and the hitch in flotation of the last Russian loan proposed in France has caused alarm among the small investors and only a further disaster to Russian arms is needed to turn this into a panic. This is the view held by men who are thoroughly in touch with the financial situation in France and it is this fact which has made France so anxious to bring about peace.

COMING BATTLE DECISIVE

Will Mark Either Utter Overthrow of Russia or Turning Point for Success

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Special Cable to The Telegram.
LONDON, April 1.—The talk of peace seems to have been only talk. If the unequivocal statements of the diplomats most interested mean anything, there has not been even a suggestion of peace from either of the warring nations in the Far East. The peace talk has come from the mediators, the sincere friends of Russia, outsiders, who believe that her best interest lies in the direction of an early end to the war, and the chancelleries, where all wars, and especially a continuance of the present struggle, are believed to be

fraught with danger to the interests of their respective sovereigns.

From these quarters the rumors of peace have been sent out, because peace talk some times really promotes action looking toward a retreat upon nothing else has been accomplished, and we know, if not directly from St. Petersburg and Tokio, in round-about ways, what Japan may demand and what Russia may consider when the time arrives to discuss the matter officially. Today's news is that the Japanese army is on the move.

Linevitch, a cable from Harbin states, will be able to muster 300,000 men. With the exception of about 25,000 recruits, who have arrived since the retreat from Mukden, these troops are all men who know the spirit of the Japanese soldiers, and have given way before it on a score of battlefields between the Yalu river and the present fighting place. Under a new leader, however, and impressed with the realization that the next meeting between the two armies will be a struggle to the death, it may result in the most bloody battle of a war that has established new records in the art of man killing.

Linevitch will be called upon to win his spurs. And aside from this fact, driven from Harbin, the Russians will have nothing left but a retreat upon the trackless wastes in the region of Lake Balkal. Defeat will mean the isolation of Vladivostok. Defeat will mean that the Russians have been driven from their last stand. The hopeful Russians, the men who are looking to the coming battle to mark the turning point in the Russian reverses.

VLADIVOSTOK FORTIFIED

Fall of Port Arthur Had Sobering Effect and Preparations for Siege Are Thorough

Special Cable to The Telegram.

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COPENHAGEN, April 1.—A letter from the manager of the Great Northern Telegraph Company, a Danish corporation at Vladivostok, reports that the population of that city is in a panic as a result of the Russian defeat at Mukden. Everybody who has been able to leave the city has done so, and it is expected that the Japanese will attack the city as soon as the spring weather sets in. The spirit among the soldiers, the letter says, is excellent and work to strengthen the fortifications is going on incessantly. There are plenty of provisions and ammunition in the city, and both officers and men are determined to surpass even the heroes of Port Arthur, and feel confident of being able to repulse the Japanese. Mines have been placed in hundreds of places outside the fortifications, and should the Japanese armies ever reach here their losses will be tremendous.

The events in Manchuria have thoroughly sobered the Russian officers and very gay, there is absolutely no dissipation now. The troops are being constantly drilled and large practice with the big guns is being kept up every day. The number of civilians in the city, very small and enough bomb proofs have been constructed to shelter all, so that the loss of life will be comparatively small should the Japanese try to bombard the city and the hospitals are well equipped with both nurses and supplies. Should the city be besieged its defense will surpass anything the world has ever seen. So far the railroad connection with St. Petersburg has not been cut, four trains arriving daily from Harbin. A number of officers who were wounded during the battles of Liao Yang and Mukden have arrived and all are recovering quickly.

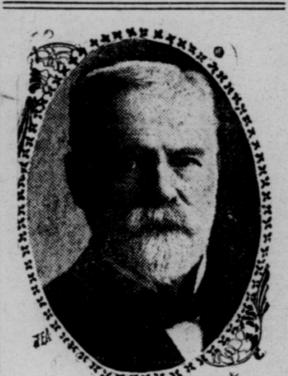
EXPERTS BELIEVE CRISIS AT HAND

London Military Students Even Calculate That War Will Be Decided By End of the Month

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Special Cable to The Telegram.
LONDON, April 1.—Expert opinion is unanimous that another crisis is close at hand in the Russo-Japanese war. That Linevitch is determined to give battle again before retiring on Harbin seems to be certain and the consensus of opinion here is that he will receive a more serious defeat than did his predecessor at Mukden, if he waits until Oyama delivers an attack on his main position in the vicinity of Gunshu Pass. Already the dispatches tell of movements which indicate that the first serious fighting will occur in the neighborhood of Kirin, which really is the key to the Russian position, in the judgment of military experts. As great interest is felt in the sea situation as in that on land. Nothing has been heard from the Japanese fleet for several weeks, but there is every reason to believe that it has established headquarters to the east of the Sunda Straits with a guard of fast cruisers and torpedo boats and destroyers covering a stretch of the Indian ocean practically from Ceylon to Australia, so that it will be impossible for the Russian fleet which has been reported in positions which indicate that it now will be within the range of the Japanese scouts before many days, if indeed it has not already been sighted and reported to Togo. Hebogato's squadron is placed by naval authority in the Gulf of Aden and should be within a few days' sail of Ceylon. It is waiting at some of the many islands in those seas and that upon the arrival of Hebogato he will proceed east and risk his fleet in a battle with the Japanese. Naval men are unanimous in the opinion that if he once places himself within range of the Japanese guns his fate is sealed. It is regarded as altogether probable that before the end of the month the sea will be a scene of both land and sea will have been decided.

PLANS COMPLETED FOR WELCOMING ROOSEVELT



GOVERNOR LANHAM.
Governor Lanham will introduce President Roosevelt to a monster audience from a stand just outside the capitol grounds at Austin.



CECIL A. LYON.
Who will entertain the president at Sherman.

President to Arrive in Fort Worth Saturday for One Hour's Visit

Committees to arrange for the entertainment of President Roosevelt on his visit to this city Saturday, April 8, met in the Board of Trade rooms Saturday afternoon and discussed final plans in regard to the parade, decorations and reception of the president.

On motion it was decided that Mayor Powell and Sam Davidson be the two citizens to occupy places in the carriage with the president and his secretary.

The committee on military features, of which C. O. Elliott is chairman, reported that arrangements for the parade were satisfactorily progressing. The committee will confer with the mayor this week, asking him to issue a proclamation declaring the forenoon of Saturday, May 8, a holiday. Arrangements will be made so that all of the school children of the city may take part in the parade.

The traction company will be requested not to run cars on Main and Houston streets during the parade, and a committee comprising R. H. Beckham, Chairman Hutchinson, C. O. Elliott and Sam Davidson was named to confer with the railroad companies in regard to arranging free transportation for out-of-town military companies who will participate in the parade.

The committee on military features will this week confer with labor unions, asking them to have as many men as possible in line. It is the intention to have the railroad employees appear in their working costumes.

City Marshal Rea has ordered a guard of mounted policemen, and every department of the city will participate in some way.

A reviewing stand capable of holding thirty persons will be erected in front of the Texas and Pacific passenger station, west of the triangle, at which place the president and party will stop at the conclusion of the parade.

Sam Davidson announced at the meeting that during the president's hunting trip his secretary and party will remain in this city.

In regard to decoration, the committee for this purpose announced that the Texas and Pacific passenger station will be suitably draped and that banners will be placed across Main and Houston streets. The federal building, which will be in the course of the parade, will also be elaborately decorated.

LINE OF PARADE

To avoid crush and congestion the parade will form at 8:30 o'clock Saturday morning, on the left side of Main street. The space north and west of the Texas and Pacific station will be roped off so that the president and party will have free access to carriages, which will be waiting at the west curbing of the station.

The carriages will pass up Main street, each division of the parade filling in behind as it is passed. The school children will be grouped at the court house. The course of the parade will be up Main to the court house, west on Weatherford to Houston, turning from Houston into Ninth so that the city hall and federal building can be passed. After passing the last named building the line of the parade will again be resumed on Houston street, crossing by means of Eleventh street. At the foot of Houston street the



HOW THE PRESIDENT TOGS UP WHEN HE GOES ON THE CHASE.



ALDERMAN J. H. KIRKPATRICK.
Who will deliver an address of welcome to the president at San Antonio.

president will mount the stand, where he will deliver a short address.

The special train bearing President Roosevelt will arrive here at 9:45 Saturday morning. The president, according to present arrangements, will remain in this city only about an hour. An effort will be made to have him remain longer, but no announcement as to whether or not the visit will be prolonged has been made.

PRESIDENTIAL PARTY

The presidential party will be: The president; Paul Morton, secretary of the navy; William Loeb, secretary to the president; Dr. Alexander Lambert, general S. B. M. Young, United States army (retired); Lieutenant G. R. Fortesquale to the president; Messrs. Latta and McGraw, stenographers; Messrs. F. N. Tyler, James Sloan Jr. and Jackson S. Elliott of the Associated Press; J. C. Thompson, Scripps-McRea Press Association; R. V. Olanah, New York Sun; H. A. Stohmeyer, photographer; A. A. Allen, vice president and general manager of the Katy; Sloan Simpson, Dallas; Cecil A. Lyon, Sherman.

As announced in The Telegram, Secretary Morton and General Young will not come to this city, leaving the party at San Antonio. Other members of the party will remain in this city during the hunting trip.

TEXAS ITINERARY

President Roosevelt and party traveling in a special train of three cars, with the private cars Rocket and Forrest. They will arrive in St. Louis April 4 at 8 o'clock in the evening, leaving there ten minutes later over the Katy. The schedule is then announced with final corrections as follows: Wednesday, April 5, arrive at Vinita at 9:05 a. m.; Muskogee, 11 a. m.; South McAlester, 12:38 p. m.; Atoka, 1:55 p. m.; Caddo, 2:37 p. m.; Durant, 2:50 p. m.; Denison, 3:55 p. m.; Sherman, 4:19 p. m., and Dallas, 5:50 p. m.

The night will be spent in Dallas and early the following morning the special train will start for San Antonio, the schedule being: Thursday, April 6, leave Dallas 5:30 a. m.; arrive Waco, 9:50 a. m.; Temple, 11:06 a. m.; Taylor, 12:30 p. m.; Austin, 2:50; leave Austin, 6:50 p. m.; arrive San Antonio, 8:50 p. m.

At 10 o'clock on the morning of April 7 President Roosevelt, with an escort of cavalry, will enter his carriage, and, accompanied by Mayor Campbell, Brigadier General Jesse M. Lee, commander of the department of Texas; Cecil Lyon of the state republican committee, and W. L. Stiles, president of the Business Men's Club, will drive to the army post at Government Hill and witness a review of the



JOHN N. WINTERS.
President of Central Roosevelt Club of Fort Worth.

cavalry and infantry troops stationed there.

At 11 a. m. the president and party, escorted by a troop of United States regular cavalry and rough riders, will proceed to Travis park, where they will be joined by the Grand Army of the Republic and Confederate Veterans, and proceed around the park.

In the center and around the sides of this park the children of the public and private schools of the city will be massed. They will be provided with flags and will sing "America" under the leadership of a band, while the procession is encircling the park.

Here, in this historic square, with its towering banana palms, resident Roosevelt will be showered with thousands of roses by the school children. It was here under this same spot, under the shadow of Crockett and Bowie gave up their lives for Texas liberty, the president will be formally welcomed to the city by Judge Charles W. Ogden and Alderman J. H. Kirkpatrick.

President Roosevelt will respond from a rostrum which has been constructed that the thousands assembled in the big plaza can see his every motion.

At the close of these exercises the reunion of the rough riders will begin. The president will drive to the old rendezvous of the rough riders at the international fair grounds and meet the men with whom he tented during those same days he made his fame in Cuba.

Tents will be pitched in the same old places, open fires will be built, a camp commissary established and every detail will resemble as closely as possible the scene as it was during the organization of the rough riders by Colonel Roosevelt.

Surrounded by such reminders of his early fighting days, President Roosevelt and those of his rough riders who have been gathered together, will eat luncheon in the same informal style that characterized their early relations.

This lunch will be served at 1 o'clock, and from that time until 5:30 the president and his cowboy friends will be left their own devices, unhindered by the curious. There will be story telling, the recounting of old times and general forgetfulness of presidential dignity.

At 5:30 p. m. the president and party will proceed to the Menger Hotel. At 7:00 the Business Men's Club will tender the president a dinner at the hotel. The president is not to make any speech at



F. W. SEABURY.
Speaker of the Texas house of representatives, who has charge of the legislative ceremonies at Austin, Texas. He will introduce the president to the legislature. Both houses will be in joint session.

Several members of both the senate and the house today expressed themselves as being of the opinion that the bill introduced last Thursday, looking to the appropriation of \$15,000 to be used by the attorney general for a big octopus trust would pass the legislature finally by the middle of the present week, and that the fund thus provided would be ready for immediate use if so desired. In this same connection the rumor, whether true or not, gained currency in certain exclusive legislature circles, that possibly the beef trust committee recently appointed by the legislature had secured sufficient evidence to justify action upon the part of the state, and that this money was to be used along that line.

It is well to note that it is hardly possible that the legislature would hand the attorney general \$15,000 and instruct him to go out and hunt for the trusts without having in their mind's eye some work that he could conduct along practical and tangible lines. While there is no questioning the fact but what the attorney general would be perfectly capable of finding these violators of the law, if there were any, the action of the legislature gives rise to the feeling in more than one direction that the beef trust committee has secured some evidence that it wants worked out and that it is up to the attorney general to work out his case on what evidence it is in a position to give him.

Inasmuch as he cannot be expected to work without money, the appropriation in question will be made. In this same connection it has been intimated that the committee while working on the beef question has tumbled on to some oil trust movements along with the evidence along that line already in the hands of the attorney general and that oil interests will come in for a division of time with the beef trust.

Another matter that is concerning the legislature just at present is to what action the house is going to take upon the senate amendments to the Williams intangible tax bill, which it is now up to the house to consider.

When asked as to whether he intended to move against the senate amendments any time soon, Representative Williams, the author of the bill, said that he had not decided what he would do regarding the matter and that he would think a while before doing anything.

While it is not so stated, it is rumored that the real bone of contention regarding the senate amendments is the "packing house" and the "interurban railway" amendments, which the senate insisted upon putting into the bill, and which the house had equally as carefully left out. These two matters are of considerable moment to North Texas interests, and while it is not believed that the amendments these two amendments will have any weight with any house members, it is just possible that they may have under the plea that they are "infant industries" in the state.

At all events conditions with regard to the Williams bill are interesting. If the house does not concur then a free conference committee is the only alternative. Should that conference committee be organized, it is probable that the house may object to, be they what they may, then nothing could possibly result save delay, and more free conference committees. All this would tie up an exceedingly important address here at the close of the session, and might possibly compass its defeat.

Conditions arising between now and the voting time this week may change everything, but looked at in the present light and Texas, having intangible bill presents a condition, and not a theory in legislative circles, what the result will be depends utterly upon the author of the bill as to what preliminary movements he makes with regard to concurring or non-concurring in the senate amendments.

Game and fish will be depended upon to fill out the bill of fare. John Goff and "Jack" Borah, famous guides, will lead the way to the mountains.

While the president is in the wilds of the mountains executive headquarters will be in the special train at Glenwood Springs. Secretary Loeb will be there to receive communications addressed here to the president. Matters that require his attention will be sent by messenger to the hunting camp.

United States Marshal Hanson of Galveston will have charge of the president's light and Texas, having the following force: J. S. Schermack, chief deputy; W. J. Womack, marine deputy, and R. J. Worth, all of Galveston; John M. Haynes of Laredo, John W. Vann of Houston, C. F. Alvarez of Rio Grande City, W. B. Bates of Brownsville and J. W. Petty of Galveston.

Request has been made by the committee of arrangements in this city that all persons having carriages available for the purpose tender them for the use of Mexican and civil war veterans, who will be unable to march in line. Offers of carriages should be sent to J. N. Winters, chief of the erection of the speaker's stand will be received by John Homan during the beginning of this week.

WILLIAMS TAX BILL

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REACH FORT WORTH 9:45

Running on schedule time the train will reach this city at 9:45, when the program outlined at Saturday's meeting will be followed.

In this city President Roosevelt will be greeted by the Central Roosevelt Club, his first political club in Texas to bear his name, in incidentally, the first republican club ever organized in Fort Worth.

VETERANS TO MARCH

Spanish-American war veterans will occupy a prominent place in the line in this city. Excursions will be run from all points and Commander R. E. Beckham has issued a call stating that all persons who participated in the Spanish-American war are requested to meet at the court house at 8:30 o'clock on the morning of the president's visit to march in line regardless of regiment.

Organized labor will also take part in the reception, the following notice having been issued at a meeting of the Fort Worth Trades Assembly:

At a special meeting of the executive board of the Trades Assembly, held March 25, it was decided to urge all members of unions affiliated with the Fort Worth Trades Assembly to participate as citizens in the reception to be given President Roosevelt upon his arrival in this city.

Notification of program reached us too late to take official action by organization, or to participate as a body, hence the action of the executive committee.

Knights of Pythias in north Texas will make this city a centering point to greet the president. Brigadier General J. H. Tiller having arranged to have the United companies in line. Companies from Terrell, Denison, Brownwood, Big Springs and Waco will be here.

A committee has been chosen by the negro citizens to co-operate in the reception of the party as follows: Thomas Mason, J. Y. Taylor, Professor William Coleman, Nathaniel Johnson, Dr. J. M. Moseley, Dr. Robinson, A. Cavil, Professor F. H. Fowler, Professor James Guinn and Rev. C. A. Leftwich.

Leaving this city over the Fort Worth and Denver road the president will go to a point near Vernon in the Panhandle for a brief hunting trip.

The camping outfit to be used by the hunting party passed through this city Saturday billed to Fredericks, Okla., which is about fifteen miles from Vernon.

ATTY-GENERAL TO PROBE THE TRUSTS

Many Texas Lawmakers Think Evidence Behind \$15,000 Appropriation

MEASURE TO PASS HOUSE

Hinted That Beef Trust Committee May Have Found Interesting Facts

Special to The Telegram.

AUSTIN, Texas, April 1.—The legislature was not in session today, both branches having adjourned Friday until Monday morning.

Several members of both the senate and the house today expressed themselves as being of the opinion that the bill introduced last Thursday, looking to the appropriation of \$15,000 to be used by the attorney general for a big octopus trust would pass the legislature finally by the middle of the present week, and that the fund thus provided would be ready for immediate use if so desired. In this same connection the rumor, whether true or not, gained currency in certain exclusive legislature circles, that possibly the beef trust committee recently appointed by the legislature had secured sufficient evidence to justify action upon the part of the state, and that this money was to be used along that line.

It is well to note that it is hardly possible that the legislature would hand the attorney general \$15,000 and instruct him to go out and hunt for the trusts without having in their mind's eye some work that he could conduct along practical and tangible lines. While there is no questioning the fact but what the attorney general would be perfectly capable of finding these violators of the law, if there were any, the action of the legislature gives rise to the feeling in more than one direction that the beef trust committee has secured some evidence that it wants worked out and that it is up to the attorney general to work out his case on what evidence it is in a position to give him.

Inasmuch as he cannot be expected to work without money, the appropriation in question will be made. In this same connection it has been intimated that the committee while working on the beef question has tumbled on to some oil trust movements along with the evidence along that line already in the hands of the attorney general and that oil interests will come in for a division of time with the beef trust.

Another matter that is concerning the legislature just at present is to what action the house is going to take upon the senate amendments to the Williams intangible tax bill, which it is now up to the house to consider.

When asked as to whether he intended to move against the senate amendments any time soon, Representative Williams, the author of the bill, said that he had not decided what he would do regarding the matter and that he would think a while before doing anything.

While it is not so stated, it is rumored that the real bone of contention regarding the senate amendments is the "packing house" and the "interurban railway" amendments, which the senate insisted upon putting into the bill, and which the house had equally as carefully left out. These two matters are of considerable moment to North Texas interests, and while it is not believed that the amendments these two amendments will have any weight with any house members, it is just possible that they may have under the plea that they are "infant industries" in the state.

At all events conditions with regard to the Williams bill are interesting. If the house does not concur then a free conference committee is the only alternative. Should that conference committee be organized, it is probable that the house may object to, be they what they may, then nothing could possibly result save delay, and more free conference committees. All this would tie up an exceedingly important address here at the close of the session, and might possibly compass its defeat.

Conditions arising between now and the voting time this week may change everything, but looked at in the present light and Texas, having intangible bill presents a condition, and not a theory in legislative circles, what the result will be depends utterly upon the author of the bill as to what preliminary movements he makes with regard to concurring or non-concurring in the senate amendments.

Game and fish will be depended upon to fill out the bill of fare. John Goff and "Jack" Borah, famous guides, will lead the way to the mountains.

While the president is in the wilds of the mountains executive headquarters will be in the special train at Glenwood Springs. Secretary Loeb will be there to receive communications addressed here to the president. Matters that require his attention will be sent by messenger to the hunting camp.

United States Marshal Hanson of Galveston will have charge of the president's light and Texas, having the following force: J. S. Schermack, chief deputy; W. J. Womack, marine deputy, and R. J. Worth, all of Galveston; John M. Haynes of Laredo, John W. Vann of Houston, C. F. Alvarez of Rio Grande City, W. B. Bates of Brownsville and J. W. Petty of Galveston.

Request has been made by the committee of arrangements in this city that all persons having carriages available for the purpose tender them for the use of Mexican and civil war veterans, who will be unable to march in line. Offers of carriages should be sent to J. N. Winters, chief of the erection of the speaker's stand will be received by John Homan during the beginning of this week.

H. C. Stripling THE PRICE IS THE THING

Just 3 Weeks Until Easter

The rush of the Easter trade will soon commence, and we advise early shopping where possible, as you will find much better assortments now than later on.

WOMEN'S READY-TO-WEAR SOME BARGAIN OFFERS

- White Shirt Waist, made of Persian lawn and very fine, embroidered front, a \$2.50 waist; special price all this week \$1.98

SILK SHIRT WAIST SUITS TWO SPECIALS FOR ONE WEEK

- Silk Shirt Waist Suits that are good \$12.50 values, made of a soft chiffon taffeta, black and colors; extra special for one week \$7.50

WOMEN'S SKIRTS—TWO SPECIAL LOTS

- We have selected about 50 Skirts from our regular lines that sold at from \$7.50 to \$10.00—most of these are in medium weight, made in late winter styles; special price for choice \$4.98

WOMEN'S GAUZE VESTS

- Women's silk finish Lisle Vests with silk tape, all sizes at \$25c

NEW SILKS FOR SUITS AND WAISTS

The prettiest Fancy Wash Silks that we have shown this season have just been received, all the new figures and dots on white ground; silks that you will find elsewhere at 59c; our price is only 48c

TWO SPECIALS—BROWN LINENS

- Brown Dress Linen, 36 inches wide and as good as you ever saw at 35c a yard in any store, all linen both ways; special for one week, yard \$25c

EMBROIDERED MOUSSELINE

- We have 14 pieces of solid color silk dot Mouseline in pink, blue, linen and black—a beautiful, sheer fabric for evening dresses. It's a good 35c grade; special price for one week \$20c

SOME NEW WHITE GOODS

- Imported White Dotted Swiss, all size dots; per yd. \$25c

LACES AND EMBROIDERIES

The greatest assortment and best values that have ever been shown in Fort Worth. Lace Yokings in Mechlin, Wash Blonde, Oriental, etc.; prices from 15c a yard up to \$3.00

HOSIERY COUNTER SPECIALS

- Women's dropstitch Black Hose, black, blue and tan polka dot and fancy Hose that sold at 25c a pair—a general assortment; special offer Monday \$15c

LEGISLATURE TO RE-OPEN APRIL 12

Telegram Correspondent Forecasts Extraordinary Session to Follow

AUSTIN, Texas, April 1.—Although the members of the house have done some talking on the subject of a sine die adjournment, and although the resolution providing for an adjournment will not now be considered until Wednesday, April 5, a Telegram correspondent after taking the temperature of the members of the house with a legislative thermometer that for accuracy may be relied on, ventures to make this prediction:

The legislature will adjourn on April 12 and be reconvened in extraordinary session by the governor on the 13th, the following day. The legislature will meet on the 13th and adjourn until the 15th, when it will get busy.

SPEAKER SEABURY BETTER In the house yesterday Speaker Seabury was in the chair for the first time in ten days. He seemed to be very much refreshed by his rest in the Rio Grande, and was in fine physical form. During his absence Speaker Pro Tem Robertson has turned the wheel in the house and has ground out legislative grist in a great sluice.

NO INCREASE IN PENSIONS The impression has gone abroad, and is now quite prevalent in the state, that the amount which will be paid as pensions to Confederate veterans will be largely increased for the quarters commencing April 1 and July 1.

GOVERNOR APPROVES BILLS Governor Lanham has approved the following additional bills: House bill No. 397, an act creating the judicial district of the Rio Grande, and was in fine physical form.

Senate bill No. 211, an act authorizing corporations to incorporate for more than one purpose. House bill No. 274, an act prescribing the time for holding court in the Thirty-fifth judicial district. House bill No. 85, an act providing for the taxation of timber sold by the state.

THAT BEAUTIFUL GLOSS comes from the varnish in Devco's Varnish Floor Paint; costs 5 cents more a quart though. Sold by Brown & Vera.

WORKING GIRLS' SALARIES In your issue of Friday, March 31, you have an article headed, "How Fort Worth Working Girls Live on Small Salaries."

As this article reflects on the dry goods merchants to some extent, leaving the impression that female employees of dry goods houses are required to work for such wages as will not properly support them, I desire to correct such an impression as may pertain to our business.

First, we have twenty regular saleswomen with minimum experience, and the average salary of which is \$9.90 per week. Those who have only a limited experience and who work in minor positions receive \$5 per week, of which we have only one-third this price. All others receive salaries ranging from \$8 to \$25, the better paid help being heads of departments. If there has ever been any complaint from women employees of this store as to the salaries they receive we have no knowledge of it. We have always made it a rule to pay our saleswomen all the salary our business would permit, or the position they occupy would justify, and have provided as much as possible for their comfort and health.

The employees of this store have a sick benefit fund, to which they contribute a very small per cent of their salaries each month, and in case of sickness they receive one-half of their regular salary. We believe that each individual employee of this store feels that they are receiving a fair compensation for their services, and are perfectly satisfied with their respective positions.

W. C. STRIPLING.

Good Boys

Are the bad boys very often. The boy that's good for anything is generally pugnacious. He's a healthy animal, and the healthy animal will always fight for his rights.

When a boy shuns the rough sports of his companions he is apt to be a weakling, and to be conscious of the fact.

A great many mothers have testified to the wonderful curing and strengthening power of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. All strength comes from food after it has been perfectly digested and assimilated. By curing diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition, "Golden Medical Discovery" enables the perfect nourishment of the body, which is thus built up in the only way a body can be built up—by food.

There is no alcohol in "Discovery," and it is entirely free from opium, cocaine, and all other narcotics.

Dr. Pierce's medicine has done wonders for my two sons," writes Mrs. M. Harlick of Denver, Colorado, N. Y. "Both had scrofula. My eldest son was taken two or three years ago with hemorrhage from the lungs. It troubled him for over a year. He took Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and has not had one in over a year. My younger son had scrofulous sores on his neck, had two lanced, but has not had any since he commenced to take your medicine."

Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser, in paper cover, sent free on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps to pay expense of mailing only. For cloth binding send 31 stamps. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

FATHER BURNED SAVING FAMILY

Destroyed as Result of Gasoline Explosion

The two-story residence of Howard Fogg near the old stove foundry, just beyond the southwest line of the city limits, was totally destroyed by fire Friday night about 10 o'clock, the result of an explosion of a gasoline stove. Mrs. Fogg was preparing the evening meal when the explosion occurred, but was uninjured. The flames rapidly ignited the wallpaper and in an instant the whole room was ablaze, communicating from one room to another until the destruction of the whole house was accomplished.

Nothing was saved from the building, as Mr. Fogg devoted his entire time to saving his family, consisting of wife and four children. In doing this rescue work he was burned on the legs, arms and feet. The building contained nine rooms and was valued, with the household goods, at \$4,000. There was \$1,000 insurance carried on the premises. Being outside the city limits it was impossible to secure assistance from the fire department.

Mr. Fogg said last night that he would at once begin the erection of a new home on the old site.

JUDGE BECKHAM MADE AN INSPECTOR GENERAL

Succeeds Late Colonel Duke Goodman as Officer of Texas Division, United Confederate Veterans

Major General K. M. Van Zandt, commanding the Texas division of the Confederate Veterans, Saturday issued an official circular appointing a successor to Colonel Duke Goodman, who recently died in Fort Worth. Colonel Goodman held the position of inspector general of the association in Texas. His successor, under the appointment of Major Van Zandt, is Judge R. E. Beckham. The general order is as follows: Judge R. E. Beckham of Fort Worth, Texas, is hereby appointed Inspector General, with rank of colonel.

It is further ordered that the named officer know that a blow over the stomach—muscle, but not the center of the solar plexus blow—means a sure knockout. For this nerve is ten times as sensitive as the pupil of your eye. Yet the stomach is its slave. Practically all stomach trouble is nerve trouble—inside nerve trouble—solar plexus trouble. Dr. Shoop's Restorative strengthens the inside nerves—strengthens the solar plexus—and the stomach trouble disappears.

ORRICK BELIEVES NEWBY QUALIFIED

City Attorney Declares That in His Opinion Alderman's Seat Is Not Forfeited

Concerning the question as to whether Alderman W. G. Newby, having temporarily moved his place of residence from the Sixth to the Second ward, is still a bona fide member of the council, according to the provisions of the city charter, City Attorney Orrick said Saturday afternoon: "Under the statement made in your issue of the 21st of March, with reference to Alderman Newby, in reply to your question as to whether or not he is in reality an alderman of the Sixth ward, I would reply that I have no hesitancy whatever in saying that he is legally the alderman of the Sixth ward."

"I have had occasion to investigate the holdings of the courts on questions arising under similar statutes and have arrived at the above conclusion. However, I will say that I have not made a special investigation with reference to the particular case.

"I, however, deem myself fully informed on the law. A more extended interview would necessarily involve too much time and space, and I do not feel that I would be warranted in giving one at this time, especially in view of the fact that I ought in no event give legal opinions unless called upon by the council or some head of a department of the city government."

Mr. Newby, when seen by a representative of The Telegram declined to make any statement.

ODD FELLOWS PLAN COUNTRY REUNION

Parade and Picnic to Be Features of Gathering in This City April 26

Tarrant county Odd Fellows will hold their reunion in this city April 26. Already a committee of eighteen, three from each of the six lodges of the county has been appointed, and has the arrangement of a program in its hands. J. M. Bedford of this city is chairman of the committee.

Though not completely drawn up some of the features of the day have been given out. A parade in the morning will be the first event, after which the Odd Fellows will go to Lake Erie, where the day will be spent in a general picnic and good time, with speeches by Mayor Powell and members of the lodge. In the evening a dance will be given.

There are 600 active members of the Odd Fellow lodges of the county and it is estimated that the majority of these, in addition to the numerous other Odd Fellows of this city who are not active members of local lodges, will be present. The complete program for the day will be issued this week.

Townsite Member Nether ARDMORE, I. T., April 1.—J. Fletcher Williams has been appointed to succeed W. B. Burney, resigned, as a member of the Chickasaw townsite commission. Williams' appointment must be confirmed by Secretary Hitchcock.

A Full Dollar's Worth Free Can Any Ailing One Refuse?

I will pay outright for your first dollar bottle of Dr. Shoop's Restorative. I ask no deposit—no promise. You take no risk—you pay nothing, either now or later. The dollar bottle is free to those who have not tried my remedy.

I want no references—no security. The poor have the same opportunity as the rich. To one and all I say "Merely write me and I will send you an order on your druggist. He will give you free, the full dollar package."

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

There is no mystery—no miracle. I can explain my treatment to you as easily as I can tell you why cold freezes water and why heat melts ice. Nor do I claim a discovery.

Inside Nerves! Only one out of every 98 has perfect health. Of the 97 sick ones, some are bed-ridden, some are half sick, and some are only dull and listless. But most of the sickness comes from a common cause. The nerves are weak. Not the nerves you ordinarily think about—not the nerves that govern your movements and your thoughts.

But the nerves that, unguided and unknown, night and day, keep your heart in motion—control the digestive apparatus—regulate your liver—operate your kidneys. These are the nerves that wear out and break down.

It does no good to treat the ailing organ—the irregular heart—the disordered liver—the rebellious stomach—the drained kidneys. They are not to be damaged, go back to the nerves that control them. There you will find the seat of the trouble.

There is nothing new about this—nothing any physician would dispute. But it is new to you because you have not tried my medicine in your own home at my expense absolutely. Could I offer you a full dollar's worth free if there were any misrepresentations made? I let you go to your druggist—whom you know—and pick out any bottle he has on his shelves of my medicine. He will not UNIFORMLY help! Could I AFFORD to do this if I were not reasonably SURE that my medicine will help you.

For Stomach Troubles The stomach is controlled by a delicate nerve called the solar plexus. Frise tightens that a blow over the stomach—muscle, but not the center of the solar plexus blow—means a sure knockout. For this nerve is ten times as sensitive as the pupil of your eye. Yet the stomach is its slave. Practically all stomach trouble is nerve trouble—inside nerve trouble—solar plexus trouble. Dr. Shoop's Restorative strengthens the inside nerves—strengthens the solar plexus—and the stomach trouble disappears.

For Kidney Troubles The kidneys are the blood filters. They are operated solely by the inside nerves. The branch which operates them and regulates them is called the renal plexus. When the renal plexus is weak or irregular, the kidneys become clogged with the very poisons they should throw off. No kidney treatment can clean them out or cure them and one stage leads into another until after a while the kidneys themselves begin to break down and dissolve. There is only one way to restore kidney trouble—that is through the inside nerves that control them, which Dr. Shoop's Restorative alone strengthens and restores.

For Heart Troubles Your heart beats more than ten thousand times a day. And every heart beat is an impulse of the inside nerve branch called the cardiac plexus. The heart is a muscle, but the nerve that controls the muscle does the work. An irregular or weak heart is, almost in every instance, the direct result of a weak or irregular nerve—inside nerve. To cure heart trouble, restore the nerve to normal. Dr. Shoop's Restorative will restore the cardiac plexus, just as it restores the solar plexus and the renal plexus. For all are equal parts of the great inside nerve system—the power nerves—the master nerves.

Dr. Shoop's Restorative

CHURCH OBSERVES ITS ANNIVERSARY

Program of Services at Christian Tabernacle Includes Reception of Members

The program for the fifth anniversary service of the Christian Tabernacle, Fifth and Throckmorton streets, to be followed at the services today has been issued as follows: 9:30 a. m., Sunday school; lesson: "The Good Shepherd." 11 a. m., Anniversary sermon, Granville Jones. 1 p. m., Complimentary dinner in the lower tabernacle. 3 p. m., Fellowship and communion service. 7 p. m., Christian Endeavor meeting; topic: "The Making of a Christian—His Food." 9 p. m., Platform meeting; general topic: "The Church's Duty to the City."

GARBAGE STRIKE ENDED

HOUSTON, Texas, April 1.—Houston's garbage department strike is at an end. The strikers lost and their places are filled with new men today. Mayor Jackson made short work of the trouble. Under the new charter which became effective this week, he has the sole appointing power and he at once named new men to man the eleven garbage carts, which were tied up. The grievance of the strikers was that they had to do too much work. They worked eight hours a day, but had to labor more strenuously than did the employees of some of the other departments, which caused them to strike. The men were organized, but labor unions of the city did not take up their cause.

For every detail of my treatment is based on truths so fundamental that none can deny them. And every ingredient of my medicine is as old as the hills it grows on. I simply applied the truths and combined the ingredients into a remedy that is practically certain. The paragraphs below will show you the reason why.

But my years of patient experiment will avail you nothing if you do not accept my offer. For facts and reason and conviction will not cure. Only the remedy can do that.

So now I have made this offer. I disregard the evidence. I lay aside the fact that mine is the largest medical practice in the world, and come to you as a stranger. I ask you to believe not one word that I say till you have proven it for your souls' sake. To give you outright a full dollar's worth of Dr. Shoop's Restorative. No one else has ever tried so hard to remove every possible cause for doubt. It is the utmost of my unbounded confidence can suggest. It is open and frank and fair. It is the supreme test of my limitless belief.

Simply Write Me The first free bottle may be enough to effect a cure—but I do not promise that. Nor do I fear a loss of possible profit if it does. For such a test will surely convince the cured one beyond doubt, or dispute, or disbelieve. And every word I say is true.

The offer is open to every one, every where, who has not tried my remedy. But you must write ME for the free dollar bottle order. All druggists do not grant the test. I will then direct you to one that does. He will pass it down to you from his stock as freely as though your dollar lay before him. Write for the order today. The offer may not remain open. I will send you the book you ask for besides. It is free. If the test I will then understand your case. What more can I do to convince you of my interest—of my sincerity?

For a free order Book 2 on the for a full dollar bottle you must address Dr. Shoop, Box 8863, Racine, Wis. State which book you want. Book 1 on Dyspepsia. 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 with one or two bottles. For sale at forty thousand drug stores.

Dr. Shoop's Restorative

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1. Politically, W. D. Thomas. 2. Educationally, J. M. Adams. 3. Socially, H. M. Durrett. 4. Spiritually, J. C. Stephens.

Special music throughout the day will be furnished by the choir in charge of Mrs. J. E. Cummings. The day's program will be concluded by baptism of seventeen candidates.

Rev. S. G. Inman is pastor of the church, the other officers of which are: Board of directors: B. C. Rhomes, chairman; W. D. Thomas, secretary; J. M. Vincent, treasurer; J. R. Reeves, treasurer building fund; J. M. Adams, W. P. Calhoun, F. E. Dycus, F. K. Rea, G. A. Banghman, H. M. Durrett, W. H. Ingrams, J. C. Stephens, M. T. Bradley, R. Y. Erisman, J. M. Massey.

Superintendent Sunday school, S. G. Inman; president Ladies' Aid Society, Ed Kneeland; president Inter. C. E. Herschell Stine; president C. W. B. M., Mrs. Clare Walder.

The service is held to observe the fifth anniversary of the occupation of the church building, the congregation having been organized about seven years ago. Its present membership is about 500.

Danderine

GREW MISS LEWIS' HAIR AND WE CAN PROVE IT

The Great Danderine Never Fails to Produce the Desired Results

MISS Lewis' hair was very thin and it was less than two feet in length when she began using Danderine. She says her hair and scalp are now fairly teeming with new life and vigor. That's the main secret of this great remedy's success as a hair grower. It enlivens, invigorates and fairly electrifies the hair glands and tissues of the scalp, causing unusual and unheard-of activity on the part of these two most important organs, resulting in a strenuous and continuous growth of the hair.

The following is a reproduction of Miss Lewis' last letter:

January 3, 1905. Dear Doctor Knowlton— You know I told you in my first letter that my hair would not reach much below my shoulders, and that all of it together only made one tiny braid. I am sending you my photograph, which I had taken at Stevens Bros. It tells the whole story better than I can tell it. Everybody I know is using Danderine, so I can see I am doing something to show my appreciation. Sincerely yours, (Miss) EVA LEWIS.

Danderine makes the scalp healthy and fertile and keeps it so. It is the greatest scalp fertilizer and therefore the greatest hair-producing remedy the world has ever known. It is a natural food and a wholesome medicine for both the hair and scalp. Even a 25c bottle of it will put more genuine life in your hair than a gallon of any other hair tonic ever made. It shows results from the very start.

NOW at all druggists in three sizes, 25 cents, 50 cents and \$1. per bottle FREE. To show how quickly Danderine acts we will send you a large sample free if you return mail to any one who sends this advertisement to the Knowlton Danderine Co., Chicago, with your name and address and 10 cents in silver or stamps to pay postage.

FOR SALE AND GUARANTEED BY H. T. PANGBURN & CO., Ninth and Houston Streets.



Latest Photograph of MISS EVA LEWIS 2572 Hamilton Avenue, Chicago

New Kid and Fabric Gloves From the World's Best Makers

We are showing all the new soft shades of the season in the best Gloves obtainable, such as TREFOUSSE, FOSTER, P. & L., TAMPA, MONARCH and DERBY, known the world over to be the best fitting and most serviceable brands money can buy. Prices are \$2.75 down to \$1.00
Keyser's Fabric Gloves in all the newest colors and styles; \$1.50 down to 50c



A Sale of Butterick Patterns

25c and Above Reduced to 20c

All patterns of the very latest styles and in the very best sizes, worth 25c and above, reduced to 20c. This reduction in price is an exceptional gift to the public, made possible through the productive advantage of Butterick's new plant; they make them cheaper—we sell them cheaper. All patterns labeled 25c and above 20c will be sold at

Our Prices—Emphatic Expressions of Value Giving!

VALUES THAT APPEAL TO DISCRIMINATING SHOPPERS

NEVER were we more thoroughly prepared to demonstrate the above statement than at the present time. Our extensive exhibit of the season's newest merchandise is absolute authority of the correct spring modes. As the season advances each department is enhanced by the arrival of the very latest and chic creations and are characteristically MARKED AT MODERATE PRICES

Special Pricing on New Spring Suits Very Latest Styles—Best Values

This section is now complete with the most exclusive designs and the very latest and smartest ideas to be worn this season.

We offer specially tomorrow only, new fancy silk shirt waists in all the spring colors—\$12.50 and \$13.50 grades; one day only **\$10.95**

For Monday only we quote our better grade shirt waists—all the very latest styles and best colors, \$16.50 and \$17.50 values; Monday at **\$14.75**

A wonderful collection of novelties in stylish Peter Thompson Suits, Costumes, new Skirts, Coats, etc., at prices that invite comparison.

Misses' and Children's Wash Suits, of chambray, gingham, linen, percale, duck, pique, etc., ages 6 to 14; every garment made in the season's latest models; prices range from 50c up to **\$3.98**

Fine Dress Goods Special Values

SPECIAL—This week our 36-inch all wool Voiles, Etamines, Granites, etc., in every color, 50c grade, **39c**
Priestley's 54-inch Black Mohair Sicilian—nothing better made at the price for skirts, suits, etc.; yard **98c**
Black Mohair Anita, for serviceable skirts—an excellent fabric, 46 inches wide, Priestley's make; yard **\$1.25**
46-inch embroidered dot two-tone effect Mohairs, in green, gray, etc. Another one of Priestley's best; yard **\$1.50**

Fine Embroideries New Laces

Complete collection of foreign and domestic productions. There is nothing new in All-overs, Edges, Insertions, Gallons, Pompadour Trimmings, etc., that is not in our embroidery and lace section, and the prices invite comparison.

New Corset Cover Embroideries of beautiful quality swiss and mainsook, in dainty designs; some with lace edging; yd. 85c, 75c, 59c, 49c and **35c**

NEW FANCY PERSIAN BANDS RECEIVED SATURDAY



Exquisitely Fashioned Millinery Exclusive Conceptions

An unrivaled presentation of spring styles in elaborate Dress Hats, newest street, carriage and walking models, showing in every respect unusual creations by artists of the highest type. The color combinations are unique and extremely varied. Then there are the Charlotte Cordays, Turbans, Sailors; in fact, every attractive style of the season is in our millinery section, at most attractive prices; **\$1.98**
\$8.50, \$7.50, \$5.00, \$3.50, \$2.98 and

A Special Sale—3rd Floor Curtains, Mattings and Rugs

350 pairs beautiful Lace Curtains, 20 distinct patterns, 50 to 60 inches wide, 3 and 3 1/2 yards long, worth \$1.50 to \$2.50; extra special, per pair **98c**

Six patterns extra heavy China Matting, regular 25c quality; as a special for the week, per yard **19c**

Ten patterns high-grade China Matting, small, close weave; for service it has no equal, 35c and 40c grade; yard **30c**

New line CREX—the grass carpet, in reds, blues, greens, etc., a fine summer floor covering, 60c grade, yard **45c**

Six beautiful floral and oriental patterns in 9x12 ft. Axminster and Velvet Rugs; our regular \$25.00 and \$30.00 styles; extra special **\$22.50**

Spring Silks—Real Sale Prices Most Stylish Weaves and Colors

In this sale are included the season's newest plain and fancy patterns and combination colored Taffeta Silks of the best grades, at prices the lowest ever quoted. Alert shoppers will take advantage of these marvelous opportunities and make a saving of unusual degree.

19-inch Fancy Taffetas in the season's newest patterns of brown, blue, red, black, etc., and a big line of Fancy Satin Foulards, 21 inches wide, in all the best color designs; our regular 50c and 75c grades, reduced to, yard **39c**

Fancy Taffetas in small checks, plaids and fancy figures, satin band checks, etc., in all the desirable spring colorings, together with an unrivaled collection of Changeable Taffeta in all colors, 69c and 75c grades; special **49c**

19 and 27-inch Fancy Taffeta Silks in a beautiful range of colors, suitable for shirt waist suits, costumes, shirt waists, etc., for the spring and summer season; our unmatched 75c and 95c grades, per yard **69c**

Newest style ideas in fancy 19 and 27-inch Taffeta for costumes, suits, waists, skirts, etc., in every imaginable color; values that cannot be duplicated anywhere; marked specially for this rare silk sale, per yard **98c**

Fine Wash Goods for Spring—Absolutely the Best Values

The attractive designs and delicate colorings are by no means confined to the higher priced fash fabrics this season.

SPECIAL—Fine Kimono Cotton flaked Voiles in blues, grays, greens, reds, browns, and black mixtures; 15c per yard **10c**

Special values in French Organandies, in all colors, many pattern, for street and evening gowns; yd. **49c**

Bargain Basement Rare Economies Extraordinary Values This Week

1-lb. jar pure Vaseline—a household necessity for burns, sores, cuts, etc., druggists' price 25c; special, jar **10c**

Beautiful quality sheer White Lawn, in lengths of 3 to 10 yards, worth 20c and 15c; special, 10c and **8 1/2c**

Pretty Percales, white ground with colored checks, dots, stripes, etc., for waists, shirts, etc.; fine 12 1/2c value, for **10c**

Solid Sole Leather Suits Cases, with good locks and catches, lined, 50c and 60c; each **\$4.25**

Good Canvas Suit Cases, a grade made to stand rough usage; our price, \$1.00 each, **\$1.50, \$1.25 and \$1.00**

Beautiful Lawns in all the new spring patterns and colorings, worth 15c; special **10c**

Unrivaled showing of Ladies' Spring Wash Skirts in pretty patterns with new skirt trimmings; \$4.00 down to **\$1.00**

Fancy Dress Gingham, in many colors and patterns—an exceptional 10c grade; per yard **7 1/2c**

Beautiful quality sheer White Lawn, 30 inches wide, regular 8 1-3c grade; extra special, yard **5c**

Best Yet Mouse Traps; each **1c**
50 hardwood Clothes Pins for **5c**

American Lady Corset Demonstration Monday, April 3, to Saturday, April 15

Madam McKinney-Wade in Attendance

We carry a complete line of the American Lady Corsets at prices ranging from \$1.00 to \$5.00. These Corsets are made in all the latest and most fashionable styles, in a sufficient variety of models to insure A SHAPE FOR EVERY FIGURE. You are cordially invited to visit our corset department and take advantage of being scientifically fitted by an experienced corsetier.

The Latest Spring Hose Attractive Patterns



Our new spring stock of Hose includes a greater variety of patterns and colors than ever before. Charming creations which most houses mark at fancy prices are very moderately priced here.

Ladies' Fancy Hose in many beautiful patterns and every color combination, excellent weaves; pair **25c**

Men's and women's Lace Hose, dropstitch and fancy colored designs, some with prettily embroidered patterns, unequalled values; pair **50c**

An extensive showing of lace bootee effect Hose, with dainty embroidered designs, all the season's colors; fine values; 98c, 75c and **69c**

Children's new Lace Hose, in black and white—best values; 50c, 35c and **25c**

An Unusual April Sale of Linens Rare Money-Saving Opportunities

This week we inaugurate an April sale of Linens, worthy of your attention.

Our bleached Double Damask Table Linen, 72 inches wide, in beautiful patterns, worth \$1.50 yard **\$1.25**

72-inch bleached Damask, all pure, fine, soft linen, in beautiful patterns, sold for \$1.10 everywhere; yard **85c**

Nice Damask, 66 inches wide, very heavy and an elegant wearer, worth 75c; you get a bargain this week at, yard **50c**

Beautiful hemstitched Cloths and Napkins to match, in the famous J. N. Richardson & Sons' lines; sets in all sizes and widths; priced specially at \$10.00 and **\$6.50** down to

200 dozen Napkins, pure white and fast edges, size 18x18, for hotels, restaurants, etc.; extra special, doz. **39c**

36-inch Waist and Suit Linen, guaranteed the world's best at the price; Monday, and as long as it lasts, yard **25c**

Our 36-inch light weight Linen Cambric, regular 39c grade. We have enough in stock to last one day at **29c**

Beautiful line of Embroidered Waist Suits, enough goods for a shirt waist with cuffs and front handsomely embroidered, in beautiful patterns, \$1.25 values; this week **88c**

Stylish Dress Making at Moderate Prices Orders Solicited for Easter Gowns

Easter is not far ahead and you are sure to need a new gown, costume, waist, or suit. You are cordially invited to consult with Madame Backer on the making of these needful garments now, that we may have ample time to give you the proper attention before the usual Easter week rush. Satisfaction guaranteed in every respect.

The New Easter Ribbons The Latest Colorings

Our Easter showing of new Ribbons is certainly a fascinating collection. Every new shade and quality brought out this season is here in profusion.

A wide range of patterns in fancy floral, dot and striped designs, for neck and sashes; yard, **25c**
\$1.00 down to **25c**

Fine Leather Bags

This section is now complete with new spring novelties in plain and fancy Leather Bags.

New Jewelry Novelties

This section is showing an unusual variety of the season's latest creations in Hat Pins, Waist Pin Sets, Cuff Buttons, Necklaces, Fancy Combs, Belt Buckles, etc., at very moderate prices.



S. S. CONVENTION TO MEET IN WACO

Local Superintendents Plan Entertainment of Delegates to Three Days' Meeting

WACO, Texas, April 1.—A meeting of Sunday school superintendents of the city was held this afternoon at the rooms of the business men's club, the object being to organize for the state meeting of the International Sunday School association, which convenes here April 29, 30 and May 1 next. Full organization was perfected, and every necessary arrangement will be made for the gathering. It is expected that there will be a large attendance, and local Sunday school workers are greatly interested in the forthcoming session of the association.

DISCUSSING ROAD TAX
Road meetings are being held all over the county today, and each precinct will express itself on the question of bonds or a straight road tax. Then next Saturday a county meeting will be held in Waco to get the crystallized sentiment of the people on this subject. The meetings are not binding, but will serve as the

basis of definite action, doubtless and at once. Meetings of the county truck growers will be held today and the school trustees elections are being held throughout the county, as in fact all over the state.

NEW UNIFORMS FOR POLICE
The police of Waco are to have new uniforms, a dark gray, and these will be made complete at the Waco woolen mills, the cloth being woven there, and in fact the suits made right from wool taken from the sheep's back. The cost will be much less than heretofore paid, too.

TO FIRE PRESIDENT'S SALUTE
Lieutenant Clint Kadgitt of this city has been detailed to fire the salute to President Roosevelt on the occasion of his visit here. He will at once select about eight men, who will be needed about the big brass gun in various capacities.

Decorations of the passenger station of the Katy railway will begin at once, and there will be a big lot of decorating all about the city.

One of the best amateur minstrel performances ever given in Waco was pulled off last night and the night before under the direction and with talent from the Junior organization of the Y. M. C. A. The boys had been in training about a month, and did some clever work all through, interspersing it with local hits. The money goes to the building fund of the Y. M. C. A. and quite a nice sum was realized. The attendance was good, especially last night, the first night having demonstrated what the boys could do. Much money has been raised by entertainments, the ladies having secured about a thousand dollars that way.

Diamond setters and polishers of New York are out for a 10 per cent wage increase and shorter hours.

HYDE SCORES IN INSURANCE FIGHT

Decision to Mutualize Equitable Life Assurance Society as He Suggested

NEW YORK, April 1.—James Hyde won a decided victory today in the fight made against him by the forces representative of the opposing interests of J. W. Alexander, when it was decided to mutualize the Equitable Life Assurance Society upon the lines suggested by Mr. Hyde, namely, that the policy holders be given representation in the direction of the affairs of the company at a ratio of 28 to 24. This agreement was made after a meeting lasting more than five hours in the office of the superintendent of insurance. It was agreed by Mr. Hyde and E. H. Root, of counsel for the society, that the policy holders should have at once two directors in the board to fill the vacancies existing there. It was also agreed that the policy holders should have at once four memberships in the executive

committee. In order to accomplish the latter it will be necessary that four of the present committee be relieved of their duties. The superintendent of insurance was designated as the man to select those who shall retire from the committee. Two of the committeemen will be named by the Crimmins policy holders committee and the other two by Cornelius N. Bliss. The entire mutualization plan is to be accomplished within two years, half policy holders representation of 28 directors having to be elected this year and the balance next year. Mr. Root, in behalf of Mr. Hyde and the board of directors of the society, reported the plan and the work will now begin to carry it out. It is the general opinion of well informed insurance men that the men who will be asked to retire from the executive committee will be George T. Wilson, the third vice president; Jacob H. Schiff, of Kuhn, Loeb & Company, and Thos. D. Jordan. Schiff probably will resign, though he is a staunch friend of Mr. Hyde—this because he has been regarded as the innocent cause of much of the trouble that has been made owing to the bond sales that he effected with the society through his firm of bankers while he was a director.

There is the possibility that there will be an investigation of the affairs of the society at the hands of the superintendent of insurance for no other purpose than to clear the atmosphere of the result of the Hyde-Alexander row.

The bill introduced in the California senate for the better sanitary conditions of barber shops has been defeated.

ELECTION RESULT STILL DOUBTFUL

Municipal Officers to Be Elected in North Fort Worth Making Close Race

Friends of the various candidates for the offices to be filled at the Tuesday election in North Fort Worth are already assuring the doubtful voters that their candidates are to be elected. The hottest contest, that for city recorder, with three candidates, S. H. Brown, E. P. (Burke) Croarkin and J. G. Smith, seems to be won by Croarkin, who has a strong following among the younger voters. The race, however, is by no means settled. In the aldermanic contest in the First ward, the candidates, T. M. Thannisch, S. T. Percy, R. R. Daniel and J. M. Moody, are conducting a gentlemanly canvass, but one that savors very much of a desire to be representatives from the ward in the new council. Friends of the candidates are bringing in the argument that the residences of the respective

candidates should have a bearing on the election. Two of the men live near the stock yards, while the other two live in Marine. This of itself is being used as a strong reminder of the voters in each portion of the territory to be loyal to their neighbors. In the Third, there are two candidates, Joe T. Mulholland and J. W. Johns. The contest in this ward looks like it would be closer than the contest in the First. Louis Blanke, sole candidate from the Second ward, is the only man sure of election.

Polling places and officers for the election Tuesday have been selected as follows:

First ward—Stewart building, 117 West Twenty-fifth street; J. M. Skipper.

Second ward—Fire hall on the east side of Main street; W. E. Lundberry.

Third ward—Roberts building, west side of Main, between Central avenue and Fourteenth street; Roy Haywood.

Fourth ward—city hall.

Thursday evening while returning to Fort Worth University on a car, Rev. H. G. Block, pastor of the Rosen Heights church, was attacked with pleurisy. He barely had strength to reach his room. Dr. Saunders was called. He is recovering rapidly and will probably be able to partially resume his pastoral duties. President George MacAdam will assist at the Rosen Heights services today.

City Marshal Howell has commenced a war on stray dogs, posting notices in North Fort Worth that the ordinance regarding the subject will be strictly enforced.

ALDERMAN WINS HOUSTON FIGHT

Secures Injunction Against the Mayor Preventing Call for Special Election

Special to The Telegram. HOUSTON, Texas, April 1.—By the decision of Judge W. P. Hamblen of the district court this afternoon the injunction prayed for by Alderman Wilson against Mayor Jackson preventing the calling of a special election under the new charter for the election of four commissioners or aldermen at large, was sustained after a week of battle in the courts. It was held that the section of the charter calling for a special election and terminating the term of the present alderman who would otherwise have served till 1906, was unconstitutional.

The citizens are indignant over the invoking of the courts to thwart the enforcement of the new charter of which much was expected. It is rumored Mayor Jackson will proceed with the issuance of the call for the election in the face of the injunction.



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BANK CLEARINGS SHOW BIG GAIN

Figures for March Indicate Increase of Nearly 100 Per Cent Over Year Ago

Gain of bank clearings for the month of March, 1905, as compared with the same month in 1904, establish a new figure for banking growth in Texas, the figures being nearly doubled.

In March, 1905, the clearings were \$27,489,622.64, while in March, 1904, they were but \$14,659,545.46, giving an increase of \$12,829,077.18.

Clearings for the week ending Saturday show a still heavier rate of increase, being \$5,648,622.64, as against \$2,467,316.36. The week for 1904, however, contained but five banking days.

Bradstreet's report for the week ending Thursday shows clearings of \$5,912,932, or a gain of 17.1 per cent.

SAN ANTONIANS WILL PAY \$12 A PLATE TO EAT WITH ROOSEVELT

President to Be Entertained at Elaborate Banquet by Business Men

TO MEET ROUGH RIDERS

SAN ANTONIO, April 1.—The visit of President Roosevelt is the big event of the week that is occupying the attention of the people of San Antonio. The arrangements for the event have been slightly marred by an argument between the city council and the officers of the Business Men's Club about who should have precedence in managing the affair, but these tangles have now been happily straightened out and all is serene.

The president will have a great time here, as the members of his old regiment of Rough Riders will be here and he will spend the afternoon with them at their camp at the fair grounds.

The dinner at which the President will be entertained by the Business Men's Club will be a \$12-a-plate affair at the Menger hotel. This dinner will not be a talking affair, as the president has announced that he will not speak.

After the president comes the carnival, which will be a week of gaiety.

POLITICS ACTIVE

The time for the democratic primary is near—it will be held on April 11—and politics is getting warm. The people's party led by ex-Mayor Bryan Callaghan is making a great show of strength. The democratic movement is growing more popular every day and now promises to sweep the city.

AFTER STREET CAR COMPANY

The city council has given the traction company ten days in which to begin to repair the asphalt between its rails, falling in which the city attorney is instructed to begin an action to forfeit the company's charter.

COTTON ACREAGE REDUCED

Not much cotton is being planted in this immediate section. The weevil did so much damage last year that the farmers are disgusted and wherever possible they are planting other crops. A great deal of land is being put in truck.

CLUB PRESIDENT VISITS CITY

Mrs. E. P. Turner, president of the State Federation of Women's Clubs, is in San Antonio on business connected with that organization. One of the local papers interviewed her and she talked most entertainingly of the woman's club movement in Texas.

SCHOOL CHILDREN GARDENING

All the public schools of San Antonio are now equipped with gardens which are being cultivated by the pupils of the lower grades under the direction of H. H. Braucher, a scientific gardener who was brought here from Illinois to take charge of the work. The board tried to find a man to take the work in Texas, but failed, although the Agricultural and Mechanical College was approached for these school gardens are a new thing in Texas. The idea is to give the pupils of the schools a practical knowledge of plant life and culture.

BUSINESS LOCALS

Grapevines, blackberries and dewberries should be planted now. Baker Bros.

Dr. Johnston's Red Blood Tonic, sold by Dillon Bros., 230 Jennings avenue, drives poison from blood, making it rich and pure, which is proof to lungs against pneumonia.

There is nothing nicer for your friends than a pretty photograph. Swartz, 705 Main Street, photographer, is the place to go for the best work every time.

When you want good liquors, cigars or wines, you go to the place where they keep the best. York's Liquor Store, 1019 Main Street, is the place.

The Miller Electric Company, 315 Main Street, phone 1230, is the place to go for electrical work.

The Texas Wire Fence Company, Denton, Texas, supplies office fixtures, cemetery and yard fences.

The April photograph records are ready at Cromer's, 509 Houston Street.

Bicycles, baseballs, bats and athletic goods of all kinds are to be found at A. J. Anderson's, 410-412 Houston Street. Electrical goods of all kinds.

Ring 339 (both phones). G. W. Jennings, 518 Hemphill, if you want groceries or fuel.

Frank Leffler, the photographer, 600 Houston Street, pleases the old and young both. Finest photographs in the city made at his studio.

Anything you want can be gotten at the Panther City Hardware Company, corner Houston and First Streets, in hardware. Prices lowest for best goods.

Five wagons take the best meats and groceries to the patrons of the National Grocery Company, Railroad and Jennings. No place in the city too far to deliver.

Photographs for the most critical made satisfactorily at the Worth Studio.

Catarrh Invites Consumption

It weakens the delicate lung tissues, deranges the digestive organs, and breaks down the general health.

It often causes headache and dizziness, impairs the taste, and smell and hearing, and affects the voice.

Being a constitutional disease it requires a constitutional remedy.

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Radically and permanently cures catarrh of the nose, throat, stomach, bowels, and more delicate organs.

Read the testimonials.

No substitute for Hood's acts like Hood's. Be sure to get Hood's.

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

Now is the time to see R. E. Lewis, 212-214 Houston Street, about selling that old furniture or about buying new. Time or cash and bargains at that.

The Nix Furniture and Storage Company, 304 Houston Street, has a fine stock of furniture and household goods. Furniture sold on easy terms at lowest prices.

Get next to a good thing in groceries. The best and cheapest place is H. H. Pitman's, the cash grocer, 412-414 Main Street.

Keith's Conqueror Shoes make the feet feel happy. Thousands of them sold by Monnie's Dry Goods Co., 1302-4 Main Street, at \$3.50 and \$4.

The J. J. Langever Co. (Inc.) opp. City Hall, Wall Paper, Paints and Window Glass at reduced prices during Feb. Call and see.

Fort Worth Business College. Man's best capital—a course at college, fitting him for everyday duties of life. Opposite Delaware Hotel.

The John E. Quarles Lumber Co. carries biggest stock of building material in the city. They furnish estimates and aid you to build a home.

The best and cheapest place in Fort Worth to get good groceries is at H. H. Pitman's, the cash grocer, 412-414 Main St.

Dr. J. T. Grammer, Dentist, 506 Main Street. Phone 2379-2.

Special prices on canned goods at Pitman's.

We just received two carloads of new up-to-date 1905 automobiles. Call and let us show our line. We have two strictly first-class repair men, and wish to have your trade. Give us a trial. Fort Worth Auto Co., 404 Houston Street.

We have a buyer for a modern five or six-room cottage on Southwest side. Telephone us what you have to offer and we will do the rest. John Burke & Company, 109 East Fourth Street, phone 2020.

The J. M. Reagan Millinery Store, corner Sixth and Houston Streets, is the place to buy the latest creations in hats. No trouble to show latest eastern styles.

Nice propositions on south and southwest side, on your own terms. Will furnish you money to build a home. See us. Haggard & Duff, 511 Main Street.

Yum! Yum! Some of that old-fashioned, wholesome, rock-ground corn meal like you used to eat when a boy. The Mugg & Dryden mills make it.

Wanted—500 members to join Fort Worth Neat Dressing Club. Four suits pressed per month, \$1.00. Old phone 3405-2; rings; new phone 1698-white. 902 Houston.

Glenn Brothers & Co., 1213 and 1215 Houston Street, horse furnishings, new and second-hand. We exchange new steel ranges, refrigerators, suits for old. Easy payments.

Life Scholarship at the Nelson & Draughton Business College can be bought for \$40; payable \$5 per month. Night school, two months, \$5. Call and ask for Professor J. W. Draughton, president. Remember the place, corner Sixth and Main Streets.

The Fort Worth Steam Laundry, phone 201, is where they do the finest laundry work in Fort Worth. A trial is sufficient to convince the skeptical.

Hugh H. Lewis can save you money by buying from him fish hooks, fish poles, fish rods, tackle, boxes, minnow buckets, minnow seines and dip nets.

The latest phonograph records are to be heard at Cummings, Shepherd & Co., 709 Houston Street. All kinds of musical instruments for sale.

R. R. Cullinane of Gulf Port, Miss., was a visitor in Fort Worth Wednesday evening on his way to the Panhandle country looking for suitable farm land.

Groceries of the best quality for the least money can be gotten at the R. H. Griffin & Co. store, 606-08 Houston Street. This store is as neat as can be.

The Panther City Hardware Company has the best line of hardware in the city. Goods at prices that are right. See them at once.

The Eagle Loan Office, 1009 Main Street, loans money on all articles of value for next thirty days at reduced rates. They'll treat you right.

The sweetest place in town for candies that are made sweet and good is the Fort Worth Candy Kitchen, 409 Houston Street. Try them.

Greatest Bankrupt Sale On Record!

For 10 Days, Beginning April 4

We have purchased the Golden Rule stock—\$5,000 worth of good and up-to-date merchandise to be sold regardless of cost. We bought this stock at 40c on the dollar, and are going to give you advantage of same. Below we quote a few prices to show you we mean what we say.

No Fake Sale. A Bona Fide Bankrupt Sale!

365 new up-to-date Suits worth \$13.00, \$15.00, \$18.00 and \$20.00; your choice for	\$8.95
Suits worth from \$6.00 to \$13.00 going at	\$4.95
Nice lot of up-to-date two-piece Suits, all colors, worth \$7.50 to \$12.50, at this sale	\$4.85
\$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00 Pants at	\$2.45
Another lot worth \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50, going at	\$1.23

And every article in the way of Clothing goes the same way.

Prices never before heard of in our Gents' Furnishing Department—Underwear, 35c grade at 18c; 75c grade at 43c; nice up-to-date Overshirts, regular price 50c, now going at 34c; 75c shirts going at 40c; \$1.00 Shirts at 70c. We will sell you any kind of a Hat for almost a song. These hats are new and up-to-date stock; all shapes and styles.

A Great Sacrifice in Shoes, and you will say so when you see them—All of our \$1.50 and \$1.75 Shoes going at 95c; our \$2.00 and \$2.50 Shoes going at \$1.45, and so on through the line. In fact, every article in the house will be sold regardless of cost.

Come and see and be convinced for yourself that we mean what we say. (Store will be closed Monday to arrange sale.)

Don't Forget the Date—APRIL 4—Rain or Shine, for Ten Day.

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Sterling Silver Tablespoons, per set, \$7.50	Sterling Silver Teaspoons, per set... \$3.50
Sterling Silver Soup Spoons, per set	\$7.50 to \$11.00
Sterling Silver Dinner Forks, per set	\$7.00 to \$12.00
Sterling Silver Dessert Spoons, per set	\$6.00 to \$8.00
Sterling Silver Dessert Forks, per set	\$5.50 to \$8.00

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Looking Towards Easter at Burton-Peel's

Most Extraordinary Reductions Ever Made in New Dress Fabrics

We are willing to let this department's claim to leadership rest upon the following array of high-class and desirable Dress Fabrics at Monday's prices. Never have they been equaled.

\$1.25 Floral Crepe de Chine 98c

These beautiful all silk Crepes are the imported productions. Dresden prints in neat designs on grounds of white, pink, blue, reseda, bluet, Nile, maise, lavender, gray, tan and oyster; regular \$1.25 Crepes; Monday's extraordinary offer is, yard 98c.

\$1.00 Fancy Silk Suitings 69c

This is the only silk store where you'll find a bargain like this: 27-inch all silk Suitings, in neat, small and medium stripes and figures—this season's styles, and none worth under \$1.00 a yard; choice yard, but 69c.

75c Black All Silk Taffeta 49c

Tomorrow we will sell 5 pieces all silk Black Taffeta, 27 inches wide, guaranteed-to-wear woven in border; our regular 75c grade; yard 49c.

75c Spring Dress Silks 63c

A silk proposition that should bring all who care to buy a spring silk gown to the store tomorrow. Pretty checks and spots, stripes and mottled Silks, all pure silk; a big line of all the new spring shades; yard 63c.

\$1.00 Black Dress Goods 79c

We shall offer for tomorrow's sale 10 pieces Woolen Dress Goods, 54-inch Mohair, 50-inch Voile, 52-inch Granite, 54-inch Panama, 54-inch Skirting—regular \$1.00 values—"black only"; special, 79c.

50c Colored Dress Fabrics 39c

38-inch Flecked and Shepherd Checks, 38-inch Novelty Weaves, 38-inch Nunsvelling and Albatross, 40-inch Etamine—none sold under 50c and some as high as 75c; one price, choice, 39c.

50c Arnold's Silk Organdie 39c

Have you seen the exquisite Silk Organdies in the large Dutch floral designs? white grounds with bouquets; colorings, yellow, green, blue, violet, rose and pink, 50c values; Monday, 39c.

50c Silk Stripe Crepette 25c

A charming mercerized silk and cotton wash fabric in solid shades of pink, Nile, blue, maise, lavender, black, cream, gray, tan and navy; Monday special, yard 25c.

\$1.00 White and Cream Silks 69c

A sale of White Silks Monday—27-inch, all silk Taffeta, cream Messaline, Liberty, Louisine, Wash Taffeta and 36-inch white and cream China; all at one price, choice, yard 69c.

Imported Dress Fabrics

A great treat is in store for ladies who appreciate high art exclusive dress fabrics. \$3,000 worth of the most refined dress goods that ever was shown in the entire South, arrived last week—our own direct importation. A pattern of a kind—no two alike. Should you choose one of these patterns you'll have an exclusive gown of the most elegant foreign styles. Dainty stripe and checked silk and wool mixed fabrics. Eoliennes, Printed Silk Mousselines and Chiffon, embroidered fluffy woolen French Crepes, and fancy woven Batiste, the new Chameleon and Radium Silks and shaded chiffon, in patterns from \$18.50 on up to \$60.00. This line is not on open show, but will be shown with pleasure on request.

THE Real Spring Selling begins tomorrow with the opening of April, and for the inauguration of the season it is to be a week of price advantages that can only be termed extraordinary. The following page will tell the story in detail. Every offering presents a saving that should give the week's beginning a place with the busiest days this always busy store has ever had. It is the determination to surpass every past season, not only in the excellence of the offerings, but in the smallness of the price. Tomorrow's offerings are to set the pace.

Magnificent Display of Women's Suits, Skirts and Waists



WE'VE left nothing undone to make this the largest and best showing of women's wear you've ever seen. Indeed, it would be a difficult matter to gather a more complete and comprehensive assortment. Ladies' Suits—Blouse, Eton, Bolero, Tea Coat and natty Jacket styles, made of all the season's new materials, fancy braid and silk trimmed. Colors blue, reseda, gray, green, tan, brown and black, novelty checks and mixtures—\$16.50, \$20.00, \$25.00 to \$35.00. Ladies' high-class Costumes priced upwards from \$25.00 to \$125.00. Ladies' Silk Shirt Waist Suits, price \$10.00 to \$25.00. Ladies' Model Coats from \$12.50 to \$50.00. New styles ladies' high-grade Separate Skirts, \$5.00, \$6.50, \$8.50, \$10.00 and upwards. Exquisite line of silk, linen and fine cotton fabric Waists, lingerie styles, \$2.50 upwards. Every garment we sell bears the guarantee stamp of perfection and perfect fitting. Below is an outline of Monday's inducements.

Two Special Shirt Waist Suits

One style Ladies' Taffeta Silk Shirt Waist Suits, is in blouse effect, plaited back and front, new sleeves shirred in shoulder; skirt is gored and plaited, all sizes **\$10.00**

Another style Shirt Waist Suit of changeable silk, blouse effect, box plait back and front, new box plaited skirt; girdle to match, new shades; special \$20.00 value for **\$15.00**

Two Special Walking Skirts

Ladies' Walking Skirts, made of this season's new spring and summer fabrics, made right up-to-date—nothing to compare with them under \$3.50 to \$4.00; every light and dark shade; price..... **\$2.50**

Next lot is a high-grade, new stitched hip and yoke, knife plaited skirt, in black, blue and brown—a most effective skirt, worth much more; our price **\$5.00**

Elegant Silk Petticoats

The new spring styles are now all in. It's a pleasure to show the handsome Taffeta Silks, the shaded effects in new and novel styles, from the plain to the gorgeous brocaded silks and lace trimmed Petticoats; every shade; price, \$45.00, \$35.00, \$25.00, \$16.50, \$12.50, \$7.50 and **\$5.00**

A special lot of well-made Petticoats of black and colored Spunglass—not a skimpy, poorly-made skirt, but precise as the more elegant; \$1.49 is regular **98c**

A Sale of New Lingerie Waists

Lingerie Waists, made of mull, batiste, allover, Anglaise embroidery, dotted swiss organdies, hand embroidered linen, India linen, Persian lawn, trimmed with German, Val and Valenciennes lace and new eye-let embroidery. Every one a bargain waist at \$9.98, \$7.50, \$6.49, \$5.00, \$3.49 and **\$2.50**

White Lawn Waists, handsomely trimmed with embroideries and tucks, new sleeves, every grade—a bargain; several good bargain lots tomorrow at \$1.98, \$1.49, 98c and **50c**

Sale of Ladies Skirts and Long Kimonos

First let us tell you of an immense shipment of Ladies' Long Kimonos, in the new spring fabrics—lawns and batiste; pretty Japanese styles—novel and new; price \$1.25 and **75c**

Short Kimonos far less than you'd bother to make them; very chic styles, of lawn and batiste, pretty, light and medium fancy Japanese designs; special price, 75c, 50c and **25c**

Infants and Childrens Ready-to-Wear

We can now assure you of a grand line of Infants' and Children's Ready-to-wear Dresses and Headwear. Little Dresses for age 1 to 6, white and colored lawns; price \$1.25, \$1.00, 75c and **50c**

Children's Lace and Swiss Mull Caps and Bonnets, in a great variety of styles and prices; chiffon and wash embroidery Hats, 75c up to \$3.50; Infants' and Children's Caps, 49c, 35c, 25c and **15c**

3000 Ladies and Childrens Sun Bonnets

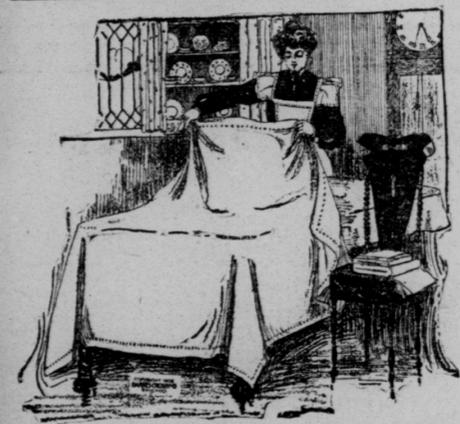
3000 and more Sun Bonnets for women and children—white, pink, blue and other shades, made of lawn, gingham, percale and chambray. Children's, 39c, 25c and 15c. Ladies', price 49c, 25c and **19c**

50c—Ladies' Tape Girdle Corset, with and without supporters—a bargain for Monday shoppers **50c**

Easter Millinery

The South can a more superb collection be found; and indeed, it is a question if the Eastern cities can show more charming and exclusive designs. Our models run the gamut from the most subdued to the most gorgeous; yet every one of them breathes unmistakably that air of refinement that invariably marks the products of good taste. Dame Fashion's daintiest ideas find embodiment here. Burton-Peel's Hats are the pink of correctness, yet nowhere are prices of perfect millinery so very moderate as at BURTON-PEEL'S.

Should be your present thought. Never so exquisite as it is this season. The beauty and tastefulness of our millinery has become a by-word. So great is the variety and number of trimmed hats displayed that even the most captious taste refuses to remain unsatisfied. Certainly nowhere in the Eastern cities can show more charming and exclusive designs. Our models run the gamut from the most subdued to the most gorgeous; yet every one of them breathes unmistakably that air of refinement that invariably marks the products of good taste. Dame Fashion's daintiest ideas find embodiment here. Burton-Peel's Hats are the pink of correctness, yet nowhere are prices of perfect millinery so very moderate as at BURTON-PEEL'S.



Sale Easter Linens

JUST a few items of worthy Linens from our big linen stock, and in ample time for Easter service. The qualities are good, the patterns are choice. In addition to the sale of Damask we shall place on sale at a uniform discount of

25 PER CENT all Table Linen Sets, with Napkins to match; also odd Cloths and high-grade Napkins. This lot comprises sets worth from \$7.50 on up to \$25.00. It's an opportunity that seldom comes with high-grade linens.

Extra Special—84-inch Irish grass bleached Table Damask, \$2.25 value... **\$1.69**
 Irish bleached Table Damask, full 72 inches wide, worth \$1.49; special **98c**
 10 pieces Union Linen Damask, 56 inches wide, regular 25c; special **19c**
 15 pieces bleached and cream Damask, full 68 inches wide, worth 50c; Monday special **39c**
 A big lot of bleached and cream all linen Damask, 72 in. wide; special **49c**
 Heavy bleached Table Damask, also silver bleached 72-inch, worth 98c, for **75c**

Elegant Ribbons

Truly a wonderful ribbon show—where you can find the grandest assortment of the season's most exquisite Dresden, Persian, embroidered, warp print, fancy stripe and plaid Ribbons. The prices are satisfactory; qualities are best. A few specials:

50 pieces Persian Ribbon, No. 60, at **25c**
 100 pieces Fancy and Persian, No. 40 and 50 **19c**
 75 pieces Persian Ribbon, No. 80 **35c**
 Extra Special—Big shipment Torchon Lace, Insertion to match, fine qualities; yard, choice **5c**
 200 pieces Valenciennes Lace Edges and Insertions; price named is half worth; 12-yard piece **50c**
 10,000 yards Point de Paris Lace Edges and Insertions to match, 15c values; yard **7 1/2c**
 Another lot Point de Paris Lace, Edges and Insertions to match, the regular 5c value for **5c**
 New line of Pillow Tops just opened, late designs; we shall sell special Monday instead of 49c **39c**

25c to 35c Wash Goods 15c

A chance to buy your spring Wash Gingham, Madras, Tissues and Voiles. Nearly 20,000 yards to be sold at 15c.

Silk Stripe Madras and Gingham, Scotch Zephyrs, Lisle Tissues, and Fancy Voiles, comprising all the season's new checks and Jacquard weaves and stripes; values 25c to 35c; choice 15c.
 250 pieces Fancy Cotton Voile, the regular 12 1/2c and 15c values. We shall offer them for Monday, yard **10c**
 A great bargain is Fancy Printed Lawns, never sell under 10c, in choice designs; Monday, 10 yards for **69c**
 300 pieces Amoskeag Checked Apron Gingham, all colors, all size checks; special, per yard **5c**
 200 pieces White Union Linen Crash, 16 inches wide, regular 8 1-3c grade; Monday sale, yard **5c**
 500 bleached Bed Sheets, 72x90, regular 49c grade; as a special for Monday **35c**
 Here you are—you all know the Pepperell Sheet, hand-torn and hemmed, we're going to sell them Monday **49c**
 Pillow Cases, full 45x36, good grade cotton, really wholesales at more; Monday's sale price **10c**
 New shipment of Bookfold Percales, never retails under 5c 8 1-3c; special, yard **5c**
 Bath Towels, bleached, hemmed and fringe ends, regular 12 1/2c value; each **10c**

The Spring Clothing

Burton-Peel Clothing is the satisfactory clothing. It shows special care of construction in every seam, of expert skill in every fashioning. You can see plainly that an effort is made to "put in" rather than "take out." It is best clothing for the reason that only the best enters into its making—the best of material and the best of workmanship. The prices are lowest because the volume of business upon which rests the cost is biggest.

We Ask You to See Our \$15 and \$20 Line of Correct Suits

Boys and Youths Clothing

Every need for boys of all ages—the dainty little suits of fanciful style for the small boys—the miniatures in cut and finish of the men's suits, for the larger boys. The boys approve of this store because we provide the kind of clothing they want; the parents approve because we provide the quality clothing they want, and yet doesn't tax the purse beyond point of economy.

Little Boys Suits \$2 to \$ 7.50
Big Boys Suits . . \$5 to \$15.00

Men's Spring Hats

The more particular a man is about how he spends his money for wearables the more claim we have on his hat trade. We've got the hats here that are serving best; they retain their shape, their color—look new to the last day you feel like wearing the hat. It's the quality, the value. We know where and how to get the best hats, and we're having them made for you and selling them to you for less than like qualities have ever been sold.

Kaw Silk Fibre Hats \$3.00
It's the Economy Hat

We are confident of two things—that we can show you more elegant Negligee Shirts—that we sell them to you for least. No fancy furnishing goods and usual clothing store prices, but prices based on greater sales. Fine Linen, Madras, Imported Percale and Wash Silk Shirts; prices range \$1.00, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50. Plain and plaited bosoms, with cuffs, with cuffs and collars, without cuffs and collars, as you like them, so we have in every size sleeve and neck.



Every man can find his style undergarment here for present wear or sultry summer. Balbriggan, Lisle, Silk and Linen Mesh or Silk, in bleached, solid tints or fancy, with or without sleeves; price range, per garment, 25c on up to \$3.50. A complete line of Scrivens' Drayers, also Elastic Seam Drawers at 25c, 75c and \$1.00. We should have your patronage based on our worthy grades and low prices.

Sale of Gingham Aprons

We have just received a big line of Gingham Aprons. You'll appreciate the styles and good points in construction. Aprons with hip and armholes, extra quality; 50c and **35c**
 Plain Aprons, well made, of good quality gingham; 25c and **15c**
 White Aprons in many styles, all priced most reasonably.

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

Sample Undermuslin

We have on special sale a line of drummer's samples of Cambric and Muslin Underwear. Just slightly-mused, high and medium grades. Shirts, Gowns, Drawers, Corset Covers and Chemise—a splendid saving to the prudent buyer—25 to 50 per cent less than regular worth.

We Positively Refuse to Give Space on This Page to any but the Most Unusual Bargains

THE DAYLIGHT STORE CORNER EIGHTH AND HOUSTON

These Are Values that You Cannot Afford to Miss. Come Early Monday Morning

All Goods Ready at 9 a. m. Monday

ASTOUNDINGLY GREAT APRIL SALE BARGAINS!

All Goods Ready at 9 a. m. Monday.

FABRICS AND GARMENTS IN THE NEWEST STYLES AND DESIGNS. THE VERY THINGS THAT YOU WILL ADMIRE AND WANT FOR SPRING USE ARE OFFERED TO YOU AT WONDERFUL SAVINGS. THESE PRICES ARE FOR MONDAY AND TUESDAY ONLY

A Table Linen Bargain

The most lavish display of snow white Table Linens you ever saw, all at money-saving prices. We searched diligently and decided to offer you this really sensational bargain—five pieces, 257 yards, full bleached, very heavy Table Linen, 70 inches wide, never sold anywhere else or here for less than \$1.25 per yard; this sale at—

87c Yard

A Sun-Bonnet Special

All colors—blues, browns, tans, whites, etc.—neatly tucked, double ruffles; well made, of good materials. You pay at least 50c elsewhere for a similar bonnet. Neat, dainty and up-to-date in every respect. Come early; only 12 dozen go at—

25c

A Lace Curtain Sale

Our entire Lace Curtain display offered to you at this sale at about one-third less than regular value—but to induce you to be here early Monday morning we offer you one hundred pairs regular \$2.00 Curtains, full width and length, while they last, at—

\$1.14 Pair

A Shirt Waist Bargain

Our assortment of beautiful Shirt Waists has never before been so elaborate. We want you to see them and admire them with us—both for their beauty and the lowness of the prices we ask—as a very special item for Monday we offer two hundred and seven White Lawn Shirt Waists, well made and finished, regular 75c quality, at—

43c

Imported China Pitchers

We have just arranged a most elaborate display of fine China and Bric-a-Brac for the home—we want you to see it, and offer as a special inducement 144 imported Austrian China Pitchers, beautifully decorated—large sizes for water or ice tea, etc.—at the almost ridiculous price of—

48c Each

A Wash Dress Opportunity

The daintiest effects you ever saw are included in our showing of Wash Dresses for children, in pure white and fancy colorings. To get you to see this superb assortment, we offer 166 Wash Dresses, sizes 2 to 14 years; your choice of gingham, madras, percales and white lawn materials, well made, and easily worth 85c each, at—

50c

An Offering of Nainsook

Our Wash Goods section is literally overflowing with bargains in the season's latest fancies in wash fabrics. We know you will buy liberally when you visit this section—so for this sale we offer you 5,000 yards of White Nainsook, in neat, striped, check or crossbar designs, regularly priced at 12 1/2c a yard, as long as it lasts, at—

9c Yard

A Sale of the Richardson Silk Co. Art Packages

One handsome Sofa Pillow Top, tinted in colors, including back; one Diagram Lesson; four skeins of Richardson's grand prize Grecian Floss; one pair good, serviceable Embroidery Hoops. See section 3, north window.

For Tuesdays Selling 25c a Package

Women's Short Sleeve Vests

Low-necked, lisle thread finish, elastic waist, close ribbed Vests, in white only, for this sale at—

10c Each

A Sale of White Swiss

A very sheer quality White Swiss, full width; the quality you usually pay 25c a yard for; this sale at—

15c Yard

Pillow Tops

Richly colored lithographed Pillow Tops, newest spring designs and fancies; a large shipment; regular 50c value; this sale at—

35c Each

FACTORY CLUB IS ENDORSED

Citizens Declare the Suggestion Is a Good One and Favor Its Formation

"To have a great city, we must have factories," said Sam Rosen of the Fort Worth and Rosen Heights Street Car Company last evening to The Telegram. "It is not necessary to have factories employing hundreds of men, but little factories will do for a starter and then treat them right and see them grow with the city. Of course big factories are always welcome to Fort Worth and I for one would like to see many of them here, but big factories are not moving around the country looking for locations. It has been the history of cities of remarkable growth that in the first place the factories on which the cities are now putting so much dependence were at one time mere infants, but they have grown and are now the mainstay of the towns possessing them.

"Fort Worth is admirably situated for factories on account of the many advantages the manufacturer can secure here. This, too, is a great shipping point and worthy of consideration by all looking for a location. I for one am in hearty support of Dr. Cooper's factory club and think we ought to get together on such a proposition at once for the future Fort Worth."

"Dr. Cooper struck the keynote to the making of a great city of Fort Worth when he suggested the formation of a factory club," said Dr. Rufus Chambers, city health officer. "Factories are the best thing any town can possess and I am glad that some one has started this movement. I hope that it will be pushed to a point where a club will be organized to help such a movement along.

NEW CURE FOR CANCER All surface cancers are now known to be curable, by Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Jas. Walker, of Duffield, Va., writes: "I had a cancer on my lip for years, that seemed incurable, till Bucklen's Arnica Salve healed it, and now it is perfectly well." Guaranteed cure for cuts and burns. 25c at W. J. Fisher's drug store, Reeves' Pharmacy and M. S. Blanton & Co.'s drug store.

of Fort Worth want the town to grow and grow fast." Joseph B. Littlejohn, when asked for an opinion regarding the forming of a factory club for Fort Worth as suggested by Dr. Cooper, stated that such a movement had his hearty endorsement and should have that of every other citizen who was loyal to the town and wished to see it grow. He further stated that he was willing to take a part in its organization and be one to push a good thing to the front.

GAS TRUST UNDER PROBE

New York Company Secretary Subjected to Rapid Fire of Pertinent Questions

NEW YORK, April 1.—Pursued by a ferret, Secretary Carter of the gas trust scrambled around today in a maze of figures with Charles E. Hughes, the attorney for the executive committee that is trying to get to the bottom of the gas situation in New York, heading him off with a new question at every turning.

Between Mr. Carter and Assistant Treasurer Whitman, who divided the time of the committee during today's session, the impression might have been gained that the bookkeeping of the gas trust was designed to hide anything anybody might be interested in knowing concerning the affairs of the company. Carter was there to explain why a balance sheet signed by him had the value of the real estate and plant of the Consolidated Gas Company at \$12,500,000 more than his sworn statement to the state tax commissioners. He did not do it. Taking his testimony from one point of view, the discrepancy was reduced to six or seven millions, but that was as near as he could come to making the figures given the state for taxes jibe with the presentation of the company's affairs to the stockholders.

What will interest the stockholders more than even this extraordinary showing is the showing that the gas trust earned a net profit from selling gas of 17 1/2 per cent on the secretary's own statement of its value. The dividend was only 8 per cent. Where the rest—something over two million dollars—went is not disclosed. That the one of the things the trust's system of bookkeeping has secretly hidden. The only explanation of the discrepancy between the company's report to the tax commissioners and its balance sheet prepared by the secretary for the shareholders was that in the former allowance had been made for the deterioration of the plant from the price at which it would be possible to reproduce it.

ROOSEVELT READY FOR HIS HOLIDAY

Has Disposed of Routine Work and Starts on Vacation Trip Tomorrow

WASHINGTON, April 1.—President Roosevelt has cleared up his routine work and it is evident that he thinks the emergency calendar is also well out of the way, as he proposes to start for his seven weeks' vacation Monday morning at 9 o'clock. His last most important act was the re-organization of the Isthmian canal commission. The matters on which he will probably keep an eye during his absence are: The status in San Domingo, the Bowen-Castro feud in Venezuela, the expected invitation that the United States be the mediator between Russia and Japan, the ruffle between the United States and Haiti and the American interest in the open door in Morocco, at which door Kaiser Wilhelm is also looking askance. It is one of the intentions of the president's trip that the president is to be "lost" from about April 15 to May 7 or later, somewhere in Colorado. The fact is, however, that the grape vine is to be kept up between the president and Secretary Loeb and that the czar and the mikado could get answers promptly to any interesting question they might address to the white house.

No official itinerary of the president has been given out and when one does appear it will possibly be confined to that part of the journey from Washington to Glenwood Springs, Colo. At or near Glenwood Springs the president will vanish and will be reached only by Mr. Loeb and with wireless or grape vine methods. The president is expected to have with him among others on the hunting expedition Sherman Bell, adjutant general of Colorado; Phil Stewart of Colorado Springs and one or two of the rough riders.

VOTERS' QUALIFICATIONS

Attorney J. S. Davis Says Every Voter Has Right to Cast Ballot for Whomsoever He Pleases

pleases, and would such vote have to be counted for the person so voted for?

"I have this to reply: Every voter under the constitution of this state has the right to vote for whomsoever he pleases whether the person for whom he votes has ever been nominated by any political party or not. Section 63, Terrell election laws, says that when a voter has been given a ballot by the election officer, 'the voter shall then immediately repair to the voting booth, or place prepared by the election officers, and select the ballot he desires to vote and prepare same by striking out the name of any candidate thereon whom he does not desire to vote for, and inserting the name of his chosen underneath.' This language shows that the name of the person voted need not be already on the ballot, for it expressly says that 'the voter may insert it,' and he could not 'insert' it if it was already there. The object of this law is to give to every voter his 'constitutional' right to vote according to his own 'free choice.' If the law did not do this it would be void. It is unquestionably the law that no member of any political party who is a voter and desires to exercise his right to a 'free choice' of candidates, is bound by any action or nomination of his party which is not legal. If a nomination should be attempted by a political party, but the provisions of the law as to such nominations were not complied with, such a nomination would be absolutely void.

In the case of Ransom vs. Black, 54 N. J. L. p. 446, it is said that 'the voter has the right to erase the name of any candidate on the ballot and insert the name of a person who stands for an entirely different principle to the one named on the ballot, and the head of the ticket (as 'democratic party' or 'city citizens' party) then becomes meaningless as an expression of the voter's sentiments as a party.'

In the above cases and also in the cases of Patterson vs. People, 65 Ill. app. 651; Chateau vs. Election Commissioners, 88 Mich. 170; Lawton's Contested Election, 180 Pa. 8th, 566, it is said that 'if the law permits the name of a candidate to be inserted by the voters in the ballots (as does Sec. 63, Terrell election law), the elector or voter may insert the names of persons for whom he desires to vote, though such person has not been nominated and such is legal, and must be counted.'

In the case of Jacksonville vs. Virden, 161 Ill. 333; Marshall county vs. Cook, 28 Ill. 44; Force vs. town of Eastavia, 61 Ill. 99, it is said that 'where the law provides that an election in a city or town is to be carried on in a certain way and no other that an election not held as provided by the law, but in a different way, would be void.' In the cases of Fuller vs. Palmer, 91 Mich. 283; West vs. Ross, 53 Mo. 350; and Ledbetter vs. Hale, 62 Mo. 422, it is said that 'the fact that the people voted for candidates does not render an election valid, when it was not held by legal authority.' In the case of Clark vs. Board of Supervisors of Election, 27 Ill. 219, it is said that 'if an election were held without warrant of law, or if it was ordered by a person or tribunal having no authority, there could be no doubt that the whole proceeding would be absolutely void, such an election and every subsequent step would be unauthorized and void, and therefore incapable of ratification by the county authorities.' As your nomination by the 'city citizens' party' was not made through a vote taken in each ward as the law requires, of course it was illegal, and therefore no voter in the ranks of the 'city citizens' party' would be bound to vote for you simply because you had been nominated by your 'party.' They could vote either for you or for your opponent, as they saw fit. As the case stands, it is simply a matter of individual choice with such

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voter. Hoping that this reply will be satisfactory, I remain, yours respectfully,

JAS. S. DAVIS.

Favor Amateur League

Keller's Carriage Works' team of this city is a candidate for the city amateur baseball league suggested by the captain of several of the teams. Manager A. D. Gunn suggests that a meeting be called during the week and a league of strong amateurs be chosen.

The Keller team will play its first regular game of the season next Sunday at Balnes park with the Armour team. The line up of the Keller team is as follows: Rogers, catcher; Leonard, pitcher; Puckett, first base; Gunn, second base; Curtis, third; Fagan, short stop; Farnsworth, right field; Leonard, center field; Will Gunn, left field.

Two practice games have been played by the team. Rosen Heights being defeated by a score of 12 to 5 and Seventh Ward by a score of 12 to 3. Uniforms of white and brown have been secured by the team, which is open for amateur games.

HOLLISTER'S Rocky Mountain Tea Nuggets

A Busy Medicine for Busy People. Brings Golden Health and Renewed Vigor. A specific for Constipation, Indigestion, Liver and Kidney Troubles, Pimples, Eczema, Impure Blood, Bad Breath, Sluggish Bowels, Headache and Backache. It's Rocky Mountain Tea in tablet form, 35 cents a box. Genuine made by HOLLISTER DRUG COMPANY, Madison, Wis. GOLDEN NUGGETS FOR SALLOW PEOPLE

BISHOP SPAULDING SUFFERS RELAPSE

Physicians Regard Condition of Aged Prelate as Excceedingly Grave

PEORIA, Ill., April 1.—Bishop Spaulding, who has been confined to his bed from the effects of a stroke of paralysis which he suffered three months ago, was suddenly attacked with heart failure this morning and suffered a relapse from which his physicians are fearful that he may not recover. Tonight he was said to be in a serious condition. The stroke came without warning. The bishop has been preparing to go south and was said by his physicians to be progressing nicely. He was seized with a sharp pain in his left side and for some minutes it was feared that he had passed away. Vigorous work of the physicians brought him to, but he is still in a critical condition. The illness will at least delay his intended southern trip.

GRIFFIN'S Monday Specials Both Phones 4-4-8

You are Invited to Come and See Our New Store 606-608 Houston St.

Advertisement for Griffin's featuring Ham and Eggs, Pickles, Specialties, and Vegetables. Includes prices for various items like Swift's Winchesters, Small mediums, German Dills, Sweet Pickles, etc.

WHAT WE BELIEVE

We believe that a successful bank must seek out and follow safe and conservative methods. That is what the Farmers and Mechanics National Bank does exactly.

Parties seeking financial accommodations will obtain by opening an account with it the attention that encourages patronage, the guarantee of security that affords confidence, and the prestige which comes from associating with a conservative institution.

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- Colorado Greeley Potatoes, pack. 20c
- Colorado Greeley Potatoes, bushel 75c
- Pancho Flour, 3 packages 25c
- Flour Oats, 3 packages 25c
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- Chili Beans, 5 pounds 25c
- Black Eye Peas, 5 pounds 25c
- Lima Beans, 5 pounds 25c
- Chicken Feed, Bran
- Corn Chops
- Smoked Herring, dozen 10c
- Holland Herring, dozen 35c
- Holland Herring, keg \$1.00
- Small Mackerel 25c
- Medium Mackerel, 2 for 25c
- Large Mackerel 20c
- Salmon, 3 cans 25c
- Red Salmon, 2 cans 20c
- Best Salmon, 2 cans 20c
- Mustard Sardines, 3 cans 25c
- American Sardines, 6 cans 25c
- Klipped Herring 25c
- Peerless Codfish, 3 pounds 25c
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TWELVE INSANE IN COUNTY JAIL

Two of Prisoners Held for Dementia Are Women—Total Prisoners in Jail Is 66

There are now in the county jail sixty-two prisoners, and all but eight are men. Among the number twelve are insane persons, two women and ten men. The inmates of the county jail at the present time are about an average in number. There have been as many as 100 confined at one time.

VERDICT FOR DEFENDANT

Judgment for Traction Company in \$20,500 Suit
The jury in the A. B. Moore damage case against the Northern Texas Traction company, which has been on trial most of the past week, returned a verdict late Saturday evening in favor of the street car company. The plaintiff will ask for a new trial. The suit was for damages in the sum of \$29,500. It is alleged that the wife of Moore was badly injured in a collision between a car of the defendant company and a wagon.

NEW TRIAL ASKED

Houston and Texas Central to Contest Judgment for \$7,500
Sponts & Thompson, attorneys for the Houston and Texas Central railroad company Saturday filed a motion for a new trial in the case of Ratteree, who sued the railroad company for damages for alleged injuries. The jury returned a verdict for the plaintiff in the sum of \$7,500. The plaintiff is represented by R. L. Carlock. Ratteree was a fireman for the Houston and Texas Central.

HABEAS CORPUS REFUSED

Judge Dunklin Leaves Children in Custody of Mother
Judge Irby Dunklin of the Forty-eighth district court Saturday afternoon heard the habeas corpus case, wherein W. H. Waterman was seeking to secure the custody of his two children, aged 4 and 19 years, respectively. According to the petition the Mr. and Mrs. Waterman were married Dec. 21, 1893, but separated some time ago. On hearing the case, Judge Dunklin remanded the children to the charge of the mother.

CASES FILED

Two cases were filed with the district clerk Saturday, both divorces. Harry Butcher against Thida Butcher, and Rebecca Samuels against Felix M. Samuels.

COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS

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

Motions submitted: Wise vs. Sayles, for rehearing; Kelly vs. Northern Texas Traction company, for rehearing; Texas and Pacific railway company vs. Hempbill, for rehearing.

Motions overruled: Texas and Pacific railway company vs. Lang, for rehearing; Red River, Texas and Southern railway company vs. Reynolds, for rehearing; Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe railway company vs. Giles, for rehearing; Missouri, Kansas and Texas railway company vs. Clark, for rehearing; Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe railway company vs. Williams et al., for rehearing.

Motions granted: Texas and Pacific railway company vs. Henderson, for leave to file transcript.

Affirmed: Ingham & Son vs. Clisco Oil Mill, from Eastland county; Northern Texas Traction company vs. Royce, from Tarrant; Texas and Pacific railway company vs. Goode, from Mitchell; Texas and Pacific railway company vs. Coppinger, from Mitchell; Texas and Pacific railway company vs. Elder, from Taylor; Redman et al. vs. Watson, Broad & Co., from Comanche; Anderson vs. Killgore, from Potter.

Reversed and remanded: Texas and Pacific railway company vs. Russell, from Mitchell; Texas Central railway company vs. Brown, from Brady; Texas and Pacific railway company vs. Nelson, from Mitchell; Texas and Pacific railway company vs. Stewart, from Mitchell; Texas and Pacific railway company vs. Johnson, from Mitchell.

Reversed and affirmed: Texas and Pacific railway company vs. Sears, from Mitchell county; Texas and Pacific railway company vs. Scrivener, from Mitchell.

Affirmed with 10 per cent damages: Fort Worth and Rio Grande railway company et al. vs. Hadley & Alvord, from Tarrant county.

Cases submitted: Jordan et al. vs. Henderson, from Lynn county; St. Louis and Texas railway company vs. McKnight et al., from Potter; Texas and Pacific railway company vs. Sherrod et al., from Wichita; Matador Land and Cattle company vs. Cooper et al., from Motley; Hand vs. Nix, from Eastland; Taylor vs. Manning, from Eastland; Smith vs. Hughes, from Eastland; Texas and Pacific railway company vs. Lynch, from Wichita; Fort Worth and Denver City railway company et al. vs. Smith, from Wichita.

Cases set for April 22, 1905: Fred W. Wolff Co. vs. Galbraith, from Palo Pinto county; McElvein vs. Morris, from Jones; Brown vs. United Moderns, from Tarrant; Gragg vs. Chicago, Rock Island and Texas railway company, from Jack; Rayless vs. Standard Savings and Loan association, from Jack; Baldwin vs. Richardson (two cases), from Jones; Wooten vs. Partidge, from Haskell; Shelley vs. Fort Worth and Denver City railway company et al., from Potter.

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Mrs. D. J. H. Hoynes has returned from a visit to Durant, I. T.
Mrs. T. L. Luse and son, Homer, are visiting friends in the city.

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Rev. I. Z. T. Morris is at Wichita Falls attending the dedication of a new church today.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Oglesby have returned home from an extended visit to their son, W. E. Oglesby at Abilene.

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Miss Nellie Stubbs of Rochester, N. Y., who has been visiting with friends in the city and at Dublin, left last evening for her home in the east.

A party of twenty Mexican laborers passed through Fort Worth Saturday evening en route to Oklahoma Territory to work on a railroad extension out of Pawnee.

A meeting of the Y. M. C. A. soliciting committees will be held Tuesday at 5 p. m. at the board of trade to report progress. As soon as these committees finish this work the building committee will be instructed to report plans for building.

Judge J. M. Gould, one of the prominent citizens of Moline, Ill., accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. S. M. Hill, and her husband of Cleburne, Texas, were visitors in Fort Worth Friday.

A Fort Worth and Reason Heights street car struck a buggy which was being driven along the car tracks on Lusk street Friday evening near the corner of Tenth street and threw two men who were occupants of the buggy from it.

When you want a lawyer you get the best. Why not exercise the same good judgment when you are sick? Dr. Bowley not only has had experience but he keeps up with the latest in his profession. Corner Houston and Seventh, old phone 1623. Consultation confidential.

Members of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the A. O. U. are requested to attend the funeral of Mr. L. M. Bradley, 1:30 p. m. at the residence, 1200 Galveston avenue, and St. Patrick's church 2 o'clock. Katherine Healey, president, Mary Blackman, recording secretary.

The meeting to have been held at Polytechnic Heights Sunday morning, but because of the bad weather until Tuesday night at 8 o'clock. The meeting is to be held in the college chapel and is for the purpose of considering the question of electric lights, water and street car lines.

Mr. Rowland D. Williams, recently of Memphis, Tenn., has been in the city for several days prospecting. Mr. Williams is one of the leading singers of the south. He has a rich, full baritone and it would be quite an addition to the musical talent of the city if he should decide to locate here. Mr. Williams will sing at the Taylor Street Cumberland Presbyterian church this morning.

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SOME REASONS FOR JAPANESE SUCCESS

Devotion of Officers to Profession of Fighting, Discipline of Men, and Marvelous Fidelity to Details Count

(Recently The Telegram promised its readers letters from Will H. Brill, one of the few correspondents with the Japanese main army in Manchuria, who was last at Fort Worth in the conducting of a long letter was written just before the great battle of Mukden. The Telegram will give Monday Brill's story of conditions just before the Japanese and the Russian armies clashed. Brill's story of the battle has not been received, but is expected within a few days. Brill is a veteran war correspondent who has seen years of hardest service and is an expert judge of fighting. His description of the battle will be one of the notable contributions of the story of the Russo-Japanese war.)

BY WILL H. BRILL

FIELD HEADQUARTERS, H. I. J. M. Second Army, Feb. 25—Now that the Russian Pacific is a good thing, even a great thing, I am going to write a letter which I have had in mind for some time. In it I will give, so far as possible, what appear to me to be the real reasons for past Japanese success. Occasionally the results in another great Japanese victory, as I truly believe it will, be largely because of these things. If the Japanese are defeated, it will be in spite of very good reasons.

In considering this subject the first thing, of course, is the training of the men and of their officers. This point comes even before the well known and much talked of patriotism of the Japanese. Patriotism is a good thing, even a great thing, when it comes to deciding battles, but training is a much greater factor. Patriotism without training is worth very little in modern warfare, while training without patriotism, if the training is good enough, will win battles.

Let us first look at the training of the Japanese officer. He is a graduate of a military school to begin with. He is usually a man who has served for a time in the Japanese army and has shown particular aptitude for the profession of arms before he is allowed to go to the military school. In that school he is given a very thorough and a very severe training. He is still an enlisted man and discipline is very rigidly enforced. He is made to understand that the military profession is a very serious one and that everything must give way before his studies.

OFFICERS' TRAINING

For years the Japanese have been studying the military systems of other armies. There are to be found today in the Japanese army men who have attended military schools and served with troops in almost every country in the world. At the head of the three divisions of the staff of the second army are three officers with whom I have come in contact hundreds of times during my seven months in the field with the army. Two of these officers speak German fluently, the third is a perfect master of Russian. Many of the staff officers speak French, but these are the only ones who occasionally find an officer who speaks at least three of these languages well.

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NO PRINCIPAL SALARIES

A full general in the Japanese army gets but 600 yen a month pay, and the table of increases under the rank of second lieutenant is reached where the pay amounts to but 42 yen. When you remember that this is the pay in time of war and that it is an increase of 40 per cent over peace time pay, and that it takes two years to make one American dollar, it is easy to see that social functions are entirely out of the reach of the Japanese officer. There is nothing left for him but devotion to his profession and this, in almost every case, is all the officer cares for. I do not think that it is at all beyond the truth to say that the regular Japanese officer is the most highly trained officer in any army in the world.

As a natural result the Japanese soldier is much the same. His pay in peace time is 60 cents, gold, a month—in war time it is slightly increased. He is, of course, compelled to serve in the army, but the great majority of the young men in Japan are given the opportunity and take so well to their duties and their studies that it is safe to say that there is no harder worked or more highly trained soldier in the world.

Of course, patriotism, taken in connection with this training, counts for a great deal. The life of every man in Japan belongs to the emperor and when the emperor has need for that life it is given to him gladly and willingly. The Japanese do not throw away their lives, but when those lives are needed there is no holding back. The Japanese soldier will take to cover as quickly as any other soldier when it is not necessary for him to expose himself, and he will laugh when he dies. But when he is ordered to go to certain death he goes determinedly, unhesitatingly—and again he laughs. This is what patriotism does for him.

DISCIPLINE SUPERS

The great feature of the Japanese army is its discipline. By discipline I mean more than the training of the men to do what their officers tell them to do. I mean the training of officers to do what their superiors order and do it heartily, cheerfully and to the best of their ability. The high ranking officers of the Japanese army always claim to be the opinion of the immediately subordinates before making their general plans. Every officer gives his opinion, states his ideas and then, and not until then, the commanding officer makes up his mind and adopts his plan. All officers are free to express their opinions, but once the order is given that is law. It speaks a great deal for the officers of the army that there is never any grumbling, that each officer respects and has the respect of regard for his superiors. When his orders come he obeys them and he never grumbles, even if the plan adopted is not the one he suggested. There is no favoritism in the Japanese army and each officer knows that the man who is put over him is there because of his experience and his ability, and this he respects not only to the extent of performing cheering the duty assigned to him, but in believing that the opinion of his superior is the correct one.

Another thing that makes the Japanese army successful is its absolute preparedness. The Japanese are notably fond of detail and in the conducting of a war this becomes of great value. Every possible contingency has been foreseen and everything necessary to meet it is at hand. No matter what the occasion calls for all you have to do is to put your hand out and get it.

Another feature of the Japanese army is its readiness to take chances, if there is a fair chance of winning anything worth while by so doing. The Japanese do not take small chances, but they are always ready to take big chances. If a commissary officer is told that he will have 100 men to feed at a certain place day after tomorrow he does not furnish food for ninety-nine, taking the chance that one of the hundred will be sick or killed—he has food there for a hundred; if a transport officer is told to have 100 cars tomorrow morning he does not secure ninety-nine of them today and leave the last one to chance at the last moment. In detail work absolutely nothing is left to chance. But when it comes to big movements or big matters, where a chance may be taken and much gained by it, then the Japanese will take chances that would make an old school soldier shiver. In the battle of Liao Yang when men were needed at both ends of the line and the center seemed safe, the men were entirely taken away from the center, leaving a great gap there. The Japanese took a chance that Kuropatkin would not discover it, and he didn't. The result was that the battle was won and Kuropatkin forced to retreat long before these things would have happened if that chance had not been taken.

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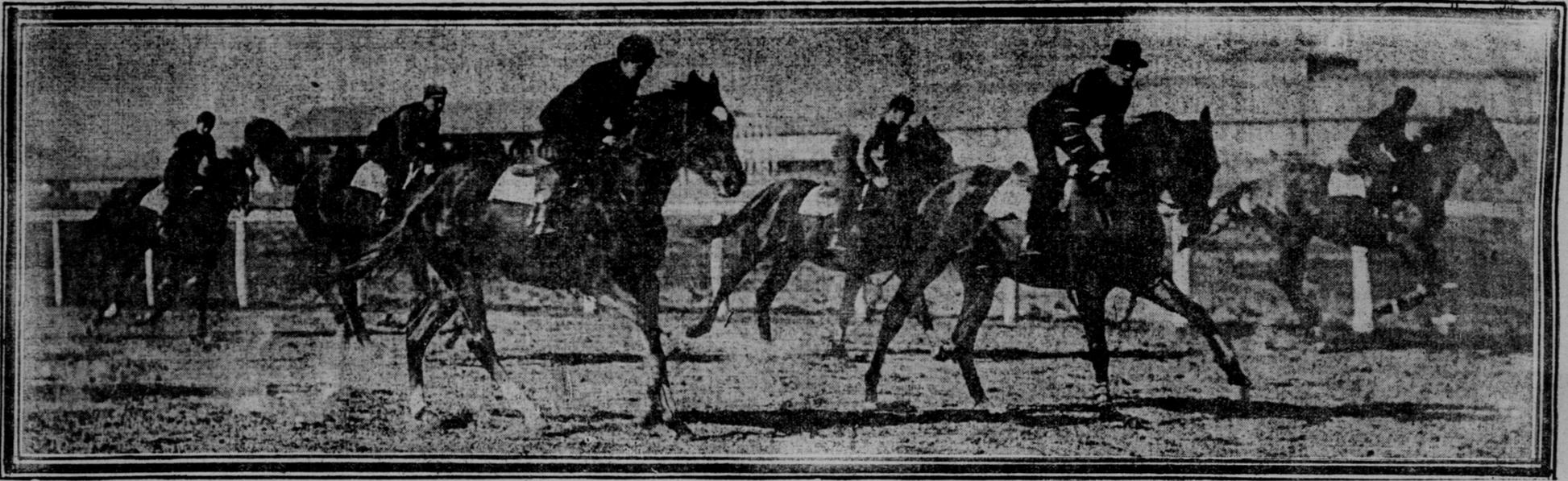
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Members of the state are preparing for the eighth annual convention of the American Federation of Labor to be held at Dayton, beginning the first Monday in May. Delegates are to be in attendance from every labor organization in the state, and the meeting is expected to be the largest ever held. C. W. Woodman of this city received a letter from Max Andrews, president of the state federation, Saturday, stating that the labor people in the vicinity of Houston, Mr. Andrews' home, were preparing to attend in large numbers.

LABOR NOTES

Trainer Welch's String of Two-Year-Olds Out for a Gallop on the Gravesend Track



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PROSPEROUS RACING SEASON PROMISED

Success That Has Thus Far Attended Bennings Meet Augurs Well for Succeeding Dates—1905 Schedule Complete

BY MANH-TTAN. NEW YORK, April 1.—The warm, clear weather of the past week has put the tracks around New York in fine trim and trainers are taking full advantage of the fact to get their charges into shape for the season's hard work. There is no longer any doubt that all the metropolitan tracks will be in apple-pie condition at the opening dates, and the success which has attended the Bennings meeting so far makes it certain that this will be a record breaking season on all the tracks. Here is the list of racing dates for 1905, as arranged at present: Bennings, March 23-April 13; Memphis, March 27-April 19; Kinloch, April 15-May 19; Aqueduct, April 15-24; Pimlico, April 19-29; Nashville, April 29-May 2; Jamaica, April 25-May 2; Kansas City, April 27-May 29; Worth, April 29-May 26; Lexington, May 3-9; Belmont Park, May 4-24; Louisville, May 10-26; Delmar, May 29-June 2; Gravesend, May 25-June 14; Latonia, May 27-June 17; Hawthorne, May 27-June 9; Fair Grounds (St. Louis), June 3-Sept. 2; Kenilworth, June 10-July 15; Harlem, June 10-23; Sheepshead Bay, June 15-July 4; Highland Park, June 21-July 22; Washington Park, June 24-July 22; Indianapolis, June 24-July 8; Brighton Beach, July 5-29; Hawthorne, July 24-Aug. 5; Saratoga, July 31-Aug. 25; Harlem, Aug. 7-19; Hawthorne, Aug. 21-Sept. 2; Sheepshead Bay, Aug. 26-Sept. 9; Highland Park, Sept. 2-18; Harlem, Sept. 4-16; Delmar, Sept. 4-Oct. 31; Gravesend, Sept. 11-23; Hawthorne, Sept. 18-27; Louisville, Sept. 25-Oct. 7; Brighton Beach, Sept. 25-30; Harlem, Oct. 21-Nov. 13; Aqueduct, Nov. 15-20; Memphis, Nov. 15-20; Bennings, Nov. 15-Dec. 2; Fair Grounds (N. Orleans), Nov. 19-Dec. 30. There may be others.

One feature of the racing at Bennings which has attracted attention is the number of good two-year-olds shown. In Oakland, T. S. Martin, Pater, Tippee and a few others, there are undoubtedly some youngsters that will be able to hold their own on the metropolitan circuit. There are many other good youngsters stabled at the course and the crop of two-year-olds this season will probably be as good as that of last year. As a rule, the two-year-olds are not shown here, and taking a line on the supposedly inferior two-year-olds raced so far, the big stables must have some shifty youngsters.

At Sheepshead Bay the Keene string continues to attract the most attention from the spectators who gather every morning. The Commando, Kingston and Ben Brush two-year-olds are so large that a cursory glance gives the impression that most of them are three-year-olds, or even of greater age. By some of the trainers it is argued that such large colts and fillies will not be able to handle themselves well before midsummer.

Although it is generally believed that the two-year-old star of the year will come from the Keene, Paget, Whitney or Bennington strings, the honor of owning the star juvenile of the year does not always go to the millionaire owner. Two years ago Higball was concededly the best of his age, and last year Oiseau topped his sex, although several fillies disputed with him the greatest honors. Neither of these colts belonged to the so-called "millionaire stables," and similar instances might be multiplied.

John E. Madden's two-year-olds by Mirthful and Ogden are a promising lot, and Mr. Madden thinks he is likely to uncover more than one which will have a look in the championship.

prove one of the best four-year-olds of the season. The Goughacre stable annually develops a crack three-year-old. Last year it was Bryn Mawr and before that Shortnose, and now it is Preen. Preen is vastly improved from the fast but faint-hearted two-year-old which metropolitan racegoers remember. He has electric speed still and has learned to carry it. Weight does not seem to bother him and he has that low, sweeping, powerful stride of the real race horse.

The entries for the three stake races of the Maryland Jockey Club, which will hold a ten days' meeting at the Pimlico track, Baltimore, during the latter part of next month, had their closing this week. The nominations have been beyond expectation. The three events that closed were: The Pimlico Handicap, three-year-olds and upward, \$300 added, one mile; the Clabaugh Memorial for two-year-olds bred in Maryland, Virginia, Pennsylvania and the District of Columbia, \$1,000 added, and a piece of plate valued at \$250, four and a half furlongs; the Easter Monday Steeplechase, four-year-olds and upward, \$750 added.

The announcement of a twenty-day meet at the Providence, R. I. track has aroused much interest among the owners of ordinary horses, who see in it a chance to earn oats money at all events. James E. Duran, who is looking after the track, and who has been to Bennings this week, said: "I went to Washington in the interests of the club, endeavoring to induce as many owners and trainers to slip their horses to Providence for our meeting as possible. The announcement that racing would be revived at old Narragansett Park, which for the past few years has been used as a trotting track, is perfectly true. The meeting will begin on July 29 and last twenty days. I am in a position to say that there will be no interference on the part of the authorities regarding betting."

The entry blanks for four stake events of the Saratoga Racing Association for steeplechasers, which will have their closing on April 3, have been received by horsemen. The events are all for four-year-olds and upward, as follows: The Ballston Steeplechase, of \$2,000, about two miles; the Beverwyck Handicap Steeplechase, of \$2,500, about two miles and a half; the Shiloh Steeplechase, with \$2,000 and a piece of plate valued at \$500 added, full course, and the North American Steeplechase, with \$2,500 and plate to the value of \$500 added, the full course.

GOSSIP OF THE JOCKEYS

NEW YORK, April 1.—The return of four of Grovet Cleveland Fuller is a source of gratification to all those who love to see a well-ridden race. Fuller is earning brackets right along at Bennings. He is behaving himself and is getting back to his old-time skill and with it is regaining his old-time popularity.

George Odum will probably be seen in the saddle more frequently this season than he was last. Odum can ride at 112 pounds, and while he has no engagement except to ride for Diamond Jim Brady when he can make weight, he will undoubtedly be in demand, as a steadier, more skillful jockey it would be hard to find than this quiet young Georgian.

Jockey Baird promises to be the annual New Orleans find. He is a distinct addition to the riding talent here. He is an apprentice, can ride at ninety pounds, is quick at the barrier and knows how to nurse his mount along in front without running him into the ground. This is Baird's first season in the saddle, and considering his brief experience his prospect of development is all the greater.

Willie Shaw is riding in better form than when he was employed by the late "Pittsburg Phil" and was the idol of metropolitan racegoers. "Tommy" Burns, too, with his weather eye on an engagement for the season, is riding in fine form.

Members of Maple Hurst Grove No. 5, Woodman Circle, are requested to meet at the home of Sovereign Kate S. Brantley at 1290 Galveston avenue, Sunday, April 2, at 2 p. m. to attend the funeral of her husband, John H. Brantley. MRS. SARAH HOYT, Guardian. MRS. NANNIE LUTHER, Clerk.

LIGHTWEIGHTS BEST DRAWERS

San Francisco Fight Promoters No Longer Look for Heavy Attractions

BY W. W. NAUGHTON. SAN FRANCISCO, April 1.—There was a time when the San Francisco fight promoters kept reaching out for heavyweights. They said that contests between the big fellows paid the best. Recent events suggest that public taste has changed and that the demand for ringsters of heroic proportions is slackening.

The go between Jeffries and Munro drew the smallest gate of all the heavyweight championship battles fought in San Francisco. Jeff claims, in fact, that he lost money by it. The affair between Marvin Hart and Jack Johnson, each of whom had been boomed as a probable opponent of Jeffries, was \$6,500.

Big Jim Jeffries, you had better watch out. It is bad enough to have Pitcher Smith, Wrestler Gotch, Marvin Hart and one or two others talking of relieving you of your hard-earned laurels, but the greatest danger lies in a direction that you little suspect.

Russian beamed Hackenschmidt, the Russian lion with the German patronym, is on his way to New York from San Francisco. He arrived here a week ago from Australia. While in that far country he boxed frequently with Larry Foley, the man who developed Peter Jackson, Bob Fitzsimmons, Jim Hall and other world-famed bruisers.

The Australian filly, however, revealed Hackenschmidt's secret. They even told what Foley, "the maker of champions," had to say about Hackenschmidt. Here it is:

"With some tuition Hackenschmidt will make a good fighter. He is very intelligent and quick to catch and hold himself out to learn—well, the possibilities ahead are big."

All things considered it mightn't be a bad idea for Jeffries to bring matters to an issue with Hackenschmidt before the lion gets the hang of his footwork and other things that pertain to the slug-ging game.

A CARD OF THANKS. The Sisters of St. Mary of St. Ignace Academy, tender heartfelt thanks to their many friends, former pupils and acquaintances for the kindly sympathy and untiring attention shown during the recent illness and decease of our dear and lamented Superior Sister Louise.

FUNERAL NOTICE. Members of Red Cross Lodge No. 14, Knights of Pythias, are ordered to assemble in Castle hall at 1:30 p. m. Sunday, April 2, for purpose of attending funeral of our deceased brother, S. P. Tucker. Members of other Knights of Pythias lodges are requested to attend. By order of J. C. SMITH, Chancellor. T. T. McDONALD, C. of R. and S.

KNIGHTS LOYAL ATTENTION. Members of Fort Worth Company No. 2, Uniform Rank, Knights of Pythias, are ordered to attend important meeting Monday night, April 3, at 8 o'clock, in Katy city office, 596 Main street. By order of J. J. LANGEVER, Captain. T. T. McDONALD, Recorder.

ATTENTION RATHBONE SISTERS. There will be a call meeting for regular business on Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at Knights of Pythias hall. MRS. ADAH C. WARES, M. E. C. MRS. ALLIE THOMAS, M. of G. and C.

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NERVE WON FIGHT FOR MARVIN HART

Decision Awarded Plucky Kentuckian Over Johnson Because of Gameness—Jabez White May Surprise Jimmy Britt

CHICAGO, April 1.—To the intense relief of a majority of the sporting world, including one James J. Jeffries, the championship aspirations of Jack Johnson were summarily disposed of by Marvin Hart last Tuesday, but it was a narrow squeak for Hart, and there is no telling how the fight would have resulted had the negro shown anything like the gameness that characterized his pale-faced antagonist.

That seems to be about all there was to it—merely a question of gameness. Johnson, after sampling a few of Marvin's earnest efforts in the punching line, grew timid and contented himself with covering up, at which he is past master, and let Hart do most of the leading. Even under this self-imposed pull, he landed about six blows on Hart's one, but they served only to increase the Kentuckian's speed.

It is refreshing to see a decision rendered for the reasons that this one was—gameness, willingness and punching power. It seems that Johnson was greatly surprised at the verdict, owing to the fact that he had landed the greater number of blows and had battered Hart's physiognomy until it looked like a pound of Hamburg steak. The main point was that the negro had played safe all the time with tactics that would have deceived more than our referee, while Hart had done his best to make a real fight out of the affair, boring in all the time and taking all sorts of chances in order to land and was rightfully entitled to whatever glory and profit there was coming from the fight.

There was the usual comparison of the men's appearance after the fight. Hart being described as having a badly pounded-up countenance, while Johnson was "without a mark." Very well. One thing is certain, a well conditioned pugilist cares little for blows on the face. They may spoil his beauty for the time being but they won't knock him out, and that's the main thing. A pugilist's opinion of those on the inside is, that all reports to the contrary, everything will be quietly arranged in due time and that the coming racing season in Chicago will equal if not surpass that of any previous year.

Jeffries has graciously consented to give Hart a match, in recognition of the latter's victory over Johnson, but it hardly seems possible that the most famous pugilist of the world will be seen in the ring with a man who is not showing in his Tuesday night's battle, or at any other time that would warrant him to have a chance with the champion, and it is scarcely probable that any manager would care to stage a match from a financial point of view. No, Hart won't do, and the question is, who will?

There have been more wonderful stories come from the south this week where the Chicago White Sox ball players have been in spring training, about the prowess of Frank Smith, one of their pitching corps. These dispatches relate how Kid McCoy was induced to "try out" young Smith and barely escaped with his life—or something to that effect. The Kid, so the story relates, gravely assured Smith that he was bigger and stronger than Sharkey (and McCoy certainly ought to know what he is talking about in that direction) and Smith would be able to lick Jeffries, "beyond a doubt."

All of which may be exactly as described. The versatile McCoy has always been more or less of a "jollier," and if he were not employing his talents in that line on this occasion, it is well to remember that he told Jack Monroe about the same thing.

Can it be possible that the whole thing is simply an advertising dodge concocted by the genial Comiskey? If so, he has inaugurated something entirely new and unique in the baseball business, and he is entitled to whatever additional attendance it brings him this spring every time Smith pitches.

A rather curious story comes from Philadelphia how on Monday night Rufé Turner put it all over Joe Gans and the latter stayed the six rounds only on sufferance, the generosity of Turner being due possibly, to his respect for Gans' lighter color, for Rufé is pretty black himself. Turner has

been in the ring nearly as long as Gans has, but has never been considered anything more than a good third-rater. Gans is billed to fight Willie Lewis next Friday at Baltimore. Lewis has been pestering Joe for a match for some little time, and is fairly good man, so we will shortly know just how far Gans has "deteriorated."

Surprising how many people are "pulling" for Jabez White to whip Jimmy Britt next month. There is beginning to be a suspicion that White is not exactly the mark Britt takes him for and there is liable to be a sensation sprung when the two meet. So good a judge as Frank Erne, the former American lightweight champion, who was beaten by Britt and who has seen White in action several times, says, that without the slightest prejudice, he confidently expects to see White win, and by the knockout route. (It had better be a knockout, Jabez, by the way). Erne declares White will beat Britt at his own game of cleverness, and, no matter how shifty Jimmy may be, sooner or later the Englishman will fall him. He says White is absolutely the best boxer England turned out, fighting much on the lines of Joe Gans, with blows that travel but a few inches, but carry a knockout with them. So it may turn out to be quite an interesting meeting, after all.

The local racing situation is getting to be rather a complex proposition. John Condon, one of the powers of the Western Jockey Club, owner of the Harlem track and Corrigan's lifelong foe, has announced that he will open the new track at Hammond, Ind., just across the state line from this city, by the first of May, or even sooner if possible and that there will be no other racing within ninety miles of Chicago this summer. So far he has not apparently succeeded in worrying the opposition very much. Already horses are beginning to arrive for the North spring meeting, which is scheduled to open the first week in May. The general opinion of those on the inside is, that all reports to the contrary, everything will be quietly arranged in due time and that the coming racing season in Chicago will equal if not surpass that of any previous year.

YESTERDAY'S RACE RESULTS

AT OAKLAND. SAN FRANCISCO, April 1.—Oakland summaries: Weather clear; track fast.

First race, one and one-sixteenth miles, selling: Bogus Bill, 110 (Bell), 12 to 1, second; Tannhauser, 93 (Hayes), 5 to 1, second; F. O. U., 110 (McHannon), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:48.

Second race, one and one-sixteenth miles, selling: Glenrice, 108 (Jones), 8 to 1, won; Fille D'Or, 103 (Graham), 12 to 1, second; Jack Little, 106 (Ostis), 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:48 1/2.

Third race, one mile and seventy yards, selling: Hainault, 111 (Travers), 6 to 1, won; Scherzo, 104 (Wright), 4 to 1, second; Dora L, 99 (Chandler), 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:48 1/2.

Fourth race, futurity course, the Gebhardt handicap: Mary F., 100 (Knapp), 4 to 5, won; Equorum Rex, 106 (Minder), 8 to 1, second; Darumá, 106 (Tooman), 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:41.

Fifth race, one mile and seventy yards, handicap: Hans Wagner, 98 (Jones), 4 to 1, won; Mindanao, 108 (Fountain), 6 to 1, second; Andrew Mack, 104 (Travers), 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:44.

Sixth race, one mile, purse: True Winger, 107 (Birkenruth), 2 to 1, won; Coler, 112 (Fountain), 5 to 1, second; Sea Air, 107 (Wright), 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:41.

AT ASCOT. LOS ANGELES, Cal., April 1.—Weather clear; track fast. Summaries:

First race, one mile and seventy yards, E. J. O'Connell, 5 to 1, won; Rose of Hill, 102 (Hill), 1 to 2, second; Florista, 98 (Dillon), 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:47 1/2.

Second race, six furlongs: Robador, 105 (Morlarity), 7 to 5, won; Skeptic, 95 (Kunz), 4 to 1, second; Henry Ach, 99 (Crossthwaite), 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:34 1/2.

Third race, one mile and seventy yards: Dollie Wiethoff, 103 (Crossthwaite), 5 to 1, won; Albert Bright, 110 (Book), 12 to 1, second; Jarding de Paris, 96 (Kunz), 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:48 1/2.

Fourth race, one and one-sixteenth miles, Jonathan Club Handicap: Col. Ruppert, 100 (Morlarity), 6 to 1, won; Lustig, 100 (Herbert), 6 to 1, second; King of the Heath, 103 (Kunz), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:46 1/2.

Fifth race, one mile and seventy yards, selling: Mercas, 93 (Hogg), 3 1/2 to 1, won; Erne, 100 (Wood), 5 to 1, second; Mirrena, 103 (Dillon), 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:46 1/2.

Sixth race, mile and a sixteenth, selling: Grande, 101 (Wood), 8 to 5, won; Sinclaco, 95 (Morlarity), 4 1/2 to 1, second; The Borgian, 97 (Kunz), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:48 1/2.

went to 10 to 1. Col. Ruppert was right there or abouts all the way and won by an open length from Lustig.

BRILLIANT FINISH FOR ARDELLE STAKES

Toots Mooks Wins From French Nun by Narrow Margin at Montgomery Park

MEMPHIS, Tenn., April 1.—Toots Mooks today followed in the footsteps of Red Banner, Handspun, Lady Conrath and Lady Schorr, who afterwards left their impress on turf history by taking the Ardelle stakes in the most spectacular finish of the present Montgomery Park meeting. A nose behind her finished French Nun, the heavily played favorite, with Tinker doing her utmost to prevent Lady Navarre from taking third honors.

The annual, inauspicious event of the Memphis Jockey Club for the masses of the western turf was, both from a speculative and a spectacular viewpoint, one of the most interesting that has thus far been run off. Dada's start was a good one. Tinker was the first to show and set the pace around the rear turn with Toots Mooks second. In the stretch it looked like the Nun was already the winner when Toots Mooks moved up. Stride for stride she finished with the Nun and displaying brilliant gameness, outstayed the favorite in the final jump, both of them passing the wire so closely together that none but the judges could split the pair.

At a late hour Jockey Wonderly, who was thrown from a 2-year-old that he was breezing early in the day, was reported in a more serious condition than was at first supposed. Upon examination at the hospital to which he was taken it was discovered that the back of his skull was badly fractured and the fact that the boy did not regain consciousness throughout the afternoon made the attending physicians extremely doubtful as to his ultimate recovery.

GOLD ROSE WINS FROM FLORAL KING

Match Race at New Orleans City Park Track Decided by a Nose in Exciting Finish

NEW ORLEANS, April 1.—With an excited throng fairly shaking the grand stand with its shouts and shrieks, Gold Rose defeated Floral King by a nose in the match race at City Park this afternoon. As the horses passed the judges' stand the grand stand emitted a concerted and thundering yell of greeting. Floral King, off badly, ridden with bad judgment, and with a case of apparent "rattles" on the part of his jockey, when the crisis was reached, showed everything deemed necessary in a good race horse. The race was at five and one-half furlongs for a purse of \$50, offered by the club, together with a plate valued at \$500 and a side bet of \$500. The big crowd which attended the new course witnessed a good feat. Floral King opened favorite, but a play on Gold Rose sent her to first position at 4 to 5. "Frisco" Gardner, owner of Floral King, laid no price against his own horse, but put up \$500 against Gold Rose. He was kept busy taking big bets and as there was a tull in the play he promptly laid even money against the filly. The start was a bad one for Floral King. Gannon kept his horse slow, while Kelly had Gold Rose in motion when the barrier rose.

In the first furlong the Gold Crest filly opened up a gain of three lengths and in the turn was six to the good. Rounding into the stretch Floral King began to get into motion and cut down the lead. At the eighth he was three lengths nearer. At the sixteenth he was lapping the filly. Here Gannon switched his whip and in the minds of some slightly, but when Gannon went to the bat Floral King responded nicely. He drew up with every jump and as the racers passed the stand Gold Rose was barely in front and in the next jump Floral King was half a length in front.

YANKEES BEAT ATLANTA

Chebro Rejoins New York Americans, Showing Old Form

ATLANTA, Ga., April 1.—With Chesbro in the box the Yankees had no trouble in defeating the Atlantas this afternoon. Chesbro reported here today, having been given permission to remain at Harvard until now. He appeared to be in splendid form, although a bit lacking in his customary control. Smith, the old Cleveland pitcher, was in the box for five innings for the Atlantas and while he officiated for the New Yorkers were sorely puzzled, but one run being made off him. Score: Atlanta . . . 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 2—3 4 3 New York . . . 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1—3 2 3 Batteries: Smith, Burman and Shea; Chesbro, Powell and McGuire.

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COLD DAY FOR BETTORS

Getaway at Los Angeles Falls to Let Them Get Even

LOS ANGELES, Cal., April 1.—Getaway day was a grand success for everybody except the bettors, who had been waiting many days to get even. The long-looked-for good things failed to materialize and the best they could do was to cash in on two favorites. The Jonathan Club Handicap which was substituted for the Long Beach steeplechase, resulted in a big surprise. Ethylene was made a warm favorite for this event, with Lord of the Heath second on the demand. Col. Ruppert, McCaffery's grand 3-year-old, was not given a chance at the distance, a mile and one-sixteenth, and his price

NEWS FROM ALL OVER EUROPE CABLED TO THE TELEGRAM

KAISER WILL GOES SOUTH FOR HEALTH

Declare That Only His Iron Will Keeps Him From Collapse - Stoessel's Chief of Staff Defends Commander

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Special Cable to The Telegram. BY MALCOLM CLARKE.

BERLIN, April 1.—Berlin without the kaiser is not Berlin; his absence is immediately felt, and now that he has been gone only a week, and is to remain away for weeks to come, the papers are already discussing what he will do when he returns.

That he was a very sick man when he left for Bremen was evident to all who saw him, both here and when he made his speech in the city hall at Bremen. It is said among those who have occasion to meet him daily at court that he no longer believes that he will ever be a well man again, and that only his iron will and determination keep him from collapsing.

German newspaper correspondents are thick around the little place in Sicily where Germany's ruler is to spend his hard-earned rest anxiously waiting to see whether there will be a consultation of famous specialists to determine what can be done to check the disease which threatens to become the curse of the Hohenzollerns.

Nothing that happens in that little village can be kept a secret, and every day Germans are feasting to take up their papers lest they contain bad news of the man who, once hated and often ridiculed, is now respected by all and loved by many.

In the meantime, the preparations for the crown prince's wedding are going on, and presents are coming in from Germans in all parts of the world, the value of which already has passed the one-million mark.

Reports from Russia show that little General Stoessel is winning back the popularity he enjoyed while still defending Port Arthur against the Japanese.

It has been proved to the czar, by the testimony of many Russian officers who have returned from Japan, and foremost of those General Reiss, that Stoessel after all is just the man he was thought to be until a correspondent of the London Times, for what reason unknown, wrote the article which stamped him as a coward in the eyes of the world. This article, it is now known, was made from whole cloth, and every statement it contained has been proved false by General Reiss, who, though never friendly with the commander of the fallen fortress, would not allow a brother in arms to suffer unjustly.

"As chief of staff," General Reiss said to a German journalist a few days ago, "I know every detail of what happened at Port Arthur, know how many guns were still fit for use and how much ammunition and food was left when we capitulated, but until I get permission from the czar I cannot say anything about the details, but you may rest assured of the honor of General Stoessel."

"When we capitulated we had 8,000 men capable of carrying arms with whom to defend a line of twelve miles, an absolute impossibility when it is remembered that half of these would have been in hospitals under medical treatment."

"Literally speaking, we did not capitulate at all—Port Arthur was taken by the Japanese and only by a ruse of General Stoessel were we allowed to make conditions."

"The Japanese had four miles of our line of defense in their possession, so that nothing could have prevented them from entering the city without troubling themselves with the other eight miles of defenses, but to deceive them and to conduct our real operations from them we built up sham fortifications without guns and without trenches."

"If we had been found out the Japanese would have been in Port Arthur two hours later. We had no shells left for many of the heavy guns except such as we could manufacture ourselves, and working night and day we could only turn out thirty a day."

"There were plenty of Chinese shells left, but these were absolutely useless, and Port Arthur, at the time we gave up, was more of a museum of artillery than a fortress. General Stoessel had no authority over the navy, and it was against his will that the ships remained in the harbor."

"Our admirals were incompetent and admitted this themselves. Witthoef had never seen active service and often wished himself back at his desk in the navy department, and while Prince Uchtonsky knew all about naval theories, he never had any practical experience."

"When once the history of the defense of Port Arthur is written justice will be done to General Stoessel, who now so heroically bears the disgrace heaped upon him and which no man ever deserved."

Konrad Von Rubow, a young German who has just returned from Russia, where he for two days was the guest of Count Leo Tolstol, on his estate, Yasnaya Polyana, says that the famous philosopher is in the best of health.

His eyesight, however, is growing weaker, and for this reason he still abstains from reading newspapers. His foot, which he hurt some time ago, falling with his horse, no longer pains him, and he takes long walks every day, regardless of the weather.

He works as hard as ever and keeps up a voluminous correspondence. He is now working on a large novel, "Hadsch Marat," a smaller story "After the Ball," and a psychological work "Divine and Human."

In the last work he takes up the psychological evolution of the criminal Lisosno, who became a Christian in his prison, having formerly always been an atheist, and who went on the scaffold holding a Bible in his hand.

None of these books will appear until after Tolstol's death.

Emigration to the United States and the rush of young country people to the great cities have so depleted the rural population that every year it is becoming



LONDON, April 1.—Monuments to commemorate the events of the Boer war are going up in all parts of England. The cut shows a memorial just erected at Bristol to the officers and men of the Gloucester regiment who fell in the South African war. The principal speech was made by Lord Roberts, who is shown in the picture standing at the foot of the foundation of the statue.

COLONIAL RULE A DIFFICULT TASK

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Special Cable to The Telegram. By Seamus Mac Manus.

DUBLIN, April 1.—Your Yankee trippers who patronize our end of the world are sometimes over-fond of poking their nose into places where it should not be. Old Vesuvius gave one hundred and twenty of them a race for their necks the other day.

When they had climbed the mount, and approached too near the crater, the old fellow just snorted, and immediately the circumambient air was so full of things that every one of the one hundred and twenty with startling suddenness remembered a most pressing engagement at the mountain foot.

The amused spectators remarked that old Vesuvius shook his sides right heartily as he beheld them scot. Anyhow, unless your American trippers grow wiser a lot of them are going to get hurt over here some day.

The attempt to govern the great British Empire from London is proving a heart-breaking failure. Wyndham, broken in health, has given up Ireland; Lord Milner, heart-broken, has given up South Africa, and Lord Curzon, with the howls of a hundred million indignant Hindus ringing in his ears, is tremblingly awaiting his recall from Calcutta.

Since he was sent to India he never opened his mouth that he did not put his foot in it. Quite recently he lectured the Hindus on their untruthfulness and urged them to get a spurt on and try to overtake the sublime standards set by western civilization—by which standards, as all the world knows, a lie is never permissible except in politics, and the divorce court, and on convenient occasions generally.

Happily the Hindus have not been basking so long in the beneficent beams of British rule without discovering the discrepancy between preaching and practice in the case of the Queen of the Seas. The commercial spirit of the dominant race has long since recognized that truth is a jewel—and as such only to be parted with when full commercial value is assured in return.

When the cat's away the Moslem can play and is presently engaged in some of his usual playful pastimes under the shade of the Caucasus where, while the Russian is very much engaged elsewhere, he is again appearing to Christians for sport while the Slick Man at Constantinople winks the other eye.

Spilling Christian blood is a bad fault which the Turk has contracted, and it is very, very hard to break him off it. If he would only embrace Christianity he would quickly learn five-and-fifty ways of revenging himself upon his enemies within the law. He would acquire the genteel methods of robbing and slaying while still remaining an upright and honored citizen capable of lecturing the barbarian on the enormity of his crimes. Let us pray for the hurried conversion of the Turk.

El Mokri, who is marketman to the Sultan of Morocco, has lately been in Paris for the purpose of replenishing the wardrobe of the sultan's harem. He gave an order for 700 dresses—an order that may well appeal to the commonplace paterfamilias.

He was said to have had with him one very different girl to which dresses were to be made; and if, out of the seven hundred dresses, any one of them misses its fit by a hair's breadth, El Mokri's head will be presented on a charger to the outraged one.

harder to get farm laborers, and unless something is done to prevent this it will not be many years before many farmers will have to let their grain rot in the fields, if they have succeeded in putting it in.

From the agricultural colleges the warning is sounded time and again that the German farmers must give up the too conservative ideas of farming if they will escape ruin.

Professor Thies of the Danzig Agricultural College, who for years has studied American farming methods, is the latest to tell his countrymen that to adopt these and to give up all prejudice against American agricultural machinery is now the only salvation for the German farmer.



CHRISTIANA, April 1.—Picture shows Dr. Fritof Nansen, the famous Arctic explorer, who will probably in the near future become prime minister of Norway. Dr. Nansen is strongly associated with the nationalists of Norway, who are fighting to make their country absolutely independent of Sweden.

WOMAN'S CAUSE ADVANCING SURGEON CONDEMNS DRINK

Madame Sarah Grand Says Day of Doubt as to Sex's Ability Has Passed

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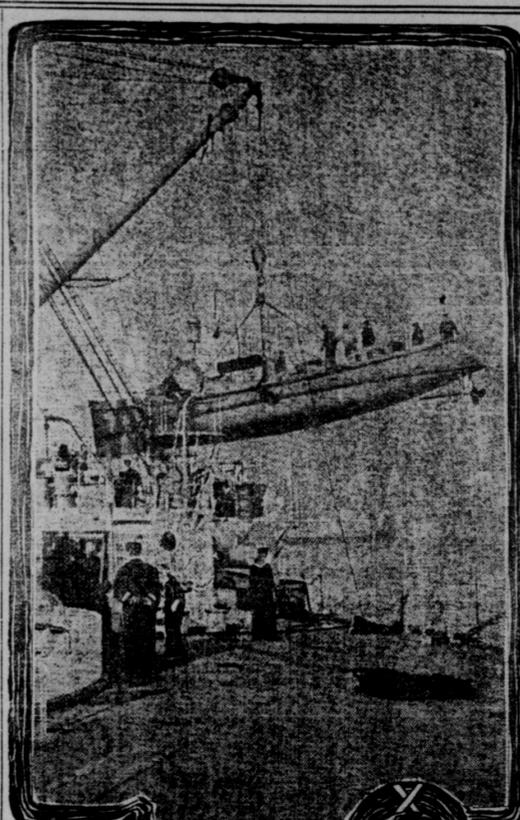
LONDON, April 1.—Madame Sarah Grand, the author of the well-known novel "The Heavenly Twins," is the inventor of the phrase "the new woman." She has recently been interviewed on her special subject, and has told the world that women have come to a point in their history when it is a question whether woman will develop further. "Is she to be encouraged," said this champion of her sex, "to take an interest in politics and municipal affairs, or is she to be driven to find an outlet for her energies in a continual whirl of amusement?"

There is now no longer any question as to the inferiority of woman. The average woman will now make as good a citizen as the average man. It has been finally proved that for a woman to take a position in public affairs it is not at all necessary that she should neglect her home life.

"Queen Victoria is the most satisfactory example of the new woman that I can think of," said Madame Grand, "for she was not an exceptional woman, but just a woman of ordinary fine intelligence, carefully trained and developed."

"I do not think that men need fear that women will lose the domestic virtues by taking an interest in public questions. A good citizen is not necessarily an unsexed woman as some seem to think. A woman does not lose her domesticity by making herself a fit companion for a clever man. No intelligent man ever thought so."

"The woman who belongs to the privileged class in our grandmothers' days had every advantage of education, and were much more thorough in what they knew than the college girls of today. They were really highly educated and cultivated, and took an interest in public questions, and I do not think that the world ever saw a better race of wives and mothers or women with a greater sense of duty and principle."



LONDON, April 1.—A snapshot taken on board the newest and largest English battleship, King Edward VII, which is now at Gibraltar. The picture was taken at the moment when one of the steam launches of the battleship was in the act of being lowered into the water. This battleship is of a new type, having continuous side armour instead of casemates for the protection of the six-inch guns, and it has four nine-inch guns mounted on casemates on the upper deck in place of the six-inch guns to be found on other English battleships. It is the first battleship in the English navy which has no fighting tops.

FRENCH SYMPATHY FOR RUSSIA GROWS

Opinion Prevails it Is Country's Duty to Aid in Checking Onward March of Japan—King Alphonse Likes Kaiser

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By Paul Villiers.

PARIS, April 1.—The crushing defeat of the Russian armies at Mukden, far from robbing the czar's country of the sympathy of France, has had quite the opposite effect. Everywhere you hear it said that the time has come when it is the plain duty of France, both as an ally and friend of Russia, and as a representative of European civilization, to interfere and put an end to the onward march of Japan.

A reason for interference is easily found in the circumstances that thousands of Chinese are fighting against Russia under the colors of the rising sun. From an excellent source I am informed that the French government intends to ask the other powers of Europe, as well as the government of the United States, to call a halt before the Japanese invade Siberia.

No battle has been of so great significance as that of Mukden since the battle of Leipzig. In 1813 the battle of nations was fought; the battle of Mukden is even more than that. It is the battle of two worlds.

Everywhere in China there are ominous signs of a coming massacre of the white people in that vast empire, and any delay on the part of the civilized powers of the world to impress it upon the minds of the countless masses of China that they, and not Japan, rule the world, may have the gravest consequences.

The French government fully realizes this and is preparing to do its duty. That it will have the support of the kaiser in this is already assured, and if America and England are awake to the danger which threatens them even more than it threatens us, because their interests in the far east are greater than ours, they will lend their support also.

There are thousands of liberal minded and enlightened men in France who think that the corrupt bureaucratic government has been taught a well deserved lesson, and these same people are the ones who are now demanding that the Japanese empire be shown their place and that the world be purged of its evil.

If this is not done, it is certain that the next ten years will see a desperate fight either between America and Japan in the Philippines or between Japan and Germany, France or England on the Asiatic continent—a fight in which hundreds of thousands of Chinese drilled and organized by Japanese officers will take part on the Japanese side.

King Alphonso of Spain, for the reception of whom all Paris is now preparing, is surprising his ministers and people by the close resemblance between his character and that of the kaiser, whom he admires and imitates in everything.

There are in him the same restless, steely energy, the same obstinacy, and the same belief in his divine mission. Although still a boy in years, he is more than a man in experience and knowledge. He speaks French, English and German fluently, and no man in Spain is a closer student of social questions.

His fight with General Weyler, the Minister of War, and one of the most interesting and powerful figures in Spain, has

been full of characteristic incidents, and the young king has never missed an opportunity to teach the general, who could not pacify Cuba, a lesson. Once, when he unexpectedly visited a fortress on the frontier, the king found the glacis and casemates of the fort crowded with visitors. He lost no time in driving them out and severely reprimanding the commander. "I thought a fortress was a place for soldiers and not a public park," he said.

Among the visitors were two newspaper men, who described the incident in their papers, and the affair was investigated by the parliament, as it was stated that several visitors had taken snapshots of guns and casemates, and General Weyler, who had opened the fort to visitors, came in for severe criticism.

Another time, very early in the morning, a terrible explosion shook all Madrid, and broke several window panes in the royal palace. A powder magazine had blown up and killed several people. A few minutes after the explosion the king arrived at the place on horseback and personally took charge of the work of rescuing the injured who were buried in the ruins.

At 2 o'clock in the afternoon General Weyler, who had received an official report, went to inform the king. "Sire," he began, "it is my duty to inform your majesty of a great accident."

"Do not trouble yourself, General. I was there, as was my duty. You were not." And the great Weyler retired in confusion.

ALEXANDRA FEARS FOR ROYAL SISTER

Queen of England Worried Lest Terrorist's Threat to Kill Dowager Empress of Russia Succeeds

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Special Cable to The Telegram. BY PAUL LAMBETH.

LONDON, April 1.—Queen Alexandra has been looking almost haggard of late. Even the public have noticed how anxious and pale she looks, but they have put it down to the ceaseless nursing the queen has given her daughter, Princess Victoria, since the operation for appendicitis.

At court a very different story is told, although anxious, there was never for a moment any idea of danger in the queen's mind in regard to her daughter. It is the terrible internal situation in Russia which is ailing the queen.

She has told those around her that she cannot sleep properly for thinking of her sister, the dowager empress of Russia, who is said to be on the fatal "list" drawn up by the society which assassinated the Grand Duke Sergius. The queen has, in fact, written to her sister to beg her to leave Russia altogether, but the dowager empress is a very strong-minded woman and is the czar's most potent, some say his worst, adviser, and she has declared her intention of returning to the upper immediately after his visit to Copenhagen.

A few court officials declare that the queen will make another appeal to her sister to join her on the royal yacht Victoria and Albert and that the annual visit to the aged king of Denmark and come incognito to England.

While Prince Albert, Chica of Albania and his bride, whose wedding created a stir recently, are enjoying their honeymoon, the smart people who attended the wedding are poking fun at "the prince" and prophesying that the handsome Irish girl, Miss Dowling, who married him, may live to rue the day.

The question in fact has arisen, can Miss Dowling be Princess Albert Chica when there is another Princess Albert Chica very much alive?

The history of this so-called prince is certainly unknown to the writers in the society weeklies, who call him a pretender to the throne. In the first place, no throne exists in Albania, and as a matter of fact, Prince Albert leader of the independence party, and that much-married gentleman still hopes that he will sit upon a throne of some kind in that troubled corner of Europe.

Prince Chica's first marriage was very soon dissolved. His second bride was a cousin of a member of the Roumanian legation in London, and this marriage, according to the Roumanian legation, has never been dissolved, which accounts for the fact that the legation refused to attend the recent ceremony. Miss Dowling will therefore, remains Princess Chica only as long as the prince's claims are maintained.

There may be some weird Albanian method of obtaining a divorce without notifying the wife, but it is certain that if the society folk had known all the facts they would not have attended the third wedding of the Albanian chieftain.

There is much chucking going on over the Royal Amateur Art Society's latest exhibition—of itself. This society prohibits the most snobbish institution in London—any royal princess, duchess or titled woman who sends in her water colors, sculptures or oil paintings is made associate and her work exhibited, no matter how inferior or even ridiculous it may be.

Two accepted works mean that the exhibitor becomes an associate. The society was founded by the Hon. Mrs. Lowther, a sister-in-law of the late Prince Albert and the late Empress Frederick of Germany. At the recent exhibition a very clever and well known amateur lady artist intended to send up two exhibits; one a panel of poker work or "bubb" and the other an exquisite copy of a water color by the famous Italian artist, now dead, Cipriotti, who was one of the late Queen Victoria's pet artists. By some mistake the original, the study of a boy's head, was sent to the studio.

Mrs. Lowther, now eighty years old, and the other judges examined the water color, which they pronounced very inferior, then the exhibitor's name, which was Mrs. Lowther, and they finally rejected the work and accepted the burnt wood offering. The little mistake soon went round the clubs, and among the artistic set, and the titled judges of the R. A. A. are preserving a chilly silence.

Mr. Frederick Van Duzer's pretty daughter, Catherine, is to be married in June to Br. Bryce Miller, and the wedding will probably take place at St. Paul's, Knightsbridge.

They are a very young couple and it was some time before Mr. Van Duzer would consent to the wedding coming off this year. Mr. Miller is an Englishman, but his father resided for some time in South America. His family is wealthy.

One of the society weeklies states that Mr. Van Duzer's other daughter is engaged to be married to a young Mr. MacGregor, who curiously enough is a Scotchman whose parents also resided long in South America. This announcement is premature. Mr. MacGregor is a very young stockbroker.

Mr. Van Duzer is from Newburg, N. Y., and is an intimate friend of former Governor Odell.

It does not appear to be generally known, at any rate on this side, that the Hon. Reginald French, who has enlisted in the American army, left behind him in London a remarkably pretty Scotch wife.

This lady is in a very awkward position, and we should know how to get rid of all of you when the time comes, as it will before long.

You have invaded our country and forced your customs on us, but we have kept in cells like criminals, abused by the guards and actually starved.

Most of them are without decent clothing, having lost everything in Port Arthur, but they have received neither money or clothes from the Japanese government, except once when they were offered the magnificent sum of \$2 each, which they refused, and most of them would be destitute but for the assistance which they have received from the French consul.

"Just before I left two of them tried to escape, but were caught and thrown into a dark and damp dungeon, where they still were when I left Japan.

"Once in a while they are allowed to take a walk in the neighborhood of their prison, accompanied by guards, who do nothing to protect them from the insults of the people.

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The contest has been rather dull for the past week. No doubt this is due to the fact that contestants are holding back their votes to be sent in at the end of the next relay. Have you stopped to realize that this great contest closes now in three weeks and that possibly by a little extra, energetic work upon your part that you might win one of these grand trips. You may never have another chance to go to Colorado again, and have all your expenses paid. You had better take advantage of this one. There is only one change in the list today. Miss Mayme Moore of Brownwood, Texas, makes a gain of 10,500 votes and is now amongst the first ten with 182,000 votes to her credit. Remember, there are only six more days remaining in the third relay. If you want to win, now is the time to make your votes count. Remember, only two votes will be counted after the 8th day of April. Hustle some votes. **DO IT NOW.**

Standing of Contestants

Miss Norah Drake, Shawnee, Ok.	21,250	Miss Susie Lawrence, Wynwood, I. T.	120,000
Miss Ina Josselyn, Denison, Tex.	211,750	Miss Maude Heaton, Alva, Ok.	120,000
Miss Jessie McCracken, Beaumont, Tex.	197,000	Miss Rena Harry, Wagoner, I. T.	118,000
Miss Addie Harper, Palestine, Tex.	191,900	Miss Rea Dain, Smithville, Tex.	117,875
Miss Mammie Stuart, Bryan, Tex.	191,800	Miss Audrey LaMar, Kingfisher, Ok.	117,500
Miss Gertrude Foreman, El Reno, Ok.	190,800	Miss Madge Skelton, Muskogee, I. T.	117,250
Miss Sallie Brown, Lampasas, Tex.	187,620	Miss Joe Era Johnson, Checotah, I. T.	117,000
Miss Mayme Moore, Brownwood, Texas	182,000	Miss Clara Harris, Tulsa, I. T.	104,500
Miss Inez Moser, Ballinger, Tex.	180,650	Miss Grace Bayliss, Denton, Tex.	103,000
Miss Sallie Dowell, McKinney, Tex.	180,560	Miss Margaret Armistead, Ponca City, Ok.	100,875
Miss Flo Bramlette, Longview, Tex.	180,560	Miss Daisy Rhoden, Tecumseh, I. T.	100,875
Miss Bessie Bourne, Woodward, Ok.	177,650	Miss Edna Ghent, Geary, Ok.	100,500
Miss Ivy Helen Wallace, Perry, Ok.	174,410	Miss Nell Mingsus, Marshall, Tex.	82,875
Miss Mabel Bea Vert, Durant, I. T.	170,900	Miss Ione Coyle, Guthrie, Ok.	68,250
Miss Rose Cannon, Ennis, Tex.	167,700	Miss Mamie Miller, Hillsboro, Tex.	67,000
Miss Estelle Cryrup, Jacksonville, Texas	165,400	Miss Eugenia Burch, Amarillo, Tex.	63,000
Miss Ollie Nimock, Enid, Ok.	165,400	Miss Annie Cockrell, Terrell, Tex.	62,125
Miss Maud Gillespie, San Angelo, Texas	164,250	Miss Jessie Turner, Sallisaw, I. T.	60,000
Miss Zay Williams, Goldthwaite, Texas	158,880	Miss Ethel Wooters, Crockett, Tex.	59,500
Miss Grace Aetion, Anadarko, Okla.	156,500	Miss Clara Strader, Cushing, Ok.	56,800
Miss Nellie Ringo, Sherman, Texas	123,000	Miss Margaret Evant, Granger, Tex.	54,000
Miss Lula Burdick, Stillwater, Ok.	122,875	Miss Mabel Andrews, Coalgate, I. T.	53,125
Miss Estee McMillon, Greenville, Tex.	122,500	Miss Grace Holley, Ada, I. T.	53,000
Miss Maude Latimer, Edmond, Ok.	122,500	Miss Gertrude Urquhart, Conroe, Tex.	52,000
Miss Frankie Hodges, Mexia, Tex.	122,250		
Miss Pearl Harris, Texarkana, Tex.	120,500		

feel that the "mirror has been held up to nature." For the present starring season of White Whittlesey, his managers have selected what they consider are the three best plays of the actor's repertoire. The plays being presented by Whittlesey and his supporting company are "Heartsease," the charming romantic play in which Henry Miller made one of his greatest successes; "Soldiers of Fortune," the stirring story of South America revolution, from the pen of the distinguished writer, Richard Harding Davis, and dramatized by the famous Augustus Thomas, and "The Second in Command," the play of English military life written by Captain Robert Marshall in which John Drew scored so heavily. Whether it be in the silks and satins of the post-musical in the romance of "Heartsease" or as the brave American in the midst of revolution and turmoil in "Soldiers of Fortune," or as the whole-souled soldier of "The Second in Command," Whittlesey presents types of heroes who win the hearts, not only of women in the play, but also of his audiences. Lavish expenditure has marked the work of Whittlesey's manager for his present starring season. The scenery, costumes and stage accessories are carried for the three plays mentioned and the equipment weighs more than four tons, requiring two large baggage cars for its transportation. In every theater in which the young star is seen, the advance order given is "a clear stage" and the patrons of the Greenwall opera house are assured superb scenic productions. The company supporting Whittlesey is a specially selected one and numbers twenty-five members. A choir is also carried for the rendition of the music in "Heartsease," which forms so important a part of that play. The supporting company numbers actors and actresses selected and includes such well known names as Eugene Thals Lawton, Virginia Brissac, Alfa Perry, Edith Campbell, Hattie White and Messrs. Harry D. Byers, Reginald Mason, Carl Yoho, Taylor Curtis, Erville Anderson, G. K. Mitchell, William Abram and Earl Williams.

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North Fort Worth Townsite Company to William Boyce, lot 7, block 55, sub block 58, North Fort Worth, \$1,000.
R. C. McKissick to J. L. Norris, lot 14, block D, Glendale sub block 17, Fields-Welch addition, \$4,250.
R. Michero and wife to R. H. Hines, lot 14, block 33, Jennings' south addition, \$2,300.
J. G. Wilholt special commissioner, to M. E. Loyd, 25 acres S. Elliott, 40 acres W. R. Reader surveys, \$2,600.
W. Ross Scott to J. W. Scott, lot 561, block 22, Hyde Park addition, \$1 and other consideration.
Joe Neumegen and others to Virgie Lee Helm, lots 36 and 38, block 6, Granger's addition, \$1,250.
Mrs. V. Hackman to W. A. Carver, lot 13, block 36, Polytechnic Heights addition, \$75.
J. E. Wright and wife to Thomas M. Huff, lot 14, block G in Bellevue Hill addition, \$2,500.

AMUSEMENTS

Who White Whittlesey is, we will know better before the week's end. He is scheduled at Greenwall's opera house for Thursday matinee and night.

The matinee attraction will be Heartsease, one of the greatest romances ever staged. The evening bill is "Soldier of Fortune," new to Texas, and said to be highly dramatic. Coming as a stranger, Whittlesey has only the name of Belasco to guarantee his ability.

The same name backed Miss Florence Roberts, who won surprising success in Fort Worth less than two weeks ago. If Whittlesey does as well, he will be worth while.

WHITE WHITTLESEY

One of the most important engagements of the present season at the Greenwall opera house will be that of the young romantic actor, White Whittlesey, whose starring tour is under the direction of Belasco, Mayer & Price of the Alcazar theater, San Francisco, and who will be seen here next Thursday matinee and Thursday night in two famous plays. The superb romance, Heartsease, will be played at the matinee and "Soldiers of Fortune" is the bill for Thursday night.

Among the very few leading men of the American stage today White Whittlesey occupies a prominent position. Having imbibed his first theatrical learning from the master of stage craft, David Belasco, the young actor's career has been a notable one. He has been associated with many of the prominent actors and actresses of the stage and in the companies of Ada Rehan, Margaret Mather, Henrietta Crossman, Julia Arthur, E. H. Sothern, Wilton Lackaye and Florence Roberts, Whittlesey soon achieved an enviable record.

For the past five years Whittlesey has played under the guidance of his present managers and his annual starring appearance in San Francisco for an extended summer season is one of the events of the city of the Golden Gate.

Endowed by nature with a superb physique and keen intellect, White Whittlesey is the beau ideal of a romantic actor. He is a man who is liked by men as well as women, chiefly on account of the marked magnetism of his acting.

In witnessing a performance of Whittlesey, the audience forgets for the time being that his characterization is but a stage creation. His heroes are portrayed in such a life-like manner, that one seems to think that the stage presentation is of absolute reality. It is not until the curtain falls that Whittlesey's auditors again

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SAN ANTONIO TO HOLD CELEBRATION

Annual Spring Carnival Will Be Held Last Week in April—Observing San Jacinto as Anniversary

SAN ANTONIO, April 1.—San Antonio is to have a gala season of music, merriment, fireworks and patriotism the last week in April. To fittingly celebrate the anniversary of the Battle of San Jacinto, as well as the recent purchase by the state of the entire Alamo property, the citizens of San Antonio and the Daughters of the Republic have devised a week's program of public fetes and popular amusements to be known as the San Antonio Spring Carnival. In outline, the program is as follows:

Monday, April 24—Fantastic night pageant and masquerade on the streets in honor of King Omala. Most picturesque spectacle ever witnessed in Texas.

Tuesday, April 25—Grand civic parade, free concerts, open air amusements; fireworks and electric display at night.

Wednesday, April 26—Grand trades display, fire drill exhibition of various fire departments.

Thursday, April 27—Automobile parade in forenoon, baby carriage parade in afternoon. Grand patriotic ball at night.

Friday, April 28—Grand flower battle, celebration of Alamo purchase, including military display of all United States infantry, cavalry and artillery troops at Fort Sam Houston. Series of social functions at night.

Saturday, April 29—Patriotic exercises and brilliant fireworks display at night, the entire week's program to include dazzling street illuminations and electric displays, a profusion of high class shows, trained animal exhibitions, and free open air concerts and amusements, night and day. The railroads have given low rates from all points.

Sweden and Norway, are the only countries where practically every grown man can read and write. Bavaria comes next in this respect.

New England bakers' convention has endorsed the proposal to have an international convention at New York not later than Oct. 15 this year.

DALLAS-SABINE LINE IS FOR SALE

Southern Pacific Officials Said to Be Looking for Purchaser—Independent Firm May Buy

Special to The Telegram

HOUSTON, Texas, April 1.—As previously reported in Houston dispatches, the sale of the Dallas-Sabine division of the Texas and New Orleans railway is receiving the consideration of head Southern Pacific officials. The company desires to actually part with the line, but the finding of a purchaser for it is not as easy as disposing of a marketable horse. It is, however, to be disposed of.

The Rock Island it is said is not in the market for it and your reporter has it from authority that the road will be taken over by a private corporation and operated independently, the same as the San Antonio and Aransas Pass now is. That system occupied a similar relation to the Southern Pacific at one time that the Dallas-Sabine division now does. In other words, it was owned by it. The Southern Pacific is entirely free of any ownership in it now and it will as completely dispose of its title to the Dallas-Sabine line.

In any event Houston will lose the general offices of the line, as it will not be located upon it when the separation takes place.

The Dallas-Sabine division embraces 318 miles of road through a well diversified section. It has oil lands, timber and fruit and cotton growing territory from which to draw. Its tonnage has constantly increased and it is believed there is a bright future in store for it as an independent proposition. The segregation bill is not effective for sixty days from the time of its passage. The present plans are for disposing of the road very soon after the expiration of that period. The company which will take it over will have its headquarters at Dallas and will go in for local business with a vim. Enough of it can be originated to make the property a paying one, it is asserted. While the line has fine water terminals at Sabine Pass and Port Arthur, the number of vessels out of these ports have never been sufficient and a bid for a better marine service will be made. In this the Gulf and Interstate and the Kansas City Southern will figure and the combined pressure will doubtless give more vessels to these excellent harbors.



CORBETT'S GOSSIP

BY JAS. J. CORBETT. (Copyright, 1905, by Newspaper Enterprise Association.)

JIMMIE BRITT, LOBBYIST
It was Jimmie Britt that sealed the doom of the obnoxious Ralston bill in the state legislature at Sacramento.

The country members of the California lawmaking body had horrible visions of prize fighters. Some of them had never seen a ring exponent, but they had their minds made up on his looks and appearance.

He was a dog-faced, lop-eared, broken-nosed mortal, who had scars on his face thicker than bees in a hive. He couldn't speak English and wasn't capable of shaking hands with a gentleman.

Just before time for the bill to come up for the final vote, who should drop into Sacramento but Britt. If you have never seen the world's lightweight champion, then you cannot appreciate this. He is one of the smoothest looking chaps that ever tread in a piece of patent leather.

You can imagine the surprise when Jim introduced himself and began handing out that flow of lingo that only he is capable of when he wants to be agreeable.

To top it all off Britt invited the members of the legislature to a banquet and made a speech that revolutionized their idea of champion fighters. He told them of the manly art, what it had done for him and how it instilled courage in youth.

Jim made up; how it was the greatest inducement to prevent men carrying firearms, and how if the parent had the child instructed in the game there would be fewer men traveling about in male attire, who have contracted feminine habits because they played croquet rather than take to the more strenuous sport. Then the lawmakers got busy and killed the anti-fight bill.

JIM CORBETT'S COMPANY
One of the funniest things that happened to me during my short stay at the top of the heavy-light division occurred after the memorable trip to England un-

der the management of William A. Brady. On my return Brady had arranged a great tour for me and had some immense posters printed. There was a group of English notables, including the late Queen Victoria, Prince of Wales and others. In the center Brady had me standing shaking hands with them. It was to show the popularity of American's champion in England.

The truth of the matter was that no such reception had ever been tendered me. One day as I was passing a big fence, decorated with one of the posters, I stopped, more to wonder at the greatness of Brady as an advertiser than anything else. Looking at the picture at the same time was a group of York state farmers.

"So that be Jim Corbett in the center be it? Well, I wonder how he can afford to carry such a big company with him," said one of the crowd.

No one recognized me and I walked away laughing to myself over the effect of Brady's enterprise.

NELSON TALLEST LIGHTWEIGHT
Two of the great advantages Battling Nelson has over opponents is reach and height. This will sound funny to some readers, but it is true nevertheless.

Nelson stands today, in his fighting shoes, five feet seven and one-half inches, which makes him the tallest man among the claimants for lightweight honors. Joe Gans is five feet seven inches tall, while Jimmy Britt is a little over five feet six inches.

What would probably prove the greatest of lightweight battles would be a fight between Gans and Nelson. They are both built on the same order and have many of the same ring characteristics.

NOT "LIKE FATHER, LIKE SON"
The sons of prize fighters seldom make good in the ring. They don't make very good argument for the adherents of the hereditary theory. A short time ago a son of the late Jake Kilrain made his de-

but as a professional. He met a young fellow named Connelly. I have since tried to find out if the latter is the son of the lamented "One-eyed" James who always managed to sit up something. Anyway Kilrain won. This is the first time I have ever heard of a son of a great fighter making good.

Harry Gilmore, the veteran Chicago instructor, and one time lightweight champion, has a son who had ring aspirations, but never amounted to anything in the squared circle. He has made good, however, as a newspaper writer.

The Gardner family was also an exception to the rule and both father and sons made good. The father, George, Jim, Pat and Billy was at one time a top-notch in Ireland and the sons have surely made good in this country. Jimmy Gardner's explanation of how he learned the game is as follows:

"My old dad taught all of us fellows. He is 70 now and it would open your eyes to see him with the gloves on. He can put it all over George and I at times.

All the fine points of the game and the good punches were shown to me by my father. All he has to do is sit down and watch a man fight and he will tell you what style of an opponent is required to defeat him.

"Why these days an old man in the world of my dad's age that has got a chance with him. He is surely the Jeffrey of the old 'uns and just as invincible."

A TRIBUTE TO CHOYNSKI
A friend of Joe Choynski whom I met in Philadelphia recently received word from the great California fighter, saying that he had retired from the ring. Choynski leaves the squared circle with many friends. The recollections of his battles are fresh in the mind of every fan and fighter in this country, or I might say, the world, for where is the shore on which Joe has not set foot? Anyone that ever lost on the big blond Californian always had the satisfaction of knowing that he got a run for his money, and lost it simply because Joe couldn't whip his opponent. It was Joe who came nearest to getting the scalp of Jeffries.

IN THE OLD DAYS AND NOW
It is a case of get the money in the fighting days of the present. Not by placing large side bets, as was the custom a decade ago, but via the gate. The champion must have the long end now or there will be no fight. Britt has had the best of the argument in every battle since he got to the top. If he doesn't get the long end of the receipts, win, lose or draw, he will not sign a contract.

In the old days the gate was always the secondary consideration. It was the side bet that came first. To wager \$10,000 was an ordinary occurrence. Think of such a thing today! Why, a fighter often doesn't so much as bet a dinner on himself.

But they surely get the money just the same. When I secured a match with Sullivan the first thing he wanted to know was whether I could put up a \$10,000 bet. Nowadays a fight is often pulled off and not a thing is said of a bet in the contract. Not a single agreement I ever made for a fight, before I landed the championship, was without the side bet proviso.

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LONDON, April 1.—The latest picture of Earl Selborne, who recently resigned from the post of First Lord of the Admiralty, to become high commissioner of South Africa.

THE TELEGRAM'S DAILY FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL REPORT

WALL STREET TONE FIRM

Interest in Saturday Trading Centered Largely in Industrial and Miscellaneous Stocks

NEW YORK, April 1.—The stock market this morning showed a generally firm tone, with the dealings in respect to activity on about the same corresponding scale that prevailed yesterday.

The total number of shares sold on the stock exchange today was 420,200, against 316,889 the same day last year.

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS (By Private Wire to M. H. Thomas & Co.) NEW YORK, April 1.—Stock opened and closed as follows on the Stock market:

COTTON

LIVERPOOL COTTON (By Private Wire to M. H. Thomas & Co.) LIVERPOOL, April 1.—The spot cotton market was steady.

Futures ranged in price as follows: Open. High. Low. Close. January-February 4.22 4.20

NEW YORK FUTURES (By Private Wire to M. H. Thomas & Co.) NEW YORK, April 1.—The market in cotton futures was quoted steady today.

NEW YORK SPOTS (By Private Wire to M. H. Thomas & Co.) NEW YORK, April 1.—The spot cotton market was steady today.

NEW ORLEANS FUTURES (By Private Wire to M. H. Thomas & Co.) NEW ORLEANS, La., April 1.—The market in cotton futures was quoted steady today.

NEW ORLEANS SPOTS (By Private Wire to M. H. Thomas & Co.) NEW ORLEANS, La., April 1.—The spot cotton market was steady today.

PORT RECEIPTS

Table with columns for Port, Receipts, and other metrics. Includes Galveston, New Orleans, Mobile, Savannah, Charleston, Norfolk, Memphis, Houston.

ESTIMATED TOMORROW

Table with columns for Port, Estimated Receipts, and other metrics. Includes New Orleans, Galveston, Houston.

WHEAT MARKET LOWER

Weather Gives Market Weak Opening, Strengthening Bearish Feeling, Corn Shows Strength

By M. H. Thomas & Company. CHICAGO, April 1.—Wheat unchanged to 3-8 lower. Broomhill estimates the world's shipments at 8,600,000.

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS (Continued) Missouri Pacific 107 105 1/2, Union Pacific 130 1/2 130 1/2, Texas and Pacific 38 1/2 38 1/2.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

CHICAGO, Ill., April 1.—The grain and provision markets ranged in prices today as follows: Wheat—Open, High, Low, Close.

ST. LOUIS CASH GRAIN

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THE LIVE STOCK MARKET

Cattle Run Light, Prices Ruling Steady, Hog Quality Only Fair

WEEK'S LIVE STOCK REVIEW. A feature of the Fort Worth market that should not be overlooked in its treatment of its weekly course, is the presence of buyers here for the Cudahy and Dold packing companies of Kansas City and Omaha.

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MARKETS ELSEWHERE

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK. CHICAGO, April 1.—Cattle—Receipts, 200; market steady and unchanged.

KANSAS CITY LIVE STOCK. KANSAS CITY, April 1.—Cattle—Receipts, 100; market steady.

ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK. ST. LOUIS, April 1.—Cattle—Receipts, 50; market steady.

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FOUND, at Monnig's, the best pair of Men's Shoes for \$3.50. It's Best! Royal Blue. Tell us what you want. We have it. If you want to sell your property we have buyers for it. Try us and you won't regret it.

JOHN BURKE & CO., Fire Insurance and Real Estate, 109 East Fourth St.

THE EARTH IS STILL FOR SALE

605 Main st. Phone 3890 for Particulars.

THEY are in a position to sell you anything from a cheap vacant lot to a ranch of 200,000 acres, in any quantity, at any price, and at terms to suit everyone. Below are a few of their bargains:

NICE residence lots, in the bonton part of the city, at from \$25 up.

NEW 6-room cottage, corner lot, 55x100, close to school and car line, \$1,700. This is a snap.

7x100. Price addition, \$50.

NEW 5-room cottage on May street, with 50x100 lot, shade trees, iron fence, bath room, modern in every respect. Price for a few days, \$2,000.

LOT 48 1/2 x 103 1/2, 3-room house, on Galveston avenue, \$800.

50x100 on North Royal avenue, 2 houses, renting for \$15; price \$50; \$100 cash, balance monthly.

5-ROOM house on Florence street; price \$1,150.

SEVERAL good 2-story houses close to business part of the city, suitable for rooming or boarding houses, at from \$3,000 to \$7,000, at terms to suit.

7-ROOM house, lot 75x125, in Glenwood, close to car line; price \$1,200, or will trade for acreage property close to city.

GOOD 6-room house on Jennings avenue, \$1,800.

50x100 lot on Hemphill st., \$400.

ONE of the best houses in Handley, overlooking the pavilion, with large rooms, 5-room, well built house, with large rooms. Price \$1,800.

SOME fine residences on Summit avenue, Lamar street, Penn avenue, Cannon avenue and other choice locations. Some bargains in business property that will pay 800 per cent.

FARMS and acreage property in tracts of from 5 acres up. Call and see our list and note the bargains we have to offer. RANCH lands in any quantity, from \$1 per acre up. Several good pastures to lease or will take stock by the head. It is impossible for us to give you a full list, but will ask you to call and see for yourself. No trouble to show property. Have several stocks of goods to offer in trade with city property, farms and western land. Don't forget the number—605 Main st.

CHAS. F. SPENCER

REAL ESTATE AND RENTALS
513 Main Street Phone 840

SEE Warren & Woodson for farms or ranches anywhere, any size, any price, any terms. Office 611 Main street. Warren & Woodson.

FOR REAL ESTATE in North Fort Worth see owner, North Fort Worth Townsite Company, either phone 1236.

WILL SELL or trade lots on Rosen Heights for horse or horse and buggy. Abe Mehl. 1211 Main st.

LIVE WIRE EXCHANGE PROPOSITIONS—City property free from debt and otherwise to trade for ranches and farms. Merchandise, ranches, farms, alfalfa propositions, city property, anything you want for sale, an exchange. E. T. Odum & Company, 513 Main street, both phones.

FOR SALE—Four blocks from Main st., corner room, east front, on south side, east front; rents at \$40 per month; price \$3,500. S. D. Sandel, 311 Main street.

4-ROOM house, close in, one block of car, lot 50x100, east front, on south side, barns, chicken house and hot house; price \$650. See it.

ONE of the prettiest new houses on south side, one block car, 5 rooms, 32 feet of hall, bath, barn, flowers, etc., east front, corner. See this corner lot, east side, 100x100; price \$750.

5-ROOM house on graded and gravelled street, \$900.

25x90-FOOT new brick building, rents for \$100 per month, \$5,500 buys it. WE can buy you for small cash payment, balance monthly, anything you want.

CORNER lot, close in, on Taylor street, three blocks of Main, \$650; buy this one quickly.

CALL or phone Haggard & Duff, or Fred Michaels for these or any others you want. HAGGARD & DUFF, Phones 840. 513 Main St.

POLYTECHNIC HEIGHTS—Lots for sale; fifteen acres of land near Handley for sale or will exchange for city property. J. H. Price, Fourteenth and Main streets.

FOR SALE—Five-room house, barn, shade trees, nice lawn, corner lot 100x100, \$1,800. 1222 Wetherbee street, corner Mead. Also 5 acres unimproved land three-fourths mile north of stop 6 on Interurban. Must leave city.

STARLING & HOLLINGSWORTH—Real Estate and Rentals, Accident and Health Insurance, 605 Main, phone 489.

FOR Interurban property, see us. Tell us your farm troubles, it matters not what you want, or where you want it, we can please you. We want you to list your property with us, for we have several ready customers for homes in different parts of the city, and it may be yours that will suit them. See us at Hollingsworth, 605 Main. Phone 489.

SITUATIONS WANTED

THE ONLY COFFEE (today and forever) Royal Liquid Coffee. (Delicious).

FIRST-CLASS young man stenographer desires position; moderate salary. Address Steno, care Telegram.

ATTRACTIVE and very wealthy maiden, alone, wants without delay kind, honest husband. Address, Jess Lee, A11, 54 Washington street, Chicago.

WANTED—Position with real estate or insurance company, by experienced office and real estate man; bookkeeper; AI references. Address, H. S., care Telegram.

STENOGRAPHER—A young lady of experience wishes position as stenographer in city. Phone 2322.

SALESMEN WANTED

THE MOST EXQUISITE COFFEE ever known—Royal Liquid. (Healthful).

TRAVELING salesman for Texas territory, staple line with entirely new and unusual inducements to the trade; high commissions with expense advances mfr., Box 524, Detroit, Mich.

SALESMAN WANTED Experience man to make Fort Worth and Dallas. Sell to grocery trade. Address Box 474 Fort Worth.

WANTED—First-class salesman. One salesman's commission amounted to over \$1,200 in six weeks from Feb. 6 to March 18, 1905. Address A. T. Swenson, Manager, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

TRAVELING SALESMEN—By large wholesale house for Texas, to sell strong line staples to general stores. State experience. Drawer "S," Chicago.

"I FEEL LIKE A MILLIONAIRE," writes one agent. New Demand. Quick sales. Farmers' Account Book Co., Newton, Iowa.

TRAVELING salesman wanted to work country grocery trade. Salary and expenses. Los Angeles Cider Co., St. Louis, Mo.

REFRIGERATOR

DO YOU NEED a refrigerator or ice box? Can show you that mine are better than any bought from a dealer. Something out of the ordinary than those thrown together at a factory. Made to order. Let us figure with you. G. H. Brooks, 513 Rusk street.

ALL kinds of fine shirts made to order. 711 Main street, upstairs. Mrs. Fred Nuckolls.

WANTED—500 overcoats. Will lend money on them or buy them. Simon Loan office, 1503 Main.

WE DO cleaning, dyeing, pressing and repairing; work guaranteed; called for and delivered. Phones 1476 green (new) and 3944 (old). Mrs. M. L. Bradley, 209 East Fifteenth street.

RANGES, COOK STOVES and gas-line stoves sold for cash or easy payments at Hugh H. Lewis', 806 Houston street.

FURNITURE WANTED
NECTAR OF THE GODS; only 1 cent a cup—Royal Liquid Coffee.

WE have on hand a nice line of new furniture and matings to trade you for your old furniture. FURNITURE EXCHANGE. New phone 772. Old 1954-2r. 306 Houston street.

ALEX SAYS
THE BEST OLD-TIME LIQUOR to drink. Rich and pure—Royal Liquid.

EVEN if you are not in love send the young lady a basket of fruit.

The Student's Eyes

Every now and then we hear of some brilliant young fellow blighted in his career because his eyes gave out. Parents should see to it that before permitting their children to take up any prolonged course of study the eyes are in condition to stand the strain, and the surest way to determine this is to have them examined by a competent eye specialist, so that if glasses are needed, they are worn before it is too late.

LORD, 713 Main

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

THE ONLY COFFEE recommended by prominent physicians—Royal Liquid.

PAYS DIVIDENDS
THE MEDINA GOLD MINING CO., University Block, Syracuse, New York, has just sent out its monthly dividend checks to its 523 shareholders in payment of regular dividend (27) and extra dividend (9) being at the rate of 12 per cent per annum. Write for prospectus and illustrated brochure.

MONEY TO LOAN
AN ABSOLUTELY pure Coffee; not a tasteless substitute—Royal Liquid.

DO YOU WANT a little money weekly or monthly payments on your salary? Empire Loan Co., 1212 Main street.

MONEY to loan on good securities. Time to suit borrower. Flood-Epex Loan and Trust Co., 909 Houston st.

BUSINESS CHANCES
EVERY DAY ALIKE. A child can make it. Royal Liquid Coffee.

ESTABLISHED manufacturing concern of Fort Worth increasing capital, wants four young men to buy stock and take active part in business. Only those meaning business need answer. Address, Manufacturer, P. O. box 64, Fort Worth.

UMBRELLAS

WANTED—1,000 umbrellas to recover and repair. Corner Second and Main streets. Chas. Bagget.

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THE Famous SOLE STORE, FORT WORTH, TEXAS

TRUE FITTING SHOES.

A New Way To Memphis

AND THE SOUTHEAST



To RANDOLPH and then ROCK ISLAND.

Leave Fort Worth 10:50 a. m., arrive Memphis 8:00 a. m. next morning. It's every day with the best of service.

C. W. STRAIN, G. P. A., Fort Worth, Tex.

Bank Statement Favorable

NEW YORK, April 1.—The bank statement was unexpectedly favorable. This practically applies to all items and with a good increase in surplus reserves against yesterday's general predictions that a loss would be reported in this item.

In view of the big subscriptions for the Japanese bonds the loan account may be said to be larger than reported under the misleading average system used in compiling these weekly bank exhibits.

LEAD MERGER DENIED

NEW YORK, April 1.—President Cole of the National Lead Company said today that the report that the proposed lead mergers had been consummated was unauthorized.

TRY IT NOW

In the Spring—when the system is full of winter impurities, that must be got rid of, you ought to take the Bitters. Something else won't do the work so quickly nor so well.



WIZARD MARCONI ON HIS HONEYMOON

Arrives in New York With Bride—Not Ready to Cross Ocean With Wireless

NEW YORK, April 1.—Decorated with the new title of chevalier, Marconi, of wireless telegraph fame, arrived here today on his honeymoon trip in the Cunarder Campania, and announced that he had discovered that several changes in the material of his stations would be necessary before he could send wireless messages across the ocean.

Mrs. Marconi is a tall, Irish beauty. This is her first visit to America. She said that she had been looking forward for years to the pleasure of a visit to the United States, although she has no relatives here.

"I have never been out of England before," she said, "but I have heard so much of America, that I feel as if I know it thoroughly."

Marconi said that he expected to remain here less than six weeks. "I intend to return home in the Campania and on the way back I will experiment with a new magnetic detector, which is to record 100 words a minute."

Somebody called the inventor's attention to the fact that five years ago he said that he expected to send messages across the Atlantic within a short time. The chevalier clearly disliked the reminder, for he said: "Oh well, we all make mistakes, and I can promise nothing to anybody. I expect, however, to be talking with wireless around the world within two years. As soon as my station at Piasa is properly equipped messages will be sent to the Argentine Republic from Italy and thence to Australia."

UNIVERSITY NOTES

On Tuesday evening, April 4, the Glee club will assist the Euterpeans at their open session at the tabernacle. Professor Pease will sing.

The ult program given Friday night was: Reading, Armistice; essay, Moore; debate on "Restriction of Immigration," affirmative, Kilmore and Foreman; negative, Starley and Lassen; quiz, Kimble; reading, Huffman; bumper, Scarborough; extemporaneous speech, Horn; paper on "Strenuous Duty," essay, Woodruff.

The Orophilian Literary Friday evening gave a program as follows: Piano duet, Misses Hall and Fry; paper on "Music," Miss Gillespie; solo, "Son of the Desert," Mr. Pease; reading, Miss Owens; duet, "I Live and Love Thee," Miss Ethel; Fry and Mr. Pease; song, Miss Keenan. The meeting was then devoted to the Osborn debaters. Highsmith and Charbonneau sustained the advisability of an educational voting qualification against Balch and Smith.

For next week the program will be: Essay, Foreman; debate, "Water Is More Destructive Than Fire," affirmative, Kimble and Horn, negative, Woodruff and Scarborough; "Compressed Air," Stanley; speech, Huffman; bumper, Moore; quiz, burus.

JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER COLLECTING BIRDS

All Species Represented on His 50,000-Acre Estate Near New York

NEW YORK, April 1.—John D. Rockefeller has brought a fine collection of birds from all sections of the world to his 50,000-acre estate at Honeantico Hills, Westchester county, while a number of wild animals have their lairs there, including foxes, wild cats and deer.

CAUSE OF FREIGHT WRECK

Three Trainmen Injured in a Collision Occurring Near San Antonio

SAAN ANTONIO, Texas, April 1.—During a heavy windstorm early this morning two freight trains on the Southern Pacific collided head on at Cline, a few miles west of here, and four men were injured. One of the men, a brakeman, was fractured and his face lacerated. Engineer W. Taylor and Fireman Richard T. Daniels were slightly injured. The headlight of the eastbound train was blown out by the wind. The train had orders to take a siding to let the westbound train pass, but in the darkness missed the switch and ran into the main line, where the westbound train collided with it. Both trains were going slow at the time. The injured men were brought here and taken to their homes.

CZAR FEARS TO BRING ARMY HOME

Openly Asserted It Would Prove More of Menace Than Aid in Present Service

(Copyright, 1905, by W. R. Hearst.) Special Cable to The Telegram. BY GEORGE FRAZIER. ST. PETERSBURG, April 1.—Internal conditions in Russia, it is thought, will be worse than the war. The assassination of Police Commissioner Scharolovoz at Lodz, in Poland, by a bomb thrown at him in the street, is simply typical of the condition throughout the empire. The peasant uprisings and the strikes which are spreading in all industrial centers throughout the empire are seriously hampering business and efforts of the government to send reinforcements to the Manchurian army. Both by their interference with the mobilization plans and the necessity for retaining troops which might otherwise be available, for service against the Japanese, to deal with the rebellious element at home. There is not only no sign of a cessation of the internal spreading of districts heretofore unaffected. It is no exaggeration to say that the internal conditions are giving the government more serious concern than the war situation in Manchuria. In some circles it is openly stated that one reason why the czar is determined to continue the war in the Far East is his fear that the Manchurian army if brought home would prove more of a menace to the government than it would help in suppressing the disorders. While news from Manchuria is meager, all that comes through indicates that another great battle soon is to be fought below Harbin. I am informed that General Linevitch in his latest reports expresses the strong hope that he will be able to gain any forces that the Japanese are able to bring against him and that he will be able to foil any attempt to cut his line of communication at Harbin. Army officers hope that this is true, but they have no very strong convictions on this point.

AUSTIN TO HAVE A SEVEN-STORY BUILDING

Plans Provide for Location at Corner of Eighth Street and Congress Avenue. Work to Start Soon

AUSTIN, Texas, April 1.—Work on the proposed seven-story office building which is to be erected in Austin will begin within a very short time. The promoters for this up-to-date structure have not as yet completed their plans. According to the present plans, the building is to be situated at the corner of Eighth street and Congress avenue, and will have a frontage of seventy feet on Congress avenue, and will run back 100 feet on Congress avenue. The property has already been purchased by the promoters of the enterprise.

ALFRED VANDERBILT HELD UNDER \$500 BAIL

Charged With Driving His Automobile Above the Speed Limit in Precincts of Harlem

NEW YORK, April 1.—Jostled by a crowd of "drunks and disorderly" in the Harlem police court this morning, Alfred G. Vanderbilt, whose fortune is estimated at \$80,000,000, was held in \$500 bond for trial by a court of special session on a charge of violating speed laws.

Mr. Vanderbilt had evidently believed that he would be fined a small amount, and the incident would be at once closed and when Magistrate Baker said that he would be obliged to stand trial he paled perceptibly.

LITTLE BOY BLUE His Mother Blows His Horn

A lady living in Illinois writes about food to a friend whose little girl has a delicate stomach, and we are privileged to quote from her letter:

"The best way to advise you in little Bessie's case, I feel, to tell you what I did for my little Boy Blue. He was, like your daughter, very fond of white bread, potatoes and the usual food of the everyday table. His appetite seemed good and he ate freely, but, like little Bessie, he didn't seem to get the proper amount of nourishment out of his food, was puny in body and lacking strength, was peevish and half sick most of the time. I was very much worried about him, because I couldn't find the right sort of food for him—the ordinary breakfast foods didn't seem to answer. At last, a few months ago, I determined to try Grape-Nuts. I confess I was almost in despair, and had but little hope that it would prove better than the other prepared foods. "The result was most surprising. Boy Blue took to the Grape-Nuts food and it did him good from the beginning. He has gained strength in weight, strength and good spirits, and he takes on a complexion like a wild rose. His eyes fairly dance with health and happiness—his peevishness is all gone. "Then husband and I both began to eat Grape-Nuts food, and with the best of results. He finds it especially beneficial as a brain food. You know that one with his sedentary habits needs something specially adapted to such conditions—much nourishment in small bulk. He finds it in Grape-Nuts food, and he says he does better work since he began to eat it than ever before. "Give your baby Grape-Nuts and I'll guarantee the results." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. "There's a reason." Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in each package.

LIGHT VOTE IS POLLED

Bad Weather and Small Interest Cause Little Voting in Stock Law Election

But a light vote was polled in this city and vicinity in the stock law election held Saturday, the bad weather and little interest in the matter combining to cause the casting of few ballots.

Those cast, however, show the measure to have carried by a small majority in this city, Glenwood and North Fort Worth.

A light vote was also polled throughout the county, the election being held regarding a question already settled by previous election and the one held yesterday being necessary merely to validate the former law, which was passed under a defective election call.

The law prohibits the running at large of all kinds of live stock, such as horses, mules, cattle, jacks, jennets, etc.

IMMIGRATION AGENT COMING TO TEXAS

United States Commissioner General of Immigration Will Visit Principal Cities of State

Special to The Telegram. HOUSTON, Texas, April 1.—It is expected that Frank P. Sergeant, commissioner general of immigration of the United States, will visit Texas the latter part of the month for the purpose of inspecting opportunities to warrant the diversion of desirable immigrants to this state. He will visit a number of the larger cities of the state under escort of a special committee. The special committee to show Mr. Sergeant about will meet in Houston next week and it is hoped to have definite information from him at that time as to the exact date of his coming.

COMMISSION FIRM OPENS FOR BUSINESS

Godair-Crowley Company Chartered at Austin Has Large Number of Local Incorporators

A new live stock commission company with a capital stock of \$50,000 and several prominent local men as incorporators has opened up offices in the Exchange building at North Fort Worth.

YOUNG MAN DROWNS IN HOWERTON LAKE

Fell Into Water While Fishing and Companion's Effort to Save Him Failed

ARILENE, Texas, April 1.—Henry Briggs, aged 20, while fishing in Howerton lake, two miles east of Arilene, today, fell in the water. His companion, Frank Stephenson, pulled him out and went for help. A physician was called but Briggs died, supposedly from drowning.

WACO GIRL IS NAMED SPONSOR

Miss Edna Mills Honored by Texas Division U. C. V. for Louisville Convention

WACO, Texas, April 1.—Miss Edna Mills of Waco has received and accepted the appointment of sponsor of the Texas division United Sons of Confederate Veterans for the annual reunion to be held in Louisville, Ky., from the 14th to the 16th of June of the present year. The tender was made to Miss Mills by General W. P. McLane of Fort Worth the commander of the Texas division. Sons of Confederate Veterans. General Lane's letter was received several days ago and Miss Mills wrote her reply today.

"BALDY" RYAN BACK IN BETTING RING

Famous Turfman Seen at Bennings for the First Time Since Last Summer

WASHINGTON, April 1.—By far the largest and most fashionable assemblage which ever graced the Bennings course enjoyed splendid racing here today. Perhaps the most prominent and picturesque individual in the vast throng of 8,000 persons was the redoubtable John J. Ryan. Ryan came to hand early in the afternoon from Cincinnati, where he is concerned in some real estate ventures and before long the horse playing fraternity generally came to know the once mighty speculator had foregone his resolution of spending the winter in the city of the sporting world his intention as never again entering the arena of race track gambling. However, Ryan was back in the betting ring again today and as thick in the fray as ever before.

OUR \$2.00 SUIT

Are constructed from the best fabrics and in picked and fashionable patterns, and wear-withstanding. Prices from \$6.00 and upwards.

OUR BOYS' KNEE PANT SUITS

Are made by specialists who devote their whole time to dressing the youngsters better than others do. We show a very large variety of styles and qualities, from \$2.00 a suit upward.

MENS SPRING CLOTHING FOR 1905

There is something in it for you. We show the season's best. Our prices are the lowest for the values. We are expecting you to call and look through. Per suit, \$6.00 to \$25.00

FINE UP-TO-DATE FOOTWEAR

WE SHOW THE SEASON'S NEWEST. Ladies Fine Oxfords and Strap Slippers, just received. The "Fad" Ladies' Patent Leather Tan Oxfords, with wide ribbon tie, extremely dressy; Monday, pair... \$3.50

MONNIG'S 1302, 1304, 1306 MAIN STREET Monday Specials

Ladies' White China Silk Waists, with thirteen tucks down front and four in back; full sleeve; a very choice garment, worth \$2.75; Monday, each... \$1.98

White Dotted Swiss Waists, either all white or in colored dots—pink, blue or black; very neat and pretty in designs and construction, worth \$1.50; Monday... 99¢

Special Millinery Display of the Season



An extensive showing of new Ready-to-wear Hats and Ready-to-trim Hats. Jaunty styles, in all the new Turban and other shapes in demand; many fetching creations for street wear, also many Sailors. Lots of Flowers and Foliage. All the new things for 1905. Any order entrusted to this department will be artistically executed to your entire satisfaction. We save you a big percentage in millinery purchases.

Our Hosiery Specials Are the Best Today

Children's Tan Hose, 5 1/2 to 9-inch; Monday, pair... 9¢

For Neatness and Daintiness

Buy a suit for Mrs. Jane Hopkins' Boy-Proof Clothes. The cost is little. They are proof against the knocks and shocks, the bumps and thumps to which every boy subjects his clothes.



Our Youths' Suits

Are constructed from the best fabrics and in picked and fashionable patterns, and wear-withstanding. Prices from \$6.00 and upwards.

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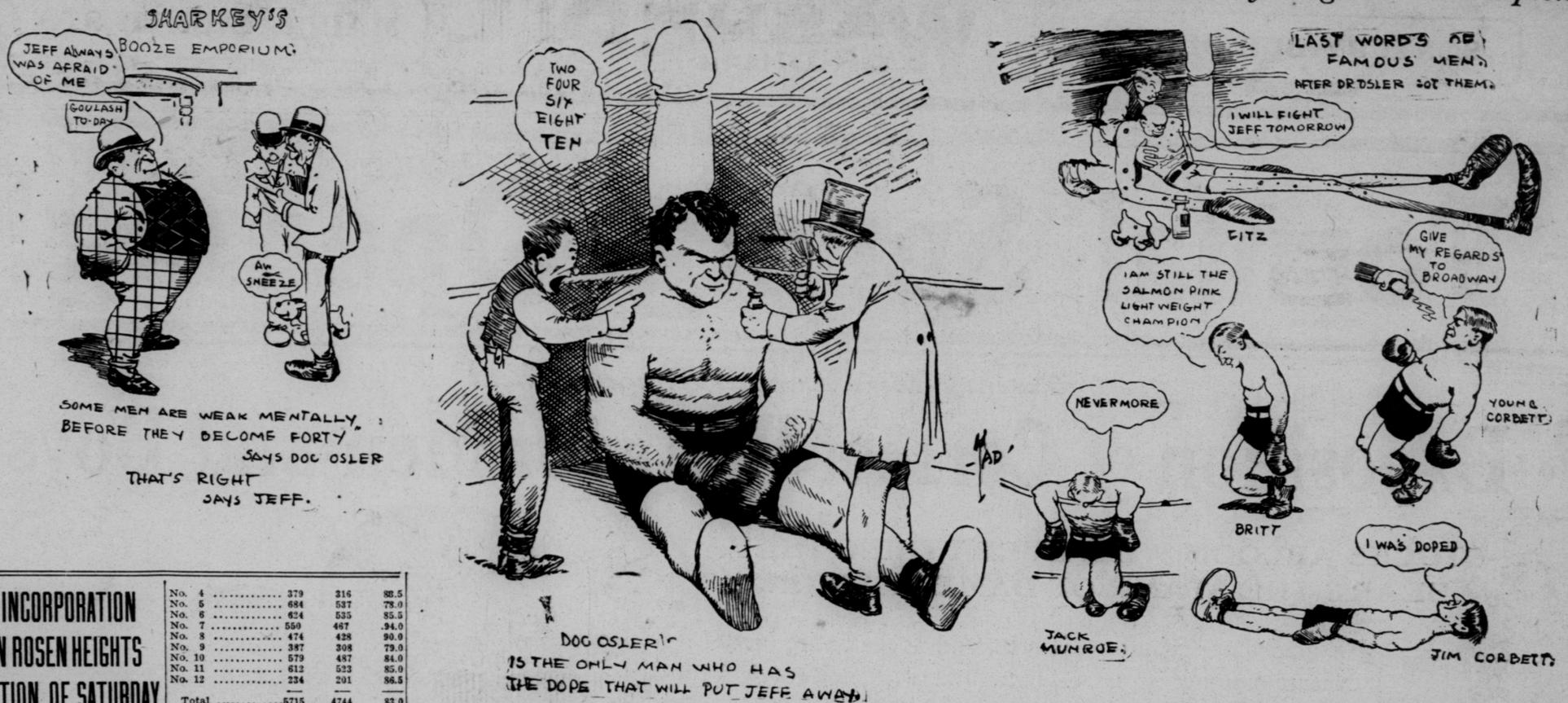
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All the latest styles in champagne color; Monday, pair... \$3.00

Misses Footwear, with wide ribbon ties, sizes 2 1/2 to 6, in black or tan; Monday, pair... \$2.00

Cartoonist Tad Shows What is Liable to Occur When the Oslter Theory Strikes Ranks of Pugilistic Champions



SCHOOL INCORPORATION WINS IN ROSEN HEIGHTS ELECTION OF SATURDAY

Citizens Decide by Vote of 28 to 4 to Form a Separate School District

TRUSTEES ARE ELECTED

By a vote of 28 to 4 Rosen Heights has been incorporated in a special school district as a result of the election for that purpose held Saturday. The light vote is attributed to the inclement weather.

Table with 3 columns: No., Total, and percentage. Lists election results for districts 4 through 12.

Table with 3 columns: No., Total, and percentage. Lists weekly attendance report for various schools.

WOODMEN, ATTENTION You are requested to meet at 1200 Galveston avenue at 1:15 p. m. today to attend the funeral of Sovereign J. H. Brantley.

W. H. LENNON, Consul Commanding. J. A. TODD, Clerk.

March Weather An accumulated excess of precipitation since Jan. 1 of 1.22 inches with an excess of .96 for March is shown in the weather bureau report for the month past.

Texas Pioneers to Meet AUSTIN, Texas, April 1.—T. L. Stanfield of Terrell, president of the State Association of Native Texas Pioneers of the Republic of Texas, today issued a statement that the next annual meeting of the association will be held in Houston on April 21.

WEEKLY SCHOOL REPORT

Table with 3 columns: Buildings, En-rollment, and Per. Cent. of Those Enrolled Have Been Retained. Lists data for districts 1, 2, and 3.

COMPLAINTS OF BAD STREETS HAVE NOT YET BROUGHT RELIEF

Magnolia Avenue Continues to Be Almost Impassable in Many Places After Heavy Rains — Other Thoroughfares Need Attention



This picture taken for The Telegram shows why Magnolia avenue residents are complaining of bad streets. The culvert under the street car tracks is expected to drain an area of several blocks, but fails to do so.

Heavy showers Friday night and Saturday have further mired Magnolia avenue between St. Louis and Galveston avenues, the condition of which has been made a subject of petition to the city council by residents in that neighborhood.

The petition regarding the street was referred to the street and alley committee by city council with power to act, but as yet no work has been done to improve the conditions.

Cotton Rates Not Fixed AUSTIN, Texas, April 1.—The railroad commission has not as yet reached a decision on the proposition to reduce cotton rates. It is expected the commission will take up and decide the matter the coming week.

PACKERS DEMAND IMMEDIATE TRIAL

Action Believed to Be Taken in Order to Force Government to Show Its Hand

CHICAGO, Ill., April 1.—Following their plan of rushing the trial of Thomas J. Conners, the Armour manager who is under indictment on a charge of tampering with witnesses, attorneys Alfred R. Union and John S. Miller today served notice on district Attorney Morrison that Conners would appear before Judge Kehesaw M. Landis in the United States court Monday morning and ask for an immediate hearing.

ference with them and to watch the witnesses. Rushing through the examinations of witnesses, two of whom were women, with great haste the Federal grand jury investigation of the beef trust adjourned at noon today to meet again Wednesday.

TRADE IN TEACHERS' QUESTIONS WAS BRISK

Superintendent of Public Instruction Says Fraud Was More Extensive Than He Supposed BEAUMONT, Texas, April 1.—R. B. Cousins, superintendent of public instruction, said tonight relative to the charge that examination questions and answers had been bought and sold throughout the state, that the practice had been far more extensive than he supposed.

POPE SENDS BLESSING TO AMERICANS FOR EASTER Special Cable, Copyrighted by W. R. Hearst, 1905. ROME, April 1.—Your correspondent visited the Vatican and requested a blessing to be sent by the Pope to American newspaper readers.

SHERMAN READY TO GREET PRESIDENT

SHERMAN, Texas, April 1.—The committee of arrangements for President Roosevelt's reception and entertainment has prepared an elaborate program for the occasion, which promises to be one of the most auspicious in the city's history.

Varsity Defeats Leaguers

AUSTIN, Texas, April 1.—The University of Texas defeated the Texas league team this afternoon at University Athletic Field by a score of 2 to 1. The game had to be called at the end of the sixth inning on account of rain.

MRS. DUKE HAS SHE HAS LOST STOCK

Denies Robbery of \$12,000 But Declares Paper Worth \$75,000 Missing NEW YORK, April 1.—Mrs. Bridie L. Duke denied today the published report that she had been robbed of \$12,000, but in doing so made the story a great deal more sensational than it had been.

Priest Observes Anniversary

EL PASO, Texas, April 1.—Rev. Father Edward J. Vattman, for years pastor of St. Ignace church, today celebrated his fortieth anniversary of ordination to the priesthood.

PHILADELPHIA'S NATIONALS BEATEN

PHILADELPHIA, April 1.—The first game for the local championship was played today. The Nationals were outplayed at all points and were washed.

Boston Beats Charleston

CHARLESTON, S. C., April 1.—The Boston Nationals today, in a slow and lifeless game, defeated the Charleston Nationals.

Austin Cashier Resigns

AUSTIN, Texas, April 1.—Jasper Woodriddle, for many years cashier of the City National Bank here, has resigned to engage in private business.

Fire Commissioner Resigns

DALLAS, Texas, April 1.—Joseph E. Cockrell, fire commissioner of Dallas, has tendered his resignation to Governor Lanham.

PLAN TELEPHONE LINE TO DALLAS

A new long distance telephone company, organized with the intention of running a line between this city and Dallas, has secured a charter at Austin under the name of the Texas Consolidated Long Distance Telephone Company.

MRS. CLENDENING'S CASE DROPPED

The case against Mrs. Clending, charged with embezzlement over \$50, was dropped by the grand jury of the Forty-eighth district court in whose hands the preliminary investigation was placed.

KATY OFFICIALS TO HOLD CONFERENCE

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, April 1.—The Katy officials will hold a conference here Sunday on improvements and extensions in Texas.

Rain Stops Ball Game

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, April 1.—A heavy rain and electrical storm occurred here today. The ball game between San Antonio and Temple was interrupted in the fifth inning by rain this afternoon.

CITY NEWS

Assistant County Attorney Roy and City Policemen Orr and Cone arrested a man giving his name as Bud Stallings on a charge of selling whisky on election day in the rear of a saloon on Twelfth street, between Main and Busk streets.



(Copyright, 1905, by W. R. Hearst.) NEW YORK, April 1.—Richard Cressman, who was the victim of one of the most remarkable accidents ever known in this city, while working in the East river tunnel, he was blown through the top of the tunnel seven feet of the river and twenty-five feet of water, being rescued without any serious injury.

Chesbro Has New 'Find'

NEW YORK, April 1.—Jack Chesbro, who discovered Clarkson, believes he has another find at Harvard in Schoen-fuss, the great shot putter. Schoen-fuss has developed into a fine pitcher and batter and he is expected to do some great work when the team meets the University of Vermont this week.

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Old Phone 3842. Shirt Waist Boxes, Window Seats and Couches Made to Order. All kinds of Furniture Repaired.

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Formal Spring Opening!

Twenty-third Annual Announcement

Exposition of Correct Wear for Men and Boys

STOCKS ABLOOM WITH EVERYTHING THAT BEARS THE STAMP OF DAME FASHION

THE gladsome springtime is here, and as the entire face of Nature assumes its emerald hue and with flowers decks herself in holiday attire, so at this time above all seasons of the year, do the thoughts of mankind turn to clothing suitable to the season.

In harmony with the springtime comes our *Annual Announcement* and the unfolding for your approval of our array of wearables in variety large enough to please the most fastidious, and exclusive enough to maintain our past reputation for individuality that correct dressers appreciate.

Spring Suit Fashions

ALL the necessities of life should be embellished to the fullest scope of artistic beauty that is possible without sacrificing any of their practicability and the more men are impressed with the importance of up-to-date apparel the more they appreciate the success of our efforts in providing them with the same.

Spring Suits . . . \$10, \$15 up to \$40

Spring Hat Models

THE spring and summer season authorize a diversity of designs in hats. Our styles are authentic, our salesmen's judgment can be relied upon to assist you in the selection of the most becoming effect.

Derbies, fedoras, alpines, crush hats in the newest spring modes.

Accredited agents for Dunlap, Stetson and Guyer.

Spring Hats . . \$3, \$5 up to \$10

Spring Shoe Styles

A MAN to be well dressed must give special thought to his footwear, for the proper shoes upon the proper occasion give a finishing touch to his appearance. The strong merits of our shoes are to be found in correct styles, good materials and superior workmanship.

The Oxford or low shoe will be very popular again this summer, and we predict an increased demand for tan shoes.

Spring Shoes . . \$3, \$4 up to \$6

Spring Furnishings

ATENTION to the minor details which are easily overlooked, marks a man's thoroughness in his practices.

Just so does our attractive cravat complete a distinctive bearing and add to the harmony and effectiveness of a man's apparel. Tasty and attractive color effects in all the popular shades and materials.

Spring Cravats . 50c, 75c up to \$1.50

Spring Clothes for Boys

THE designing of juvenile fashions is a distinct art in clothing manufacture. Unique, quaint and novel designs for the little boys, that appeal to the mother's idea of cuteness, we are showing this season in abundant variety. For boys from ten to eighteen, we are now displaying models of clothing that combine style and durability.

Boys Spring Suits . \$3, \$5 up to \$20



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