

STRIKERS ASK FOR THEIR OLD JOBS

Decided Break Occurs in Ranks of Chicago Teamsters'

Forces

LOCKOUT MAY END SOON

Factions Disagree Over Conduct of Negotiations, Causing the Split

CHICAGO, June 19.—A pronounced break in the ranks of the strikers occurred today. For the first time since the strike began many weeks ago, there were numerous instances where the striking teamsters applied individually for their former positions without waiting for the strike to be formally declared off.



JOHN C. DRISCOLL

John C. Driscoll, the man who has been making revelations to the grand jury in connection with the calling on and off of strikes, was formerly secretary and attorney for the allied teaming interests. It was his job to keep in touch with business agents of unions.

Wenig Teaming Company, said today: "Many of my old teamsters have asked for their positions back. Not one of them said anything about deliveries to the boycotted firms. I have done nothing yet in the matter, and shall not do anything until I consult with other employers."

It was freely predicted last night by both the Employers' Association and the labor leaders that the teamsters' strike, which has been in progress for over two months, will be a thing of the past before the end of the present week.

Efforts are now being made in two different directions to bring about an adjustment of the difficulty.

"According to one of the officials of the Chicago Federation of Labor, the strike will be called off entirely by the strikers themselves. As a step toward this end, it was decided yesterday at an executive meeting of the Chicago Federation of Labor to begin the mission-work this morning with members of the Teamsters' Joint Council.

The plan is to work on these officials and bring a majority of them to favoring calling off the strike. When this has been accomplished the members of the joint council are to advocate such a course to the strikers, and when it is assured that a majority of the strikers will be taken on the question, this official of the Federation of Labor declared that by this means only could the trouble be settled.

In addition to this proposed plan to bring the struggle to an end, the more conservative element among the union men devoted the greater portion of yesterday to preparing for the meeting of the representatives of the Employers' Association and a committee from the strikers' ranks.

It developed at the meeting of the Federation of Labor that there exists a great deal of dissatisfaction among the different unions in any proposed manner in which the present strike is being managed. Several members of the strike committee who were present at the meeting stated that they had never been consulted by President Shea and his lieutenants in any proposed manner in which the present strike is being managed.

After a long discussion of the situation the disgruntled members were prevailed upon to remain members of the controlling body, it being pointed out to them that it would look bad for them if they resigned while the affairs of the Teamsters' Union were in such a state.

Several important witnesses it was said last night, would go before the grand jury today and tell what they knew of the bribery charges in connection with the labor troubles in Chicago.

TO END THIS WEEK

Movement Will Be Set on Foot Tonight

CHICAGO, June 19.—There were indications today that the Teamsters' strike would come to an end before the close of this week. The announcement was made from a source high in the councils of the union, that the strikers will be allowed to decide for themselves whether the strike shall be called off, without conditions or be allowed to continue.

A movement which will be set on foot officially tonight at the special meeting of the Teamsters' Joint Council, contemplates a referendum during the next few days by which of the Teamsters may decide for himself whether he has had enough of the warfare.

One of the strongest arguments in favor of the referendum, it is urged, is the fact that the peace terms of the employers contain demands diamet-

CHINESE BOYCOTT AMERICAN GOODS

Commercial Guilds Will Be Fined if Members Violate Agreement

TIEN TSIN, June 19.—Two important meetings were held today in the native city in connection with the anti-American propaganda. The meetings were attended by 400 students representing twenty-six colleges. Ten resolutions were passed, of which the most important were the following:

To boycott American goods; to stimulate Chinese manufactures to circulate an American literature and to record results.

Other bodies representing 200 members from the commercial guilds of seventeen provinces have signed an agreement under a mutual bond to forfeit 50,000 taels if any member is reported purchasing American goods.

The Peking guilds are circulating 10,000 copies of the agreement.

FREIGHT TRAIN WRECK

Stock Train on Santa Fe Ditched Near Ardmore

ARDMORE, I. T., June 19.—Seventeen cars of mixed freight and a stock train was wrecked at noon yesterday on the Santa Fe, twelve miles south of here. No lives were lost and the stock escaped without injury. Traffic was delayed twenty hours.

TRAINMEN KILLED IN WRECK ON FRISCO

Meteor Leaves Rails While Pulling Out of Oklahoma City

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., June 19.—The Meteor, a fast passenger train on the St. Louis and San Francisco railroad, which left this city yesterday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock for Kansas City and Meriden, was derailed in southern Oklahoma by a city and Engineer Binkley and Fireman Fisher were instantly killed. Express Messenger Jewett was badly injured, while all of the passengers were more or less shaken up and bruised.

Engineer Binkley was cut in two, while the fireman was scalded beyond recognition. The deceased lived here and have families.

The train was running at the rate of thirty miles an hour and was rounding a sharp curve on a high embankment when the tender of the engine jumped the track. The tender was telescoped by the baggage car and the cab was reduced to kindling.

The engineer was cut in two while the fireman was plinked to the boiler and was scalded to death. None of the cars left the track.

When the news of the wreck reached the city it was reported that ten persons had been killed and thirty injured. Ambulances and twenty surgeons were immediately dispatched to the scene.

HAVANA MOURNS FOR LATE GENERAL GOMEZ

Flags of Every Nation at Half Mast in Honor of Distinguished Patriot

HAVANA, June 19.—The flags of every nation in Havana are at half-mast over the legations and consulates in honor of the dead general, Maximilian Gomez, and his funeral will be held here at five o'clock today. In every street there are long rows of Cuban flags draped in mourning and even the poorest tenements have craped tie to the windows.

The Spanish Club joined in the mourning by hoisting the Castilian flag at half-mast. The body of General Gomez was taken to the palace, where it now lies in state in the principal saloon, surrounded by great masses of flowers sent by relatives, friends, comrades, the government departments, social and political organizations. The body is guarded by a detachment of rural guards and several of the general's friends are acting as a guard of honor. There was a procession of visitors to the palace today, and the face of the general was exposed after it was finally looked upon by the members of his family. Band concerts and performances in the theaters, which are customary on Sunday, as well as all social gatherings, were wholly suspended yesterday.

Congress at a special session early this morning, decided that the period of mourning should continue for three days, during which time public business would be suspended. Business houses, which will take \$15,000 for the funeral, which will take place Tuesday.

TRAINS MAKE SCHEDULE

Lake Shore's Twentieth Century Limited Goes to New York in Eighteen Hours

CHICAGO, June 19.—The first west bound trip on the eighteen-hour basis made by the Twentieth Century Limited over the Lake Shore railroad, finished five minutes ahead of time. The train left here from New York at 8:30 a. m. and glided into the La Salle street station at 8:25 a. m.

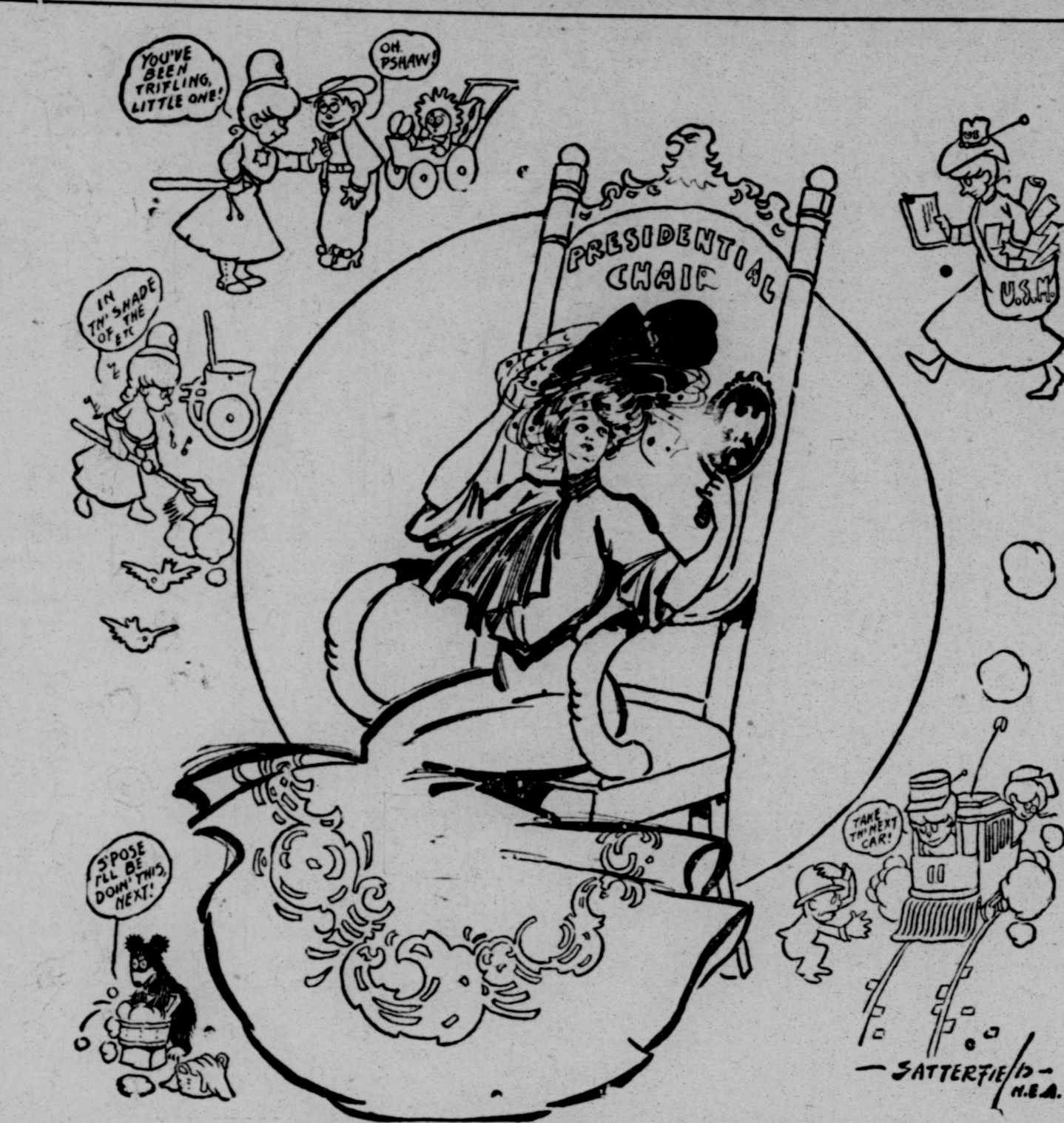
GAIN THREE MINUTES

NEW YORK, June 19.—The Twentieth Century Limited train on the New York Central railroad arrived in this city from Chicago at 9:27 a. m. It today, three minutes ahead of time. It left Chicago at 2:30 p. m. (Central time) yesterday and made the run in seventeen hours and 57 minutes. This ended the Twentieth Century's first trip as an eighteen-hour train.

COULD SAVE HOURS

CLEVELAND, Ohio, June 19.—The west bound Twentieth Century Limited over the New York Central and Lake Shore Line, which left New York last evening on its first eighteen-hour trip to Chicago, arrived here on time at 2:05 a. m., and departed after two minutes stop, for the west. No attempt was made to run later than the time called for in the schedule, although the officials declared it would be possible to clip two or three hours from the run-

AND WHAT WILL BECOME OF MERE MAN?



JUSTICE BREWER OF THE SUPREME COURT SAYS THAT IT IS ONLY A QUESTION OF TIME WHEN A WOMAN WILL OCCUPY THE PRESIDENT'S CHAIR.

TWENTY-THREE DEAD IN MARYLAND WRECK

Workmen on Their Way Home Killed When Passenger and Freight Trains Crash

BALTIMORE, Md., June 19.—The death toll of Saturday night's disaster on the Western Maryland railroad foots up twenty-three, and this number is likely to be increased from among the list of those grievously mangled.

All the dead were employees of the road, returning to their homes in small towns along the road to spend Sunday. With the exception of the train crew, they had been on work repairing the damage done to the roadbed ten days ago by a minor freight wreck at Mount Hope station near this city. The train, which was No. 3 passenger, westbound, carried a large number of passengers. As many of the workmen as could do so went into the baggage car, the remainder of the gang of thirty-five finding places on the platform between the mail and baggage cars and between the latter and the tender.

In the neighborhood of Patapsco station, about eight miles from Westminster, the Western Maryland has many curves, and that just west of the bridge crossing the Patapsco river is a sharp one. An extra freight made up of heavy coal and provision cars was running fast. According to its orders, it should have taken the siding to allow No. 5 to pass. Why the orders were disregarded will never be known, for those who should have seen that they were obeyed are dead. The passenger train was running at a speed of thirty miles an hour and the freight, a double-header, was making good time. Just west of the bridge they came together with terrific force, the three engines being piled upon one another, fortunately in such manner that sufficient connections were broken to relieve the boilers and thus prevent further horror of one or more explosions. The fearful impact drove the passenger tender into the baggage car and demolished it, and in an instant the scene resembled a shambles.

Along the track on both sides were scattered dead and frightfully mangled men, while most of those who had been in the baggage car and on the engines were plinked in the wreckage out of the immediate reach of helping hands. The damage to the other cars of the passenger train was confined almost entirely to broken windows and doors and the passengers were occupants to bruises from the shaking up and minor cuts from flying glass.

Heartrending shrieks from the injured brought to the scene the inhabitants of all the farm houses within a considerable radius, and those immediately inaugurating work. Farmers' wives and daughters made bandages of their clothing and household linen and worked heroically amidst the blood and grime. One or two physicians who had been passing in the neighborhood directed their efforts to the wretched train bearing doctors sent as quickly as possible from Baltimore and Westminster.

SIX DIE FROM THE HEAT IN PITTSBURG

Government Thermometer Registers Over 90 Three Days in Succession

PITTSBURG, Pa., June 19.—The continuous high temperature yesterday was the cause of six deaths and three prostrations.

For the past three days the government thermometer has registered a maximum of 90 each day. For the first time in its history the W. Dewees wind mill of the American Shot Stack Co. crowded with mothers and nurses with babies. Extra details of police were sent out to all these places.

THE WEATHER SPOTTER

Temperature at 2 p. m., 95 degrees. Wind, south, with a velocity of 4 miles an hour. Barometer, stationary.

ARGENTINA CONSUL MEETS PRESIDENT

He Announces That American Investments Are Less Than British

NEW YORK, June 19.—Dr. Salvador A. Pratto, consul of Argentina at St. Louis, has gone to Washington, where he expects to meet President Roosevelt for the purpose of discussing greater American commercial and financial representation in the South American republics.

Dr. Pratto is authority for the statement that there is invested in Argentina \$1,500,000,000 of English capital, while the American investments amount to only \$20,000,000. The lack of initiative on the part of the United States in cultivating interest in South American commercial and financial investments, declares Dr. Pratto, is responsible for the practical monopoly held by the English.

TERRIBLE SUFFERING FROM HEAT IN NEW YORK

Authorities Ordered That Public Parks Remain Open at Night for Poor

NEW YORK, June 19.—Showers and a change in the wind early today greatly reduced the temperature and excessive humidity from which Greater New York sweated throughout the Sabbath. Nowhere in the city was suffering so intense as in the East Side tenement houses, where little preparation had been made for it. Ordinarily such days do not come until early in July.

SHOOTING INTERRUPTS YOUTHS' WEDDING PLAN

Sid Lawson of Hays County Held on Charge of Killing Brother-in-Law

AUSTIN, Texas, June 19.—Sid Lawson, aged 21 years, shot and killed his brother-in-law, Walter Biles, aged 30 years, yesterday morning at 11 o'clock at the front gate of the Lawson home place, three miles west of Buda, Hays county. According to Lawson's story, the killing was done in self-defense. Immediately after the killing young Lawson, accompanied by his father, Amos Lawson, a well known farmer of that part of the country, came to Austin and surrendered to Sheriff Matthews. Lawson will be kept here until today when Sheriff Jackman of Hays county, who was notified over the phone, will be here after Lawson and take him to San Marcos.

Young Lawson was to have been married yesterday afternoon to Miss Mary Rountree of Buda, and all preparations for the wedding had been made, but on account of the tragedy, the ceremony was necessarily postponed. Young Lawson came to Austin Saturday from his home in a buggy and procured a marriage license from the county clerk here to wed Miss Rountree, and it was while on his return home that he said he met Biles.

"It was about sundown," said Lawson yesterday afternoon in discussing the tragedy, "that I overtook Biles on the road. He was on horseback and I was in a buggy. He knew I was to marry Miss Rountree and he was angry because I had not invited him to the wedding. I told him that it was his own fault, but he did not seem to satisfy him, and he cursed me. I told him I was unarmed, but he kept cursing me and I said nothing further to him. This was Saturday evening.

"Sunday morning," continued young Lawson, "Biles rode up to within about 150 yards from our house, and pulled out his pistol and shouted that he was time fired at the walk, and at the same time he could be plainly seen by the folks at the house. He got off of his horse, took his coat off and laid down under a tree. He stayed there for some time and called to me to come out, at the same time calling me vile names. I could plainly see his pistol in his pocket. After remaining there for a short time he commenced approaching the house, and when he got to the gate near the house I walked out into the hall, and he again cursed me and told me to come out, that he would fix me.

"Just as I got near the door, he made a motion as if to draw his pistol, I then grabbed a double barreled shotgun and fired both barrels at him, both of the shots taking effect." fatal. Biles died shortly after being shot. The shot penetrated several portions of his body.

As soon as the shooting was over Lawson, with his father, started for Austin, reaching here at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The boy's father did not want to take his son to San Marcos as they would have to pass through Buda, where some of the Biles reside, and it would probably have caused more trouble.

It appears from what young Lawson said yesterday afternoon that the Biles and the Lawsons had not been on very good terms for the past three years, which is said to have been probably the primary cause of the tragedy. The Biles live about two and a half miles from the Lawson place. The two families are well known in that section of the county. Biles had married a sister of Lawson's.

NEW ORLEANS FORECAST

NEW ORLEANS, June 19.—The forecast for the southwest is as follows: East Texas (north)—Tonight and Tuesday partly cloudy weather.

East Texas (south)—Tonight and Tuesday partly cloudy weather; light to fresh southerly winds on the coast.

Oklahoma and Indian Territory—Tonight and Tuesday scattered showers and thunderstorms; cooler in eastern portion tonight.

Arkansas—Tonight and Tuesday scattered showers and thunderstorms; cooler tonight in the north portion.

RUSSIANS AGREE TO MEET IN WASHINGTON

Withdraw Request to Meet at the Hague and Forward Acceptance to United States

ST. PETERSBURG, June 19.—Russia has finally and definitely accepted Washington as the meeting place of the Russian plenipotentiaries, the foreign office having waived its request for reconsideration at the personal direction of the emperor, whose desire to give the fullest and fairest opportunity to President Roosevelt's proposal for a peace conference is thereby manifested.

After his conference with Ambassador Meyer, Count Lamsdorff, the foreign minister, went last night to Peterhof and laid the matter before the emperor, who, on learning that insistence of The Hague might endanger the negotiations, directed Count Lamsdorff to inform Ambassador Meyer that Russia would accept Washington.

It was after midnight Friday night when the foreign minister returned from Peterhof, but Ambassador Meyer was forthwith notified and a cipher dispatch was prepared and sent to the state department at Washington at an early hour Saturday morning.

Count Lamsdorff has issued a public announcement of the selection of Washington. The result is looked upon as a decided triumph for American diplomacy.

In certain quarters here envy and jealousy of the United States are ill concealed. The entire collapse of the negotiations was predicted yesterday and there was almost open exultation at what was declared to be a "rebuff to Roosevelt." Even in peace circles gloomy faces were drawn at the report that Russia would insist upon The Hague, but thanks to the personal attitude of the emperor and the well-put representations of Ambassador Meyer, the threatened diplomatic mountain has decreased to a mole hill on which negotiations can now proceed rapidly.

COURT ENJOINS TALKING MACHINE

San Antonio Hotel Man Says Noise In-SAN ANTONIO, Texas, June 19.—Terejures His Business

rell and Hickman filed a petition Saturday in the thirty-seventh district court to restrain Fred Tolle from operating a talking machine in his saloon on Dolorosa street. Plaintiffs alleged that they conduct the Southern hotel, opposite the saloon, and that the defendant operated a large machine with a large organ, which plays band pieces and other loud talking records. They further allege that by reason of this machine guests have left the hotel declaring the machine a nuisance.

Judge Dwyer instructed the clerk to issue the writ as prayed for upon the plaintiff's bond in the sum of \$200 to appear at the next regular term of that court, which convenes in October.

OIL ENGINE STARTS DISASTROUS BLAZE

Water Tank, Coal Chute, Tank and Freight Cars are Destroyed at Paris

PARIS, Texas, June 19.—Fire that started about 7:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon destroyed the water tank, coal chutes, fuel oil tank and ten or twelve freight cars and a passenger engine in the Frisco-Santa Fe yards. The passenger engine on the Santa Fe had just come from Cleburne and was taking a supply of oil at the tank when the supply flooded and caught fire. The men on the engine were unable to stop the fire and had to run for their lives. The oil ran over the engine and caught the coal chutes and freight cars, but by hard work the machine shops and round house were saved. The city fire department could do but little work, owing to the distance from a water main. The vandals in the yards belong to the Frisco, and that road owned most of the burned cars, but the oil tank and passenger engine were the property of the Santa Fe railway.

TELEPHONE MEN MEET

Delegates Will Discuss Every Known Phase of the Business

CHICAGO, Ill., June 19.—Delegates to the convention of the National Interstate Independent Telephone Association, which will open here tomorrow, are arriving. No fewer than one thousand delegates and exhibitors are expected during the week and every known phase of the telephone business will be exploited.

One of the leading questions of the discussion at the meeting is the possibility of installing an independent company in New York City, it is declared, and the subject of uniform toll rates for interconnecting telephone plants will be another important topic. The association has divided the territory into districts, each of which will be officially represented by delegates, and the advantages of standardizing equipments and operation will be fully discussed, with a view to satisfying the largest possible number of companies.

FRANCE ABOUT TO GIVE IN

Premier Rouvier Notifies German Ambassador Conference Probably Will Be Accepted

PARIS, June 19.—Premier Rouvier today informed Prince Radolin, German ambassador at Paris, that France is inclined to accept the invitation to take part in the proposed conference on the Morocco situation provided the German and French governments can reach a mutually satisfactory agreement as to the precise points to be considered by the conference.

The conviction exists at the foreign office that France and Germany will be able to agree upon this program. Authoritative judgment of the foreign office is that they can all be overcome by negotiations.

M. Rouvier first consented to reopen the question and second agreed to take part in the conference provided the protocol is in conformity with French interests. This will be accepted by Germany, which will limit the deliberations of the conference.

Great Britain, supporting France, has also refused to join the proposed conference, but Foreign Secretary Lansdowne has, it is understood, said he will accept. A great diplomatic battle is in progress, with the probabilities leaning toward German success.

JAP TROOPS RETIRE

Russians Succeed in Capturing Two Japanese Villages

HEADQUARTERS RUSSIAN ARMY, Godzhandan, Manchuria, June 19.—The Russian cavalry has retaken the town of Liayangwopeng. The Japanese occupied the village of Sumenchan on the main road to Chang Tufo and Hamkat, but they did not succeed in crossing the river. At 3 o'clock in the afternoon the Russians recaptured Sumenchan, three squadrons of the Japanese retiring in a southwesterly direction.

American Firms Must Go

CHEEFOO, June 19.—American and European firms still in Port Arthur have been notified by the Japanese authorities to depart and remove their merchandise. Many firms are now arranging to charter steamers for that purpose.

ROOSEVELT WAITS CONFERENCE PLANS

President Postpones Vacation in Hope of Hearing from Russia and Japan

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 19.—While progress of the preliminary negotiations for peace between the Far Eastern belligerents is necessarily slow and at this stage of the proceedings it is known President Roosevelt hopes they practically may be concluded before he shall go to Oyster Bay for the summer.

EXPECTS AN EARLY REPLY

Announcement of Plenipotentiaries Will Be Made by U. S. to the World

His desire to facilitate in every way possible the negotiations induced him to reconsider his original plan to go to Oyster Bay this week.

After his visit to Worcester and Williamstown, Mass., where he will go to attend the commencement exercises of the Clark University and the Williams College, he will return to Washington, arriving here next morning.

It is expected that if nothing unforeseen shall have occurred in the meantime, some definite announcement of the status of the negotiations may be made soon after his return. There is a possibility even that the selection of the plenipotentiaries of both Russia and Japan may be announced before the president leaves tomorrow night for Massachusetts.

The final determination of the seat of the conference has not been reached. The president in common with the political world is awaiting the action of the belligerent nations as to their peace envoys. With that part of the program the president has naturally nothing to do.

When the selections have been made the names of the envoys of the respective governments will be communicated to the president. By him they in turn will be communicated to the governments interested and then formally announced to the world.

It is thought arrangements of the conference may proceed with such facility as to avert a general engagement in Manchuria between the forces of General Linvitch and Okama.

The precipitation of a great battle at the present stage of the peace negotiations would be regarded here as a most unfortunate error in judgment, an error which might imperil seriously the negotiations for the conference.

MINERALS FOUND IN GOVERNMENT WOOD

Silver and Lead Near Marlow Cannot Be Worked By Prospectors

MARLOW, I. T., June 19.—A rich vein of lead and silver has been discovered in the government wood reserve near here, an attempt was made to file on it under the mining laws, but it being a military reservation the filing was refused by the Lawton land office. The discoverers of the mineral will contest the decision. Others who have tried to prospect in the reservation have been ejected by the custodian.

THOUSANDS SUFFER FROM CHEAP LABOR

English-Speaking Families in New York Suffer Because of Immigrants

NEW YORK, June 19.—Business men, sociologists and others, responding to a call of the New York Civic Federation, will begin here today a formal discussion of the immigration question in the rooms of the New York Board of Trade and Transportation.

As it has been estimated that at least 60 per cent of the immigrants arriving at this port remain in New York, the over-crowded condition of the East Side streets and tenements during the past six months has awakened new interest in the matter and plans will be discussed for ridding the city of the burden. Some authorities estimate that in Greater New York nearly 160,000 English-speaking families are on the verge of destitution because of the influx of foreign cheap labor.

BUSINESS WOMEN HOLD A MEETING

Will Discuss Advisability of the Purchase of a Home

NEW YORK, June 19.—The Business Women's League formed last year at the St. Louis exposition will hold its second annual convention here early in July. A large attendance is expected from the west.

The league numbers among its members doctors, lawyers, writers, artists, stenographers and workers in all branches of industry. Among its objects is the establishment of a home on Chesapeake Bay, which will be open all the year, where sick or tired members can go for pleasure or recuperation at a slight expense. The league has already a ranch near Denver for the use of its members.

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## COTTON ABANDONED FOLLOWING REPORT

Varying Opinions Regarding Condition of Crop of Tarrant County

Estimates are made in this city that a considerable quantity of cotton has been abandoned in Tarrant county since the compilation of the government report showing an acreage reduction of 11.4 per cent, though some dealers on the other hand feel that the abandonment has been practically nothing, though the crop is late.

F. V. Evans, organizer in this congressional district for the Farmers' Union, declared this morning that there had been quite a material abandonment, though he said it was impossible at this time to form any accurate estimate of the percentage. "I am satisfied, however, that it will be quite considerable," he said.

D. S. Thomas of M. H. Thomas & Co. also estimates that there has been a material abandonment, including part of the crop put in between this city and Dallas. The abandonment occurred mainly between the compilation of the government figures, May 25, and the issuance of the report June 2. The total reduction in Tarrant county he places at 17 per cent. Grass and weeds, he reports, has been permitted to grow up in much of the poor cotton.

At the offices of Felix Bath it is reported that there has been practically no abandonment in this vicinity since the issuance of the government report, the report being based on inspections made during the past week. The crop in this county, they report good at the present time, though four to five weeks late and small. To the south of here and in the vicinity of Waxahachie conditions are reported to be not so good.

In London is a man who has been "best man" at 200 weddings. The explanation is that he has been a city missionary for many years and in that time has befriended hundreds of young couples, helping them to enter the married state.

## These Three Statesmen are Scheduled to Lead In Effecting Peace Between Russia and Japan



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NEW YORK, June 19.—Three men spoken of as the probable peace envoys of the czar to meet Japan's representatives and discuss terms for ending the war. From left to right they are Baron de Rosen, Baron George de Staal and M. De Witte. Baron de Staal was formerly ambassador to Great Britain and presided at the peace conference at The Hague. M. De Witte is one of the greatest constructive statesmen in Russia, and recognized as the emperor's greatest authority on finance. He was opposed from the first to the present war.

## RUSSIA MUST SCRATCH TO RAISE INDEMNITY

Japan Likely to Demand at Least \$260,000,000—Nothing to Meet it With

BY GILSON GARDNER.

Special Correspondence to The Telegram.

WASHINGTON, June 19.—The amount of the war indemnity which Japan will demand of Russia, as one of the conditions of peace, it is reliably stated, will be not less than the sum total of the money borrowed by Japan from foreign countries. This sum total is \$260,000,000.

The indemnity may be larger than the above sum, but it will not be less. In addition to the foreign loan, Japan raised for the late war, without going outside of the island kingdom, \$360,000,000. So the extra money raised by Japan to prosecute the war amounts to \$620,000,000. Back of this was an invested accumulation represented by ships, arms and munitions of war, amounting to as much again.

The actual cost of the war to Japan cannot be estimated with accuracy, even by the Japanese government. Her navy is practically intact, but millions in armament have been expended. The army in Manchuria is also a continuing asset, but the cost of its maintenance and transportation has been enormous.

Disregarding indirect injury done by the war, to commerce, and to the domestic industry of Japan, the main items of monetary expenditure may be summed up as coming within the figures of the foreign and domestic loans; and, measuring the maximum demand to be made on Russia by these, it is safe to say that the Japanese indemnity demand will not be more than \$620,000,000.

It is generally believed by well posted diplomats, and financiers who are interested in the Russian and Japanese loans, that the peace negotiations would begin with a demand by Japan of \$500,000,000, which might later be scaled down to the amount of the foreign loan, namely, \$260,000,000.

The ability of Russia to pay a huge indemnity is seriously questioned. That nation is now fairly staggering under the recent additions to its load of debt. The czar's credit is seriously impaired.

It is today almost impossible for Russia to raise any considerable sum of ready money in the markets of the world. Since the war began the domestic and foreign commerce of the nation has fallen off more than \$25,000,000 each, and the rates of discount have gone up so that little more than half the sum authorized in the latest loans were realized. After the fall of Port Arthur the minister of finance authorized an issue in Germany of 250,000,000 rubles, or \$125,000,000, of which only \$60,000,000 was subscribed.

The history in brief of Russia's war borrowings is as follows: Almost immediately after the war commenced a loan was negotiated in Paris of 800,000,000 francs or \$160,000,000. These were 5 per cent short term bonds, and were practically all subscribed. At the same time the Russian government issued at home 4 per cent treasury notes to the amount of \$75,000,000. These treasury notes are similar to our interest bearing bonds.

After the fall of Port Arthur Russia sought a loan in the German market. An issue of 250,000,000 rubles was authorized; and, as stated, only part of the loan was subscribed.

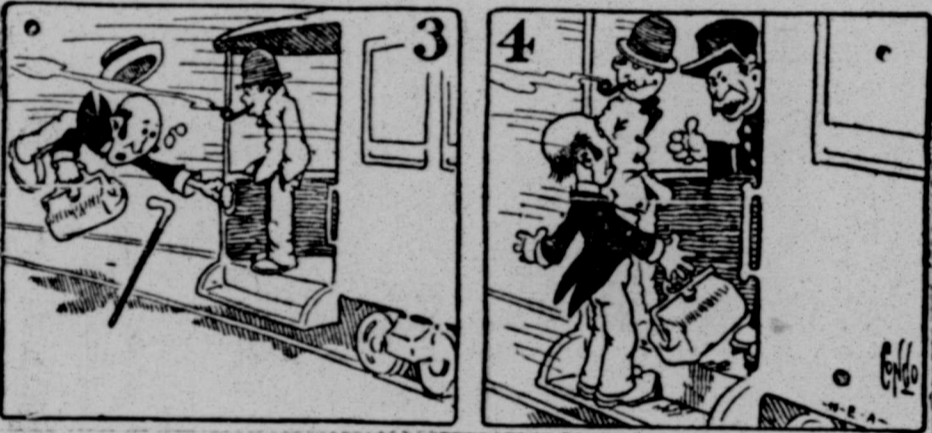
But simultaneously with the German

## IT HAPPENS SO OFTEN



"You'll have plenty of time to catch the car," says your wife, as you start for the station.

And then you have to Lou Dillon for a block because you didn't hurry to the car line.



It's a great struggle, but you make it, though you risk your life in doing so.

And the conductor tells you the car turns off at the barn instead of going to the station.

loan the Russians issued at home another batch of treasury securities, bearing interest at 5 per cent, to the sum of \$125,000,000.

Meantime the credit currency of the nation has been further expanded by the Bank of Russia, which has, during the year subsequent to March, 1904, swelled its issue of circulating notes from \$10,000,000 to \$485,000,000, an increase in twelve months of \$175,000,000. Before and since then the bank has issued other notes, bringing the total additional war issue up to \$250,000,000.

It will be thus seen that this brings the total of Russia's war borrowing up to the enormous figure of \$690,000,000. As against this debt the Russian minister of finance claims, there is in reserve, and offers to exhibit, the official hoard of the Russian government, namely, the reserve gold supply, made up of bullion and coinage, and amounting as he claims, to \$355,000,000. This offer to show so much gold is characterized by bankers in London, Berlin and Paris as "opera bouffe." They look to the reserves of the nation, and decline to lend more.

And now comes the startling but natural sequel—that Russia is already planning to abandon the gold standard. Such is the report in the most conservative financial circles. It is the natural resort of an unscrupulous bankrupt. Being a debtor to all the world, the nation proposes to go to a cheaper monetary basis. The total public debt of Russia on January, 1905 (this does not include the late war borrowings) was \$3,533,245,000.

For previous years the debt was: 1904, \$2,312,055,920; 1903, \$3,314,673,043; 1902, \$3,226,877,075.

But this \$4,000,000,000 indebtedness of Russia does not tell the story. In addition to this there is the whole railroad debt, the government having taken over the railway system and guaranteed the interest on the bonds; and, added to this, other industrial enterprises in which the government has engaged, and become guarantor, so that during the one year of 1900 no less than \$4,000,000,000 worth of securities were issued, on which the government appeared as guaranty for the interest.

Disregarding the participation of the government in the industrial activities of the nation, the official figures of the nominal indebtedness show that there is a debt of \$14.21 for every man, woman and child of Russia's vast domain. The per capita debt of the United States is less than \$11, and of Japan (1902) it was but \$5.

With the industrial burden added to the nominal debt—that is including the guaranteed railroad and other securities which Russia has indorsed—that nation has a debt which may be roundly and conservatively stated at \$5,000,000,000.

In proportion to its revenues and resources Russia is the most heavily indebted nation in the world. Added to the present war expenditures Russia had built up her burden of debt by the Crimean war, the assumption of the Polish national debt, the Russo-Turkish war, the liberation of the serfs and the era of railway building. The average rate of interest is close to 5 per cent.

How can Russia pay? How meet this enormous and growing mountain of obligation?

The answer is one continuous story of tax. First there is the indirect tax of tariff system, similar to that of the United States; then there is the tax on all spirits, accomplished by a national monopoly of this entire business. The czar is the one great saloonkeeper. Not a gill of spirits is sold in the empire except by the government, and then it is dispensed at a good profit. The czar makes

about \$250,000,000 a year on his saloon business.

There are also several other industrial monopolies of lesser importance, and it is contemplated next to take over the tea business as a government monopoly. Other articles taxed are tobacco, sugar, mineral oils, matches and about all the incidental necessities of daily life; then there are special customs duties, stamp duties, transfer duties, passport and railway taxes, etc.; in addition to which are taxes on lands and forest, on all redemption payments, on liberated serfs (head tax), and on "crowd peasants."

The liberated serfs and crown peasants are squeezed for about \$45,000,000 a year. Where will Russia get the money to pay a war indemnity of \$260,000,000 and upward? The poor are ground to the limit now. It is small wonder the nation's financiers are worried.

Malaria Makes Pale Sickly Children. 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.

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Contract has been let to Brydson Bros. to erect a two story brick office building corner of Fourteenth and Main streets. The work will commence Tuesday morning, and it is supposed it will be finished about Sept. 1. The upper part of the building will be office rooms and the lower will be store rooms. William Clemens of New Braunfels, Texas, is the owner. The cost of the building will be \$3,000.

### Baptismal Service

Baptismal services were held Sunday night at the Broadway Baptist church, eight persons who professed faith during the revival concluded by the church last week becoming members. Two others who were converted during the meetings remain to be baptized later.

### HORSE STUNG TO DEATH

PARIS, Texas, June 19.—While Joe McKinney, a farmer two miles north of Hinceley, this county, was plowing Saturday in the peach orchard, where there were several stands of bees, they became angry from being stirred up, attacked the horse and stung it to death.

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**CITY LEAGUE TEAMS TIE IN PERCENTAGE**  
Result of Sunday's Games Leaves All Organizations Even, 500.

All teams in the City League are now bunched at the 500 per cent mark. Rosen Heights defeating Kellers and Denvers taking the second game from Armour.  
Rosen Heights won from Kellers by a score of 8 to 2. The only feature of this game was the pitching of Connelly, who struck out twelve men and allowed but six hits.  
The second game was short and sweet, only seven innings being played, when the game was called on account of darkness. That was time enough, however, for the Denvers to lay the cracked ice on the Armour skip an inch thick, winning in a hop, skip and jump by a score of 13 to 1. During the seven innings the Denvers stole twelve bases.  
Levertt and Stewart landed the ball for a home run each. Stewart placed his out in center in a nice little bunch of weeds, and in such a position that the fielders couldn't find it until too late. Maybe he had that spot picked out. Who knows? Mallard made a pretty little hit over to left and took two bags on it. Stewart took a pretty little fly over in his direction which brought a round of applause.

**FIRST GAME**

AB.	R.	BH.	PO.	A.	E.	
Smith, c.	3	0	1	10	1	2
Haley, rf.	3	2	1	0	0	0
Pankey, lb.	2	2	1	11	1	0
Cheatham, 3b.	3	1	1	1	1	1
Cooper, lf.	3	0	1	0	0	0
Thomas, 2b.	3	1	1	1	2	0
Hornsby, ss.	2	0	0	2	3	1
Hensley, cf.	3	1	0	0	0	0
Connelly, p.	2	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	24	8	6	27	8	4

**KELLER**

AB.	R.	BH.	PO.	A.	E.	
Gunn, lf.	3	0	1	2	1	0
C. Leonard, cf.	4	0	2	1	0	0
Puckett, lb.	3	0	0	10	1	3
C. Rogers, c.	3	0	0	10	1	1
McMackel, ss.	3	0	0	2	2	2
Curtis, 2b.	4	1	0	3	1	2
Stewart, 3b.	4	1	2	1	4	1

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DICK FITZPATRICK. BUDDY RYAN.

Arrangements have been completed for the meeting between Buddy Ryan and Dick Fitzpatrick, scheduled for Battle Creek, Mich., June 22. The boys will fight at 142 pounds, weighing in at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. The scrap is scheduled for 19 rounds, but it is not believed it will go the limit, owing to the hurricane tendencies of the principals.

**SOUTHERN LEAGUE**

Club	Games	Won	Lost	Cent.
New Orleans 2, Little Rock 1, Memphis 3, Shreveport 1.				

**AMERICAN ASSOCIATION**

Club	Games	Won	Lost	Cent.
Louisville 4, Minneapolis 1, Columbus 4, Milwaukee 1, Toledo 5, St. Paul 8.				

**SOUTH TEXAS LEAGUE**

Club	Games	Won	Lost	Cent.
San Antonio 4, Beaumont 2, Galveston 7, Houston 4.				

**NORTH TEXAS LEAGUE**

Club	Games	Won	Lost	Cent.
Paris 9, Texarkana 3, Clarksville 11, Greenville 6.				

**DALLAS LOSES AGAIN**

TEMPLE, Texas, June 19.—Seven-teen hits credited to Temple and five errors for Dallas tell without explanation the score of 11 to 3 Sunday, of which the Boll Weevils hold the large end.

**TEMPLE**

AB.	R.	BH.	PO.	A.	E.	
Coyle, 2b.	6	2	1	3	1	3
McIver, cf.	5	2	0	0	0	0
Shelton, lb.	5	3	0	0	0	0
Cavanaugh, 2b.	4	1	1	0	1	2
Clayton, rf.	2	1	0	1	0	1
Powell, c.	4	1	10	1	0	0
Adams, p.	4	1	0	3	0	0
Block, lf.	5	3	3	0	0	0
Kitchens, ss.	4	2	2	1	2	1
Totals	42	17	27	12	4	4

**DALLAS**

AB.	R.	BH.	PO.	A.	E.	
Deskins, cf.	3	0	2	0	1	0
Andres, 2b.	5	0	2	4	1	1
Vry, lb.	5	1	3	4	0	0
Maloney, 3b.	5	1	3	4	0	0
Ory, lf.	3	0	1	0	1	0
Bero, ss.	4	2	3	1	0	0
Fenner, c.	3	2	6	0	0	0
Blumling, p.	4	0	0	2	1	0
Jutz, rf.	4	1	0	0	2	1
Totals	36	7	27	12	5	1

**TEXAS LEAGUE STANDING**

Club	Games	Won	Lost	Cent.
Dallas	50	22	28	.44
Fort Worth	49	27	22	.551
Waco	52	28	24	.538
Temple	50	26	24	.520

**MINERAL WELLS TO HAVE CHAUTAUQUA**  
Will Begin July 1 and Continue Nine Days  
—Visitors Crowding Into Town

Special to The Telegram.  
MINERAL WELLS, Texas, June 19.—Local committees in charge of the new Chautauqua Auditorium report that plans have been completed for the opening of one of the best courses of lectures and musical attractions ever arranged for any Texas city or resort. Mr. Auer has been secured to select and manage the attractions and there will be eighteen of these, all of high class, the course to open on July 1 and continue for nine days, giving two entertainments daily.  
Mineral Wells is now feeding and watering its great number of patrons and visitors at a true resort place. The wells all need more aid, hotels are rushed, the five bath houses are worked to the limit daily and the sanitarians and doctors are not idle by any means.  
One of the largest cows ever butchered by a Texas market was killed by the Palace market here last Thursday, the dressed weighing over eighteen hundred pounds and selling at a profit of \$1.75 each because of their unusual size and quality.  
Early morning donkey rides are growing more popular with visitors and the Wells donkey stand will be forced to order more live stock soon. On the East mountain the scenery is as picturesque as Colorado in many places and the view photographs taken are many and beautiful these days. Messrs. Evans and McIver are to be in charge of the pictures made at their parlors in the past thirty days.  
The Agnes Cafe is always wide awake and will today make a change in its system of meals in its elegant dining room, to be changed to luncheon service, to be open longer both day and night. Manager C. B. DeWitt reports it next to impossible to care for his business at the pace it has come for fifteen days past.  
W. G. Cain is having erected a nice building in Main street, and there are half a dozen neat residences being completed. And this is only the beginning of The Wells building boom to come.  
Little Miss Elsie and Essie Hammons, captured a half thousand visitors to Mineral Wells this week at the "Texas Carlsbad" pavilion with their vocal duets and pretty stage costumes. These children live at The Wells and are only 12 years of age, yet they show marked musical ability and the Carlsbads are to be congratulated upon getting such unique attractions.

**SAM LAZARUS HERE**  
Reports Closing of Gaps in Brownsville Road

Sam Lazarus, connected with the St. Louis, Brownsville and Mexico railroad, is in the city on his way to Acme to look after his cement interests in that place.  
"We are closing up the gaps on the extension of the Brownsville line between San Antonio and Brownsville," said Mr. Lazarus this morning, "and expect to have this extension completed and in operation by the first of January."  
The distance of this extension is about 230 miles, said Mr. Lazarus. He reports that work is being actively pushed on the line and that the construction is at present under way.  
This is the line in which Messrs. Yaskum and the Moore syndicate are interested and to become a part of the great Colorado and Southern system to the Gulf.

**"MUGGSY" MCGRAW ASSAULTED**  
ST. LOUIS, June 19.—At the conclusion of the St. Louis-New York National League baseball game Sunday, a crowd of spectators of the game set upon Manager J. J. McGraw of the New York team and had not the police interfered it is probable McGraw would have suffered violence. He was struck with an umbrella but not injured.  
While the New York players were entering an omnibus by the side of which McGraw was standing, a crowd assembled and began jeering McGraw. He replied and instantly the crowd set upon him. Somebody struck McGraw on the shoulder with an umbrella and this was followed by a shower of stones. A number of officers hurried up and dispersed the crowd, one man being taken away by a police sergeant, but was later released.  
The omnibus was accompanied from the grounds by several policemen and there was no further trouble.

**BASEBALL PLAYERS ENTER THE BULL RING**  
Young Americans Engage in New Sport at Juarez for Charity

EL PASO, Texas, June 19.—"Brownie" Chamberlain, well known in the Texas baseball world, played a new role here Sunday when he appeared as a bull fighter in the ring at Ciudad, Juarez, the Mexican city opposite El Paso.  
All the fighters were young Americans and the fight was an amateur affair arranged for a charitable purpose, for the benefit of the monument in Juarez to Benito Juarez, the patriot president. The participants in the fight are all young baseball players of this city, mostly having families here, and their first appearance as matadors, placadores, banderillos and capadores caused quite a sensation, especially since there was a great deal of apprehension for their safety. Then, too, the affair was heartily condemned by a large portion of the population of the city, as a sport not only unworthy of being witnessed by Americans, but far beneath the dignity of participation. As a result the fight was one of the most talked of affairs in the city for several days, and quite a large sized crowd attended.  
"Brownie" Chamberlain, the well known ball player, was one of the two matadors, and his stabs at the bull were about as creditable as an American might be expected to make on the occasion of his first appearance in a bull ring in a foreign country. Dennis Ford, another well known player, was the other matador, and "Cucoo," the city for several days, was tossed out of the ring for dead three times in the fight by infuriated bulls, stoned by and directed them, finally dispatching the animals himself in his usual style after the amateurs had been given their chance and had failed.  
The placadores, "the men who ride on horseback," as the Americans always

**THE WAY JACK CHESBRO THROWS THE SPIT BALL**



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BY JACK CHESBRO.  
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I have seen many explanations of the "spit ball" during the winter and spring, but none of them appealed to me as being lucid. I used the ball last season and found it successful beyond my expectations. I have studied it thoroughly and my views on it are the result of this study.  
The principles of the "spit ball," by the way, may be well illustrated by the old trick of throwing a hoop with a reverse twist, so that after it has run along the floor with a certain amount of speed, it suddenly stops and rolls back again.  
The "spit ball" is pitched so that after it has gone a certain distance at great speed, the reverse "English," so to speak, makes it break, or drop, or shoot away so quickly that it is almost impossible for the batsmen to meet the ball squarely.  
Last year George Stovall of the Cleveland team, on one occasion, purposely swung his bat a foot below where the ball seemed about to cross the plate, and knocked out a home run, clear to the center field fence, but that was an accident, you know.  
This wetting the fingers before throwing the ball is going to revolutionize pitching. I'll venture to predict that more curves, shoots and drops will be invented during the next five years than any one has any idea of now.  
I have not been idle during the winter. I spent considerable time experimenting, and of late have discovered several deliveries, which, when I get control, will put the original "spit ball" in the shade. But I'll not try them on league batsmen until I have them thoroughly mastered.

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PROGRESSIVE FORT WORTH  
When a town begins to capture a few valuable enterprises others are inclined to follow, either because it is good business economy to do so, or because men who conduct live enterprises naturally like to be congregated close together. Such seems to be the case from the following resolutions passed by the Texas Grain Dealers' Association in selecting Fort Worth as headquarters:  
"Whereas, Fort Worth is the recognized railroad center of the southwest, and the roads converging here traverse the grain belts of Texas and the territories; and, the Fort Worth Board of Trade, by its influence and efforts, together with the aid and assistance of the local millers and grain dealers, has succeeded in securing facilities for the proper handling, grading and classing of grain; and, the Texas Millers' Association, which is identical in interest with the Texas Grain Dealers' Association, has selected Fort Worth as its permanent headquarters; and, the business of this association can be more readily and promptly transacted from this city than from any other place in the state; therefore, be it  
Resolved, That Fort Worth be selected and is hereby adopted as the home and permanent headquarters of this association."  
It is worth while for a town to work to secure every enterprise possible, be it ever so small and insignificant. Each successful effort adds strength for still greater achievements.—Jacksonboro Gazette.

Fort Worth is the one Texas city that has never been satisfied with past achievements, but when one great or minor enterprise is landed, the effort is immediately launched for more. This is well illustrated in the case of the grain dealers of the state. That organization having made this city its permanent state headquarters, already there is talk of a big public elevator, which will have the effect of making Fort Worth the real grain market of Texas when inaugurated. There is nothing slow about Fort Worth. For many years this city has been the Texas standard so far as growth and development are concerned and we are forging to the front faster than any other city or town in the entire southwest.

THOSE MOTOR CARS  
The Telegram told the story a few days ago of the new gasoline motor cars that are soon to be placed in commission between Galveston and Houston by the Southern Pacific railway, and the prediction was ventured that the same kind of cars would soon be running between Dallas and this city, or rather, between this city and Dallas.  
The announcement is made that the great Rock Island system will soon have gasoline motor cars running from Fort Worth to Dallas and vice versa, for the protection of its passenger traffic, and when the Rock Island says it is going to do a thing it is generally done in short order.  
The report also comes from Dallas that the Texas and Pacific railway is preparing to do the same thing, and it begins to appear that the traveling public between the twin cities of North Texas will soon have just about all the accommodation it needs in its business.  
The interurban railway lines of the country are waking up the passenger departments of the various railways, and some big improvements are now pending.

THAT CHICAGO STRIKE  
Some facts are coming to light in connection with the last big strike in the city of Chicago that are extremely sensational. In the grand jury investigation that has been conducted in the premises there has developed some facts that have served to put both sides of the controversy in a very unenviable light.  
It has been supposed that strikes are invariably caused by a matter of principle, but the Chicago strike seems to be based upon a form of thifty commercialism that is far removed from the usual animus.  
It can be said to the credit of the strikers that they are not the only ones involved in this feature of the situation. The other side seems to be as deeply immersed in the mud as the strikers are in the mire.  
It is a situation that is utterly disgraceful for all parties concerned, and the developments coming to light are of a very nauseating nature.

PARTY PLATFORM DEMANDS  
In a letter to a Confederate camp which criticized him for vetoing the bill providing for the support of a home for Confederate widows while approving the measure increasing the pay of district judges, Governor Lanham says the increase in salary was a platform demand

was his duty to approve it.  
This serves to call to mind that there were two other platform demands of the democratic party before the last legislature in the form of free pass and nepotism legislation, both of which were wiped out of existence by that honorable body.  
The executive department of the state government approves a measure that was certainly distasteful from the fact that it was a platform demand of the democratic party. The legislative branch of the state government turned down platform demands formulated at the same time, on the ground that the party had no right to attach such strings to the law making body.  
Incidentally, it may be mentioned that the majority of the legislature is composed of lawyers and all district judges in Texas are lawyers. That one platform demand increasing salaries of district judges was the one only that appealed to legislative support.  
Perhaps the day will yet come in the history of Texas when platform demands of the democratic party will mean something. At present they do not cut any ice with the law makers.

JOHN BULL AWAKE  
It is a very cold day in June when your uncle John Bull gets left. Information now develops to the effect that a new and closer alliance has just been entered into between England and Japan, under the terms of which Japan is to guard British interests in the Far East in return for England guaranteeing Japan protection from the encroachments of other European powers.  
The effect of this will be to permit England to withdraw a large number of her warships from eastern waters and place them where they are just about to be needed. And it gives Japan the backing of her big ally now at a time when she is going to need it to prevent the other powers robbing her of the fruits of her victory over Russia.  
Our English cousins are pretty smooth people. Japan has won the respect of all the nations of the earth through the valor and fighting ability displayed in the war with Russia. While the feeling of admiration is at its height, England struts proudly into the arena with the suggestion "behold me and my fighting ally, plucky little Japan."  
In this way Japan is reduced to the dimensions of a side show, while John Bull displays himself as the main attraction.

BAILEY FOR PRESIDENT  
Again there is a small boom being attempted in the interest of Senator Joseph Weldon Bailey of Texas as a candidate for the democratic nomination for the presidency. This is a tribute to the greatness of the Texas senator that cannot but be very gratifying to his pride.  
But Senator Bailey of Texas has absolutely no chance to become the next democratic presidential nominee. There are conditions prevailing that render such action impossible.  
William J. Bryan, the man of the crown of thorns, is the impediment that stands in the way of the presidential aspirations of Senator Bailey and every other democrat at this time.  
Bryan has control of the party machinery and is doing all he can for its rehabilitation. He not only considers himself the leader of the party, but he is certain that he is its logical nominee for the presidency in the next campaign.  
There may be a time during the coming years when the south will furnish presidential material for the nation, but that time is not yet come, and it is but a waste of effort to be figuring in that direction.

HOUSES FOR THE HOMELESS  
The commissioner of the general land office at Austin announces to the public that he has prepared a list of all the state school lands that will come on the market Sept. 1, and that list is now in the hands of the printer and will soon be ready for dissemination. The intention of this announcement is to give notice to those who desire to purchase these lands for homes that the opportunity will soon be at hand to do so.  
These lands are sold at a very low valuation and on long time. In fact, the state has heretofore been so liberal in selling her lands to the homeless that it has created something of a sentiment that Texas owes every homeless man a home, and it is considered almost a crime to think or argue differently.  
The facts of the case are that Texas owes no man anything. Opportunity is simply extended to those who desire to buy these lands and use them for a home to do so on very favorable terms. It is business on the part of the state, and it is expected that these homes will be bought in good faith, occupied, improved and paid for at the maturity of the obligation.  
Texas owes no man a home who is unable to eventually pay for it. No man should covet a portion of the public domain and enter upon it with the expectation of getting something for nothing. The land is there. There is plenty of it and it is sold cheap and on long time. But there will finally come a pay day, and when that time comes the state will expect to obtain all that has been promised.

Sixty-one New York foundlings have just been brought to San Antonio for distribution among the people of Texas residing in that portion of the state, and still San Antonio claims to possess more babies than any other city in Texas.  
The federal government has landed another consignment of Guatemalan ants near Taylor to be devoured by the rapacious boll weevils infesting that section. It is not known what happened to the former consignment unless the boll weevils ate them.

Mayor Weaver of Philadelphia will be a candidate for governor next year. The mayor evidently intends to lose no time

Secretary Wilson seems to be forced to the reluctant conclusion that someone in the agricultural department at Washington has been guilty of furnishing cotton estimate figures to parties in advance of the usual government report.—Comanche Chief.

Secretary Wilson should make a shining example out of the employes of his department guilty of this charge. They should be made to feel the full weight of the iron hand of the law.

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# BACK TO NATURE

## THE SIMPLE LIFE IN CAPSULES

CHAPTER III.  
ON THE EUROPEAN PLAN.  
The hotel where the cabman took me had been recommended by a friend—that is he used to be a friend—as "a quiet little place where the cooking, etc." So I gave myself up without making any of the usual cautious inquiries.  
It was a European hotel. The sign said so; also the letter heads, and, last but not least, a printed notice a yard and a half long, tacked up inside each room. Aside from the signs, the only traces I could note during my stay, to prove that the hotel was what it claimed to be was that the head waiter was an Irishman.

But to return to the printed notice. I spied it as soon as I entered my room. It was hardly the word either, for it was so big one couldn't help seeing it unless he were blindfolded.  
The notice had evidently been written to tell patrons what was meant by the term "European hotel." From the way it started out, it was plain that guests at some former time had not been familiar with the term and that trouble had resulted.  
Still I wondered why any one in Texas would have to be supplied with a definition of a European hotel. Even the villages have them now. Later I reflected that my friend had told me the hotel was a favorite resort of legislators when they were in Austin, and I inwardly commended the proprietor for his foresight.

But the notice itself was not to be commended. It was a fearful and wonderful composition. By the light of my four-candle power electric light, I read it carefully, and found just nine grammatical errors. Thinking of being compelled to sleep all night in a room with nine grammatical errors, I began to wish I hadn't paid in advance.  
At half past eight, being tired, I decided to take a bath and go to bed.  
Adjoining my room was a bath, but when I went to investigate the door was locked. I wondered if the hotel stored its valuables there. People in New England are likely to store their valuables in any unusual place, and it occurred to me that the proprietor of the hotel might have heard of the custom. Else why should he want to lock the bathroom door?  
Inside my room was an electric light. There was no accompanying sign to tell how many rings were needed to get ice water, how many in case of fire, and how many for towels, fans, or cigars, as is usually the case. Instead, the guest had to get wholly in the dark. Come to think of it, the plan is a good one. Think of the delightful uncertainty of waking up in the middle of the night, pressing a button, and then betting with yourself as to whether the porter is going to bring you a drink or a time table. I noted the absence of a sign beside the button and then pressed it (not the absence). Later in the evening a porter arrived with a pitcher from which I came an agreeable drink and asked what I wanted.

"I certainly don't want ice water," I said. "It's bad for the digestion. I want to take a bath."  
"Why boss it ain't Sunday," he said. "I didn't ask you for a calendar." I replied, "Bring me some towels and a cake of bubbles."  
"You'll have to see the clerk," he said decidedly.  
So I went downstairs and interviewed the man behind the desk.  
"Can't I have a bath, please?" I asked when he had condescended to notice my existence.  
He looked astonished, but recovering himself, remarked, "Sure."  
Then, seizing a speaking tube, he bawled at the top of his voice, "Lewis, gentleman in twenty-seven wants a bath."  
At the startling announcement every man in the corridor turned and looked at me. As I often attend revival meetings, I am used to being looked at, also talked at, so I wasn't disconcerted.  
Then I went upstairs.  
By that time Lewis had found the

Missouri citizen passing through Fort Worth said to a crowd that Senator Bailey of Texas should be the democratic nominee for president next time.—Tyler Courier.  
And that ought to settle it. But unfortunately that Missouri citizen is not clothed with plenary powers so far as the democratic party is concerned, and the nomination made will not be unanimous. There are several other precincts yet to hear from.  
A man who will stoop to put a stain on the character of a woman is indeed a small creature. No true son of Texas, either by birth or adoption, would do such an act or would tolerate such an attempt.—San Angelo Standard.  
The things which stand on street corners and make vile remarks about passing women are not men. They are the veriest scum of God's creation.  
Five more colonies of Guatemalan ants have been planted on government experimental farm south of Taylor. Several colonies of these ants planted on this farm last year disappeared during the cold weather last winter and no traces of them have since been found.—Galveston Messenger.  
The ant business is about as small a procedure as the Federal government ever engaged in, and people are wondering what these last importations can mean. It has already been demonstrated the ant theory is a failure.  
"Back to the people" is the doctrine preached by Bryan. Fairbanks is satisfied with "Back to the farm," but the "vag," who refuses to do the work act in North Texas these days must be content with a march "Back to the jail."—Clarkeville Times.  
And "Back to the jail" should be the cry for every vagrant who will not work in Texas.

Irish potatoes have been extensively tried by Texas farmers this year as a diversification crop, and they find their product a drug on the market at from 15 to 30 cents a bushel. Not very encouraging, certainly, but disappointments must be expected to turn up in everything. May be better next time.—Decatur Messenger.  
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During the night I spent in this quiet little hotel, I slept just eighty-seven minutes. I know, because I figured it out. After I awoke, dressed, and had an indifferently breakfast, I was quite ready to go out to the state asylum.  
THE IDLEMAN  
(To Be Continued.)

POINTED PARAGRAPHS  
Lazy men are always harping on the lack of fools.  
The patch is apt to come off in a patched-up quarrel.  
Before taking certain steps consult a dancing master.  
A small boy's idea of the board of health is six meals a day.  
Plenty used to mean enough before trusts got to hogging things.  
A man with dreamy eyes usually has that kind of bank balance.  
Love in a cottage is almost as visionary as wealth in an air castle.  
All young men fall in love, but most of them manage to climb out again.  
It isn't the amount of religion a church member has that counts so much as the amount he uses in his daily business.—Chicago News.

MOST ANYTHING  
A WORD FROM JOSH WISE  
"To th' victors belong th' spoils," said th' mikado, lookin' at th' map uv Asia.

"Oyama is preparing to strike."  
"You don't say so, and after all we've been told about the patriotism of the Japs. What's the matter with him? Doesn't he like the hours, or does he want more pay?"  
"They're organizing cigarette clubs out in Indiana. A state full of novelists must pay the penalty."  
"Was Patrice's father cool in his treatment of you?"  
"Well, hardly. He was so hot he fired me without giving me a chance to say a word."  
"Never mind about the heat in Washington when the peace commission met. Vice President Fairbanks may be in town."  
Gogo was one of the starters at the Alexandria, Egypt, derby. Did he win? How could a horse with a name like that lose?  
Marie Corelli says the millionaires are illiterate. Well, that's good enough reason for not reading her books.

"Your majesty," said the czar's look-out, "there's a fellow at the back door who says he's got just the thing the Russian navy needs and he's willing to sell it cheap."  
"Show him in," cried the czar.  
"Ah," exclaimed the imperial majesty, "the stranger entered. 'I'm glad to see you. What have you to sell?'"  
"Dredges."  
There is a new lookout at the palace.  
THE OTHER FELLOW'S JOB  
There's a craze among us mortals that is cruel hard to name.  
Whosoever you find a human you will find a fellow at the back door.  
You may seek among the worst of men or seek among the best.  
And you'll find that every person is precisely like the rest.  
Each believes that his real calling is above some other line.  
Than the one at which his real's working—take for instance, yours and mine.  
From the meanest "me-too" creature to the leader of the mob,  
There's a universal craving for the "other fellow's job."  
There are millions of positions in the busy world today.  
Each a drudge to him who holds it, but a vastly better lot to play.  
Every farmer's broken hearted that in youth he missed his call,  
While that same unhappy farmer is the envy of us all.  
Any task you care to mention seems to have a fellow at the back door.  
Than the one special something which you happen to have got.  
There's but one way to smother envy's heartache and her sob:  
Keep too busy at your own to want "the other fellow's job."  
—Success.

REFLECTIOUS OF A BACHELOR  
Marry for money; repent in penury.  
Kittens get their eyes opened in a few days after they are born; people when they are married.  
The only queerer thing than the way women are dressed is the way they sometimes aren't.  
A man's ideas of getting rest from the strain of business is to sit up all night playing cards, smoking and drinking.  
Riding in an automobile makes a woman think of the way she would look if her husband was president of the United States.—New York Press.

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(Continued from Yesterday).  
"Monsieur d'Arras gives you the lie and denies that he employed you," said Fouché to him with a vicious sneer.  
"Monsieur d'Arras. Where is Monsieur d'Arras?" demanded La Croix.  
"There!" said Fouché, pointing to Fouché. "That is not the Comte d'Arras," he replied contemptuously. "You are foolish, Monsieur le Duc, you cannot trap me so easily; take me to the comte and I will confront him."  
It was a blow to me, although I was half prepared to meet it. It was true, then, that the real d'Arras had dispatched his creature La Croix to try and assassinate the emperor. No wonder that he had found it inconvenient to accompany the Comte d'Arras, he braced myself to meet the danger, for here, undoubtedly, at last was a man who knew d'Arras and could unmask me. I felt a thrill run through my bones, but I forced my lips to smile and my tongue to speak without trembling.  
"I congratulate you, duke, on your mission," I said with a sneer. "You should, however, have trained him a little better. No doubt the poor man has had me but imperfectly described to him."  
Fouché was livid with rage. "Secret!" he said. "Away with him, he shall have the rack for this!"  
The two spies immediately hustled the poor La Croix, who commenced to protest loudly, from the room.  
I had barely time, however, to congratulate myself on so fortunate an escape before the curtains beside my bed parted, and to my consternation, from a secret door, cunningly contrived in the wall of the room itself, Napoleon stepped forth with unmistakable anger and menace.  
"Always plots and conspiracies each day of the week, and always mares' nests," he said, snapping his fingers and grinding his teeth in a rage that would have been ludicrous had it not been more than terrible.  
"Sire," stammered Fouché, all a tremble, "I was deceived—that rascal—my zeal."  
"You are fool!" interrupted the emperor, harshly. "Go!"  
Fouché stumbled from the room like a whipped dog, his face white and miserable, his jaws hanging.  
Napoleon turned to me abruptly. "Under the circumstances you must pardon me," he said, jocularly. "I have not picked up this La Croix from a week since, extorted from him the story you have heard. I did not doubt you, prince, but to please Fouché—the cursed fool—I consented to this farce."  
"Sire," I returned, speaking slowly, "had I been in your place I would not myself have acted differently. But I venture to hope that now at least you are satisfied of my good faith."  
The emperor placed his hand on my shoulder; he seemed quite overcome by my knaves and fools," he muttered brokenly. "Let me serve you, sire; I am neither the one nor the other," I whispered.  
He looked me in the eyes. "Good," he answered presently. "I accept," and he offered me his hand.  
Bending low I pressed his hand to my heart, and that is the one action of my life of which I am utterly ashamed. I felt myself a Judas, and nothing has since come to my mind which does not remind me of the trade of a spy as this which makes the trade of a spy the most despicable of all.

CHAPTER XIV.  
HOMEWARD BOUND.  
We set out from St. Cloud for Boulogne about 8 o'clock in the evening. Napoleon with his aide-de-camp and Marshal Ney (who had arrived during the day from Italy) occupied one carriage, the emperor, Clariisse and myself the second, while a third carried my sister's maid and the emperor's attendants.  
We were escorted by a mere half dozen dragoons, fine riders, on fine horses, under command of a glittering captain, who twirled his moustach constantly and at every opportunity proudly displayed his iron cross of the legion upon his breast.  
Sekur had been sent forward earlier in the day to notify Soult of the emperor's approach. We halted for supper at a small inn, where the emperor's carriage was changed horses at the little hamlet of Surcoure an hour before midnight, and it was there I had intended to make arrangements which would delay the prince's journey for a day at least.  
But my godfather, being willing to save me all trouble in the matter, threw me a favor with unlooked for liberality. The drug was in my pocket, but occasion for its use never transpired. A full hour before our halt the prince commenced to complain of a glittering captain, and violent pain in his head. Twice we were compelled to arrest the calvacade in order to minister to his sufferings. He seemed then to revive, but on arrival at the hamlet he was plittly very ill indeed. Clariisse behaved very prettily. She even besought the emperor, with tears in her eyes, to allow her to stay behind and minister to the sick man, but in my character of heavy brother I pointed out the impossibility of such a proceeding. But I thanked my stars that the emperor had not provided my sister with a chaperon. I half believe that the witch was serious in her request. After some delay we took the road again, the emperor having decided to leave an aide-de-camp to look after the prince.

We arrived at Boulogne about noon of the next day, after an otherwise uneventful but wearisome journey, passed for the most part by us all in sleep.  
We found the whole town in a state of frantic excitement, for we had informed Marshal Soult that the emperor contemplated an immediate descent upon England, and that great soldier, in his hilarious joy, had imparted the news to his officers, and they in turn to the men. I thanked my stars that in the market square, and the moment Napoleon descended from his carriage a mighty shout of "Vive l'Empereur!" was uttered by 10,000 troops, who crowded the place in utter defiance of all discipline. But the sound which I heard was not a signal. Already had the vast army of invasion, some 160,000 men in all, had been embarked, and hearing the cheers of their comrades on shore there went up from the fleet a thunderous outburst of vivas which I have heard for many a year since. The very earth reverberated and shook with that tremendous flood of sound, which rolled and pealed about us like concerted salvos of artillery.  
And Napoleon himself? I watched him overhauled by the emperor, and he was overwhelmed with the pride of the moment. On the contrary, the little man appeared enraged at his reception. His eyes glittered wickedly and he pointed a menacing finger at the troops who thronged about his carriage.  
"What do these men here?" he asked of Soult, snapping his teeth together as he spoke with a doglike snarl.  
His words were plainly heard by all, and never have I seen such an instant and marvellous change pass over the faces of a multitude. A rabble of 10,000 eager, excited soldiers was transformed by the half-dozen words, the angry gesture of one little man, into a crowd of schoolboys who had been caught stealing apples. Soult himself blushed and stammered like a fool.  
"Sire, the—!" he halted without a word.  
Napoleon scorched him with a look, then

turned to the soldiers, who were faltering in blank dismay.  
"My children, get you to your duties," he shouted sternly.  
As if by magic the rabble melted away, and in a few seconds the market square was deserted.  
"Sire," said Soult, suddenly finding his tongue, "the fault, if there be any, is mine. We have waited so long by the sea, those English, and the news is so fresh. I had not the heart to prevent my brave fellows from welcoming their petty corporal as they love to call your imperial majesty."  
Napoleon smiled with such complete good humor that I was unable to suppress the suspicion that he had before assumed an anger which was not quite sincere.  
"Well, marshal," he answered, "let us proceed within doors. There is much we have to do."  
And there was much. His majesty advised me to stay in my room, for he wished my identity to remain secret, as he tersely phrased it, "lest news of your mission should leak out and prejudice you to England, m'sieur; that is, should we decide to accept your services."  
I had little doubt, however, but that Napoleon had already made up his mind on that score. Still, it suited me to do his bidding, for there were many aristocrats in his army who must have known d'Arras, and I feared about all things a chance encounter.  
All that afternoon Clariisse and I spent in devising plans for her escape. Mine appeared to me so far from a simple matter as more difficult. Finally we determined that her maid should dress in her clothes and she should don herself the boy's costume which I had prepared for her. Then, when the time came, we should proceed boldly together to the harbor, where we would make our way to England, she masquerading as page or a lackey, and thereafter trust to the veracity of the plan, and the confidence reposed in me, to get through safely.

It was a mad idea and possessed many weak spots. For instance, Napoleon might accompany me to wish my sister farewell, in which case we should have to trust too much in the direction of the maid (an artful mix, by the way), and, of course, if she should allow her face to be seen it would mean discovery and execution. But it was the best plan we knew how to make and we were forced to adopt it faute de mieux.  
The emperor spent the day in reviewing his troops and supervising the completion of his embarkation, a gigantic task which nevertheless by nightfall was finished. Returning then to the hotel he sent for me and curtly commanded me to have everything in readiness to sail by 11 o'clock that very evening.  
I tremulously inquired as to the ship which was to transport me across the channel, and learned to my delight it was the Cuckoo, the very boat which had brought Clariisse and me to France.  
Ten minutes afterwards I had sought for and found the master of the Cuckoo at which I inquired as to the master of the Cuckoo had bidden me inquire for him. The landlord, who looked a ruffian, and smelled horribly of garlic, pretended at first to know nothing of John Masters, but a liberal tip refreshed his memory, and on promise of a further donation he engaged to have Mr. Masters in waiting for me there by 9 precisely.  
Clariisse and I dined with Napoleon at 7. How we got through the meal I do not know. I was on pins and needles all the while, and I forced myself to appear perfectly at ease. The emperor kept plying me with questions all relating to England and my mission, and he seemed disposed to keep us talking long after the meal was done. Clariisse, however, saved the situation. She suddenly broke into tears and sobbed. "Oh, you are going to your death, Henri; I shall never see you more!" Then she ran from the room weeping unconstrainedly. I begged the emperor's permission to follow her, which he gave with a shrug. I found her laughing with excitement. "Was it not clever of me?" she cried.  
I, however, was distracted to get her away, for needless to say I had been my plan. I had a large sum in my pocket, the Cuckoo at once and let her wait for me there. I quickly ordered her to get the maid changed, and herself, waiting meanwhile in a fever of impatience without.

Soon she hurriedly bade me enter, and in spite of the anxiety which consumed me I could not forbear to stand and gaze at the transformation, the maid, tricked out in all the mistress' cast off finery, appeared her a large sum if she carried the matter off properly, but her face, though pretty, was not one to inspire confidence, therefore I locked the door upon her when she left. I marched boldly forth into the street, but my maid, as I had planned, had not been except the sentry, and into we passed without suspicion. We found John Masters awaiting us impatiently. When he saw me he uttered a cry I could have sworn was of pure displeasure, to see me, he could not guess. He listened to the tale I had invented to satisfy his scruples with regard to the passage to England of my lackey with frank impatience, and agreed to my request without question once he was assured that I, too, was to make the journey. Indeed, he displayed such a pretty anxiety to have my company that I felt vaguely alarmed, more especially as the rogue showed no disposition to bargain with me, but greedily swallowed the first bait of money I offered him.

However, I had no choice left but trust to him and Clariisse in his charge. I felt comforted, however, with the reflection that I had given her a pistol, and she assured me she was versed in use of the weapon. I returned to my room in the inn without encountering the slightest opposition. I heard Napoleon's voice in colloquy with Soult as I passed his door. But I took care to make no sound, and gained Clariisse's room without accident. I found the maid as I had left her, admiring herself in a mirror. But I soon cut that short and spent an hour in teaching her to wear the boy's costume to learn her lesson best with my arms about her.  
I think when Napoleon at last bade me to him she was won completely over and would not have cared to fall me, but I dared not be sure, and therefore locked the door again.  
Napoleon was seated at a table littered with maps and papers. He inquired curiously after my sister.  
I shrugged my shoulders. She is desolate, poor thing, and I am sure I will be killed. However, I have assured her of your majesty in any case will guard her welfare."  
"I promise it to you," said Napoleon, with a kind smile, "but let us not consider so disagreeable a conclusion; you will return, count, or if not, you will remain in England as its master."  
"Then you have decided?" I cried out affecting extravagant delight.  
"That you will be first governor of England."  
"Oh! I shrugged, pretending disappointment.  
"At least for the first," said Napoleon. "Later on we shall see."  
I bowed humbly. "There is one small matter I should mention," I muttered. "The fact is, sire, my purse is sadly depleted."  
(To Be Continued.)

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### CAUSE OF DISPUTE

### Galveston Wharfage Charges

Discussed by Traffic Men.

### The Railroads

Traffic representatives of southwestern lines, particularly those of Texas and Louisiana, met at Chicago Saturday and discussed arrangements for handling cotton during the present season.

At the meeting were representatives of the Galveston Wharfage Association, who informed the railroads that they would no longer absorb the wharfage charges on cotton. It has heretofore been the custom of the wharfage companies to pay these charges, but they stated that the charges were so low in competition with other routes that they could no longer do this.

They suggested that the railroads absorb these charges, amounting to 7 1/2 cents per bale, but the railroads refused to consider the proposition. It is possible that the shipper may have to pay these charges unless the railroads and the wharfage companies arrive at an agreement.

### BOND ISSUE ORDERED

### Colorado Southern Plans Approved by Board

There is nothing now standing in the way of the contemplated improvements and extensions of the Colorado and Southern, as the \$100,000,000 have been voted by the stockholders at a meeting held last week in Denver. It is said now that the original plans will be carried out by the Moore-Yoakum syndicate. Over 90 per cent of all the stock of the company was represented, and the bond issue was approved in every detail.

The chief object in raising this large sum is to continue the work of constructing the line to the Gulf of Mexico via Fort Worth and Houston, and the secondary purposes are the purchase of the Trinity and Brazos Valley, Cripple Creek and Short Line and the Colorado and Northwestern railroads, which have been acquired but not yet paid for. Short extensions will also be made in Wyoming and improvements made in the car shops and yards.

The mortgage will increase the bonded indebtedness of the company to \$130,000,000 and will make the annual interest more than \$7,500,000.

The new issue of bonds will be gold refunding and will mature in thirty years. The interest is not to exceed 4 1/2 per cent. The first issue will be \$20,000,000 and the other issues will be floated as they are needed for the improvements and extensions.

With its road completed to the gulf, the Colorado and Southern will be in touch with the east, west and Mexico. The line will cross the Orient somewhere in the Panhandle of Texas and in connection with this line will be able to reach Kansas City and Mexican points. With these connections and its outlet in the northwest and the gulf, the road will become one of the most powerful in the west.

### AFTER MOTOR CARS

### Bryan Wants Electric Line to College Station

The citizens of Bryan desire a motor car service established between that place and College Station and have joined in asking that the Southern Pacific put on the service. There are only five miles, but traffic between the two points is exceedingly heavy and would, it is claimed, justify the expense of such an enterprise.

The matter is now under consideration by the railroad company which believes that a single car will be sufficient to handle the business with an hourly service. The idea is to have the service put in operation by the opening of the coming year's school.

The demonstration of the fact that the company is now at Portland, where it is making demonstration runs.

### TAX REDUCTION ASKED

The Texas and Pacific has filed a bill of complaint against the state board of assessors of Louisiana for cancellation of assessment on a stretch of road in Concordia parish and Pacific claims that under certain articles of the constitution of the state of Louisiana all railroad construction in Louisiana is exempt from taxation for a period of ten years from date of completion.

The tax assessed against the Texas and Pacific for the piece of track is nearly \$3,000.

### SECTION MEN SCARCE

There is a scarcity of section hands in Arizona and as a consequence the roads have been forced to import men from other states to do the work that has heretofore been done by Mexicans and Chinamen.

### AUSTIN MACHINE SHOPS

The Houston and Texas Central has commenced work on a ten-stall roundhouse to be built at Austin. In connection with the roundhouse will be a complete machine shop where all repairing of engines and other work will be done. These improvements will cost about \$50,000 and will be completed about the middle of September.

### With the CATTLEMEN

### TWO GREAT BEEF COWS

In 1850 a Shorthorn cow named Grace was killed in New York state. Her live weight was 1,795 pounds. She was found

some weighed 1,235 pounds, her live weight was 1,464 pounds, shrinkage 271 pounds. This is a yield of eighty-four pounds six ounces of dead weight to every one hundred pounds of live weight, making her shrinkage less than 16 per cent. Her tongue, heart and tallow, if weighed, would have reduced her shrinkage to 14 per cent. This cow was the fattest and best beef killed in this country up to the year 1850. Grace was fed by Colonel Sherwood of Auburn, N. Y. No sooner was this item published in the American Agriculturist than William H. Sotnam of Black Rock, N. Y., reminded the editor that in 1844 (six years earlier) a Hereford cow weighed on the scales at Albany 2,313 pounds alive. Mr. Bennett of Brighton, Mass., sold this cow to a Boston butcher for \$150. She was exhibited in Boston for a month at a shilling a head. Her beef was of the best quality and the owner exhibited the day and spoiled the whole of it. It was that they had heavy cattle fifty years ago, and that the senior Mr. Sotnam was already making Hereford cattle history.

### RANGE CATTLE PRIZES

Assistant Secretary B. O. Cowan of the American Shorthorn Breeders' Association has sent out a list of special premiums offered by the association for car lots of feeding steers, sprayed or Martin heifers, showing a preponderance of Shorthorn blood, in connection with the International Live Stock Exposition at Chicago coming fall. There are five districts, northwest, north central, south central, southwest and southern. There are three classes in each district, identical as to age and premiums. The premiums are two in number, the first being \$50 and the second \$25. There are in each district are 2-year-old and under 3, one year and under 2, and under 1 year. In all classes twenty head constitute a car load. These premiums are additional to those offered by the management of the International.

### AN EXCITING EPISODE

The receipts for admission to and privileges at the show which was held at Oklahoma last Sunday came very near falling into the hands of a party of desperadoes last Monday evening. The cash amounted to \$40,000 and when it was taken to the bank a number of tough characters had planned to rob the train which would convey it to the bank at Ponca. The plan was changed and George Miller, one of the proprietors of the ranch, loaded the money, which had been taken in ten sacks, into the automobile of Dr. J. S. Thomas, who attended the entertainment for the purpose of taking it overland. Dr. Thomas and his chauffeur occupied one seat and Mr. Miller and W. G. Maurice occupied the other as guards. The start was made at 11 a. m. Monday, but their plan had been suspected, for when they reached Cowskin Creek, about four miles from Bliss, a dozen men came in sight and for the auto. Miller called to the chauffeur to put on speed and commenced firing in the direction of the robbers. Dr. Thomas and Maurice joined him, while the chauffeur crowded on all the power the big machine could carry. The robbers set up a yell and spurred their horses toward the intended victims, firing as they came. But their bones were no match for the automobile, which was out of range in less than five minutes. The machine continued on to Ponca, where the money was taken to the house of Dr. Thomas and kept under guard until the bank officials could be got and the money locked in the vault. Nobody was hurt, but the speed regulator was shot off the automobile.

### BULK HAS BEEN MARKED

F. O. Fidler of Cresson, Texas, came in yesterday with a shipment of fed steers, his first shipment out of a string of 1,200 that he had been feeding. He said that one of the oldest cattle feeders in all that section of country, and he was one of the very first to introduce cattle feeding there about fourteen years ago, and since that time has been feeding continuously. "We are now located in a well settled country as compared with the surroundings as I found them thirty-two years ago when I located there," said Mr. Fidler. "At that time it was sixty-two miles to the nearest railroad point, and in Texas cattle in those days were not much when quality was considered. But the changes that have been going on has made us the greatest cattle producing state or country in the world, and our cattle are now to be found in the feeds lots all over Illinois, Iowa and the entire corn belt. More cattle are being fed there every year, and the time will come when we will produce as many fed cattle as any of the corn belt states. This season has been one of extreme wet weather, however, and the grass has not been of as good quality as in years when it was drier. The cattle are in good condition and the runs from South Texas have been earlier than usual by several weeks. The fact that the bulk of the grass cattle in that part of the state has been marketed."

### HOME FROM EUROPE

Tom Sere Prefers Texas As Place to Live

After several months' tour of Europe, Tom Sere, a well-known South Side merchant, returned to Fort Worth Sunday. He says that notwithstanding the old world is beautiful to look upon, he prefers Texas for his permanent home. He has had some interesting stories of conditions that he found in Europe, comparing them with American conditions with the balance in favor of the latter. He says that the country has better railroads than the United States, but that the steers and hogs are cheaper here. Rents are incredibly lower in the old country than in the United States. Even at that, however, he observes that "France, Germany and Italy are excellent places for the well-to-do, but a poor man has no opportunity whatever."

### THE MENTAL DETERIORATION OF OLD ALCOHOLICS IS WELL KNOWN TO EVERY PHYSICIAN.

### VETERANS' HOME BUILT FROM LOUISVILLE

### Special Trains with Old Soldiers Reach This City.

### Camp Meeting

Little business was done at the Sunday meeting of Lee camp, United Confederate Veterans, in the absence of the majority of members who attended the general reunion at Louisville. Captain J. C. Terrell occupied the command of the camp, and W. T. Shaw presided over the adjutant's desk.

The camp was entertained by Dr. A. P. Brown, surgeon of the camp. Tom Rattan also spoke to the members for the good of the order. Short talks were made by other members of the camp, among them Captain Brazier.

Local veterans who have been attending the Louisville reunion began returning to the city Sunday night over the various roads. The contingents from along the Rio Grande road reached here over the Frisco Sunday afternoon.

General K. M. Van Zandt, commander of the Texas division, returned Sunday, accompanied by some members of his staff. He reports that the people of Louisville treated the veterans with the usual Kentucky hospitality and the meeting was among the most enjoyable held. There was not a single hitch in the entertainment of the old soldiers," said Major Van Zandt.

### COUNTY BAPTISTS TO MEET TUESDAY

All Day Meeting to Be Held at Glenwood by the Churches

Tuesday Tarrant County Baptist workers will hold an all-day meeting at Glenwood. Dinner will be served on the grounds. Each Baptist church in Fort Worth and Tarrant county will be represented at the meeting.

### WILL DISCUSS CITY

William E. Curtis Here on Trip of Observation

William E. Curtis, Washington correspondent and special writer of the Chicago Record-Herald, spent Saturday night and part of Sunday in Fort Worth, looking things over for a letter that he is preparing on the city, to be included in a volume of letters on Texas to his paper. He left here for Dallas where he spent several hours, the guest of W. G. Sterrett.

### COTTAGE SERVICES

Home Meetings to Be Resumed in Revival Series

Cottage prayer meetings will be resumed Tuesday morning in the St. Paul's M. E. church, because series of meetings being announced as follows: Mrs. Andrus, 116 Cochran street, leader. Mrs. W. F. Hall, Miss Haddix, 1700 St. Louis avenue, leader. Miss Belle Gideon; Mrs. Watson, 822 East Swant street; leader. Dr. Hector M. McLaughlin, 1302 East Front street, leader. Miss Anna Doughty; Mrs. Askew, 906 West Weatherford street, leader. Miss Ree Smith.

"Small Men and Giants" was the topic discussed by Evangelist Haudenshield in his Sunday night service. In the course of his address he said: "The smallest, meanest, most contemptible man is the man who knows his duty and has not the courage to do it, while the giant is he who will do his duty, no matter the cost. Every man and woman should confess Christ openly because: First, He is such a glorious Lord and Master. The meanest things any man can say today is that he is a follower of Christ. Second, because of their influence. Everyone has an influence either for or against Christ. Third, because it is the only way to be saved. A religion which will not lead to a public confession of Jesus Christ will never be heaven. Fourth, because of self-respect's sake and common decency. If after all Christ has done for you, you will not confess Him publicly you are a base ingrate."

### PRISONER HEADS CHASE

Permission to Change Clothes Made; Excuse to Run

Saying that he did not wish to go to the jailhouse with his Sunday clothes on and being granted permission by Police Constable Loyd to step in another room to change to his working suit, Ollie Jackson, a negro, climbed through a window and fled. The officer pursued and after an exciting chase finally captured Jackson near Tucker's fire hall. Jackson was arrested for alleged mistreatment of his wife. Two additional charges have been preferred against him—disturbing the peace and using threatening language.

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### THE MAN ABOUT TOWN

The death of General Maximo Gomez, commander-in-chief of the Cuban forces during the insurrection in 1895, is deeply regretted by General Passenger Agent J. W. Flanagan of the Cotton Belt, who returned to this city with the veterans' special. For several years Mr. Flanagan was general agent for the Southern Pacific, headquarters at Havana, and was a personal friend of the late general. Mr. Flanagan says that General Gomez was very popular in Cuba as a result of the insurrection, which ended in the independence of the island May, 1902.

When the war ended General Gomez was presented with \$50,000 by the Cuban congress, in addition to a similar amount as back pay. "Gomez was a success as commander-in-chief of the insurgents and the record he made was much respected by insurgent element of the island," said Mr. Flanagan today.

"During the war Palma was president of the junta, and after American intervention Palma and Gomez were the most talked of men in Cuba. Their views, politically, were far apart—the former representing the more conservative element of the Cubans, while the latter was leader of the revolutionists. In consequence the two men were opposing each other in everything relating to the government of that island."

The death of General Gomez, says Mr. Flanagan, insures the election in November of Palma as president of Cuba. Palma is also very popular among the Cubans, said Mr. Flanagan, although he is anti-American in his ideas, while General Gomez was strictly pro-American in all things.

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### SOUL CULTIVATION

SALVATION'S PLAN

Unitarian Belief Discussed by Rev. D. C. Limbaugh at Taylor Street Temple

At the Temple Sunday morning Rev. D. C. Limbaugh, the Unitarian minister, at the last but one of the services of that congregation to be held for the summer, delivered a discourse upon "The Unitarian Idea of Salvation."

He said: "The theory upon which the scheme of salvation taught by the orthodox church rests is that the spiritual world is divided into a place of boundless bliss called heaven and a place of boundless torment, called hell, and that human beings, who are vile worms of the dust and partakers of the Adamic sin by inheritance from the first man, must inevitably be lost at death unless the soul is saved by the intercession of Jesus with the Father. Liberal religious thought looks upon this entire plan as a figment of the imagination. According to the modern conception the anger of God with his creatures has never moved Him to

create a flaming hell into which to cast those who do not accept the religion of the orthodox pupils, nor has God ever decreed that we shall be punished for the disobedience of a fabled pair in Eden. Under the teachings of liberal religion, Jesus is not a savior, intended to redeem mankind from damnation, but is a grander state of existence.

"He who perceives in his own intellectual and moral consciousness an embryonic angel and devotes himself to the processes by which this angel is unfolded, as far excels in perception and artistic power the work of Angelo as a sentiment, thinking soul transcends lead and speechless marble.

"It is a splendid thing to lead an army, to sway an audience, to influence a senate, to enlighten and instruct a deliberative body, but it is a far grander thing to control one's own thoughts, to direct the emotions and to purify the conduct by high ideals, pure feelings and nobility of action. He who controls himself is greater than he who takes a city. "To cultivate the highest and noblest in our natures is, therefore, the means to the only real salvation, and any creed which teaches that we may neglect the development of our souls during life and at the last moment attain moral and spiritual perfection through the mediation of any Savior is a myth and a delusion. We must trust to our own virtues, not to those of Jesus, for the rewards that come both in this life and the next to noble and faithful men and women, and the Man of Nazareth we must look upon, not as an atoning Savior, but as a great moral and spiritual leader."

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N. Y. STOCKS

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS
NEW YORK, June 19.—Stocks opened and closed today on the New York Stock Exchange today as follows:

GRAIN

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS
CHICAGO, Ill., June 19.—The grain and provision markets ranged in prices today as follows:

COTTON

LIVERPOOL COTTON CABLE
LIVERPOOL, June 19.—The spot cotton market was firm in tone, with a light demand, middling being asked at 4.30.

THE LIVESTOCK MARKET

NORTH FORT WORTH, June 19.—Receipts amounted to 3,410, of which 368 were calves and 1,113 on through billing.

Events

Today, Emancipation Day, the fortieth anniversary of negro freedom in the United States, is being generally celebrated by the colored population of Fort Worth.

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CITY NEWS

C. W. Woodman, representative of the American Federation of Labor, left this morning for Dallas to attend the meeting of the Typographical Union officers, which is holding a convention there today.

PASADENA COUPLE END THEIR LIVES

LOS ANGELES, Cal., June 19.—C. E. Thalass, manager of a drug-store in Pasadena, and his wife were found dead in a ranch house near Glendale, several miles north of this city last night.

NEW ORLEANS FUTURES

NEW ORLEANS, La., June 19.—The market in cotton futures was quoted steady today. Following is the range in quotations:

MARKETS ELSEWHERE

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK
CHICAGO, June 19.—Cattle—Receipts, 25,000; market opened low; hogs, \$3.70-35; cows and heifers, \$1.25-4.90.

Supreme Court Favors Widow of Contractor

Certified Questions in Case of Santa Fe Against Matthews Answered
Special to The Telegram. AUSTIN, Texas, June 19.—Supreme court today answered certified questions from the court of civil appeals of Dallas in the case of the Santa Fe against Maggie Matthews, appellee, tried in the district court of Grayson county.

Toronto and Return

International Sunday School Association One Fare, Plus \$2
Tickets on sale June 18, 19, 20, 22. Return limit August 25, by extension—via BIG FOUR ROUTE
Stopover Chautauqua Lake, N. Y.—Final Limit. Through Sleeping Car leaves Dallas and Fort Worth morning of June 19. For information call or write W. G. KNITTLE, G. A., Dallas, Texas.

GENERAL MOVEMENT TO CONVERT INDIANS

Missionaries and Indian Chiefs Will Hold a Big Revival
LAWTON, Okla., June 19.—It is announced that the first combined effort of missionaries and Indian preachers to reach the entire tribe of Comanche Indians with religious revival will be made this summer.

ARGUMENTS CONCLUDED

Warren Moore Case Probably Will Go to Jury Today
Special to The Telegram. AUSTIN, Texas, June 19.—Arguments in the Warren Moore contempt case were concluded this afternoon and the court recessed until 2:30 o'clock, at which time the jury will be charged and retried to consider the verdict.

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Plan Your Vacation NOW

Don't wait until the hot weather forces you to select some resort in a hurry. Plan your vacation now. Study the summer books descriptive of the lake resorts of Wisconsin, Minnesota and Michigan, issued by the CHICAGO, MILWAUKEE AND ST. PAUL RAILWAY
These will be sent to those interested, free. They will tell you about the northern lake resorts, what it costs to get there, how much to stay there, and the best train service there and back.

ONE SECURED FOR JURY MAY ACCEPT POSITION

For Trial of Jonathan Miles at San Antonio
SAN ANTONIO, Texas, June 19.—Up to noon one man was secured for the jury to try Jonathan Miles, charged with the murder of Harvey Ball. Miles is 32 years old.

PARIS FEELS OPTIMISTIC

Franco-German Controversy May Be Terminated Peaceably This Week
PARIS, Texas, June 19.—Official quarters here today show a feeling of optimistic confidence concerning the early adjustment of the Franco-German controversy, which is in marked contrast with the agitation and depression last week.

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TROLLEY CARS COLLIDE

Eleven Persons Injured in Collision at Mashepetta, L. I.
NEW YORK, June 19.—In a rear-end collision between two trolley cars at Mashepetta, L. I., eleven persons were injured, some of them quite seriously. Some were thrown from their seats, others being trampled on by the crowd in their efforts to get free from the wreck.

ATLANTIC WINS AGAIN

Americana Yacht Easily Defeats Foreign Rivals
ISLAND OF HELIGOLAND, June 19.—The American schooner yacht Atlantic has won the race of the auxiliary yachts from Dover to Heligoland, completing the course in 41 hours, 26 minutes and 24 seconds.

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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.

245,382 Have Seen Fair

PORTLAND, Ore., June 19.—A total of 245,382 persons have passed through the gates of the Lewis and Clark fair since the opening day, according to the official statement of the admissions department of the exposition. These figures are up to and including June 16. During the past seven days the total number of admissions are 161,420. Wednesday, "Flag day," was marked by the largest attendance since the opening day.

Commence at Bryan

BRYAN, Texas, June 19.—Commencement exercises of Villa Maria Ursuline Academy will be held here Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Two Killed in Riots

WARSAW, June 19.—Two persons were killed and thirty-six wounded in a riot between troops and socialists at Lodz yesterday.

Clear Meets Delegation

ST. PETERSBURG, June 19.—Empereur Nicholas received the zemstvo deputation this morning.

Shooting Near Clarksville

CLARKSVILLE, Texas, June 19.—A shooting occurred yesterday at Cherry, a town six miles southeast of this place. In which an old man named L. G. Crum was shot five times and died in half an hour.

Too Late to Classify

FURNISHED upstairs rooms, southern exposure; modern; reasonable. Phone 3130. 1000 East Belknap street.

Armour Ice Houses Burn

MILWAUKEE, Wis., June 18.—The great Armour ice houses were struck by lightning last night and practically destroyed, leaving the contents of 200,000 tons of ice to go to waste. In addition to the ice houses, the residence of the superintendent, the barns and the boarding house, with fifty rooms, were destroyed. The loss is between \$225,000 and \$300,000.

Young Man Who Was Swimming Struck By Flying Missile

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Returning from Bridal Tour

Special to The Telegram. AUSTIN, Texas, June 19.—Acting State Health Officer Florence today received a telegram from State Health Officer Tabor stating that he would reach Austin from his bridal trip tomorrow.

Strikers Will Return to Work

NEW YORK, June 19.—A strike declared some weeks ago by the Optical Workers' Association, composed of men employed in the eye glass factories of this

ROSS GREEN ACQUITTED

HASKELL, Texas, June 19.—The case of State vs. Ross Green, charged with the killing of Ross Miller about a year ago, was tried here on charge of venue from Roby. Green was acquitted.

WANTED TO BUY—Second-hand graphophone or phonograph, in good condition, cheap for cash. J. M., care Telegram.

WANTED—To buy or rent, a 30 to 40 room flat, furnished. On street car Phone 3661-1 ring.

TRAVELING SALESMAN wants position after July 1. Box 111, Palestine.

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HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—One man to buy a pair of W. L. Douglas Shoes. Apply at Monnig's.

ALL kind of help furnished on short notice; also sell and furnish buyers for anything you have to sell. Write, call or phone the Fort Worth Exchange and Labor Bureau, 500 1/2 Main street, New phone 931.

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade. We originated this short method of teaching in 1893 and have graduated thousands of successful barbers. Little expense. Positions waiting. Call or write, Moler Barber College, 413 Main street.

DO YOU WANT WORK?—See the Fort Worth Exchange and Labor Bureau. We furnish all kinds of help on short notice. 500 1/2 Main street, up-stairs. New phone 931.

WANTED—Two reliable men to travel good contract to the right parties. 908 Houston street.

WANTED—An experienced starch wear ironer. Apply Curran's Laundry, Sixth and Burnett streets.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—Ladies to learn hairdressing, manicuring, facial massage, chiropody or electrology. We originated this short method of instruction in 1893 and have completed hundreds of successful graduates. Call or write, Moler College, First and Main streets.

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—Position by experienced bookkeeper and stenographer. A. F. Lepp, 1103 Bryan avenue.

WANTED

WANTED—See us before you sell your second-hand furniture; we are short of goods and will pay highest prices. IXL Second-Hand Store, corner First and Houston. Both phones 1329-1r.

WANTED—Three large rooms furnished for light housekeeping, with gas stove, modern conveniences, or small furnished house. Price reasonable. W. C. Beach.

WANTED—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping, close in; references exchanged if necessary. Address 378, care Telegram.

WANTED—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping; close in; by couple with no children. Address 404, care Telegram.

LOOK AT THOSE 75 c DINING Chairs at Hubbard Bros, 105 Houston st., phone 2191.

DON'T pay for the name; buy your furnace coal of J. A. Goodwin, 811 West Railroad avenue. Phones 753.

WANTED—A good gentle horse for light driving, to use for its feed. 362, care Telegram.

WANTED—Three reliable men or women who want to work; none other need apply. 908 Houston street.

WANTED—Horses and cows to pasture. Phone 2811. 2312 Lipscomb st.

WANTED—Pasture for cow during the day. 1019 East Weatherford street.

PERSONAL

DENTISTS—bridge work \$5.00 Crown \$5.00; all guaranteed. Drs. Garrison Brock, 501 1/2 Main st. Phone 919-2r.

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LOST AND FOUND FOUND at Monnig's the best pair of Men's Shoes. It's W. L. Douglas.

STRAYED from home, June 6, red brind cow, with one horn broken. Rope around neck. Any information of her whereabouts please notify 1300 East Ninth st., and receive reward.

LOST—Large brown pocketbook at Brashear's, had card case with pictures and 30c. Return book and keep 50c. Arcade, 1294 Main street.

LOST—Sorel Horse about 13 1-2 hands high, wire cut on left side, few white specks on back. \$25 reward if returned to Huffman Stable.

LOST—Bay mare, 15 hands high, branded "Line" over "horseshoe," white blaze down left side of face. Report to W. Leo, 1407 Sixth avenue.

LOST—Box containing lady's hat and gentleman's negligee shirts. Phone 298 and get reward.

FOR RENT

SPRE room, public hall and offices for rent in the Flores Building, 909 Houston street. Best business location in town. Apply at rooms 7 and 8.

H. C. Jewell. H. Veal Jewell. H. C. JEWELL & SON, The Rental Agents of the City. 1000 Houston street.

FOR RENT—Cottage, newly repaired; stables and 2-story house; one block from car line; \$10 monthly. A. P. Lockett, phones 264 or 477.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished house for rent to small family; also use of Jersey cow; call or address 101 Lilly street, Glenwood addition.

FOR RENT—New seven-room two-story house, 1107 Granger street. Phone 2954.

NEW SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE with hall and bathroom, on Penn street. Phone 338.

FOR RENT—Seven-room two story house, all modern improvements. Apply E. T. Bergin, Marble Works.

SIDEBOARDS, \$2.00 down and \$1.00 week. Howard-Smith Furniture Co.

FOLDING BEDS, \$5.00 down and \$1.00 week. Howard-Smith Furniture Co.

\*\*\*\*\* SAY, BOYS! \*\*\*\*\*

If you will find the girl, we will \$100 for the room for \$1.00 per week.

C. Nix, the Furniture Man, corner Second and Houston streets. Both phones.

CARPETS CLEANED

ANY good security will get our money. Flores-Epes Loan and Trust Co., 909 Houston street. Rooms 7 and 8. Old phone 1403.

THE TELEGRAM "LINER" 66 LINER AS 99

"LINER" Was the New Short Name Given to The Telegram Classified Ads. SAME RATE DAILY AND SUNDAY—1 cent per word first insertion, 1/2 cent per word all subsequent consecutive insertions. Ten times and over, 1/2 cent per word each insertion. Count six words to the line. No ad taken for less than 15c. Not responsible for errors arising from phone messages. Alterations should be made in person or in writing. SITUATIONS WANTED ADS addressed to advertisers, three times free. Addressed in care The Telegram, 1/2 cent per word each insertion. Ads received by 12 m. will appear classified same day. Ads received as late as 2 p. m. to appear "Too Late to Classify"

ROOMS FOR RENT

NICE, COOL ROOMS can be secured with or without board at 305 East First street. Table board \$1.50 per week. Electric lights and bath for reglars. Phone 3762. New management.

FOR RENT—Four, new, nicely furnished rooms, up stairs, on Belknap car line, bath, electric lights; phone 396 for information. Call corner Calhoun and Elmer streets.

FOR RENT—Two completely furnished rooms with hot and cold bath, electric lights, phone 396 for information. Call corner Calhoun and Elmer streets. Phone 2437.

NICE, pleasant, quiet place, close in, good neighborhood; south front, bath, phone and electric light privileges; board and room reasonable, at 309 East First street.

PLEASANT OFFICE or living rooms, good location, large and airy. Price reasonable. Phone C. L. Swartz, 108 1/2 West Fifth street.

ROOMS FOR RENT—On cool Tucker hill, nicely furnished room for rent; close to Union Station. Inquire, 424 Cleveland avenue.

TWO nicely furnished cool south rooms, modern conveniences; use of porches, hall and parlor. 123 St. Louis ave. Phone 308.

TWO COOL, CLEAN ROOMS furnished for light housekeeping. 404 Wheeler street.

LARGE double bedded room with board for two young men. 126 West Hattie.

FOR RENT—Three nicely furnished rooms with bath, for light housekeeping, one block of two car lines. Old phone 2490.

ELEGANTLY furnished rooms, all modern conveniences; bath included; over Dlythe's, corner Eighth and Houston sts.

FURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping; south bed room; phone and bath. 612 East Second street.

SOUTH ROOMS—Furnished for light housekeeping; to couple without children. 1109 Taylor street.

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished rooms; bath, phone, electric lights. 1024 Taylor street, corner Thirteenth.

TWO UNFURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping; water furnished. 403 Lipscomb street.

THE KINGSLEY—Best rooms in the city. Come and see them. Eighth and Throckmorton.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms. 302 Taylor street.

FURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping; no children. 917 Cherry st.

ONE SUITE OR SINGLE ROOM, southern exposure, at 615 Lamar.

NICELY furnished rooms for light housekeeping; reasonable. 709 Florence street.

NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS, 838 Taylor street.

FURNISHED rooms for rent at 915 Lamar.

TO TARRANT COUNTY FARMERS: We desire to loan you money on crop and stock security, pay cash for your supplies. It will save you big money. Flores-Epes Loan and Trust Co., 909 Houston street. Rooms 7 and 8. Old phone 3532.

MONEY TO LOAN on personal indorsement, collateral or real estate security. William Reeves, rooms 406 and 407, Fort Worth National Bank bldg.

MONEY TO LOAN on farms and ranches by the W. C. Belcher Land Mortgage Co., Reynolds Building, corner Eighth and Houston.

WE LOAN money to the very best people in the city on anything of value; business secret; confidential. New phone 780. 107 West Eleventh st.

I HAVE a limited amount of money to invest in vendor's lien notes. Otho S. Houston, 1407 Hunter-Phelan Savings Bank and Trust Company.

WE LOAN money on chattel mortgages. Flores-Epes Loan and Trust Company, rooms 7 and 8, 909 Houston street. Phone 3532.

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

IF IT'S money you want on your furniture or piano, call and see the Bank Loan Company, 108 West Ninth street, old phone 2496-2; new phone 922-white.

C. W. CHILDRESS & CO., insurance and loans, 611 Main street. Phone 758.

SALARY and chattel loans. We trust you. Texas Loan Co., 1310 Main st.

ROOMS AND BOARD

BOARD and rooms, 701 Jennings avenue. Private home for young couple. References required. Phone 3117.

MERCHANTS' dinner served every day; 20c. The Del Ray, Thirteenth and Houston streets.

ROOMS—BOARD, everything new and modern. Langerver Bldg., opp. city hall.

WANTED—Roomers and boarders, corner Daggett and Calhoun streets. Mrs. S. A. Davis.

ROOMS AND BOARD at 918 West Weatherford.

MINERAL WATER

MINERAL WELLS WATER, Gibson, and Litha. Old Phone 2167.

AWNINGS

Awnings made of all kinds. Scott Awning factory. Phone 167-1r.

CARPETS CLEANED

ANY good security will get our money. Flores-Epes Loan and Trust Co., 909 Houston street. Rooms 7 and 8. Old phone 1403.

FOR SALE

SCREENS—SCREENS Phone 2197. New Phone 1353. AGEES BROS. SCREEN CO. Beware of Imitators.

HIGHEST of high-grade vehicles, harness and horses.

WOOD & WOOD Carriages and Harness. 401-403 Houston Street.

WANTED TO SELL—A good paying business, clearing \$100 per month; also want to sell half interest in good business, clearing over \$200 per month. These are snags. See them. Fort Worth Exchange and Labor Bureau, 202 1/2 Main street, up-stairs. New phone 931.

I HAVE a modern two-story house located on Magnolia street, an ideal home \$4,500. I want to exchange for close in West Side residence property. Will pay cash difference. C. T. Hodge, 508 Hoxie Building.

FOR SALE—Furniture and completely equipped boarding house, convenient to business center. Fully established and a paying business. Address 410, care Telegram.

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I HAVE a splendidly located two-story modern house, lot 50x150, large barn, on Jennings avenue. I want to exchange this nice cool home for rental property on East Side. Price \$3,750. C. T. Hodge, 508 Hoxie Building.

FOR SALE—Cheap, high-grade rubber-tire, canopy survey, if sold in next ten days. W. B. Scripps, corner First and Throckmorton streets.

FOR SALE at a sacrifice, stock of groceries and fixtures, will trade. Good location. Snap if taken at once. 1514 Houston street.

FOR SALE—\$350 upright piano, almost as good as new, for \$178. S. D. Chestnut, 303 Houston street.

FOR SALE—Perfectly reliable family horse for women and children. Dr. Link, 319 Hemphill street.

ONE DOUBLE DECK cigar case; seven others of different sizes; one-half price; quick. 125 South Main street.

FOR SALE—Express wagon, horse and harness cheap. Inquire 707 East Third. Charles Baggett.

FOR SALE—A 6-year-old buggy mare, fast and a good looker, gentle. Phone 3833, old phone.

BED ROOM SUITS, \$3.00 down and \$1.00 week. Howard-Smith Furniture Company.

FOR SALE—Gentle surrey or saddle horse, cash or credit. Phone 2648.

AT ONCE, lot of good furniture, Randle House, 214 West Weatherford.

FOR SALE—Some household goods, almost new. Phone 2492.

MISCELLANEOUS

by an Ophthalmologist will be guaranteed to stop headaches, indigestion, dyspepsia, constipation, spasms, epilepsy, irregular periods, bed-wetting, etc., or your money back. Do others dare do it? Dr. T. J. Williams, 315 Houston st.

EXCHANGE—Furniture, stoves, carpets, matting, draperies of all kinds; the largest stock in the city where you can exchange your old goods for new. Everything sold on easy payment. Ladd Furniture and Carpet Co., 704-6 Houston street. Both phones 562.

IF YOU want acreage property we have it in any part of the country surrounding Fort Worth. Texas Real Estate and Brokerage Co., 215 and 216 Fort Worth Bank Building.

FOR ALL KINDS of scavenger work, phone 918. Lee Taylor.

FOR TIME TRIED STANDARD MAKES OF VEHICLES, SEE FIFE & MILLER, 212 Houston St., Ft. Worth.

LAWN mowers ground, 50c, also repaired by expert. King, 100 East Second St.

CROCKERY

SEE US, we can save you money. Something new arriving daily. The Arcade.

SAFES

FIRE PROOF SAFES—We have on hand at all times several sizes and solicit your inquiries and orders. Nash Hardware Co., Fort Worth.

EUREKA REPAIR SHOP

LAWN MOWER expert. Bicycles and key fitting, 107 West Ninth street.

STOVE REPAIRING

FOR UP-TO-DATE stove and range repairs see J. O. Evers, the gasoline stove expert, 208 Houston street. He will call and make the price right. Both phones.

MONEY TO LOAN

ANY good security will get our money. Flores-Epes Loan and Trust Co., 909 Houston street. Rooms 7 and 8. Old phone 1403.

REAL ESTATE BARGAINS

A SNAP. 352 ACRES black land farm, 14 miles from Fort Worth, 200 acres in cultivation, balance pasture. 75 per cent of pasture fine tillable land, good 5-room house and 3-room house, barns, granaries, plenty of outbuildings, artesian well, steel windmill and elevated tank, knee tubs for stock, no Johnson grass. This is one of the best black land farms in Tarrant county. A good investment at \$35 per acre, one-half cash, good terms on balance. Slate & Brumfield, 113 West Weatherford street. Old phone 3309.

DOUBLE QUICK OR QUICKER IF YOU BUY THESE—Four room house on west side, lot 50x119; \$600; terms. Three-room house, on west side, corner lot, 50x119; \$400; terms. Six-room house, close in, on south side; \$1,200; best of terms. Modern five-room new cottage, on Galveston avenue; \$1,450; \$100 cash, balance \$125.00 per month. Two lots on Seventh avenue; \$50 cash and we will build you a new house. These lots close in to car line. Five-room house, close in, on west side; \$2,200; terms. One hundred by 100 feet, on corner on west side; ten splendid houses, store and dwelling; \$2,000.

Four-room house, hall, bath, east front, 50x100; tree grass and water; \$1,400. Fourteen lots on south side; cheapest property in city; only \$1,700. Money to loan on city property in any quantity. Elegant offices for rent cheap. HAGGARD & DUFF or F. N. JACKSON, L.S., Phone 849. 513 Main St.

LOOK AT THIS—Those wanting cheap homes. We have in North Fort Worth houses and lots ranging in price from \$500 to \$1,300. Small cash payments, balance \$15 to \$25 per month. Also homes in Glenwood and Union Depot addition, on same terms. Also several beautiful vacant lots in the Sixth and Eighth wards; all good bargains. Also several choice building sites on the Interurban and at Riverside. A word to the wise. All these propositions are worth more than our price and are increasing in value daily. We have several nice residences for rent. List your houses for rent with STARLING & HOLLINGSWORTH.

QUIT paying rent! Purchase you a home! Buena Vista Heights embraces the high hill just five blocks west of the packing houses and one block north of the Rosen Heights street car line. The air is pure, the breezes delightful, the scenery magnificent. The street cars run from this splendid property to all parts of the city every 12 1/2 minutes. It is nearer the court house than the water stand-pipe on South Side. These choice lots will be sold for the next twenty days only for from \$150 to \$200 each, \$10 cash and \$5 per month. 10 per cent discount for cash. Apply to W. V. Taylor, Agent, 208 Hoxie Building, old phone 122.

JOE T. BURGER & CO., Real Estate and Fire Insurance. Phone 1037. Special bargain in three lots in Fairmount addition; one corner lot. They are choice, high, 60x110 feet, to 20-foot alley, near Eighth avenue car line. If you see them you will buy. Can give good terms.

A bargain—Six-room cottage, with bath, toilet, barn, almost new, cost \$2,685; can be bought this week for \$1,900; \$600 cash, balance one and two years. This place is well located, northeast side. Four-room, east front cottage, on Mississippi avenue, this week for \$1,050; good bargain for some one.

FOR SALE—Modern 8-room two-story frame house on East Belknap street. Special bargain in lot that extends from Belknap street to Bluff street. On the Bluff street end of the lot there are some rent houses bringing a monthly rental of \$82, or about 8 per cent interest per annum on the price of the whole place. Price \$4,500. J. E. Head & Co., phone 1422, Room 410, Reynolds Bldg.

E. G. BYLANDER. Real Estate Office. No Side Lines. 315 and 316 Ft. Worth Natl Bank Bldg. Phone 2727 and 3777.

BARGAINS for sale and exchange. E. T. ODOM & CO. 613 Main street, both phones.

TWO NEW HOUSES, seven and four room, respectively; barn, artesian well; all on fourteen acres of land on Interurban; price \$2,800; can arrange terms. Other bargains on and near Interurban and in the city. See us Monday.

A BARGAIN—Four-room house, practically new, with room for bath and toilet, galleries, vestibule, out houses and lot, picket fence, all painted; on street car line, 220 Bessie street, for \$1,500; one-half cash, balance easy terms. Will do \$5 per cent if bought direct from my agent, Colonel Robert McCurt, 311 Main street, Fort Worth. Mrs. R. M. Wynne.

MUST BE SOLD—888 acres irrigated land, comprising 5 ranches, with horses, cattle, machines and tools; must be sold at once. One person or five or more can buy at a bargain. A quick business proposition, \$20,500. Write immediately for particulars. S. C. France, Mancoo, Colo.

LOTS ONLY ONE DOLLAR DOWN—in the most beautiful suburb of Fort Worth. SOUTH HEMPHILL HEIGHTS—Call 03 or write J. T. ANDERSON, 413 Main St. Phone 2216.

CHAS. F. SPENCER 513 Main Street REAL ESTATE AND RENTALS Phone 3555

INTERURBAN PROPERTY—If you want property on the Interurban anywhere between Fort Worth and Handley, see us. We have some bargains to offer. J. E. Head & Co., phone 1422, room 410, Reynolds Bldg.

AT ARLINGTON HEIGHTS 8-room two-story frame house, on 29 lots, all modern conveniences, good landscaping, barn, fence, etc. \$4,000, easy terms. J. E. Head & Co., phone 1422, room 410, Reynolds Bldg.

A BARGAIN—Four-room house and lot, corner Lawrence and Myrtle. See owner, phone 1403.

Ready Reference Directory

JEWELERS AND OPTICIANS Cromer Bros., 1616 Main Street.

REAL ESTATE BARGAINS

HOMES FOR ALL in North Fort Worth—Buy a home on Diamond Hill Addition, close to packing houses, with school, water works, streets and sidewalks; easy terms; just like paying rent. Glen Walker & Co., 115 Exchange avenue and 113 West Sixth street.

FOR SALE—At a bargain, 3-room cottage on Interurban, lot 100x140, water on lot, good fences, barn, etc. Price \$900, easy terms. J. E. Head & Co., phone 1422, Room 410, Reynolds Bldg.

LET me build you a house after your own ideas. Only a small amount down, balance easy. Let me explain it to you. E. G. Bylander, Fort Worth National Bank Building.

STARLING & HOLLINGSWORTH—Real Estate and Rentals, Accident and Health Insurance, 605 Main, phone 459.

ON OUTH main street, new 7-room two-story frame house, all modern conveniences, east front, lot 50x100, price \$2,400, easy terms. J. E. Head & Co., phone 1422, room 410 Reynolds Bldg.

I WANT for cash close in good piece rental property, not to exceed \$3,500, must bring good rental and be a bargain. C. T. Hodge, 508 Hoxie Building.

FOUR-ROOM house on corner lot, 50x140 feet, in Riverside. Phone 2945, old phone.

WILL SELL or trade lots on Rosen Heights for horse or horse and buggy. Abs Mehl, 1211 Main street.

FOR SALE—Gas range, comparatively new, cheap if sold at once. 1925 Burnett.

WE REPAIR FURNITURE and stoves. We buy furniture and stoves. BANNER Furniture Co., 211 Main, both phones.

\$5.00 PER WEEK, ROOM AND BOARD—New building, new furniture, everything modern. Hot and cold artesian baths free to regulars.

THE DEL RAY Corner Thirteenth and Houston streets. Phone 3323.

25 PER CENT discount on a certain article necessary to every new house being built. Address 402 Telegram.

NOTICE—The place to have best Rubber Tires on your old buggy.

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## TRADE WITH MEXICO IS GROWING RAPIDLY

American Exports to Adjoining Republic Last Year Worth Over \$45,000,000

By Walter J. Ballard in Business Magazine.

The bureau of statistics of the department of commerce and labor has issued a valuable monograph entitled "Commercial Mexico in 1906," of which the following is a brief summary:

In the short period of twenty years the revenue of Mexico has increased from \$10,000,000 to \$30,000,000 yearly, its imports from \$20,000,000 to \$75,000,000, and its exports from \$7,000,000 to \$45,000,000, exclusive of \$40,500,000 of gold and silver. In concrete form those few figures show the rapid growth of the production, industries and commerce of Mexico in recent years.

In 1902 the investment of American capital in Mexico was put at not less than \$500,000,000. Recorded instances since evidence that the investments have materially increased since. All of these investments are of a class to increase the productive power of the land and consequently also the country's purchasing power.

A comparison of American exports to Mexico in 1894 with those of 1904 confirm this view. The comparative figures, in principal articles, are:

1904	\$45,814,729	12,842,149
1894	\$33,002,571	
Increase	\$12,812,158	

Iron and steel and manufactures, etc.	\$2,206,000	\$13,441,000
Raw cotton	1,391,000	3,237,000
Sulfur	420,000	3,127,000
Timber and lumber	775,000	3,182,000
Cars, carriages and vehicles	131,000	2,153,000
Coke	146,000	1,430,000
Vegetable oils	323,000	1,251,000
Leather and manufactures	33,000	1,061,000
Wool manufactures	221,000	1,059,000
Chemicals, drugs and dyes	341,000	1,035,000
Explosives	461,000	1,023,000

All the other items on our Mexican export list show increases except wheat flour, anthracite coal and quicksilver. The increase from \$5,000 to only \$269,000 in agricultural implements is disappointing in view of our world prominence in that industry. Copper ore did not appear in the 1894 list, but shows up in the 1904 list for \$10,000. Considering the heavy competition from European glass and glassware, we did well in raising that item from \$112,000 to \$398,000. From \$110,000 to \$552,000 for scientific instruments is also gratifying. The entire list shows increases in forty-four items and decreases in only the three named.

A comparison of Mexico's entire import

ports for 1893 with those of 1903 shows as follows:

1903	\$75,905,466
1893	\$45,413,000
Increase	\$30,492,466

Our 1894-1903 increase \$30,000,000. Thus we see that our increase more than equals Mexico's entire increase in imports from all countries, including our own.

The other countries chiefly supplying Mexico have this record:

1893	1903
United Kingdom	\$10,331,000
Germany	9,649,599
France	6,537,000
Spain	2,212,000
Belgium	2,590,000

The six-fold increase by Belgium is surprising, as is also the fact that Germany, starting with only one-half the sales to Mexico by the United Kingdom, has very nearly caught up to that country in total sales to our sister republic.

The other countries showing in Mexico's imports are Austria-Hungary, Italy, Netherlands, Norway, Switzerland, Colombia, Ecuador, Venezuela, China, Hindustan and a number of minor ones.

American exports to Mexico have grown from \$5,946,000 in 1874 to \$45,823,000 in 1904, or a ten times growth in thirty years.

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Boaz's Book Store, 402 Main street. McLean endorses Manning's Powder. Piano tuning, Prof. Lamb, 833 Taylor. Hopkins endorses Manning's Powder.

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It will always be found a little better and perhaps a little cheaper at the William Henry & R. E. Bell Hardware Co., 161-171 Main street.

I have no city representatives and if you call at the works I can save you 20 per cent on all monument work. Fort Worth Marble and Granite Works, E. T. Bergin, Proprietor, corner North Second and Main.

A. E. Kujawski is now occupying his new quarters, built on the site of his old stand, at 1413 Main street, next to H. Brann & Co.'s new place, where he will be glad to see his old friends and customers. His stock of jewelry and silverware has been largely increased to meet the demands of a modern and up-to-date jewelry store.

J. P. Garnett of Brownwood is here. J. H. Green of Temple is in the city. J. L. Langston of Cleburne was here for a few hours Sunday.

Al R. Stark of Waco was here Sunday to witness the baseball game.

Mrs. W. E. Odum and children of Arlington are in Fort Worth.

Professor A. H. Plummer is visiting his parents in Cleburne.

Miss Nora Barton of Johnson Station was a visitor in Fort Worth Sunday.

Miss Nellie Brodie of Cleburne is spending two weeks in the city visiting friends.

Arthur P. Grady of Jello, Texas, is visiting friends in North Fort Worth.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Claude McNaught of 406 Dunklin street, a girl.

Sam Lazarus of St. Louis was here Sunday.

M. C. Hart of St. Joseph, Mo., spent the day in Fort Worth.

Colonel and Mrs. Wynne have gone to the Davis mountains in West Texas, where they will spend a month.

J. W. Addis, superintendent of rolling stock of the Texas and Pacific, is in the city.

E. B. Spiller has gone to Jacksboro, where he will spend a few days visiting his parents.

Mrs. Hunter Wilson has returned from a two weeks' visit to Kansas City and St. Louis.

Mrs. L. Kahn, who has been visiting Dr. and Mrs. Lebeaume, has returned to Corsicana.

Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Owen and little daughter, Beryl, have gone upon an extended trip to Europe.

Miss Maud McClary of this city is spending several days visiting relatives and friends in Springtown.

Mrs. Clarence Ware has been called to Sherman by the death of her brother, William McDaniel.

Trinity Sunday was observed in this city Sunday by special services in the Catholic and Episcopal churches.

Miss Stella Ferguson is spending a week visiting friends in North Fort Worth.

Rev. J. W. Caldwell left this morning for Wolfe City, where he will hold a meeting. He will return Saturday.

The W. A. G.'s this morning made the announcement that they will give a dance at Handley June 27.

Miss Laura Conner will leave tomorrow for an extended visit to Toronto, Canada, and Niagara Falls.

Do not fail to attend the Great Sacrifice Sale of high grade pianos now going on at Hirschfeld's Piano House, 812 Houston street.

Hear Professor Hendall at the First Christian church this evening at 8:30 o'clock in his lecture, "A Trip to Egypt," illustrated with stereopticon views.

Misses Fern and Tulsa Price of Tulsa, La., are visiting the family of A. T. Wooten on his ranch near Benbrook this week.

While playing Saturday afternoon, Master Sol Gordon, who lives at 604 Calhoun street, fell from a turning bar and broke his arm.

The auditorium building committee will hold a meeting Tuesday, June 20, at 9 a. m. in the Board of Trade rooms, and all members are urged to be present.

The ladies of the Cannon Avenue C. P. church will give an ice cream social Tuesday evening at Mrs. Witherspoon's residence, 812 Kentucky avenue.

Mrs. E. W. Taylor, who has been at Eureka Springs, Ark., for the past three weeks, where she went for the benefit of her health, is reported greatly improved.

General James Q. Chenoweth of Austin, superintendent of the Old Soldiers' Home, is in the city today on his way to Austin, after having attended the national

## PICTURE TALKS WITH AMERICAN MAYORS

**HENRY B. F. MACFARLAND, OF WASHINGTON**

BY JACOB WALDECK.

Staff Correspondence to The Telegram.

WASHINGTON, June 19.—In form the government of the District of Columbia is autocratic. In practice, according to the judgment of many who have observed its operation, it is about the most efficient in the country. Political "pulls," so potent in most cities, have no weight here. No official is dependent upon votes for his place.

Three commissioners, two of them civilians and the other an army engineer officer, appointed by the president, constitute the governing body of the district, including the city of Washington. Congress is the city council.

It is a government, therefore, based upon the highest appointive and legislative powers in the land.

As a result there are clean, well-lighted streets, plenty of parks, obedience to law and public improvements carried out on elaborate scale.

The present board of commissioners include Henry B. F. Macfarland, Henry L. West and Major John Biddle. Mr. Mac-

farland is president of the board. For years the representative of a Boston newspaper here, he was a notable member of the corps of correspondents. During the administrations of both McKinley and Roosevelt he was a frequent visitor at the White House. They knew him as a man of high character, wide experience and great ability. It was natural enough, therefore, when a vacancy occurred on the board, that President Roosevelt should ask Mr. Macfarland to take the place. It was a distinct gain for good government when the latter accepted. Seated in his office, a few days ago, Mr. Macfarland discussed in an interesting manner some of the municipal problems that have confronted the commissioners.

On the subject of public ownership of public utilities, he said: "Apparently, there is very little interest comparatively in this question. As has never been generally supported or earnestly pressed.

"There are two street railway corporations you know the water service is a public one, but all the other public utility services are carried on by private corporations. From time to time it has been suggested that the lighting and the telephone services might be carried on by the district government, but the proposition times, the Capital Traction Company and the Washington Railway and Electric Company, which control all the street railways in the district. In accordance with our policy, their wires are underground. The fare is 5 cents, with six tickets for a quarter, and free transfers within the system of each company, with a provision in certain cases for transfers from one to the other upon the payment of 2 or 3 cents additional. The franchises were granted by act of congress, no time limit being set, but the several acts of charter being subject to alteration, amendment or repeal by congress.

"The companies as a general rule pay 4 per cent of their gross earnings, and real estate taxes on buildings, tracks and other equipment being considered personal property, in lieu of which the 4 per cent mentioned is required. In general, I believe we have reason to claim that there is no better street railway service in the United States than that given in the District of Columbia.

"In general I should say that Washington and all the other places in the District of Columbia are quite as healthful as the average city throughout the United States. A slow sand filtration plant is now being completed and will

quately describe the feelings of a conqueror to one who has never conquered, and who has never risen above the storm and stress of life and felt the peace of victory.

"Calling upon the name of the Lord means praying in sincerity. Sincere prayer expresses the man, not an emotion. The man who in ecstasy says, 'Lord, Lord,' and does not desire to do the will of the Father, does not really pray. Prayer means trust, another word for faith or reliance. Calling upon the Lord means profession. He who calls in sincerity will not only not be ashamed of his faith, but he will be glad to own his Lord.

"The text gives us assurance of salvation on the basis of faith. If we do our part we may be sure God will do His. We don't depend on feelings. Feelings change and flow like the tides—faith is the rock that abides.

"You cannot raise the objection that possibly you are not one of the elect. This, 'whoever' of the text cuts off that old excuse for you. On the other hand, if you call you have the guarantee that you are 'elect.' The responsibility is on you. 'Whoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved.'

**THEATER MANAGER TO SELECT SITE**

E. F. Carruthers Will Arrive Tonight to Cise Deal for New Majestic

General Manager E. F. Carruthers of the Interstate Amusement Company will arrive in Fort Worth from Dallas this evening or tomorrow to take up the matter of a site for the New Majestic theater, which the company proposes to erect here. The company's representatives, Messrs. Rickson and McMechen, have been working with the local commercial organizations for several days past and have brought the matter of locating here up to that point, where it is advisable for the company to enter into negotiations for a site.

Several locations in the central portion of the city have been offered to the company's representatives, but nothing has been decided upon, Messrs. Rickson and McMechen confining their attention principally to the securing of the \$5,000 guarantee from the city's people. The subscriptions to this fund have been very liberal and this morning had reached above \$2,000. When Mr. Carruthers comes to Fort Worth all preliminaries will have been completed, it is announced, and he will be enabled to enter into negotiations for a site.

Mr. Carruthers is in Dallas today and with Vice President Rickson will attend a meeting of the Dallas house, which was formed to build the Dallas house. At the conclusion of this meeting they will start for Fort Worth.

The committee from the Factory Club which has in charge the collecting of subscriptions to the Majestic dedicatory performance, did not work this morning, owing to the inability of some members of the party to get away from business. They will start out this afternoon, however, and continue the work that they began Friday.

**SISTERS MADE BRIDES**

But Two Days Separate Their Marriages

Two marriages, which as yet have not been announced, are those of Jess Smith and Miss Clara Koellman, who were married at the residence of Dr. Alonzo Monk, Sunday, June 11, and of Regis Brown and Miss Nellie Koellman of this city, sister of the bride first mentioned, who were married Tuesday by Dr. B. French.

**ALLEGED BOMB FOUND**

Police Department in Dark Regarding Find

Local detectives are investigating the finding of a bomb placed beside a store building. Officers refused to make any statement in regard to where it was found.

The bomb, which is now at the police station, appears to be the regular anarchist special, oval-shaped, filled with dynamite powder and has a long fuse attached.

**BOARD OF EQUALIZERS**

Preparatory to regular meeting, the city board of equalizers held a preliminary meeting at the city hall today. It was decided to meet next Monday to take up the work of going over the tax rolls. The meeting this morning was called by Chairman W. L. Ligon. Other members of the board are Colonel E. W. Taylor and J. Roach.

Careful Housewives always use Burnett's Vanilla because it stays pure food. Commission has ever questioned its absolute purity.

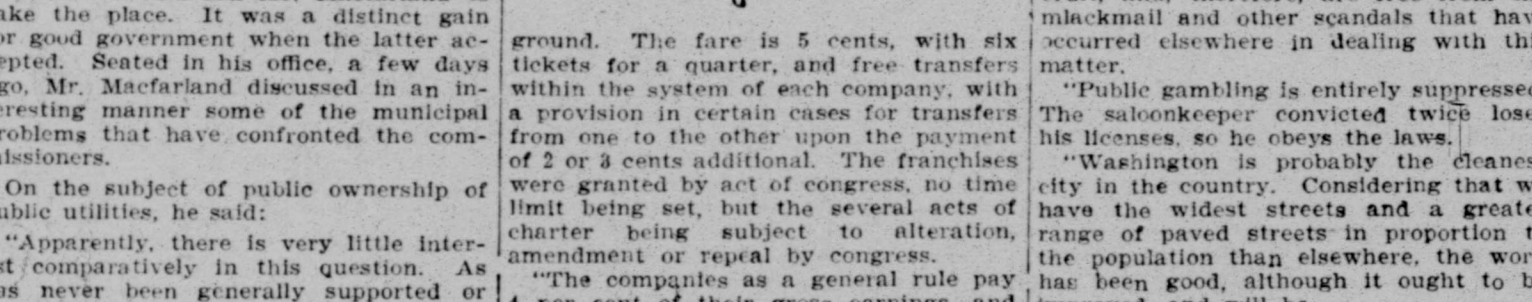
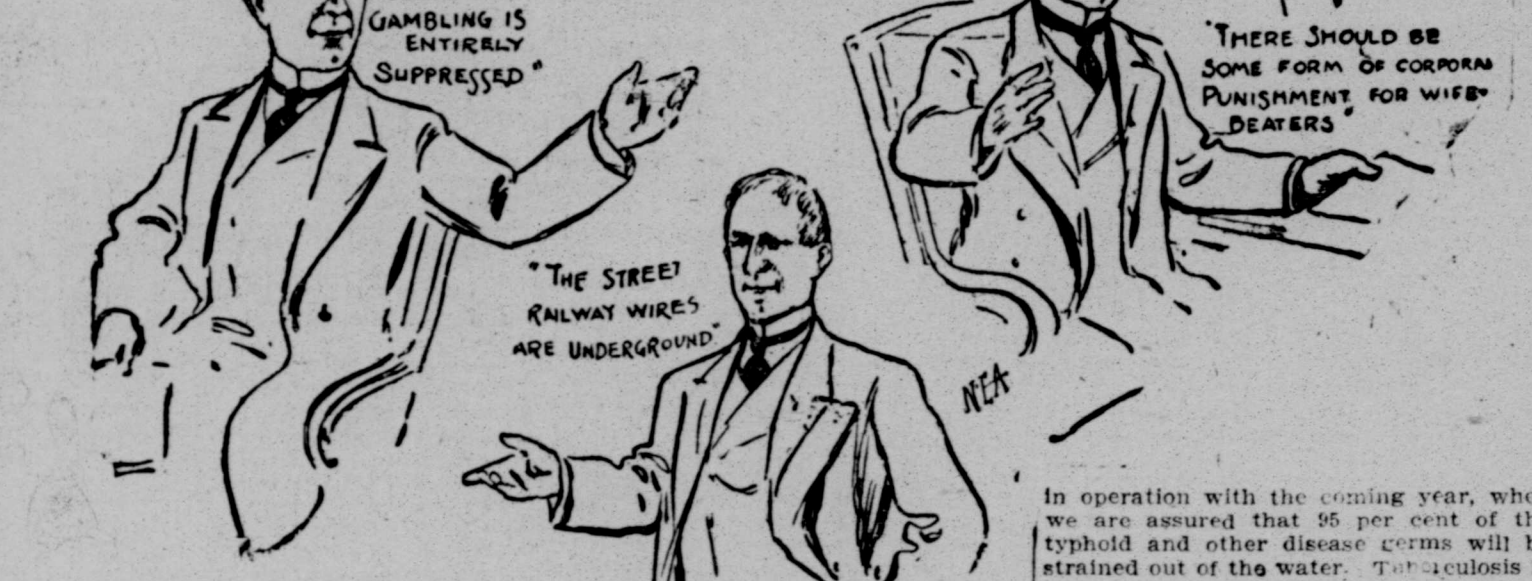
**Mac Stewart in El Paso**

EL PASO, Texas, June 19.—Mac Stewart, the old Texan and former Confederate soldier, radiant and happy, arrived in El Paso last night from Chihuahua, where he has been in prison for many years. At the Ziegler hotel he held an informal reception and many ex-Confederates called. Upon his arrival here he was presented with a check for \$50 by Jack Holstein, a New Mexico cowman, with whom he served during the civil war.

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in operation with the coming year, when we are assured that 95 per cent of the typhoid and other disease germs will be strained out of the water. Tuberculosis is our great enemy, and we are urging congress to allow us to provide the tuberculosis wards of a municipal hospital, where the chronic cases among the poor may be cared for, and at the same time isolated from the rest of the people whom they are constantly endangering.

"The social evil is confined to a certain section, not by formal regulation, but by the supervision of the police department. We have an honest police force from the superintendent to the latest recruit, and, therefore, are free from the drunken and other scandals that have occurred elsewhere in dealing with this matter.

"Public gambling is entirely suppressed. The saloonkeeper convicted twice loses his license, so he obeys the laws.

"Washington is probably the cleanest city in the country. Considering that we have the widest streets and a greater range of paved streets in proportion to the population than elsewhere, the work has been good, although it ought to be improved, and will be.

**FAITH NEEDED TO SECURE SALVATION**

Rev. William Caldwell Preaches Strong Sermon to Congregation

Rev. William Caldwell, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, preached Sunday night from the text, "Whoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved." In the course of his sermon he said:

"There is a constant temptation to give men what they want rather than what they need. God is near, and faith is the saving word. Paul's congregation is zealous enough, he admits, but they have missed the point. They seek righteousness of the law; he preaches the righteousness of faith.

"The present text, 'Whoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved,' implies that men, men as we know them, are in a lost condition. This is an unpleasant thought. But this thought is clearly implied in the 'little Bible' of Luther. 'God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth on Him might not perish, but have eternal life.' If men are not in a lost state the death of Christ would seem a vain thing, a meaningless tragedy.

"But the text tells us there is salvation. This means for one thing that we have forgiveness of sin. The voice of nature everywhere proclaims, 'In my kingdom there is no forgiveness.' The voice of the natural man, the nature man unaided by a gospel which has been rejected, is likely to answer in much the same way. Even in this land where forgiveness has become such a commonplace idea that a little girl could say, 'God will forgive that's what He is for.' In this Christian land wherever you find a deeply reflective and deeply conscientious man who is convicted of sin, the thought of forgiveness is not easy. We ought never to forget that the thought of forgiveness has come to us through the loving forgiveness of Jesus. Men have come to see in Him God manifest in the flesh.

"But salvation means more than forgiveness. It means also a power to break the habit of sin. Two spiritual giants went away the appetite, but he always gives God back for the habit. The habit, the drunk gave each his own testimony. One said, since salvation had come to him the taste for liquor had left him; the other said he was tempted on the way to the convention. God doesn't always take away the appetite, but he always gives control, the power to break the habit. The thorn was left to Paul, but grace sufficient for conquest was given. Salvation made him a conqueror. It makes every man a conqueror. No one can ad-

**BOX FACTORY PROPOSED**

Representatives Will Be Here Thursday to View Sites

Secretary Butler of the Factory Club received a letter this morning from a crate and box concern located at Cadillac, Mich., stating that the president and secretary would reach Fort Worth the latter part of this week to look over the ground here with a view to placing a factory in Fort Worth. Secretary Butler has been in correspondence with the Michigan firm for ten days or more. They wrote here at that time, asking for information as to facilities for the location of a crate and box factory here and stated that they would require a site of five acres.

The request of the Michigan company for a five-acre site leads to the belief that they may be contemplating the transfer of their plant from Cadillac to Fort Worth. In order to be near their raw material Secretary Butler says that he believes they want to come to Fort Worth and that their present intentions are to do so if they can get a site, for he has learned that the company has already been figuring with railroads relative to rates on raw material.

The company's representatives will reach here Thursday or Friday and will spend several days here looking over several available sites of the size that they require for their plant.

**SANTA FE TRAINS IN**

Belated Passengers Reach This City Shortly After Noon

Fifteen hours late, the Santa Fe train due in the city from the north at 7:45 o'clock Sunday evening, delayed by a freight wreck near Mexia, Tex., arrived in Fort Worth after 12 o'clock today. Close behind it was Santa Fe No. 5, due here at 7:45 o'clock this morning, and following the train last mentioned was an excursion train which left here Sunday morning for Indian Territory, bearing one thousand excursionists from this city, who were delayed all night.

**FIRST BLOOM OF SEASON**

PARIS, Texas, June 19.—M. L. Bramlett, living two and a half miles south of town, brought in the first cotton bloom of the season Friday.

**GRAND SUMMER OPENING OF HERMANN PARK**

Commencing Tuesday night, June 20, there will be a series of dances on Tuesday and Friday of each week. The park is now looking its best, with well-kept lawns, flowers and shade trees. Conner's orchestra has been engaged for the season. Admission 25c. Ladies free. Plenty of room for private vehicles. Gates open at 8 o'clock. Dance commences at 8:30 p. m.

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**PREPARING FOR SHOOT**

An outline program for the shoot of the West Texas Gun Clubs to be held in this city July 13 and 14, has been partially completed by J. T. Tiller, who is conducting the arrangements for the shoot. Two days shooting with twelve events will be had this year, instead of the three days' sport that has been found in the past to tire the marksmen.

Efforts are being made to have special events under the auspices of the various clubs, to be known by the names of the clubs. Thirty clubs included in the West Texas Association are expected to be represented at the shoot. The program in full will be issued probably the latter part of this week.

**DEATHS**

R. H. LOWE

Word was received in this city this morning of the death at Indianapolis, Ind., of R. H. Lowe, father of Earl H. Lowe of this city, who had left but an hour before for his father's bedside.

Mr. Lowe, who was prominent in business circles in Indianapolis, was for ten years a member of the wholesale dry goods firm of D. P. Irwin & Co., and for five years of their successors, Havens & Geddes.

His death occurred at 9:30 o'clock this morning.

REV. T. W. ROGERS

Rev. T. W. Rogers, aged 71 years, a pioneer Methodist minister and a resident of the city for the past seven years, died Sunday night at his home, 1028 Evans avenue. Funeral services were held from the Missouri Avenue Methodist church this afternoon. Interment was made in the old cemetery.

Rev. Mr. Rogers is survived by a widow, two sons and three daughters, as follows: L. C. Rogers of this city; G. W. Rogers, Portland, Ore.; Mrs. F. D. Pate and Mrs. E. Collins of this city, and Mrs. J. L. Baird of Columbia, Okla. Rev. Mr. Rogers became retired before coming to this city and had no charge here.

**MRS. ALICE E. SHEPPARD**

Mrs. Alice E. Sheppard of Texarkana died this morning at St. Joseph's Infirmary, having been brought to this city for treatment. Mrs. Sheppard, who was 52 years of age, was the mother of Congressman Morris Sheppard. Her body will be taken to Texarkana tonight for interment there, being taken directly to the train in this city from the undertaking rooms of L. P. Robertson.

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