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New Arrivals And Specials That Will Interest Thursday Buyers

You will find in the women's suit department tomorrow—Silk and All Lace Shirt Waists that we've been selling at \$5.00; on special sale at \$2.50...

IN THE DRY GOODS SECTION

You will find Silk Mull that we've been selling at 20c a yard; white, blue and pink, only shades left; special closing out price 10c...

SOME NOTION BARGAINS

Castile Soap in half pound bars, regular selling price 5c; on sale at 2 bars for 5c...

STREET HATS—A SPECIAL SALE

We are having a special sale on Women's Ready-to-wear Hats in our millinery department this week...

THE CONFEDERATE VETERANS PAY TRIBUTE TO QUAR TIME COMRADES

Annual decoration of the graves of deceased Confederate veterans was made this morning by R. E. Lee camp, U. C. V., after a meeting with short addresses...

STATE CONVICTS UNDER CONTRACT WITH THE STATE AUTHORITIES

The officials of the war department were unanimously opposed to the plan and Advocate Judge Davis gave an opinion that it was contrary to the spirit if not the letter of the law...

MEXICO WILL JOIN IN FIGHT ON FEVER

Supreme Board Appropriates \$500,000 to Aid Texas in Work AUSTIN, Texas, May 24.—State Health Officer Dr. George R. Tabor was advised yesterday that he might depend on the co-operation of the Mexican government...

COURT TELLS JURY TO ACQUIT WOMAN

Wife of San Antonio Detective Found not Guilty of Swindling Pawnbroker

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, May 24.—Mrs. Maggie Malbaum, wife of ex-City Detective Malbaum, charged with swindling, was found not guilty in the county court yesterday under instructions from County Judge Green to the jury...

Postoffice Changes

A new postoffice has been established at Leaday, Coleman county, Okla., and at Samuel, Washington county, and at Shady Grove, Upshur county, will be discontinued May 31...

Mineral Wells Visitors

MINERAL WELLS, May 24.—Visitors: Mrs. Willie A. Williams, Santa Rosa, N. M.; E. E. Manheimer, DeSoto, Mo.; L. C. Moore, Greenville, Texas; C. E. Elsenman, Sherman, Texas; Lewis Simmons and wife, Sherman; Ed White, Dallas, Texas; Miss Alice Menger, Smithville, Texas; Glen Perrine, Cincinnati; F. L. Schumpert, Dallas; N. O. Nall, Oakland, Tenn.; J. R. Winthrop, Abilene, Texas; Mrs. M. A. Brown, Ennis, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Kinross, Dallas; Mrs. A. W. Cassey, Fort Worth; S. H. Brown, Ennis, Texas; M. Lewison, New Orleans; W. E. Roberts and family, Weatherford; Captain J. M. Daugherty, Abilene, Texas; J. C. Kirkpatrick, Brownwood, Texas; H. H. Hinkle, Paris, Texas; G. Harry Socker, Dallas, Texas; W. J. Vershoye, Dallas, Texas; D. E. Blackwood, Dallas; J. W. Beasley, Paris, Texas; M. A. Clark, Fort Worth; L. M. Whitsitt, Fort Worth; George J. Jones, Austin, Texas; Frank Kildeberger, Dallas, Texas; D. H. Pitt, Fort Worth; C. M. McCreary, Dallas, Texas; Miss Mozelle Newton, Jacksonville, Texas; Jno. W. Lewis, Paris, Texas; M. Staudt, Fort Worth, Texas; S. P. Kimbrough, Mesquite, Texas; Mrs. Joseph Head, Buffalo, Texas; J. M. Dickard, Willis Point, Texas; Dr. D. M. Hightower, Fort Worth, Texas; W. B. Newsome, McKinney, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Cassey, Dallas; A. A. Freeman and wife, Mart, Texas; M. F. Bonn, Waco; Mrs. J. W. Hoover, Ninnekah, I. T.; Mrs. Lon Tapp, Mrs. Aubrey Hess and Miss Emma Cleveland, Pittsburg, Texas; V. A. Reeves, Fort Worth; Mrs. Geo. R. Beeler, Ninnekah, I. T.; Mrs. L. D. Shive, Vernon, Texas; J. H. Williams, Santa Rosa, N. M.; Dr. Edwin Swisher, Socorro, N. M.; James A. O'Shea, Alexandria, La.; E. T. Cochran, Corsicana, Texas; H. C. Stewart, Abilene, Texas; Harry W. Kute-man, Weatherford; Willis Noble, Mineola, Texas.

NO CONVICT LABOR ON GOVERNMENT WORKS

President Issues Order Prohibiting Prisoners from Competing with Union Labor WASHINGTON, May 24.—The president has issued an order prohibiting the employment of convict labor on government works. The question of the employment of such labor was raised in connection with certain river and harbor improvements in Arkansas, the contractor of which desired to employ a number of

At the meeting at the court house this morning a number of early settlers were present, including Colonel Woody of Wise county and Edward Terrell, reputed to be the first white settler of Fort Worth, whose 33d birthday takes place today.

TO PROBE HANGE IN ELECTION LAW

Representative Kennedy Is at Austin and Will Make Investigation

AUSTIN, Texas, May 24.—Representative Kennedy of McLennan will make a thorough investigation as to how section 129 of the general election bill was wrongly compiled.

KID MCCOY WILL TRY TO EDUCATE GOTCH



"I see," said Fisticus, "that Frank Gotch has designs on the fight game and is being coached by that past master of craftiness, Kid McCoy, the Hoosier ghost."

CHIEF OF POLICE INJURED BY BOMB

Mysterious Assaultant Hurts Missile at Midnight, and Makes Good Escape

WARSAW, May 24.—The chief of police of Siedlce, the capital of the province of that name, was severely injured by the explosion of a bomb at midnight. He was sitting on the veranda of a club when an unknown man approached and hurled the bomb at him.

Confederate Colonel Dead

NEW YORK, May 24.—John Gordon Reid, who was a native of New York but who served as a colonel in the Confederate army, is dead at his home in Harrison, N. J.

CHURCHES URGED TO UNITE WITH LABOR

Growth of Socialism Cited as Warning by Presbyterian General Assembly Delegate WINONA LAKE, Ind., May 24.—At the Presbyterian general assembly yesterday Presbyterian churches in every city were urged to establish closer relations with organized labor.

Dr. Lyon's PERFECT Tooth Powder

Cleanses and beautifies the teeth and purifies the breath. Used by people of refinement for over a quarter of a century. Very convenient for tourists.

Prepared by J. H. Lyon, D.D.S.

church must consider in dealing with the union workers. Socialism, he said, is becoming a substitute for the church for thousands of workmen.

RAILROADS WIN FROM BROKERS

Injunction Secured During the Elks' Convention Is Made Permanent Today

Final decision in the much discussed "ticket broker" case was reached in the Forty-eighth district court this morning, when Judge Irby Dunklin made permanent the injunction restraining ticket dealers from buying or selling all non-transferable tickets sold at reduced rates.

COUNTY COURT

Sig Summers was found guilty of "cards" and fined \$25. Mary Bout, charged with theft, was found not guilty. Jessie Lewis, charged with theft, was found not guilty by the county attorney.

SEVENTEENTH DISTRICT COURT

The case of William Barr vs. Houston and Texas Central railway, damages, is on trial in the Seventeenth district court today.

NEW SUITS FILED

W. C. Ballew has filed suit in the county court against the State National bank, garnishee.

QUAKER CITY HAS MUNICIPAL WAR

Officials Ousted By Mayor Weaver Secure Temporary Injunctions PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 24.—David J. Smythe, former director of public safety, filed a petition in the court of common pleas today, asking for an injunction restraining Mayor Weaver from removing him from office and also asking for an injunction restraining Colonel Seidon Potter from acting as a director of public safety.

W. M. ZEIGLER IS DEAD

NEW YORK, May 24.—W. M. Zeigler, capitalist and promoter of Arctic expeditions, died this morning at his country home near Norton, Conn. He is survived by a widow and one son.

ABSENT-MINDED

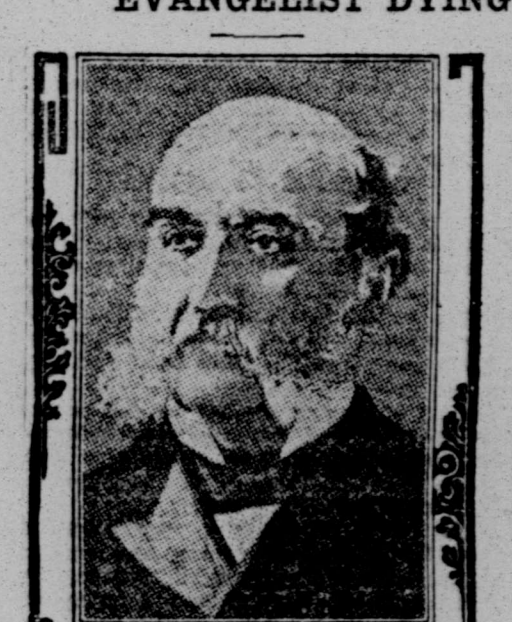
A writer whose mind was occupied with a knotty problem left the Lotos Club in New York to drive through Central Park in the hope that the open air would clear the cobwebs from his brain.

KIRBY JURY TO BE INVESTIGATED

Order of Judge V. L. Brooks at Austin Causes Considerable Excitement

AUSTIN, Texas, May 24.—Quite a ripple was created at the court house yesterday afternoon, when it became known that Judge V. L. Brooks of the Twenty-sixth district court had issued an order appointing a committee to make an investigation regarding the selection of a jury in the Kirby et al alleged bribery cases.

THE FAMOUS SINGING EVANGELIST DYING



Who is said to be lying at the point of death.

CITY NEWS

William Hutchinson and wife of Louisiana are visiting J. W. Stuart and other members of the family in this city. The meeting of Carnegie library directors to have been held Tuesday night has been postponed one week.

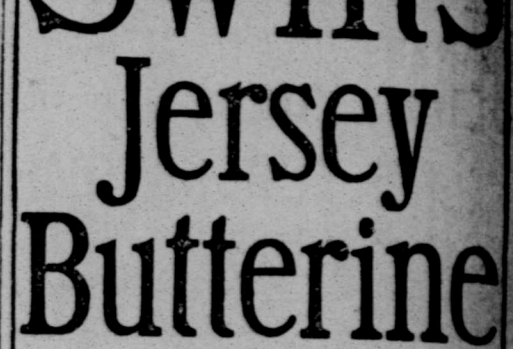
\$50,000 Blaze in El Paso

EL PASO, Texas, May 24.—The warehouse of E. B. Welch Furniture Company was destroyed by fire this morning, loss estimated at \$50,000.

COLD NIGHTS CAUSE CATARRH

Everyone Should Use Hyomei and Kill the Germs No other season of the year is responsible for as many cases of catarrh as the spring. The warm days and cold nights, with their frequent and sudden changes in temperature, bring the catarrhal "snuffles" to nearly everyone.

UNCOLORED Swift's Jersey Butterine



contains no adulteration of any kind. Made in strict conformity to the U. S. Governm't Revenue requirements. Put up in one and two-pound prints.



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Highest cash price paid for second-hand goods. Refrigerators and Ranges exchanged for old.

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Original and Only Genuine SAFE, Astringent, Laxative, and Purifier by CHICHESTER'S ENGLISH PENNYROYAL PILLS. In RED and Gold metallic boxes with blue ribbon. Take no other brand.

MEN

Young, Middle-aged and Elderly—if you are sexually weak, matter from what cause; unduly excited, nervous, have stricture, coxale, etc. MY PERFECT VACUUM APPLIANCE will cure you. No drugs or electricity. Cured and developed. 10 DAYS' TRIAL. Send for free booklet. Sent sealed. Guaranteed. Write today. E. V. METZ, 285 Tabor Bldg., Denver, Colo.

MEN AND WOMEN

CURE in 1 to 3 days. Guaranteed not to irritate. Prevents Catarrh. THE ENGLISH PENNYROYAL PILLS. Sold by Druggists. B. & B.

presbytery of Montgomery voted to appoint three of its members to represent it in this conference. "The purpose of the conference is to put away the divorce evil. To this and several things must be done. Our laws must be reformed, the word must be preached and our practice must conform to our preaching. In reforming the laws, the conference will act only by memorial, petition or entreaty. In preaching the word, the conference will collect statistics and send them to every minister of the gospel in the church composing the conference, that they may be aroused and use these statistics in their preaching. It will also prepare and disseminate addresses and tracts on the sanctity of marriage and the sin of divorce. We are all indebted to the conference for what it has already done.

GATHERING STATISTICS

"The United States government has collected no statistics on divorce since 1886. Last January the conference met in Washington, waited on President Roosevelt and asked him to have these statistics gathered down to the present time. Three days later the president sent a special message to congress, embodying the request for a special act to this end. The statistics will be gathered and furnished to the public. Thus it is hoped and confidently believed that a healthy public sentiment will be created and the moral sense of the people toned up, without which all reform of our laws is vain, and these, working from within and without, will reform and enforce our laws and put away this crying evil."

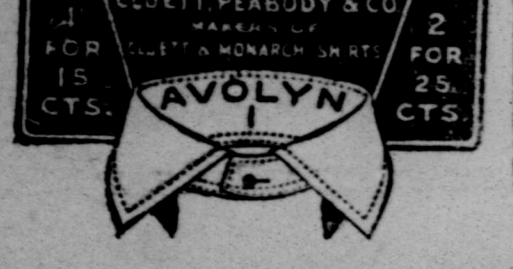
Nursing Mothers and Malaria.

The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic, drives out malaria and builds up the system. Sold by all dealers for 27 years. Price 50 cents.

"You'll enjoy 'A Sword Mislaid,' soon to start in The Telegram.

Carr-Burdette College

Commencement Exercises Will Begin May 28 SHERMAN, Texas, May 24.—The faculty and senior class of Carr-Burdette College will hold their commencement exercises from May 29 to 31. The program is as follows:

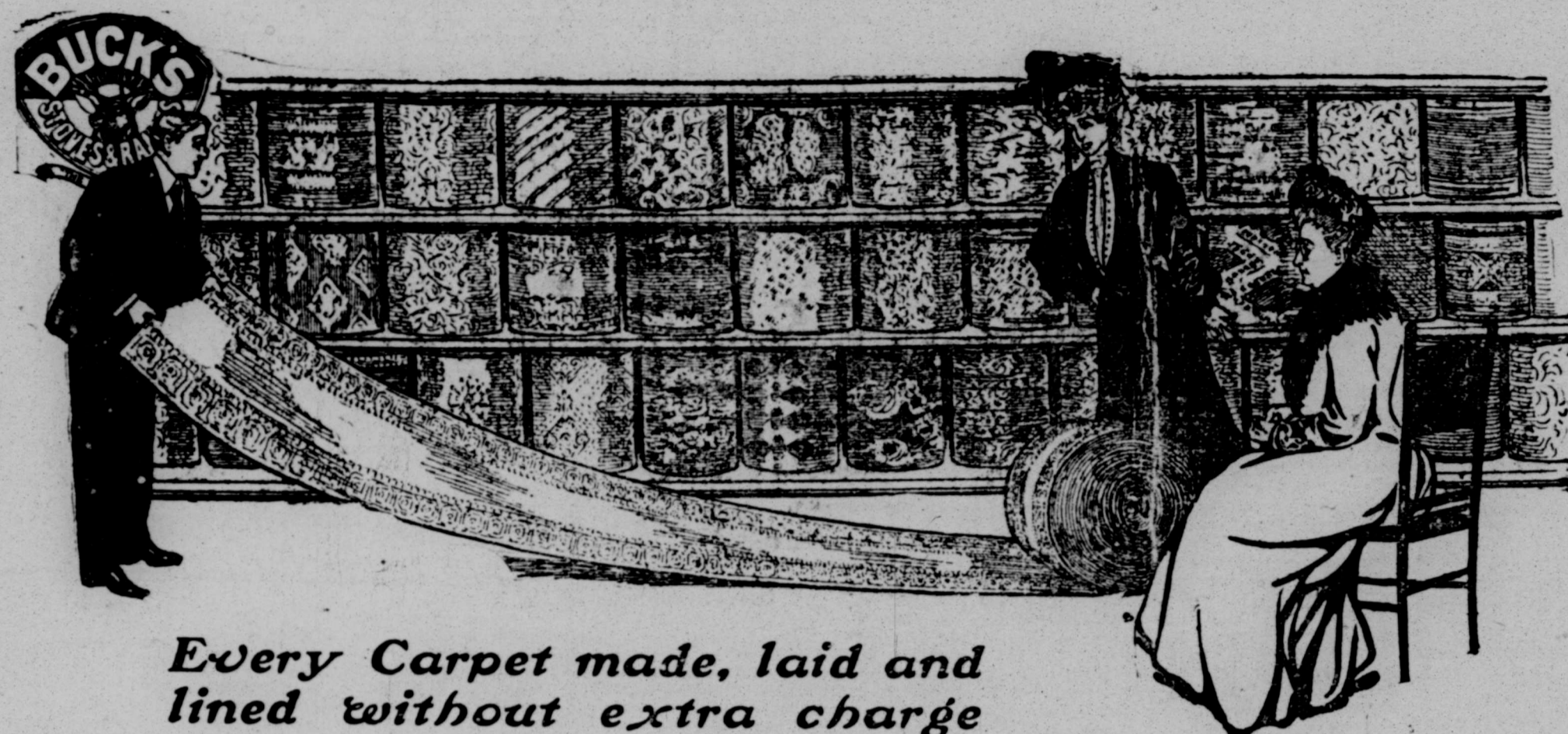


2 FOR 25 CTS. ARROW Quarter Size COLLARS. QUETT, PEABODY & CO. COLLARS. 2 FOR 25 CTS. ARVOLYN

# Our Carpet Removal Sale

IS STILL ON. We cannot stop when people are buying as though they appreciated what we are doing. If you expect to buy a Carpet in the future, see what we have. We will let you select now and keep it for you until you need it.

**Twenty  
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**Carpets**



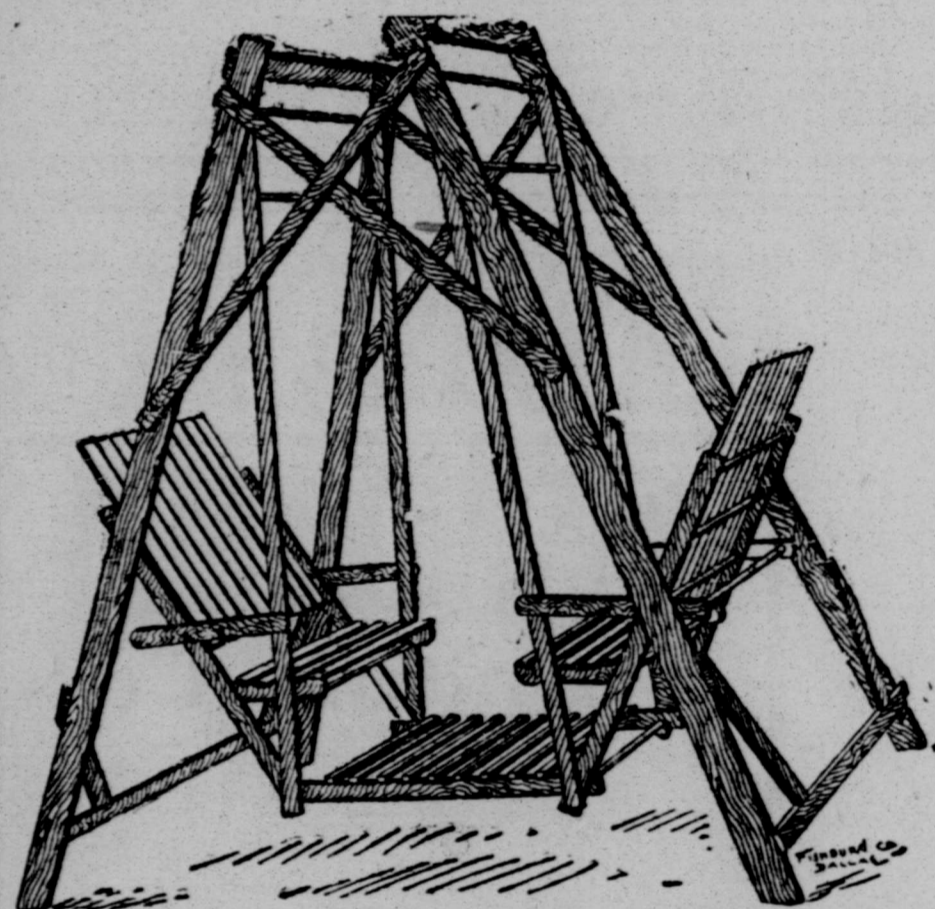
*Every Carpet made, laid and lined without extra charge*

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<b>INGRAIN CARPET</b>		<b>TAPESTRY BRUSSELS CARPET</b>		<b>VELVET CARPET</b>	
Worth 35c per yard, now	28¢	Worth 65c per yard, now	52¢	Worth 85c per yard, now	68¢
Worth 45c per yard, now	36¢	Worth 75c per yard, now	60¢	Worth \$1.00 per yard, now	80¢
Worth 60c per yard, now	48¢	Worth 90c per yard, now	72¢	Worth \$1.10 per yard, now	88¢
Worth 65c per yard, now	52¢	Worth \$1.00 per yard, now	80¢	<b>SAVONNERIE CARPET</b>	
Worth 75c per yard, now	60¢	<b>SAXONY CARPET</b>		Worth \$1.75 per yard, now	
Worth 85c per yard, now	68¢	Worth \$1.15 per yard, now		.92¢	
<b>EXTRA AXMINSTER CARPET</b>		<b>WILTON VELVET CARPET</b>		Everything made, laid and lined at above prices.	
Worth \$1.50 per yard, now	\$1.20	Worth \$1.75 per yard, now		YOU CAN BUY ON EASY PAYMENTS.	
				\$1.40	

## Lawn Swings

If you haven't bought, you must, while they are so cheap.



**\$4.75** \$1.00 DOWN;  
50c a Week

WE WILL SELL NEW GOODS FOR LESS MONEY AND ON BETTER TERMS THAN YOU CAN GET OLD SECOND HAND

## Kitchen Cabinets

Like the cut

\$4.50

\$1 Down; 50c Week



With Cabinet top

\$8.50

\$1 Down; 50c Week

(Your wife needs it.)

## 20% Discount

On All RECLINING GO-CARTS and BABY CARRIAGES

\$7.50  
NOW  
**\$6.00**

\$8.50  
NOW  
**\$6.80**

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\$12.50  
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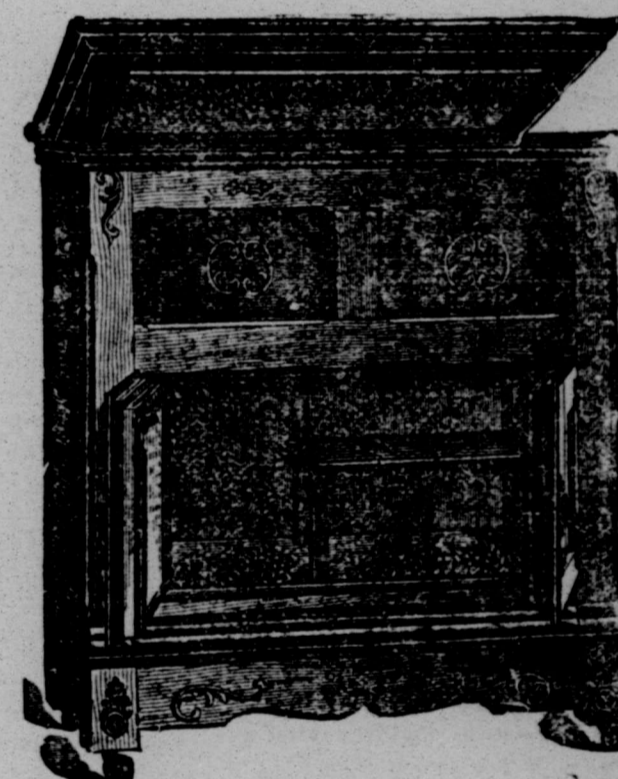
\$13.50  
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**\$10.80**

\$15.00  
NOW  
**\$12.00**

**ALL ON EASY PAYMENTS**  
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## Refrigerators and Ice Boxes

We Have the Best in Quality and Prices



You can buy them on your own terms. COME QUICK.

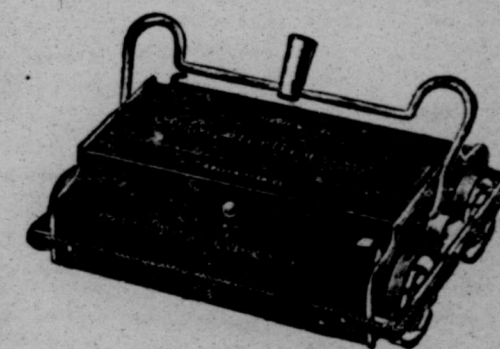
DON'T BUY SECOND-HAND GOODS WHEN WE WILL SELL YOU NEW FOR LESS MONEY AND BETTER TERMS

## Carpet Sweepers

**\$1.89**

Will buy a

**Sterling**



We carry a great line.

**Easy Payments to Everybody**

*Come see us; You will buy what you need*

# ELLISON FURNITURE AND CARPET CO.



# CONTRACT IS LET FOR NEW BUILDING

### Size of The Telegram's Home to Be Doubled as Quickly as Possible

The contract has been let for the new addition to the Telegram building, at the corner of Eighth and Throckmorton streets. J. W. O'Gwin, was the lowest bidder, and he was awarded the contract.

The excavation for the basement has already been completed and the foundation walls are today almost complete. Mr. O'Gwin will push the work of erection as fast as it is possible to obtain material. All of the brick works in the state are way behind in their orders for brick, but special efforts are being put forth to secure enough to get ahead with The Telegram building. A number of brick buildings are under course of construction in the city and some of them have been considerably delayed by the failure to promptly secure brick.

Like unto Uncle Sam's domain whose course of empire has been moving to the southwest, here in Fort Worth the star of the business world, too, has been moving to the southwest.

# MEET HERE AFTER QUARTER CENTURY

### Aged Pioneers Who Had Not Seen Each Other in 26 Years, Renew Acquaintance

Justice Rowland's court at the court house was the scene of a remarkable meeting yesterday, when Ed Terrell of Graham, Texas, and Sam Woody of Wise county met after twenty-six years of separation. "Uncle Ed" Terrell, as he is called, is 93 years old today, and "Old Sam" Woody, as he calls himself, is 80 today.

Ed Terrell came to Texas in 1843, before Texas entered the union. He is known from one end of the state to the other and can tell more stories of the early days than perhaps any man in the state. The two white-haired men, surrounded by a crowd of admirers, told many reminiscences at the court yesterday.

"Uncle Ed" made the trip from Graham, accompanied by his son, George, who is himself a gray-haired man. Sam Woody made the trip from Wise county alone. Woody came to Texas six years before Terrell, settling in Upshur county in 1849—the year of the rush to the gold fields of California.

### WHEN SLEEP FAILS

TAKE HORSFORD'S ACID PHOSPHATE Half a teaspoon in half a glass of water just before retiring brings refreshing sleep.

### TRUSTS FOUND HARMFUL

Debate on Standard Oil for the Osbourne medal given at the chapel of Fort Worth University Tuesday night was largely attended and the judges, D. T. Tomar, Irvy Dunklin and R. H. Beckham, found it difficult to decide, finally the awarding the medal to T. T. Garrard of Cooper, Texas.

R. McGregor, who opened the debate, referred to magazine articles and said that since the trusts were formed prices in everything have risen, and that the beef trust could go into homes of the laboring class and take the meat from the table. In conclusion, he said that the trusts are running things into the ground, the latest news being that they have formed a coffin trust.

# That Tired Feeling

Is a Common Spring Trouble. It's a sign that the blood is deficient in vitality, just as pimples and other eruptions are signs that the blood is impure. It's a warning, too, which only the hazardous fail to heed.

### Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pills

Remove it, give new life, new courage, strength and animation. They cleanse the blood and clear the complexion. Accept no substitute.

"I felt tired all the time and could not sleep. After taking Hood's Sarsaparilla a while I could sleep well and the tired feeling had gone. This great medicine has also cured me of scrofula." Mrs. C. M. Roor, Gilead, Conn.

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

### GLENWOOD NEWS

W. C. Perry, who has been visiting W. A. Perry, left for his home in Campbell, Mo., Tuesday.

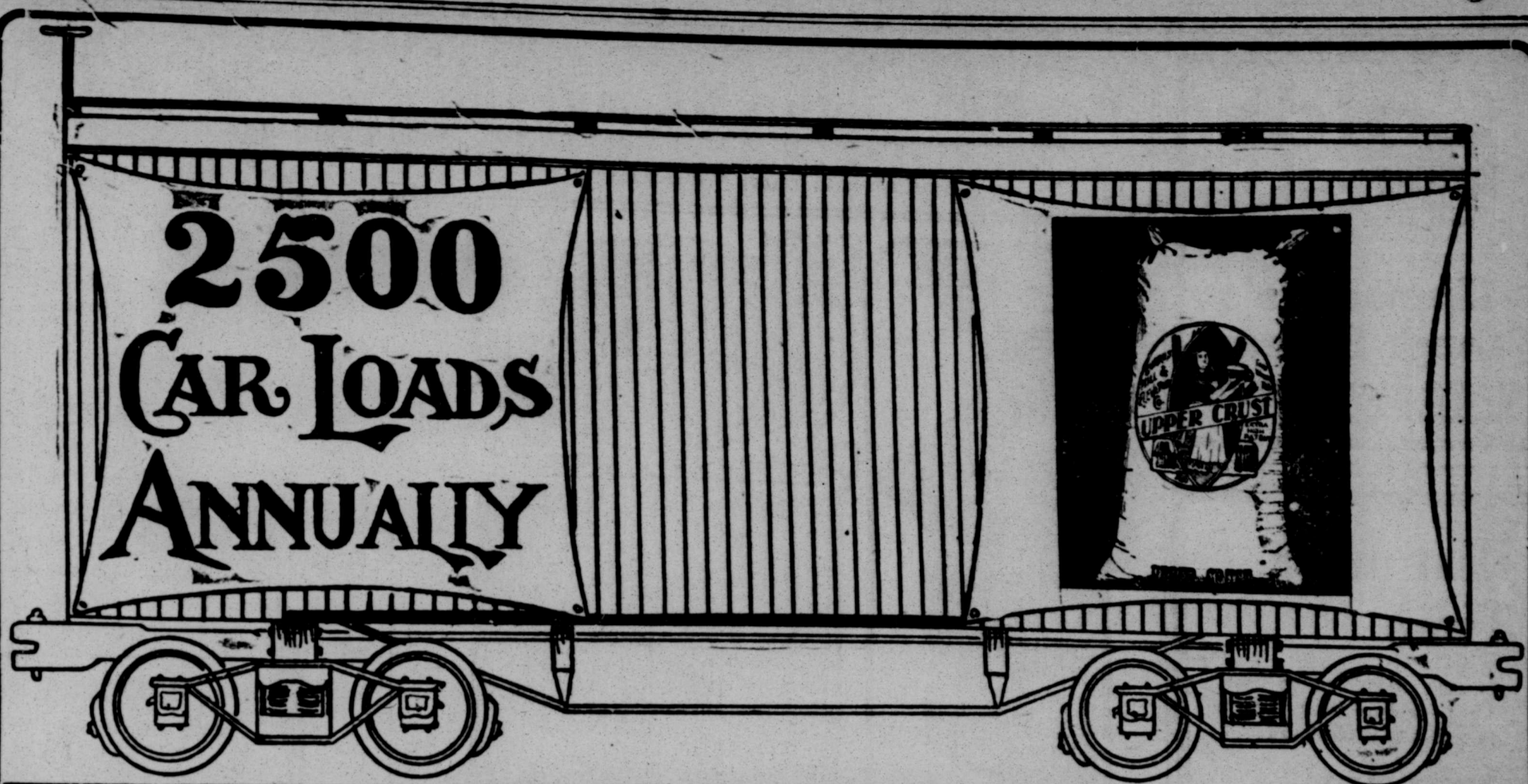
Professor Prugh of the Glenwood school gave his room a picnic Saturday at Village creek.

Friends of Miss Babetta Ehrenstein surprised her Monday night with a farewell party. Refreshments were served. Among those present were Misses Alice Eve Robinson, Pearl Martin, Lounetta Meador, Loma Meador, Ethel Gillings, Kate McCulloch, Dollie Cooper, Babetta and Edwina Ehrenstein; Messrs. Clyde Cartwright, Piner Clarke, Kelley Clark, George Lettler, Charley Farnsworth, Charlie Hertig, Lonnie Rogers, John Potter, Guy Johnson, Harold Bowman, Edwin Sweet, Jim Sweet, Mrs. Thomas B. Smith and Mrs. Grizzard assisted Mrs. Ehrenstein with the refreshments.

A. E. Robinson of Guyman, Texas, is visiting his cousin, Miss Alice Eve Robinson of Glenwood.

### CLEVER VAUDEVILLE AT LAKE ERIE

Undoubtedly the best class of summer vaudeville ever offered in the vicinity of Fort Worth is now being put on at Lake Erie pavilion. Mr. and Mrs. McKinzie in their comedy sketch duo, Gretta Warren Love, the child impersonator; Y. Bowin in illustrated songs and "The Chicken Thief," by the Erieograph furnish an attractive evening's entertainment.



# 2,500 Car Loads of "Upper Crust"

Annually is a significant fact of its wide demand; conclusive evidence of its superior quality. ASK YOUR GROCER FOR IT.

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### YOAKUM GETS RIGHT

To Be Given Concessions by Mexican Government

President B. F. Yoakum of the St. Louis, Brownsville and Mexico road is credited with the statement that when the extension now being constructed from Sinton to Galveston and Houston is completed the work of building a branch line from Sinton to San Antonio will commence.

A contract has been awarded to L. S. Berg, representing Frisco interests, for the construction of an extension from its present terminus at Zuna, Texas, to Newton, a distance of thirty-two miles. The new road will connect at Newton with the Laifkin branch of the Cotton Belt, which is now being extended there. The road will eventually be extended from Newton to a connection with the Frisco's New Orleans line.

### TO TIGHTEN UP

It is now stated that the object of the recent visit in Texas of officials of the Rock Island-Frisco systems is to get a personal insight into the situation with the view of carrying into early effect a general connecting up of the different roads embraced in what are known as the Rock Island and Frisco systems. In the party were President A. J. Davidson of the Frisco and Jeff N. Miller, general manager of the Brownsville road, besides others prominent in the management of both the Rock Island and Frisco.

### ORIENT CONNECTION

It is announced that John G. Underhill of New York and J. F. Barnard and other St. Joseph, Mo., capitalists will build a road from Chilapa on the Southern Pacific through the coal fields situated near Marfa, Texas, to a point in Mexico where a connection will be made with the Orient line.

### Hotel Arrivals

At the Metropolitan—E. P. Floggs, Memphis, Texas; L. M. Moody and wife, Gainesville, Texas; H. C. McCartney, Washington, D. C.; Daniel N. Pictou, San Antonio; Jno. F. Lewis, Jackson, Tenn.; J. D. Baughman, Louisiana; R. S. Price, Dallas; Mrs. C. D. Laketburg, McGregor, Texas; G. McMahon, Dallas; L. C. King, Atlanta, Ga.; A. H. Dinkle, Paris, Texas; A. B. Robertson, Colorado, Texas; Jno. A. Waldrop, Waco; F. L. Aston, Hillsboro; F. M. Behler, Texarkana; Jno. W. Funch, Wardam, Texas; L. P. Loop and wife, Quincy, Ill.; W. D. Farris, Ennis, Texas; W. W. Urghart, St. Louis; W. J. Standifer, Covington, Ky.; C. S. Lynch and wife, Hico, Texas; J. B. Stutler, Dallas; C. F. Jackson, Sherman; Benj. Warler, Prosper, Texas; W. H. Graham, John Graham, Waco; G. R. Block, Newman, Ga.; J. P. Bradley, Newman, Ga.; W. T. McDougal, Quanah; Neff B. Magruder and wife, San Angelo; J. Keown, Houston; Here Pay, Moody, Texas; G. B. Armstrong, Dallas; W. E. Black, Galveston; F. A. Jones Jr., Chicago; P. B. Webb, Alford; C. E. McDuffie, Ennis, Texas; J. M. Moody, Sherman; Wm. Allen, Gainesville; Jno. W. Shire, Gainesville; W. H. Willbook, Dallas; J. W. McAlister, Graham, Texas; E. H. Mahon, Baird; Dan Davis, St. Louis; G. H. T. Amming, Kansas City; J. C. Terry, Dallas; Rev. J. D. Leslie, Ballinger; Ed La Roche and wife, Chicago; A. M. Vaughn, Richmond, Va.; Mrs. L. W. Thomas, Dallas; Mrs. I. H. Snyder, Dallas; Jno. G. Lee, Brownwood; W. L. Godley, Dallas; H. Ramsey and wife, Clarendon; N. C. Croft and wife, Stephenville; Mrs. King Sullivan, Atlanta; W. F. Day, Ardmore, I. T.; J. C. Brasley, Zacatecos, Mexico.

### Gould Book Brings \$5.75

NEW YORK, May 24.—A book written by Jay Gould has been sold here at auction for \$5.75. It was the financier's only contribution to literature, written when he was 29 years of age, and entitled "A History of Delaware County and the Border Wars of New York." The book was printed in 1855.

It will wash and not rub off. This complexion all envy me. It's no secret so I'll tell. Take thou Rocky Mountain Tea. J. P. BRASHEAR.



"On the Interurban" Matinee DAILY, 2:30 P. M. ADMISSION FREE High Class Vaudeville And Lake Erie Orchestra

Tonight Mr. and Mrs. McKinzie Comedy Sketch Duo. Gretta Warren Love Clever Child Impersonator Mr. Y. Bowin Illustrated Songs AND THE CHICKEN THIEF By the Erie-o-graph

PUBLIC NIGHTS—Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Public Dance takes place immediately after performance.

### \$500 REWARD

# LOST CHILD

# NOTICE

Confederate Veterans!

The Texas and Pacific railway will run a special Confederate Veterans train, nicely decorated and banneted, through to Louisville and return, and I will accompany them as usual both ways to see that the Veterans receive every necessary attention. Stopovers at Mammoth Cave, Ky., have been arranged, going or returning, for all who desire. If you have any doubts as to the best route ask those who went to Nashville last year. Do not be misled by speciously worded circulars being sent out for the purpose of influencing you to select another route, but remember the "OLD RELIABLE" always carry out their promises to the letter. E. F. TURNER, General Passenger Agent.

# GO ON THE PICNIC TO Woodlake Park Saturday

MAY 27, with DRAUGHON'S PRACTICAL BUSINESS COLLEGE and the FORT WORTH PUBLIC SCHOOLS

\$1.00 Round Trip

ING. Special train at 8 a. m., returning leave Woodlake 7:30 p. m. Secure your tickets in advance at Frisco System City Ticket Office, corner Eighth and Main. E. G. PASCHAL, C. T. A.

# RHEUMATISM

ALMOST AS COMMON IN SUMMER AS IN WINTER.

While the damp, cold, changing weather of Winter intensifies the pains and other disagreeable symptoms of Rheumatism, it is by no means a winter disease exclusively. Through the long months of Summer its wandering pains and twitching nerves are felt by those in whose blood the uric acid, which produces the disease, has accumulated.

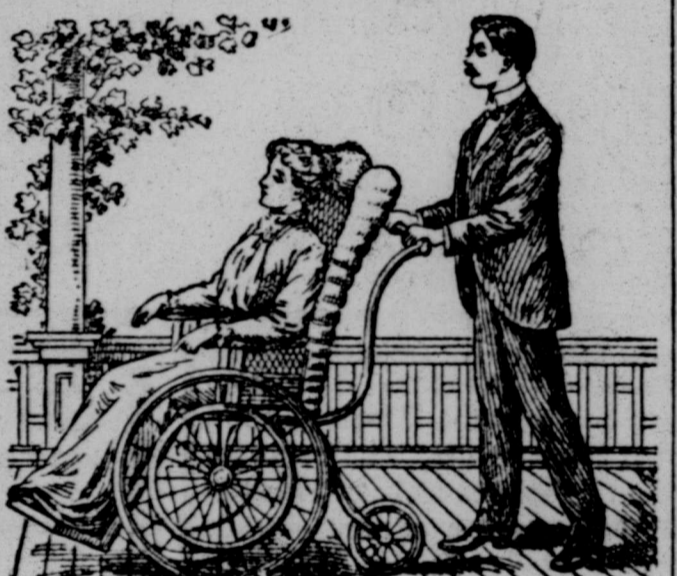
Rheumatism is a disease that involves the entire system. Its primary cause results from the failure of the eliminative organs, the Liver, Kidneys and Bowels, to carry out of the system the urea, or natural refuse matter. This coming in contact with the different acids of the body forms uric acid which is taken up and absorbed by the blood. This acid causes fermentation of the blood, making it sour and unfit for properly nourishing the body, and as this vital stream goes to every nook and corner of the body, the poison is distributed to all parts. The nervous system weakens from lack of rich, pure blood, the skin becomes feverish and swollen, the stomach and digestion are affected, the appetite fails and a general diseased condition of the entire system is the result.

Not only is Rheumatism the most painful of all diseases, with its swollen, stiff joints, throbbing muscles and stinging nerves, but it is a formidable and dangerous trouble. If the uric acid is allowed to remain in the blood, and the disease becomes chronic, chalky deposits form at the joints, and they are rendered immovable and stiff, and the patient left a helpless cripple for life. Every day the poison remains in the system the disease gets a firmer hold. The best time to get rid of Rheumatism is in warm weather; because then the blood takes on new life and the skin is more active and can better assist in the elimination of the poisons. With the proper remedy to force the acid out of the blood, and at the same time build up and strengthen the Liver, Kidneys, Bowels and other organs of the body, Rheumatism can be permanently cured. External applications relieve the pain and temporarily reduce the inflammation, and for this reason are desirable, but they cannot have any effect on the disease. The blood is poisoned and the blood must be treated before a cure can be effected.

S. S. S., a remedy made from roots, herbs and barks, is the best treatment for Rheumatism. It goes into the blood and attacks the disease at its head, and by neutralizing the acid and driving it out, and building up the sour blood so it can supply nourishment and strength to every part of the body, it cures Rheumatism permanently. S. S. S. is the only safe cure for the disease; being purely vegetable, it will not injure the system in the least, as do those medicines which contain Potash or some other mineral ingredient. S. S. S. tones up every part of the body by its fine tonic properties.

While cleansing the blood of all poisons it builds up the appetite and digestion, soothes the excited nerves, reduces all inflammation, relieves pain and completely cures Rheumatism in every form—Muscular, Inflammatory, Articular or Sciatic. If you are worried with the nagging pains of Rheumatism, do not wait for it to become chronic, but begin the use of S. S. S. and purge the blood of every particle of the poison. Write for our book on Rheumatism, and ask our physicians for any advice you wish. We make no charge for either.

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC COMPANY, ATLANTA, GA.



Last Summer I had a severe attack of inflammatory Rheumatism in the knees, from which I was unable to leave my room for several months. I was treated by two doctors and also tried different kinds of liniments and medicines which seemed to relieve me from pain for awhile, but at the same time I was not any nearer getting well. One day while reading a paper I saw an advertisement of S. S. S. for Rheumatism. I decided to give it a trial, which I did at once. After I had taken three bottles I felt a great deal better, and I continued to take it regularly until I was entirely cured. I now feel better than I have for years. CHAS. E. GILDERLEEVE, 613 32nd Street, Newport News, Va.



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\$3.30 Waco and Return

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THE OAKS Mineral Wells, Texas

TRY THE Agnes Cafe

WE MAKE OUR OWN MOUTHS THEY ARE SHAPED TO FIT OUR CHARACTERS AND CHANGE FOR THE BETTER WHEN WE BRACE UP

BY CYNTHIA GREY. In this age of merry bluffing and jollifying we know about as much of people we meet as if we had not met them.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS Van Zandt Land Company to S. Fossell lot 8, block 9, K. M. Van Zandt's second addition, \$150.

TWO PHILADELPHIA OFFICIALS RESIGN Directors of Public Works and Safety Accede to Mayor's Request

TO BEAUTIFY YOUR COMPLEXION in ten days, use .. SATINOLA .. The Unequaled Beautifier

Image of a woman's face and a bottle of Satinola.

A FEW applications will remove tan or sallowness and restore beauty. SATINOLA is a new discovery, guaranteed, and money refunded if it fails to remove the worst case of freckles, pimples, liver spots, black-heads and disfiguring eruptions in 20 days.

To Mothers WINE OF CARDUI A Harmless Girlhood Tonic

SAYS ANCIENT ROMANS CAME FROM IRELAND

Cicero Got His Eloquence and Caesar His Warlike Ardor From Celtic Ancestry, According to New Theory

BOSTON, Mass., May 24.—That the Italians are of Irish origin is the claim made by Miss Amy A. Bernardy, professor of Italian at aristocratic Smith College, Northampton, Mass.



AMY A. BERNARDY.

MAY GO ROUGH WITH MILLIONAIRE THOMAS FOR AUTO SPEEDING



E. R. THOMAS.

NEW YORK, May 21.—District Attorney Jerome and Chief Justice Hinsdale are threatening jail sentences for wealthy automobile owners who have repeatedly violated the law by driving their machines through metropolitan highways at high speed.

COLORED UNIVERSITY DAMAGED BY FIRE Flames at Nashville Do Damage Amounting to \$25,000 in Roger Williams' Dormitory

try has experienced its second serious loss by fire within the past few months. Fire was discovered in the four-story dormitory at an early hour this morning, and, as the building is located two miles from the city and there was no adequate means of fighting the flames, the structure was soon destroyed.

ARE YOU GOING AWAY? If you go to the mountains, sea shore, country, the city at all, have The Telegram follow you.

KILLED DEAD Heyer's Prickly Heat POWDER

Ayer's Sarsaparilla. The doctors' Sarsaparilla. The tested and tried Sarsaparilla.

Wise Dealers Handle It Wise People DRINK It Martin's Best Whiskey

THE DENVER ROAD THROUGH THE TEXAS PANHANDLE. SAVES PATRONS 300 MILES IN VISITING 'COOL COLORADO' LEWIS & CLARK EXPOSITION.

GOING NORTH SOON? FRISCO SYSTEM IF SO, YOU OUGHT TO LOOK INTO THE LOW ROUND TRIP RATES VIA

Four Beauty Spots MINNESOTA LAKE PARK REGION LAKE MACDONALD, MONTANA LAKE CHELAN, WASHINGTON BEAUTIFUL PUGET SOUND

Perfect Sleep



Women Who Are Free From Female Ills Sleep Soundly

Points to the Cause

How many women are troubled with insomnia! How few, alas, habitually sleep the night through and rise refreshed. If you can't sleep it is because your nerves will not let your body rest. Women's nervous troubles come from female diseases. Their delicate organism is a network of intricate nerves. No woman can suffer from female irregularities without eventually ruining her nervous system. Get rid of female disease and the perfect sleep of childhood will return.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

cures all female troubles and restores nerve equilibrium and brings sound, restful, healthful, natural sleep. Thus does this wonderful remedy operate to bring health to suffering women.

Wakefulness and Nervousness Cured

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—Last spring, I lost my appetite, had headaches, and bearing down pains with cramps so that I was in perfect misery. I became wakeful and extremely nervous. I decided to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and am pleased to state that I derived immediate benefit and soon enjoyed permanent relief. Within eight weeks I was restored to normal health and felt refreshed and strengthened as though I had enjoyed a lengthy vacation. Since that time I have recommended your Compound to a number of my lady friends suffering with female irregularities, and those who have used it report great benefit from its use. MRS. E. E. VAN DINTER, 965 College Ave., Appleton, Wis. Vice-President Social Economic Club.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has cured more women of female diseases than any other medicine in the world. Mrs. Pinkham advises sick women free. She will write you a personal letter if you tell her about your case. Address Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Cures Where Others Fail

CITIZENS DISCUSS SCHOOL COURSES

Resolutions Opposing the Proposed Shortening Adopted at Mass Meeting

ABSENT OFFICERS SCORED

Speaker Declares City Officials Should Be Present at Meeting—Board Is Absent

Resolutions deploring the proposed shortening of the city school course were adopted and their passage made at a mass meeting held in the city hall Tuesday night. The resolutions adopted were: "In view of the fact that the school board of the Fort Worth city schools at its last meeting had under consideration the advisability of shortening the curriculum of the city schools from an eleven-year course to a nine-year course, and

"In view of the fact that the board has appointed a committee of its own members for the purpose of ascertaining and reporting at the board's next meeting what the committee thinks best on this subject, and

"Resolved, That this contemplated movement be strenuously and unworthily to be countenanced, and be it further

"Resolved, That we, citizens and taxpayers of Fort Worth, assembled in mass meeting at the city hall this 23rd day of May 1905, do most sincerely deplore the idea that our schools have come under such hazards of possible debasement to a nine-grade system for graduation, and we do respectfully request and urge by petition that the public high school of Fort Worth maintained at its present high standard and possibility of attainments, having eleven grades, so that our children may be liberally educated at home and not be driven to other cities to get that mental training so necessary to cope with the world in the battles of life."

H. L. Stokes, a high school boy, called the meeting to order, after which the matter was taken out of the hands of the children. Clarence Ousley was chosen as chairman. L. M. Whitsitt was the first speaker. He said that he was surprised that intelligent men should ever entertain the question of shortening the course for education.

"The future welfare of our city, state and county depends on the education of our boys," said Mr. Whitsitt. "Shall we so take a step backward as to debar them the privileges of the best education that the city can afford?"

Attorney W. R. Sawyer was the next speaker. He dwelt upon the subject at length. He spoke of the advantages of well governed high schools for the children of the city. He said that even with eleven grades a graduate of the high school can not enter the state university without special preparation and examination. He urged the addition of more studies, higher courses and more thorough training to the present curriculum. "Taking it from a financial standpoint he said that the shortening of the course would rather hurt than help the city financially."

"By improving our schools," said Mr. Sawyer, "we bring people with money here from all over the state. Excellent schools will prove the greatest drawing card and of lasting benefit to the city, leaving aside the great moral duty which is incumbent upon the pupils."

UNIVERSITY TO AWARD DIPLOMAS

Academic and Oratorical Departments Have Closing Exercises Today

Commencement exercises of the School of Oratory of Fort Worth University will be held tonight at Greenwall's opera house, at which time the following pupils will be graduated: Mrs. D. O. Modlin, Mrs. A. B. Moore, Misses N. Kenna, Winnie Conner, Cora Wilcox, Adair Miller, Edwina Bell, Effie Garrett, Jet Winters, Selma Lennon, Helen Watrous, Clara Fry, Eva Potishman, Marie Crossland, Ida Burgess and Helen Hewitt.

Following an oratory by Mrs. J. F. Boyce, Professor W. W. Heathcote, director of the department, will deliver an opening address. Dr. George MacAdam, president of the university, will present the diplomas.

Other numbers on the program are: "Les Sylphs"..... Rubenstein Miss Mary Bell. Reading—"Hagar"..... Eliza P. Nicholson Miss Addis Miller. Reading from "The Sign of the Cross"..... Barrett Miss Clara Fry. Vocal Solo—"The Gift I See"..... Young Mrs. D. O. Modlin. Humorous Sketch—"Keeping a Seat"..... Barrett Miss Mollie Black. Baritone Solo..... Rollin M. Pease. Address—"Oratory"..... Original Mrs. A. B. Moore. Instrumental—"The Troubadour"..... Verdi Morrell's Orchestra. Sketch—"The Green-Eyed Monster"..... Russell Miss Jet Winters. Vocal Duet..... Miss Frances Freckitt and R. M. Pease. Oration—"Indifference"..... Original Miss N. Kenna. Reading—"The Last Word"..... Van Dyke Miss Effie Garrett. Vocal Solo..... Mrs. Maudie Peters Duckow. Comedietta—"The Graduation Exercises"..... West Miss Cora Wilcox and Miss Selma Lennon. Instrumental—"Valse de la Chene"..... Godfrey "My Country, 'Tis of Thee"..... Orchestra.

Graduation exercises of the academic department are being conducted in the University Chapel this afternoon. The graduates are Misses Margaret Brownell, Emma Gant, Minnie Farmer and Messrs. Jerome Bentley, Charles Gant and Will Scarborough.

Dear Gus—I have solved the mother-in-law problem, just give her regularly Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. It will make her healthy, happy and docile as a lamb, 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. J. P. BRASHEAR.

HAMILTON COUNTY PAID THE STATE TREASURER \$100 YESTERDAY. Interest due on bonds held by the permanent public school fund.

Professor Peyton Irving Jr. of Sulphur Springs, superintendent of the public schools of that city, was in the state house yesterday on business in the department of education and office of the attorney general.

F. M. Bralloy, chief clerk in the department of education, returned yesterday from Honey Grove, where he delivered an address during the commencement exercises of the public schools of that city. Returning he said the country between Honey Grove and Dallas was a sea of water, the result of which was great injury to the crops.

Gerard Huston of Paint Rock, Concho county, was a visitor in the state house yesterday. He said sheep raising was a great industry in Concho county, and assuming larger proportions with each year. Shearing was now in full blast and every day about 100,000 sheep were being shorn in that district clerk of Concho county and is now cashier of the Norman Banking Company of Paint Rock.

The Texas Bank and Fort Smith railway company reported to the comptroller yesterday the collection of \$3,445 passenger earnings for quarter ending March 31, 1905, and paid \$34.45, the one per cent occupation tax imposed by law.

PAINT YOUR BUGGY FOR 75c to \$1 with Devos's Gloss Carriage Paint. It weighs 3 to 8 ozs. more to the pint than others, wears longer and gives a gloss equal to new work. Sold by Brown & Vera.

FIDELITY FUNDING CASE TRIAL BEGUN AUSTIN, Texas, May 24.—The case of Sam Hirschfeld against the Fidelity Funding Company of San Francisco, Cal., et al. was taken up Monday in the Fifty-third district court. This is the case wherein the defendants were engaged in selling certificates of investment guaranteed to the purchaser of such certificate that it would pay \$1.50 for every \$1 received.

It is further alleged that the nature of the business of the defendant company was such that it had to use the United States mails; that in October, 1904, the government issued a fraud order against the company, and the California courts as a result forfeited its charter to do business in Texas and other places in the country. There are about 5,000 of the holders of these certificates in Austin, Dallas, Waco, Fort Worth, Houston and other Texas cities. The case was taken up Monday on demurrers presented by the defendant company. In the event the demurrers are overruled the case will come up for trial on its merits.

The Daylight Store

Corner Eighth and Houston Streets Is doing strictly a first-class, up-to-date merchandise business at such small profits, the whole of Fort Worth is wondering. Well, we are not stealing goods, neither are we running a lottery. In order to stimulate Saturday night shopping and to give the public, and especially the working public a big interest on their money, we will refund to

Any Customer Spending \$10 in Cash the Tenth Dollar or in other words, we will give you ten dollars' worth of merchandise for nine dollars in cash spent anywhere in the house between the hours of 5 p. m. to 9:30.

Remember, everything goes in this give-away sale; nothing reserved and at the closest possible price. Come everybody, Saturday evening between the hours of 6 and 9:30 and save money.

G. Y. SMITH

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Special Cars Via Interurban The Interurban is prepared to run special cars for select parties, lodges, etc., at low rates. For full information, call General Passenger Agent, Phone 106.

BUSINESS LOCALS

Monnie's Duchess, the ladies' \$3 shoes, in all styles and leathers. Oxfords \$2.50. J. M. Smith of Bear Creek is in the city. "I'm for men." Selz' Royal Blue \$3.50 Shoe wears like \$5. Monnie's. W. W. Pittman of Rendon was in the city Tuesday. When in the market for red picket fencing and fence post, see John E. Quarles Lumber Company, Third and Jones streets. They have a big stock. J. B. Putman of Johnson Station spent a few hours in Fort Worth Tuesday. The J. J. Langer Co., opposite city hall, interior decorators and sign painters. B. F. Owens of Grapevine is in Fort Worth. Cromer's, 503 Houston, for jewelry or photographs. See him now. H. Peterson of Keller is visiting in Fort Worth. The place to get anything you want for the home is at the Nix Furniture and Paper Company for your house painting, decorating or papering. They are right in price and goods. See them. In any part of town Haggard & Duff, 513 Main street, have property listed. They will help you to build a home and secure the property. HOUSES AND LOTS to suit the modest man with modest means, as well as the aristocratic man. Call on M. L. Chambers Realty Co., 509 Main St. Go to Cummings, Sheppard & Co., 706 Houston, for phonograph records, musical instruments or sheet music. They carry a large line of latest, up-to-date goods. M. C. Well of Benbrook was in Fort Worth visiting Wednesday afternoon. Take warning, have John Burke & Co. Fire Insurance Agents, protect your dwelling and household furniture against Tornadoes and Wind Storms. Phone 2020, today.

A MAGNIFICENT OUTING

A trip through the 30,000 islands of the Georgian Bay, visiting the weird and romantic scenery of the Inner Channel, Manitoulin Island, the North Channel, Saute Ste. Marie, Parry Sound, Mackinac, etc., is one that once taken is never forgotten. The region stands first in lovely scenery and interesting environments and capital sport is assured lovers of rod and gun. It also gives one an opportunity of making a voyage of 1,500 miles on the great inland seas. A deluxe 311 Main street has recently been issued by the Grand Trunk Railway System, giving full information, together with maps and all particulars, copies of which may be had free on application to Mr. F. W. Hopper, T. P. A., Grand Trunk Ry., 327 Shilday bldg., Kansas City, Mo.

HOUSTON AND TEXAS CENTRAL SPECIAL RATES

\$23.50—Bristol, Tenn., sell May 28, 29 and 30, limit July 1. \$2.60 Ferris and return, sell May 23 and 24, limit May 29. For information phone 488, City Office. The Telegram accepts advertising on a guarantee that it has a larger city circulation in Fort Worth than any other paper.

SHINGLES ARE GOOD AFTER 23 YEARS

Made of California Redwood, They Outwear Even Sheet Iron Roofing. G. W. Owens Lumber Company—Dear Sirs: In 1882 when we were building our present home, having learned of the value and service of the redwood shingle, we sent to California for enough to cover our house. Today the same shingles are there and never have we been bothered by leaks, except at one time during a very heavy rain. We had a carpenter go upon the roof to repair it and he reported that the shingles were not leaking, but instead it was the sheet iron in the valleys that had rusted through. During the recent heavy wind our chimney was blown down and a few of the shingles knocked off the roof. Examination will show them to be perfectly sound after shedding the storms of twenty-three years.

MRS. J. P. SMITH. With the above statement and after handling the redwood shingles for the past eighteen months with perfect satisfaction we can cheerfully recommend them to any one who wants a roof that will last. G. W. OWENS LUMBER CO., Corner Vine and El Paso Streets. Phone 758.

MAN'S UNREASONABLENESS

Is often as great as woman's. But Thos. S. Austin, Manager of the "Republican" of Leavenworth, Ind., was not unreasonable, when he refused to allow the doctor to operate on his wife for female trouble. "Instead," he says, "we concluded to try Electric Bitters. My wife was then so sick she could hardly leave her bed, and five (5) physicians had failed to relieve her. After taking Electric Bitters she was perfectly cured, and can now perform all her household duties." Guaranteed by W. J. Fisher's, Reeves Pharmacy and M. S. Blanton & Co.'s drug stores. Price 50c.

SEEKING FUNDS FOR BURLESON STATUE

Prof. W. H. Poole of Waco Urges Payment of Debt That Texas Educator May Be Honored AUSTIN, Texas, May 24.—W. H. Poole of Waco, secretary of the R. C. Burleson bronze statue association, in a communication to a friend in Austin received yesterday, makes a pathetic and stirring appeal for aid to enable the association to pay for the monument by unveiling day, which is fixed for June 7. In his letter Professor Poole says, among other things: "A great emergency is now on the old students and friends of our late beloved teacher, Dr. Rufus C. Burleson. You are aware that an association was formed to erect a bronze statue of this hero, who for over fifty years toiled in Texas for Christianity and education. "Although the statue is finished, and this statue tribute to Dr. Burleson's memory has been standing on the campus of Baylor University for several months, yet we can not unveil it, greatly to our embarrassment, because all subscriptions

are not paid, and something more than \$1,000 is due on the contract, the total cost of the statue being \$4,000. "This veiled statue stands here day after day, mutely but eloquently proclaiming to all the world our lack of courtesy and gratitude to the great man who helped so much to make Texas the great state she is today. "By all the obligations of filial duty, and by the demands of a thousand sacred memories we are in honor bound to pay off this debt now, and then unveil this statue commencement day, June 7. "Surely at this time, when by our negligence the life and labors of the 'grand old man' are being dishonored, none of his old friends will refuse a contribution." Professor Poole closes this stirring appeal for contributions of \$1 and up, to enable the association to pay the balance due on the statue, that it may be unveiled and dedicated at the time named. General Sam Houston and Dr. R. C. Burleson were very warm personal friends and a thousand times it has been said, in a moral and educational sense, Dr. Burleson took up the work in Texas in 1838, where Gen. Houston left it in 1833, and it is still a question as to who accomplished most good for Texas, Sam Houston or Rufus Burleson.

UNION MEN INDICTED

Action Grows Out of Fatal Beating of Man by Thugs CHICAGO, May 24.—The grand jury yesterday indicted twelve men in connection with the death of Charlie Carlstrom, the member of the Carriage Makers' Union who died as the result of the beating he received at the hands of thugs hired by the officials of the union, according to their own story. The indicted men are George Melter, formerly president of the union; Henry J. Neuman, secretary; Charles J. Casey, business agent; six members of the executive committee of the union and Chas. Gilhooly, Marcus Leoney and Edward Feely, the three men who, it is alleged, were hired by the officials of the union to beat men who did not go on strike or took the strikers places. The indictments charge manslaughter and conspiracy to commit bodily injury. If you are troubled with dizzy spells, headache, indigestion, constipation, Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will make you well and keep you well. If it fails, get your money back. That's fair. 35 cents. J. P. BRASHEAR.

Advertisement for Elgin watches. 'Our Gents 12-Size ELGIN Movement in a GOLD FILLED CASE is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction. A REGULAR \$20.00 for ONLY \$15.00. A 12-Size, 15-Jewel, ELGIN MOVEMENT, in Silver-ine Case, for \$12.50 WHILE THEY LAST. J. E. MITCHELL CO. 506 @ 508 MAIN STREET FORT WORTH'

TELEGRAM'S FINANCIAL AND COMMERICAL REPORT

N. Y. STOCKS

Table of New York Stock Quotations including Union Pacific, Texas and Pacific, New York Central, Louisville and Nashville, St. Paul, Southern Pacific, Atchafalaya, Erie, Baltimore and Ohio, Southern Railway, Reading, Great Western, Rock Island, M. & K. and T., Missouri, Kansas and Texas, Pennsylvania, Colorado Fuel and Iron, Western Union, Tennessee Coal and Iron, Manhattan L., Metropolitan, United States Steel, United States Steel, pf'd., Sugar, Brooklyn Rapid Transit, United States Leather, People's Gas, Amalgamated Copper, Mexican Central.

GRAIN

Table of Grain prices for Chicago, St. Louis, and Kansas City, including wheat, corn, and various grades of flour.

COTTON

Table of Cotton prices for Liverpool and New Orleans, including futures and spot prices for various grades.

THE LIVESTOCK MARKET

Article discussing the livestock market, including cattle receipts, hog receipts, and market conditions in North Fort Worth.

Advertisement for FREIDMAN, The Licensed and Bonded Pawnbroker, 912 Main St., Cor. 9th. Includes a scale icon and text about loans and confidential services.

Advertisement for Nelson & Draughon College Bookkeeping, Shorthand, etc., 6th & Main. Includes text about ready reference directory and ticket brokers.

Advertisement for 'OWN a Home of Your Own' in Montana, Idaho, and Washington. Promotes a productive section and offers a low one-way colonist rate.

Advertisement for 'Great Northern Ry. LOW ONE-WAY COLONIST RATES'. Details on sale every day from March 1st to May 15th, inclusive.

Advertisement for 'Send for FREE PAMPHLET describing Washington and Montana to F. I. Whitney, General Passenger and Ticket Agent, St. Paul, Minn.'.

Advertisement for 'BUSINESS EDUCATION FREE!' by Nelson & Draughon's Practical Business College. Offers 135 scholarships and a great summer discount.

Advertisement for 'TEETH' by Dr. F. O. Cates. Promotes porcelain and gold crown bridge work and a specialty in tooth extraction.

BAKU GOVERNOR KILLED BY BOMB

Article reporting the assassination of the Governor of Baku, Prince Nankhaidza, by a bomb on May 24.

MAW CORN SELLS AT 65 CENTS

Article reporting that maw corn is selling for 65 cents a bushel today, an advance of 7 1/2 cents from yesterday's closing quotations.

COL. R. F. CAMPBELL DIES IN EL PASO

Article reporting the death of Colonel R. F. Campbell, a well-known figure in El Paso, Texas, on May 24.

ST. LOUIS CASH GRAIN

Article reporting the St. Louis cash grain market, noting that wheat and corn prices were steady today.

LIVERPOOL GRAIN CABLE

Article reporting the Liverpool grain cable market, noting that wheat and corn prices were steady today.

Election of Officers Was Not Reached This Morning—Barbecue at Handley

Article reporting on the election of officers for the Texas Millers' Association, which was postponed until this afternoon.

WEAKENING ON MONTANA

Article discussing the weakening of the Texas Millers' Association and the impact of the grain crop on the market.

DEATHS

Obituary notice for William Sexton, an infant child of William Sexton and wife of Glenwood, who died Tuesday afternoon.

NEGRO WOMAN GIVES HERSELF UP

Article reporting that a Negro woman, arrested on charges of stabbing her husband with a butcher knife, has given herself up.

OHIO BANK FAILS

Article reporting the failure of the Canton State Bank in Canton, Ohio, on May 24.

NEW ORLEANS FUTURES

Article reporting the New Orleans futures market, including prices for cotton, sugar, and other commodities.

NEW ORLEANS SPOTS

Article reporting the New Orleans spot market, including prices for various goods and commodities.

NEW YORK FUTURES

Article reporting the New York futures market, including prices for cotton, sugar, and other commodities.

YOUTH HELD ON CHARGE OF ASSAULT ON KILL

Article reporting that a young white man was brought here last night from Ferrys and lodged in the county jail on a charge of assault to murder.

SOUTHERN INDUSTRIAL PARLIAMENT MEETING

Article reporting on the meeting of the Southern Industrial Parliament, discussing foreign commerce and immigration.

COURT ENJOINS LABOR FEDERATION

Article reporting that a court has granted a restraining order against the California Federation of Labor and local labor unions.

RELIGIOUS TOLERATION

Article reporting on religious toleration in St. Petersburg, where a reaction against religious intolerance is being argued.

TODAY'S RECEIPTS

Table showing today's receipts for cattle, hogs, sheep, and horses and mules.

TOP PRICES TODAY

Table showing top prices for steers, cows, hogs, and calves.

TODAY'S SALES

Table showing today's sales for steers, cows, hogs, and calves.

MARKETS ELSEWHERE

Table showing market prices for Chicago live stock, including cattle, hogs, and sheep.

ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK

Table showing live stock prices for St. Louis, including cattle, hogs, and sheep.

KANSAS CITY LIVE STOCK

Table showing live stock prices for Kansas City, including cattle, hogs, and sheep.

Advertisement for 'THE WEATHER' by The Nelson and Draughon Business College. Promotes a course in weather forecasting.

Advertisement for 'OUR SALE' at NIX, The Furniture Man. Promotes a sale on furniture and household goods.

Advertisement for 'LADIES' TAILOR' at CONNER'S BOOK STORE. Promotes ladies' tailor-made clothing.

Advertisement for 'UMBRELLAS' at CONNER'S BOOK STORE. Promotes a sale on umbrellas.

Advertisement for 'CROCKERY' at CONNER'S BOOK STORE. Promotes a sale on crockery.

Advertisement for 'HAMMOCKS!!!' at CONNER'S BOOK STORE. Promotes a sale on hammocks.

Advertisement for 'Scott's Santal-Pepsin Capsules' as a positive cure for various ailments.

Advertisement for 'GOING TO SUNNY CALIFORNIA' by Southern Pacific. Promotes travel to California.

Advertisement for 'ORIENT BONUS IS RAISED' by Southern Pacific. Promotes a bonus for Orient travel.

Advertisement for 'ASK AGENTS' by Southern Pacific. Promotes travel agents for California.

Advertisement for 'San Angelo Celebrates Contributions of \$50,000' for the Orient Railway.

Advertisement for 'CARD OF THANKS' from the bereaved family of the late Mrs. George D. Ackly.

Advertisement for 'STABBED IN HEAD WITH POCKETKNIFE' in Denton, Texas.

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WACO WINS IN 10-INNING GAME Fort Worth Fans See Prettiest Game of the Year at Haines Park

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Table with columns: Club, Played, Won, Lost, Per cent. NATIONAL LEAGUE

Had Harris' liner to center been two feet higher, he would have won his own ten-inning pitchers' battle with Rodebaugh of Waco, or at least forced another inning.

NOTES OF THE GAME The fans stood with Waco in the demand for a new ball.

Where They Play Today Waco at Fort Worth, Temple at Dallas, Austin at Corsicana.

AT LOUISVILLE Louisville, Ky., May 24.—The track record for seven furlongs was equaled by Alan-A-Dale at Churchill Downs yesterday.

AT BELMONT PARK First race, 7 furlongs: Novena 1, Ismailan 2, St. Roman 3. Time, 1:27 4-5.

AT UNION PARK First race, 1 3-16 miles: Alabarch 1, Patrons 2, Prince of Plisen 3. Time, 2:14 3-5.

AT ELM RIDGE First race, mile: Exclamation 1, Rough and Tumble 2, Our Bessie 3. Time, 1:40 8-5.

NOTHING DOING Boles opened up willingly but couldn't get the ball past Pruitt, who caught him easily at first.

OLENERS DEFEAT AUSTIN Get Victory by Hard Work After Apparent Defeat CORSCICANA, Texas, May 24.—Despite the fact that Austin got five runs in the first inning to the Oilers' none, the Oilers braced, got four tallies in the second and two in the ninth, winning the game by a score of 6 to 5.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION Milwaukee 5, Louisville 0. Minneapolis 10, Toledo 0. Kansas City 1, Indianapolis 3.

A DISASTROUS CALAMITY It is a disastrous calamity, when you lose your health, because indigestion and constipation have spoiled it away.

AT TORONTO First race, 6 furlongs: Big Mac 1, The Elba 2, Thomond 3. Time, 1:17 1-4.

AT ST. LOUIS FAIR GROUNDS First race, 4 1/4 furlongs: Pretty Doreen 1, Dollie H. 2, February Blue 3. Time, 1:00 3-4.

BASE BALL FORT WORTH VS. WACO Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Game called at 4:30 p. m. AT HAINES' PARK

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## NATIONAL PRIDE IS STRONG IN FIGHTERS

Even "Retired" Jeffries Says He Would Again Don Gloves to Defend American Boxing Championship

BY W. W. NAUGHTON.  
 SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., May 24.—"I'm glad that the championship remains in America," said John L. Sullivan as he stood at the ringside after being defeated by Jim Corbett.

"I'd get back into the game in a minute and tried to walk off with the title," said big James J. Jeffries a few days ago.

The same old sentiment seeking utterance after a lapse of thirteen years shows plainly that national pride is strong in these big men of the fighting game.

But Jeff does not dream that a bruiser from lands across the sea will ever establish a right to laurels which go with manly a right to the sport of the glove. Of course, he does not list Bob Fitzsimmons as a foreigner. He considers that the freckled ferrier has cut loose from everything in the line of early associations

except his strawberry hair and his sunspots and is now part and parcel of this great commonwealth.

They had been telling Jeff about "Gunner" Moll of England, and Bill Squires of Australia. Just before he spoke of the remote contingency that might bring him forth once more from the privacy which enshrouds the life of a country gentleman.

"I don't know anything about this Australian, Squires, but judging from the heavyweights they have turned out there within the past ten years I should imagine that he does not amount to a great deal," said Jeffries. "I think I have a pretty good line on the Englishman, though. When I was over there a few years ago I filled an Englishman at the Royal Aquarium and I boxed with a fresh heavyweight every night. There wasn't among them one who amounted to a hill

of beans. If I happened to jab one of them a little harder than usual the master of ceremonies would say for my benefit: 'Remember, gents, this is h'only h'a h' exhibition,' and of course I would apologize and play lighter. I don't think they have a good man of any size in that country and I doubt if they have had one since Charlie Mitchell ruled the roost."

The jig is up; the die is cast; the fiat has gone forth; the inevitable has happened.

John L. Sullivan and Charlie Mitchell have signed to box fifteen rounds up Seattle way in September. As the articles do not contain the reservation, "if we are both alive," it is to be inferred that the two venerable piles are feeling quite coltish and are looking forward to smiting each other full sore.

And how they are working it up. Every once in a while word comes from the north that it is only by the exertion of vigilance that Charlie and John are kept from falling upon each other tooth and nail. The promoters are just wearing themselves out trying to delay the day of reckoning until the old-timers meet in the ring. One night some one shouted, "Chantilly!" when Sully and Mitchell were within a few yards of each other and it looked for a few seconds as if the round rivals would bump together and explode.

How innocently John L. tells of the way he is rounding to form. He is taking off forty pounds of weight at a clip, according to his telling. At this rate of going he will be able not only to toe the scratch, but see it.

Well by their wallops ye shall know them. If the two patriarchs of pugilism are simply marking in a little commercial venture for mutual gain they had better sidetrack all that bogus bitterness and make a clean breast of it. Their meeting would then attract attention on account of its historical significance, whereas it would simply invite derision if exploited as an athletic event.

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Won't somebody please stop it or else make them confess that they are merely going to indulge in a little sketch entitled, "Back from the Boneyard?"

### GREAT ALL-ROUND PLAYER THREATENS TO JUMP



ROGER BRESNAHAN.

NEW YORK, May 24.—Roger Bresnahan, the greatest all-around player in the National League, if not in the baseball world, who has played every position on the New York team, save that of pitcher, and whose hitting is one of the sensations of the old league, is said to be on the verge of quitting McGraw, owing to some trouble. Bresnahan went to New York with the deserters from Baltimore, and is a player of the McGraw type. The trouble this year arose over the refusal of McGraw to let Bresnahan do an equal share of the backstop work, and Roger threatens to join the outlaws.

**IT TICKLES THE DEVIL**  
 Nearly to death to have a preacher smoke and chew tobacco before little boys. Dr. Hill of Greenville, Texas, however, has discovered a perfect cure for tobacco habit in all forms.

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### MINERAL WELLS LINE GIVEN START THROUGH MEETING HELD TODAY

Citizens From All Places Interested Discuss Project at Board of Trade Rooms

### COMMITTEES ARE NAMED

Firm footing was placed under the project of the proposed interurban line from Fort Worth to Mineral Wells at a meeting of representatives from this city and Mineral Wells and all intermediate points, which was held in the board of trade rooms this morning.

The meeting adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That there be constituted a committee of nine, consisting of one from Fort Worth, Azle, Reno, Springtown, Agnes, Poolville, Whitt, Advance and Mineral Wells, whose duty it shall be to make an active canvass along the line between Fort Worth and Mineral Wells and secure subscriptions of right of way, lands, depot grounds, cash donations and subscriptions to stock and bonds of a steam railway, or an electric railway, which shall transport freight, passengers and express.

"That said right of way, lands, depot grounds, cash donations and subscriptions to the stock and bonds shall be so made and expressed as to be made payable to the first persons, association or company who shall enter into a contract with the committee herein provided for, to construct a steam or electric railway which shall transport freight, passengers and express over and along the most practicable line between the towns, or any of them, herein named.

"That said committee be authorized and empowered to appoint subcommittees to carry out the purpose of this resolution."

Representatives to carry on the work in each town were appointed as follows, each being empowered to select such committees as he deemed necessary: B. E. Paddock, Fort Worth; Cicero Smith, Mineral Wells; James Rose, Poolville; J. W. McCracken, Springtown; W. C. Curtis, Advance; E. N. Miller, Whitt; J. W. Walker, Azle; J. M. McCrory, Reno; R. L. Hobbs, Agnes.

On adjournment members of the committee went into special session to map out a plan of work and to make preparations for beginning the subscription.

D. T. Bomar, president of the board of trade, was elected chairman of the meeting.

B. E. Paddock outlined the status of the proposition as it stands, saying that the Louisiana capitalists had looked over the situation, and were favorably impressed. It is his opinion that an offer of a bonus of \$1,000 per mile, together with the provision of the right of way, depot grounds and terminus, would be sufficient to induce the capitalists to carry out the project.

It was the sense of the meeting, how-

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- Sap Sago Cheese, .....
- Acme Creamery Butter, .....
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- Sweet Pickles, .....
- Dill Pickles, .....
- Sweet Mango Pickles, .....
- Sugar Corn (sold by many for 25c), my price, 3 for ..... 25¢
- Best extra packed Corn, 2 for ..... 25¢
- 3-lb. Tomatoes (Standard pack, not seconds), 3 cans ..... 25¢
- 3-lb. Lye Hominy, 3 cans ..... 25¢
- 3-lb. Pumpkin, 3 cans ..... 25¢
- 3-lb. Pie Peaches, 3 cans ..... 25¢
- 3-lb. Pie Apples, 3 cans ..... 25¢
- 1/2-gal. Pail Table Syrup ..... 25¢
- 1/2-gal. Pail Sorghum ..... 25¢
- 1-gal. Pail Table Syrup ..... 50¢
- 1-gal. Pail Sorghum ..... 50¢
- Octagon Soap, 6 bars ..... 25¢
- White Star Soap, 7 bars ..... 25¢
- Lennox Soap, 7 bars ..... 25¢
- Swiss Laundry Soap, 8 bars ..... 25¢
- Busy Bee Soap, 11 bars ..... 25¢
- Lump Starch, 5 lbs. .... 25¢
- Quart bottle Bluing ..... 5¢
- Salt Soda, .....
- Washing Salts, .....
- Gasoline, 5 gallons ..... 80¢
- Kerosene Oil, 5 gallons ..... 75¢
- Brilliant Oil, 5 gallons ..... 65¢

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ever, not to confine the proposition to any one company or set of promoters and to this end the committees were appointed to carry on the work in their respective towns and make a standing offer to any person or firm who will build the line.

Those who attended the meeting were Cicero Smith, C. W. Wilson, G. P. Barber and Albert Stevenson of Mineral Wells; J. T. Robertson, J. D. Hutcheson, A. J. Cunningham, J. W. Beard, Clarence Kidd and J. W. McCracken, Springtown; J. G. Rose, C. A. Moore, W. T. Houser, C. W. McCarty, Joe Davenport and W. J. Sparks, Poolville; W. Heasley, E. N. Miller, Whitt; G. W. Webb, Hartford; W. C. Curtis, Advance; R. L. Hobbs, Agnes; Messrs. Washer, Paddock, Montcastle, Cetti, Weeden, Bryce, Matthews, Judd, J. C. and Stuart Harrison, Flournoy, Bomar, Burnsides and Spencer of this city.

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**Bank Officers Arrested**  
 SAN FRANCISCO, May 24.—J. B. Young, president of the Goldfield Bank and Trust Company, and Francis L. Burton have been arrested in this city.

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Miss Elva Friddell of Gainesville, Texas, and Miss Maud Matheny of Wichita Falls, Texas, make good gains today

STANDING OF CONTESTANTS			
Miss Winnie Matchett, Guthrie, Ok. 59,175	Miss Goldie Gregory, Weleetka, I. T. 48,875	Miss Lola Riley, Granbury, Texas. 36,500	Miss Mary Crosthwait, Kingfisher, Okla. 33,000
Miss Edna Killon, Amarillo, Tex. 57,360	Miss Elva Friddell, Gainesville, Texas 47,250	Miss Myrtle Rogers, Decatur, Tex. 36,500	Miss Lillian Barron, Paris, Texas. 32,875
Miss Helen Gragg, Caddo, I. T. 55,700	Miss Cathrine Myers, Decatur, Tex. 46,500	Miss Vivian Hutchison, Bowie, Texas 36,375	Miss Maud Latimer, Edmond, Okla. 32,875
Miss Mabel McCune, Duncan, I. T. 55,700	Miss Maude Matheny, Wichita Falls, Texas 46,250	Miss Nina Finley, Henrietta, Tex. 36,375	Miss Althea Cottingham, Ponca City, Okla. 30,875
Miss Aya Milner, Madill, I. T. 51,875	Miss Berta Sparkman, Alford, Tex. 46,050	Miss Charlele Carroll, Comanche, Texas 36,250	Miss Maude Roberts, Atoka, I. T. 29,500
Miss Willie Branbridge, South McAlester, I. T. 52,875	Miss Ethel McMann, Sapulpa, I. T. 45,875	Miss Charlie Hurt, Dublin, Texas. 36,000	Miss Nelta Yarbrough, Kerens, Texas 30,000
Miss Tennie Thompson, Ardmore, I. T. 52,500	Miss Dona Barton, Tulsa, I. T. 45,000	Miss Nellie Stallings, Blackwell, O. T. 35,000	Miss Willie Gaither, Forney, Tex. 24,875
Miss Pearl Simpson, Purcell, I. T. 51,500	Miss Whig Murray, Checotah, I. T. 40,875	Miss Nellie Yeager, Sunset, Texas 34,575	Miss Lillian Puryear, St. Joe, Tex. 24,500
Miss Hester Smith, Wagoner, I. T. 51,500	Miss Swan Jordan, Stephenville, Texas 36,875	Miss Pearl Stone, Cleardown, Texas 34,250	Miss Heulah Palm, Whitewright, Texas 24,250
Miss Carrie Hayes, Stillwater, Ok. 51,250		Miss Mabel Squires, Chandler, Okla. 34,250	Miss Sallye Tally, Muskogee, I. T. 24,000
Miss Evelyn Chasteen, Pawnee, Ok. 51,250			

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## MAI-FEST TO CLOSE TONIGHT

Baby Show This Afternoon and Schiller Memorial Service  
Mark End of Celebration

With the baby show this afternoon as the crowning feature the annual Maifest being held at Hermann park under the direction of the Sons of Hermann will come to a close tonight, after one of the most successful events of the sort ever held in the city.

Good prizes offered for the regular afternoon sports have caused close contests on both days, while the balls at night have been largely attended.

## MILLERS CAFE Open for business Sunday, May 28, 1 p. m. At Lake Erie

## MAYOR NAMES CENSUS PROBERS

Aldermen Lehane, Henderson and Moreland to Investigate Means of Correction

Mayor Powell this morning appointed a special census committee to investigate the recent figures sent out by the government census bureau, grossly underestimating the population of this city and giving it an increase of population for four years of but 272 persons.

Alderman Lehane, who introduced a resolution at the last session of the city council calling for a committee to investigate the estimate and consider ways and means for its correction, is made chairman of the committee, with Aldermen Henderson and Moreland as associates.

Under the resolution calling for the committee, it is to not only investigate the government figures, but also to make an estimate of cost of a correct census and means of taking it. A report is to be made to the next meeting of council.

As announced by leading citizens through The Telegram, the government figures are considered grossly inaccurate, working a great detriment to Fort Worth.

Chairman Lehane of the committee has been in Tyler for two weeks on railroad affairs. A meeting of the committee will likely be held upon his return.

## COTTON PROSPECT BETTER

Weekly Crop Bulletin Says Conditions for Staple Throughout the State Have Improved

GALVESTON, Texas, May 24.—Following is the weekly crop bulletin for the week ending May 22:

General Summary—Moderate temperatures prevailed during the week, though it was somewhat cooler than during the previous week. Fair weather prevailed throughout the week over a large part of the state, but during the latter part showery conditions prevailed in the northern portion. The showers were of a local nature, and in places were heavy, causing further damage by washing and flooding. In the northwest the rains were beneficial. Wet ground, the result of earlier rains, prevented cultivation in northern counties early in the week, but later this work was carried on vigorously, except where further hindered by the weather. Crops had become very weedy and badly in need of cultivation, while the heavy rains had left the soil very hard. In the south conditions were favorable for work most of the week. In the extreme west there has been a deficiency of rainfall.

Cotton—The cotton prospects have improved during the week. Some damage resulted from heavy showers in northern counties, increasing the acreage which will have to be replanted, but conditions for replanting and chipping have been improved. The favorable weather conditions which prevailed most of the week have improved the appearance of the crop, though it is still poor in some counties and a large acreage remains to be planted. Cultivation and chipping are in progress in northern counties. The fields are very weedy. The prospects are generally fair to good in southern counties, where rapid growth has been made during the week. Chopping and cultivation are general, and some cotton has been laid by. Squares are forming in some counties. The boll weevil is active in many counties of the southwestern district.

Corn—The corn crop has improved, though it is small and unhealthy-looking in many counties. Fields are very good and badly in need of cultivation. Considerable of this work has been done during the week. In the south corn is in silk and tassels. Much late corn will be planted in northern counties.

Rice and Sugar Cane—Rice seeding has progressed fairly well, though it has been slow in some localities. Some early planting is up. Sugar cane has generally shown some improvement during the week.

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Children's Home Society Meets

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## NOOHEFF, WORTH AND ROSEN HEIGHTS

After a vote declaring the office of city physician void by North Fort Worth council Tuesday night, on the grounds that the election was for a period of but one year, the body failed to reach an agreement concerning a choice of successor to Dr. Gilmore, leaving the office still vacant.

As announced in The Telegram there are four applicants for the position: Dr. Gilmore, Dr. Galloway, Dr. Lewis and Dr. Haggart. The name of Dr. Galloway was put up for the office at the meeting, but a tie vote prevented election.

Routine matters were then taken up by the body.

BOARD OF EQUALIZATION

A board of equalization of taxes was named at the meeting, J. G. Capps, R. C. Godwin and J. W. Condon being placed upon it. Their sessions will begin June 20.

SANITARY MATTERS

Sanitary matters were discussed at length by the council. Officer Claypole finally being appointed a mounted officer with an increase of salary to \$75 a month, his special duty being made the inspection of sanitary matters. Officer Montgomery was also made a mounted officer at similar salary.

RESIGNATION PRESENTED

Alderman Conway during the meeting presented his resignation as chairman of the street and alley committee. No appointment of his successor has yet been made by Mayor Pritchard.

City Engineer Hawley of Fort Worth presented a bill of \$1,600 for services which was referred to the finance committee. Street matters were discussed, a resolution being adopted calling for straightening of Fourteenth street between Ellis and Clinton avenues.

WATERWORKS SUPERINTENDENT

Frank Grogan was made superintendent of the waterworks plant now being erected and instructed to go on duty at once that he may become thoroughly familiar with the plant during its construction. No salary was fixed at the meeting, a report being asked by the waterworks committee on duties and compensation at next meeting.

TAX RATE

On report of the finance committee, a tax rate for the year of 50 cents ad valorem, 15 cents for street improvements and 20 cents for school purposes was adopted.

NOTES AND PERSONALS

J. M. Skipper is erecting a \$1,500 residence in Chilton avenue.

Miss Julia Holden of Mineral Wells is visiting Mrs. Jack Pittman, 1515 Clinton avenue, North Fort Worth.

Miss Eva French of Brownwood is visiting Mrs. L. McGee of Lake avenue for several days.

Charles Wiggins of Brownwood was visiting old acquaintances in North Fort Worth this week.

J. A. Clark who has been visiting friends in Grand Saline, is expected home in a few days.

Work will commence in the morning on the repairing of the Episcopal church, damaged by the recent storm. It is estimated that \$1,000 will be required to repair the church.

Work has just been completed on the addition to the North Fort Worth fire station. The addition is 14x24 feet and will be used for the chemical wagon. Sleeping rooms will be arranged on the second floor.

## DELEGATES WANT TO FACE ISSUE

Many Declare the Federation Question Must Now Be Met Squarely by Assembly

The report to the Southern Presbyterian assembly Tuesday noon made by the committee on closer relations or federation with other branches of the Presbyterian denomination does not meet the entire approbation of a great many of the commissioners attending the general assembly.

The matter has been pending some time and the desire seems to be to settle the question and set at ease the unrest and agitation it has occasioned. The compromise offered by the committee does not meet the wishes of a large majority of the commissioners who have expressed themselves since the report was presented to the assembly.

It was urged by some that it would have been much better had the committee even made a majority and minority report, in which event the church would realize distinctly just where it stood on the pending question.

"It's practically no report at all in its present attitude, for it leaves us just where we began, and puts off action for another year," said one commissioner. "I for one am not willing to accept the compromise report and expect to assert myself on the floor of the assembly Wednesday," he continued. This same opinion is shared by a great many others who expressed themselves to The Telegram reporter.

Another commissioner said he was opposed to continuing the committee and will fight the report from start to finish.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON

The afternoon session Tuesday was devoted mainly to a report of the home missions committee, which was adopted after much discussion.

The total contribution to this cause during the year was shown to be \$68,288.77, an increase over any previous year.

The report in part shows the collections during the year have been \$40,427.27, an amount of \$78.25 has been loaned from localities \$35,581.75 has been received and a total of \$68,288.77 is acknowledged. It is stated that the average amount used for support of ministers and teachers for the last ten years has been \$30,169 per year. For the last five years has been \$51,293 per year. The amount expended in other ways on an average for seven years has been about \$25,718.03 per year and for the last four years has been \$34,260.17 per year. A total number of 170 ministers and teachers have been aided during the year, and 348 churches have been assisted.

The recommendation of the committee was that the total home mission fund the coming year be \$100,000.

COMPLAINANT WINS

The commission to try the complaint of J. M. Wells et al vs. the synod of North Carolina found for the complainant. The Missouri case has not yet been reported.

BARBECUE AT HANDLEY

At 4 o'clock the assembly adjourned and took cars for Handley, where the members were treated to a genuine old-fashioned barbecue prepared by W. G. Turner.

W. B. Paddock was toastmaster. Several very interesting toasts were responded to by prominent ministers whose remarks, in many instances, were quite pointed, particularly those of Dr. Lyon of Louisville and Dr. Johnson of Dallas.

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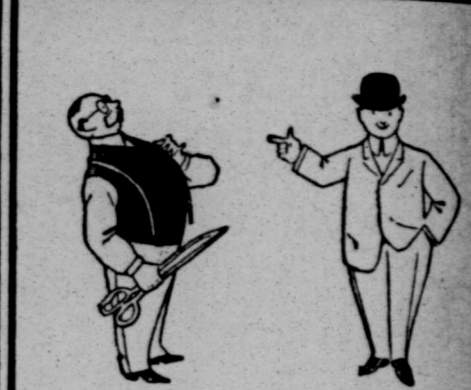
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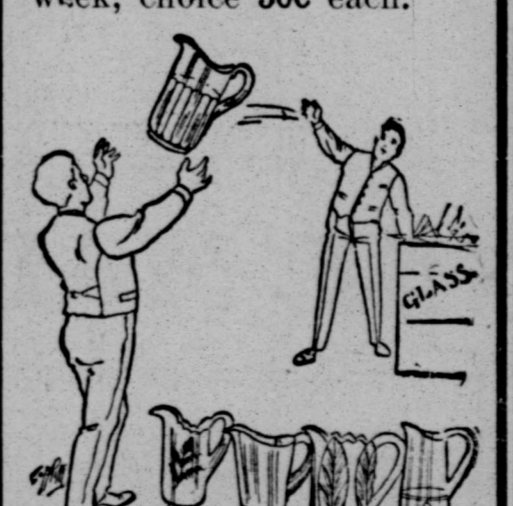
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