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YELLOW FEVER IN MISSOURI NOW

Case at Gregory, Near Keokuk, Ia., Quarantined

WORK IN NEW ORLEANS

Fight on Disease Continues.

Forty-five New Cases and Four Deaths

KEOKUK, Iowa, Aug. 21.—A case of yellow fever is reported from Gregory, Mo., eleven miles south of Keokuk. A Greek laborer on railroad construction has been quarantined, his case being pronounced yellow fever. He came from Natchez a few days ago with a party of laborers.

FOUR DEATHS IN NEW ORLEANS

NEW ORLEANS, La., Aug. 21.—With four deaths during the night there is indication of a slight increase in the number of deaths today, though there is no likelihood the maximum for a day during the present fever epidemic will be reached. There were no developments of consequence during the day.

Among the deaths today was one in a French asylum in Stann street, where a number of cases had been reported, and one in the Marine hospital in the upper portion of the city, the latter case being reported last week.

Fifth Week Begun

Full of hope the Federal and local authorities and the public in general entered today upon the fifth week of the campaign against the fever, which is now considered to be beyond the stage when a serious epidemic is possible. "To my judgment," said Dr. Beverly Warner, "had the volunteer forces been in close touch at first with the local authorities and then with the Federal the calamity impending over this city a few weeks ago would have passed. The decrease in mortality, as shown by the reports, is unprecedented and the situation is rapidly getting under control."

Dr. Warner said the passing of the calamity was due in a large degree to the splendid work of the marine hospital service. While the Federal authorities have no hesitancy in saying the fever is being controlled and checked, they are not ready to fix a date when it will be stamped out. The life of the stegomyia mosquito is perhaps two months, and as here and there a stray infected mosquito is sure to avoid all pitfalls laid for its destruction, sporadic cases will doubtless appear after the disease is entirely under control. There is great satisfaction over the announcement that Alabama has no bars against the shipment of merchandise provided the cars which carry it have been disinfected for the purpose of destroying mosquitoes.

While Alabama is showing evidences of sanity in treatment of the situation, the Texas authorities continue to put into effect every week severer rules until it now requires seven days' detention to get into Texas.

Of the forty-five new cases in the preceding twenty-four hours four were founded in one family and three in another. A new case appeared in the French asylum in Stann street.

Two Towns Free

Lafayette and Alexandria are now free of fever, the patients there having recovered.

The announcement of Dr. Guiteras that the second case at Rayne is not yellow fever had an assuring effect on the people of that town and surrounding country. Crowley, which stepped on a quarantine against Rayne, is preparing to raise it.

COTTON IS SCARCE

Reports from Several Counties Show Decrease in Crop

Special to The Telegram. WACO, Texas, Aug. 21.—Cotton is opening fast in this county now, and picking is going ahead in places. Cotton has gone to pieces" so to speak in places. In Lampasas, Coryell, Mills, parts of Hamilton, Llano, northern Williamson and Burnett counties a heavy percent of cotton has actually died, while the fruitage has stopped and it looks as though the yield would be cut far short of what had been expected. The soil is thin in these sections, and the weather or some other cause certainly made itself felt quickly. There were also hot winds in some other western counties. While McLennan county has fared much better than the sections right here, and cotton has been a falling off here, as noted.

ELECTION IN SEPTEMBER

Bowie County Prohibitionists Arranging For Another Campaign

TEXARKANA, Texas, Aug. 21.—The prohibitionists of Bowie county are getting up a petition for another prohibition election, and will present it to the commissioners' court on Sept. 1. A committee representing the county local option organization called on the court on Thursday last at Boston and requested that the court hold a session right here, to hear the petition, and the request was granted. It is understood that in the event an election is ordered it will be set for about Sept. 23.

FIREMEN'S CARNIVAL ON

San Angelo Festivities Open—Ranchmen and Farmers Participate

SAN ANGELO, Aug. 21.—The firemen's carnival opened here this morning with every prospect of a successful week. Extensive advertising has been done over the Concho country and large crowds are expected from the outlying districts. Ranchmen and farmers are in a pleasant mood at this time owing to the propitious condition of the country and have asked that they be entertained.

FAMOUS BOWLER DEAD

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—Thomas Curtis, first president of the American Bowling Congress and known throughout the country as the "father of bowling in America," died yesterday from typhoid fever at his home in Brooklyn. He was 79 years of age. Until he fell ill he had bowled every day for more than twenty years. In 1883 Curtis organized the first ten-pin bowling tournament in the United States. Within the next few years he assisted in organizing many clubs and became the author of the rules now regulating ten-pin bowling throughout the country.

EAGLES WILL GO TO MILWAUKEE IN 1906

Grand Aerie Selects Wisconsin City for Next Annual Meeting—Fort Worth Drill Team Scores 75

DENVER, Colo., Aug. 21.—The grand aerie of the Fraternal Order of Eagles finished the balloting for officers yesterday, after an almost continuous session, beginning at 11 o'clock Saturday morning. Milwaukee was selected for the next meeting place by a small majority over San Francisco.

The full list of new officers is as follows: Grand worthy president, H. D. Davis, Cleveland; grand worthy vice president, Edward Krause, Wilmington, Del.; grand worthy secretary, A. E. Partridge, Kansas City; grand worthy chaplain, Joseph T. Hinkle, Pendleton, Ore.; grand worthy treasurer, F. E. Hering, South Bend, Ind.; grand worthy conductor, M. F. Connelly, Springfield, Mass.; grand worthy inside guard, W. G. Pettis, Norfolk, Va. For grand worthy trustees, Joseph Ellis, Minneapolis, Minn.; W. N. Carr, Uniontown, Pa.; R. M. Mincham, Chicago; M. McNabb, Wheeling, W. Va.; J. J. Kennedy, Buffalo, N. Y.

CONDEMN CONVENTION

Newspapers of Indian Territory Unfavorable to Muskogee Meeting

ADMORE, I. T., Aug. 21.—The Indian Territory press is almost a unit in condemning the constitutional convention that is being held at Muskogee. The only papers that have expressed sympathy with the movement are the Antlers American, the Muskogee Democrat and the South McAlester Capital.

It is asserted by those favorable to single statehood that the separate state movement is designed for the purpose of attempting to defeat statehood altogether and that the delegates are not sincere in their efforts being made. Governor Johnston of the Chickasaw Nation is opposed to statehood in any manner and it is believed that others friendly to the movement hold similar views.

SULTAN OFFERS HAND TO MISS ROOSEVELT

Picturesque Ruler of Sulu Says His People Would Like Her to Remain

JOLO, Aug. 18 (delayed in transmission).—Secretary Taft and party arrived here at noon and immediately proceeded to the parade ground to witness an elaborate program arranged for their entertainment. The Sultan of Sulu, with his retinue and other Moro dignitaries, occupied seats on the grand stand along with Secretary Taft and Miss Roosevelt. Thousands of Moros, residents of Jolo and from the neighboring islands, were present to take part in the festivities, which were wonderfully picturesque. In the afternoon there were caribou and bull fights.

Sultan Would Wed Miss Alice

Secretary Taft and Miss Roosevelt were presented with many Moro presents by the Sultan, who offered his hand in marriage to Miss Roosevelt and offered to make her Sultana of Sulu archipelago, saying that his people desired her to remain among them.

LONGWORTH A HERO

While some of the party were bathing in the afternoon, Frederick O'Brien, editor of cable news, was seized with cramps and underwent was rapidly carried him out to sea when Representative Longworth of Ohio, seeing his peril, started after him and rescued him at a risk of his own life.

JAPS ABOUT TO FORCE RUPTURE?

Prepare to Take Papers From Deposit Vault

NO WORD FROM THE CZAR

Result of Roosevelt's Arbitration Proposition Believed to Be in Doubt

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Aug. 21.—The Japanese envoys today notified the firm from which they rented a combination safe for their papers at the hotel to take out the safe and render their bill this afternoon.

NO WORD FROM CZAR

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Aug. 21.—The emperor's reply to the message of M. Witte transmitting the proposition of President Roosevelt had not been received up to noon today and now is not expected until tomorrow at the earliest. It is therefore likely there will be no final show of hands until tomorrow's session of the plenipotentiaries.

The Associated Press is able to announce that the feature of the proposition of President Roosevelt, communicated through Baron de Rosen to M. Witte and transmitted by the latter to Emperor Nicholas, was based upon the principle of arbitration. Whether the proposal contemplates arbitration of all of the articles upon which the plenipotentiaries have failed to agree or only upon the question of indemnity cannot be stated with positiveness, but it is more than probable that it relates only to indemnity or to indemnity and the cession of island of Sakhalin. Neither is it possible to say whether the President has yet made a similar proposition to Japan.

PRESIDENT DIAZ IS MASTER OF MEXICO

Coahuila's Political Fights and Revolutionary Rumors Are Quelled

Special to The Telegram. EAGLE PASS, Tex., Aug. 21.—President Porfirio Diaz has just given signal proof of his wisdom as well as his power. He has over his people and, in consequence, the state of Coahuila, which for several weeks has been the scene of political fights and the source of many rumors of revolution is today calm with thought of revolution gone, political feeling suppressed and political animosities buried.

ATTEMPT TO KILL QUEEN MARGHERITA

Barriade Erected in Path of Automobile, But She Escapes Without Injury

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—News was received yesterday, says a Turin dispatch to the Herald, that an attempt had been made to kill Margherita, mother of King Victor Emmanuel, who is making a tour of the Alps in an automobile.

The dispatch asserts that the queen mother was ascending the Little St. Bernard in her automobile, accompanied by the Marquis di Villa Marina, another lady of the court and two gentlemen, when the machine suddenly struck against a stone barricade that had been erected in the midst of the road and was overturned. No one was injured, but the five occupants were greatly alarmed. Police in another automobile were following the party and at once made an investigation, resulting in the discovery that the barricade had without doubt been placed there to bring about a fatal accident to the queen. Two arrests were made on suspicion.

KAISER CAN CALL ARMY IN FLASH

William Able to Summon Armed Hosts by Pressing Knob

BERLIN, Aug. 19.—Here is the latest fad of the war lord of Germany. In the imperial study, on a square table, there is a glass plate on which is a red enameled knob displaying a black eagle. This is covered over with a thin glass like a fire alarm box. The Kaiser has only to break the glass and press the button and at all the headquarters of every garrison in the empire simultaneously there falls a red disc bearing the impression of the imperial eagle. It is the signal for general mobilization. In the twinkling of an eye, and literally by the up-lifting of his finger this master of legions can mobilize all the troops in his domains.

TO IMPROVE BRAZOS

Congressmen Henry and Burleson Are Ready to Work For Appropriation

WACO, Texas, Aug. 21.—Conferences are going on, in which Congressmen Henry and Burleson are taking part, for the improvement of the Brazos river from Waco to Granbury, Hood county, to be taken up as soon as the work is fully under way. Leading citizens of Hood, Somervell, Hill, Johnson, Bosque and McLennan counties are getting ready to work for an appropriation for the improvement of the upper Brazos.

NEGRO ESCAPES

Dishwasher at Comfort Slips Away From Captors

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Aug. 21.—At Comfort an enraged band of eight German citizens, armed with guns, yesterday visited the Good Times Inn, demanded and secured a negro dishwasher employed there. They took him to the woods, where he escaped. Several reports of firearms were heard from the direction of the woods. The cause of the attempt to lynch him is said to have been an insult to a daughter of a German citizen in the vicinity of the inn, where the negro was employed.

And They Call it The Simple Life



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REDSKINS TO HAVE CATTLE FROM GOVT

Uncle Sam Is Distributing Live Stock to Make Indians Independent

EL PASO, Texas, Aug. 21.—As one of the means of rendering the Indians of the Whitewater reservation self supporting, the government is making a trial of distribution of stock. The Whitewater reservation is in the center of a district eminently adapted for cattle raising, with good pasturage and abundant water. Under the guidance of Judge C. W. Crouse, the agent in charge of the reservation, some 500 head of cattle have been given out to the red men.

HOTELS ARE ALL FULL

Although It's August, Tourists Crowd New York

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—A glance at the hotel registers, thronged restaurants and cafes, streams of theater-goers and countless sight-seeing vehicles show that there are more visitors in New York at the present time than at any corresponding period in years. Nearly every one of the ninety large hotels devoted to the accommodation of transient visitors, in which there is a total of 21,000 rooms, is filled to its capacity, and so are the eighty apartment hotels for the same class, where there are about 20,000 rooms.

TWO YEARS' SENTENCE

O'Connor Found Guilty of Theft in Marlin District Court

MARLIN, Texas, Aug. 21.—In the case of John A. O'Connor of San Antonio, on trial in the district court here, charged with theft of \$50 from Dr. J. B. Burford of Rosebud, the jury returned a verdict finding the defendant guilty and giving him a term of two years in the penitentiary. The defendant is an attorney at law and a member of the San Antonio bar. The allegations are that Dr. Burford gave O'Connor \$50 to be delivered to Mrs. Burford, who was at that time in San Antonio, and that the defendant applied the money to his own use and benefit.

THREW COMPANIONS INTO THE RIVER

Illinois Youths Then Jumped in Themselves and Were Drowned

CHICAGO, Aug. 21.—A dispatch to the Tribune from Geneseo, Ill., says: Herman Meilin of Moline and Ben Brooks of Osceola, camping at Rock River, were drowned yesterday. In company with two young women they went out rowing. Thinking the water shallow they threw the young girls overboard. Scrambling back, the girls threatened to throw the young men out. The young men jumped into the water fifteen feet deep and were drowned.

WEATHER SPOTTER

Temperature at 2 p. m., 97 degrees. Wind, south; velocity, six miles an hour. Barometer, stationary.

NEW ORLEANS FORECAST

NEW ORLEANS, La., Aug. 21.—The forecast: Indiana Territory, Oklahoma and East Texas—Tonight and Tuesday, generally fair. Arkansas—Tonight and Tuesday, scattered showers.

NINE KILLED AT GRADE CROSSING

Merrymakers at Butte, Mont., in Fatal Crash

TRIED TO BEAT TRAIN

Mad Attempt to Cross Tracks Ahead of Freight Train Results in Tragedy

BUTTE, Mont., Aug. 21.—The latest report shows nine persons were killed, one fatally injured and about thirteen more or less injured in a collision between a street car filled with returning merry-makers from Columbia Gardens and a freight train on the Butte, Anaconda and Pacific railway last night. The revised list of dead:

MAGGIE HARRINGTON, 19 years of age, Butte.

MAUDE JOHNSON, 19 years of age, Butte.

MRS. JACOBS (colored), Butte.

MAGGIE KEEFE, 19 years of age, Butte.

VERA HAUGHTON, 14 years of age, Butte.

MRS. SADIE SMITH, CHRIS WOLFF, unknown, except by name on metal identification check found in pocket.

The unidentified man and woman are both at the Montana undertaking rooms. The injured: Tom Kotke, John S. Harvey, Harry L. Lindley, Joseph Kennedy, Tennis Brudes, Albert Dockstader, Agnes Sullivan, Geotie Shay, James Cairns, Phelix Hughes, Alfred Jackson, the motorman.

Most of Victims Girls

Loaded with passengers, many of them women and girls, the car returning from Columbia Gardens was struck by the end of a freight train on the railroad tracks north of the Butte, Anaconda and Pacific depot, and crushed beneath the weight of one of the freight cars, killing nine persons and fatally injuring one and perhaps another. Numerous others were slightly hurt and were taken to their homes for treatment. Their names at this time being unobtainable. That more were not killed is a miracle, for the accident occurred with a suddenness that precluded any hope of escape for those on the front end of the car. Most of them were young girls and seven of those killed were young girls, the other two victims being men.

Car Tried to Cross

The train which struck the street car was composed of fourteen freight cars, the first of which was a passenger car. The train was approaching from the south. Conductor Hoadley says he was on top of the train with a lantern and warned the motorman, but the latter went on speed and attempted to cross ahead of the train.

PRINCE IS KEPT BUSY WITH STATE AFFAIRS

Von Buelow's Departure from Nordriny Causes Speculation—Bets Made as to Height and Looks

(Special Cable, Copyright, 1905, by Hearst News Service.) NORDRINY, Aug. 21.—Prince von Buelow's sudden departure from here, where he has been spending his vacation, has caused much speculation. It was known that he went to Wilhelmshafen for a cruise, but it was expected that he would return to continue his rest and recuperation period. The prince attracted unusual attention here while enjoying his vacation, and was a chaperon in this North Sea island. His excellency and the princess were seen daily taking long walks on the beach or back riding in the interior. But all the time it was evident that his mind was intent on state matters, which he directed even from here, and especially in arrangements for a satisfactory issue of affairs in the Morocco fiasco.

SOCIALISTS RAISE FUNDS FOR SAILORS

Effort Will Be Made to Bring Crew of Kains Potemkin to United States

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—Funds are being collected by a socialist organization on the East Side, with the stated object of bringing to this city the sailors who mutinied recently aboard the Russian battleship Potemkin off Odessa. There are about 400 of the mutineers, most of whom are now in Roumania and Rome. If they consent to come here, positions will be found for them by the organization which is fostering the scheme.

IMPROVEMENTS IN BUILDING

SAN ANGELO, Texas, Aug. 21.—U. G. Taylor has let the contract for the erection of a \$20,000 business block. The building is to be three stories and modern in every respect. Many other new buildings are being contemplated and San Angelo is on the eve of a great building revival.

HERE'S HOW TEXAS VALUES INCREASE

Tax Rolls Being Sent to State Comptroller Show Enormous Gains in Property Values During Past Year

AUSTIN, Texas, Aug. 21.—The tax rolls of several counties for 1920 have been received by the comptroller yesterday. Comparing the assessed values of these counties for the past two years the following figures are obtained: Lee county: Values for 1905, \$3,143,480; for 1904, \$3,161,160; decrease, \$17,680. Blanco: Values \$1,914,151; 1904, \$1,816,360; increase, \$97,791. Oldham county: Values for 1905, \$1,824,845; 1904, \$2,324,845; decrease, \$500,000. Burleson: Values for 1905, \$3,399,730; values for 1904, \$3,771,675; increase, \$371,945. Madison county: Values for 1905, \$1,788,453; for 1904, \$1,700,442; increase, \$88,011. Bandera county: Values for 1905, \$1,524,051; for 1904, \$1,436,495; increase, \$87,556. Llano county: Values for 1905, \$3,208,370; for 1904, \$3,072,945; increase, \$135,425. Colorado county: Values for 1905, \$6,226,265; for 1904, \$6,304,535; increase, \$78,270. Chambers county: Values for 1905, \$1,742,656; for 1904, \$1,213,092; increase, \$529,564. Titus: Values for 1905, \$2,448,103; for 1904, \$2,362,646; increase, \$85,457. Kimble county: Values for 1905 \$1,862,232; for 1904, \$1,658,289; increase, \$203,943. Navarro county: Values for 1905, \$1,723,885; values for 1904, \$1,621,925; increase, \$101,960. Hardin county: Values for 1905, \$5,565,322; for 1904, \$5,700,266; decrease, \$134,944. Waller county: Values for 1905, \$3,435,575; for 1904, \$3,277,323; increase, \$158,252. Somervell county: Values for 1905, \$857,723; for 1904, \$722,121; increase, \$135,602. McCulloch county: Values for 1905, \$2,028,088; for 1904, \$2,444,694; decrease, \$416,606. Schleicher county: Values for 1905, \$1,646,825; for 1904, \$1,511,745; increase, \$135,080. Midland county: Values for 1905, \$8,006,933; for 1904, \$1,844,752; increase, \$6,162,181. Atascosa county: Values for 1905, \$2,476,145; values for 1904, \$2,663,485; decrease, \$187,340. Irion county: Values for 1905, \$1,362,896; for 1904, \$1,164,416; increase, \$198,480. Castro county: Values for 1905, \$1,327,587; for 1904, \$1,789,914; decrease, \$462,327. Austin county: Values for 1905, \$4,130,810; for 1904, \$3,988,570; increase, \$142,240. Frio county: Values for 1905, \$3,192,206; for 1904, \$3,060,181; increase, \$132,025. Lavaca county: Values for 1905, \$5,315,158; for 1904, \$4,392,034; increase, \$923,124. Wood county: Values for 1905, \$1,255,749; values for 1904, \$1,206,480; increase, \$49,269. Coke county: Values for 1905, \$1,631,880; for 1904, \$1,612,374; increase, \$19,506. Knox county: Values for 1905, \$2,037,722; for 1904, \$1,962,655; increase, \$75,067. Mitchell county: Values for 1905, \$2,556,310; for 1904, \$2,479,052; increase, \$77,258. Hale county: Values for 1905, \$1,744,255; for 1904, \$1,729,870; increase, \$14,385. San Patricio county: Values for 1905, \$2,044,883; for 1904, \$2,097,498; decrease, \$52,615.

TEXAS IN BRIEF

OVERCOME BY HEAT DENTON, Texas, Aug. 21.—J. W. Moyer, a stone cutter at one of the local marble yards, Saturday afternoon suffered a sunstroke while at his work. TAX VALUES INCREASED BELTON, Texas, Aug. 21.—Tax Assessor Bangle states that while the rolls are not yet completed, the tax values in this county will show an increase over last year of about \$200,000. There was an increase last year over the previous year. LOG ROLLING ENDED BONHAM, Texas, Aug. 21.—The Woodmen log rolling closed last night. The occasion has been attended by large crowds, and the Woodmen report financial result satisfactory. C. K. Bell delivered an address on the grounds, in which he announced his candidacy for governor. COTTON CROP BETTER SEYMOUR, Texas, Aug. 21.—The cotton crop is 20 per cent better than the crop of last year. It is fruiting well, and the weather is, on the whole, favorable, though a little too much rain. A few sharpshooters and boll worms are reported, but are doing no serious injury. TO EXTEND WATER SYSTEM DENTON, Texas, Aug. 21.—The water works committee of the city council has recently purchased 30,000 feet of two four and six-inch water pipe, with which to extend the present system of water works here. The first of the pipe will arrive about Sept. 1 and work will be begun immediately. PROHIBITION ELECTION MARLIN, Texas, Aug. 21.—A prohibition election has been ordered in precinct No. 5, this county. Precinct No. 5 is in a rural section of the county west of the Brazos river. BID FOR COUNTY FUNDS GREENVILLE, Texas, Aug. 21.—On competitive bids for a depository for Hunt county funds, the Greenville National bank has been selected, having bid \$24,000. The bid of the Commercial National bank was 4 per cent and that of the First National bank 5 per cent. CLEANING UP DENTON DENTON, Texas, Aug. 21.—The work of making Denton a cleaner town is going steadily on under the supervision of the city health officer and the sanitary committee of the council. Wedds are being cut in all parts of the city, and attention given the streets and alleys. NEGRO STOPS RUNAWAY PARIS, Texas, Aug. 21.—While Mrs. Annie Reed and little daughter, Bertie, were out for a walk, a negro man, Claude Newton, was driving on South Main street Saturday evening the horse became frightened at a street car and ran away. After the horse had run some distance a negro man, Clute Stout, rushed out from the sidewalk into the street and seized the lines. He was knocked down and dragged a hundred yards, but continued to hold to the lines until the horse was stopped. But for the action the occupants would have been seriously hurt, if not killed. The dandy was injured in the knee and had his clothes badly torn. IN THE TERRITORIES HEAVY RAIN FALLS OKLAHOMA CITY, Aug. 21.—Rain bordering on a cloudburst fell here yesterday, flooding the streets. This vicinity has had too much rain during the past two weeks and it is feared the cotton crop will be injured. TRIAL CONTINUES ARDMORE, I. T., Aug. 21.—Commissioner Gullett of Tishomingo was unable to finish the examining trial of John Northcutt, charged with the murder of

A. J. Stratton at Ravia and the trial was continued until this week. QUARANTINE ESTABLISHED MUSKOGEE, I. T., Aug. 21.—Checotah, seventeen miles south of this city, has established a strict quarantine. Inspectors meet the trains and no person is permitted to get off without a health certificate. IMPROVING FORT SILL LAWTON, Okla., Aug. 21.—Improvements are being made at the Fort Sill post preparatory to the enlargement of the fort. Among these is the enlargement of the space taken up by the pumping station on the banks of Medicine Creek. About fifteen feet from the ball of the creek on a steep bank stands the station, and above this cliff over one hundred feet high. The second bank is being torn away and an extensive retaining wall is being erected alongside of it. INDIANS WANT TO SELL MUSKOGEE, I. T., Aug. 21.—At a recent meeting of the leading Indians of the Quapaw agency, it was determined to secure, if possible, legislation for the removal of restrictions from the lands of all allottees. Petitions are being circulated for signatures, praying for congressional action removing the restrictions so the allottees can dispose of their holdings, while a committee will be sent to Washington during the coming session to urge the enactment of the necessary laws. NEW OKLAHOMA CHARTERS GUTHRIE, Okla., Aug. 21.—The following companies have been chartered: Dinkie Brothers Real Estate Company of Anadarko, with \$2,000 capital stock. The Abstract and Guaranty Company of Lincoln county of Chandler, with \$10,000 capital stock. Citizens' Gas and Oil Company of Oklahoma City increased its capital stock from \$25,000 to \$75,000. The Headrick Townsite Company of Snyder, with \$7,000 capital stock. The Payne-Tulsa Petroleum Company of Tulsa with \$15,000 capital stock. MICHAEL DAVITT ON THE ENGLISH ARMY Irish Patriot's Rebuke of Sons of Erin for Entering the British Service DUBLIN, Aug. 21.—While the nationalist party in the house of commons is by skillful parliamentary tactics hastening the present Tory government to its downfall, the government is made equally unhappy by the irritatingly effective work of such patriots as Michael Davitt. In Ireland the aim of the Irish patriot is to hit the government in one of its most vital spots—the army. A campaign is now being waged to prevent England obtaining recruits for the army in Ireland. In a speech at Tullow, Mr. Davitt, recalling his work as a special newspaper correspondent in Russia, said that he learned when in Helmsingfors that not a single Finn today is to be found in the ranks of the Russian army. "Why," he asked, "should any Irishman join the English army? Should any honest, self-respecting Irishman offer a solitary reason why the same army is or ought to be one iota less objectionable to young Irishmen than the Russian army is to the men of Finland? "Decent English artisans will not enter the ranks of the English army. In England it is a rule in the management of respectable public houses not to serve uniformed 'Tommys'. For every reason, therefore, they ought to influence young Irishmen to avoid a degrading anti-Irish service. They are called upon to let England find her own soldiers in her own country with whom to carry out the infamous crimes like that of the South African war. "When Irishmen let the army of their foreign rulers severely alone," said Mr. Davitt, "England will be willing to take her hands off Ireland and for the peace and welfare of both nations will allow the Irish people of north and south as Irishmen and not as rival sects or sections to control their own country without foreign interference of any kind."

PROGRESS MADE IN CATTLE BREEDING But Demand of the Times Is That Breeders Should Put Forth More Energy A writer in an English exchange tells the progress in cattle breeding that should interest our readers on the importance of live stock and of more vigorous improvement. That great progress in the breeding of cattle, both in pedigree herds and in tenant farmers' cattle has been made during the past fifty years there can be no gainsaying, but in respect to the animals on the bulk of our farms it has seemed to the writer that very little, if any, progress has been made during the past decade of years; in fact, as if that most disastrous factor, the war, had been the most potent enemy to progress, has set in. With the enemy at our gates, slowly, but none the less surely, sapping the foundations of our defenses, surely for even greater activity than in the past. Our live stock British agriculture is now more dependent than ever it was in the past. Never in the past have we been so dependent on the food that we are now face to face with. Improvement in breeding just wants "starting on." I can picture in my mind's eye many farmers who made the start, procured an improved pedigree bull, and then began the use of one of his sons from a mongrel dam. Just as well, perhaps better, had he never begun, because in addition to the mongrel element on the one side he had the further element of consanguinity to deal with, and the last state of such herds is generally worse than the first. The inevitable result of such breeding is loss of size and impaired breeding power. As a rule the farmer who limits himself to this sort of breeding, owing to daily communication with his cattle, is the last to be conscious of his mistake—another instance of outsiders seeing most of the game. Progress in breeding to be successful must be persistent, no turning back, no wavering over a pound or two in the price of a pure-bred or a good-looking mongrel bull. In the one case movement is certain, in the other dubious. It must not be expected that the results of the use of one pure-bred bull will be for all time, and that when his term of service is up, all has been accomplished in the herd that need be attempted. No, in that way lies certain and consequent disappointment. One pure-bred bull must be succeeded by another pure-bred bull for all time, and in the selection judgment must be used to determine that the bull possesses qualities essential to effect improvement in points lacking in the dams. By such means farmers' herds may be quadrupled in value in a few years. Another bar to progress is in the number of our best cross-bred dairy Short-horns which are absorbed in town milk houses. What potentialities are here destroyed, and how long will the drain last? In the case of our harness horses, some thirty to forty years ago, the said mares being bought up by foreigners lest us well might bankrupt, and as Sir Walter Gilbey has shown, we have never recovered the drain, but have had to follow our mares to the continent for our supply of harness horses. The best of our dairy and beef (dual) cows do not leave the country, but they are none the less lost to us, and even worse than that, for the butcher's ax cuts short more than half of their breeding days. True, most of the milk shop agents in the country now allow their purchases to calves, but the cow is not a mammoth, and the heifer calves are kept for food, but this is only one calf where the dam might produce still a half dozen. Would it be possible in towns to devise some plan to place in the hands of our dry states, and continue them for future breeding? They are the very best of their kind, and to sacrifice such at 5, 6 or 7 years of age seems a great waste. "Willful waste of goods," and this milk shop policy is denuding the breeding countries of their best dual cows. And it is not even a necessary, but a decidedly unnecessary and preventable waste of the best material we have in farm cattle stock.

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BIRTHDAY WEDDING TO BE CELEBRATED Miss Ella Griffith of Glenwood to Marry on Seventeenth Anniversary Celebrating her seventeenth birthday and wedding upon the same day, Miss Ella Griffith of Glenwood will tonight be married to Mr. Bert Sparks of this city. The marriage will be performed tonight at the residence of the bride's mother in Beale street at 9 o'clock by Rev. George F. Campbell, pastor of the Glenwood Methodist church. Both Miss Griffith and Mr. Sparks are well known in Glenwood. Following the wedding they will make their home in Camilla street, near Exeter street. Miss Lucy Howard of Longview is visiting the family of H. N. Conner at Seymour Hill. Mrs. Campbell has returned to her home in Holt street, Glenwood, after a trip to Colorado with her son. Henry Hoven, formerly of Glenwood, is expected to return to this place to live.

CURZON NO LONGER VICEROY OF INDIA Bitter Feeling Between Him and Lord Kitchener Precipitates Crisis LONDON, Aug. 21.—The resignation of Lord Curzon of Kedleston as viceroy of India and the appointment of the Earl of Minto as his successor was announced at the Indian office last night. According to the correspondence, which is issued in the form of a white book, it appears that Lord Curzon's resignation was called to that office Aug. 12. The correspondence shows a decidedly bitter feeling between Lord Curzon, the Indian office and Lord Kitchener, commander-in-chief of the forces in India, over the new plan of army administration in India. Lord Curzon's dissatisfaction came to a head with the refusal of the cabinet to appoint Major General Sir Edmund Barrow, on Lord Curzon's recommendation, military supply member of the council.

AUTO CLUB HAS ITS OWN DOCTOR Oak Park Enthusiasts Believe in an Ounce of Prevention CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 21.—The Automobile Club of Oak Park, a suburb, has taken the precautionary measure of electing a physician as one of the regular officers, and it is not unlikely that other clubs may follow the example. The "official surgeon" always will be ready with liniment and bandages to care for the members who receive cuts or bruises on their many pilgrimages. He will accompany the club on its "runs" and, when it takes part in parades, he will be in constant attendance.

VOTERS PETITION RECEIVED BY LANE Has Made no Decision Yet as to Entering Race for Legislature W. P. Lane of this city has received the petition of business men asking that he become a candidate for the state legislature as announced in The Telegram of Saturday, but has as yet reached no decision in the matter. The petition bearing the signatures of over 250 men urges that he enter the race for the legislature. Mr. Lane, present representative from this city, is already an announced candidate for railroad commissioner, leaving the field open. A decision is expected from Mr. Lane in a few days and signers of the petition are hopeful of seeing him holding a chair in the state legislature.

MARRIED AT REUNION Secret Wedding Causes Surprise—Ceremony Had Been Postponed SAN ANGELO, Texas, Aug. 21.—A romantic marriage was made known here today when it was learned that Earl Cain and Miss Pigie Miles were married at Ballinger several weeks ago before the county judge during the Ballinger reunion. The young people are both prominent socially here and have many friends who were surprised upon learning of the event. The bride is the daughter of Jonathan Miles, recently acquitted at San Antonio of the murder of Harry Ball at Fort McKavett some four years ago. At the time of the arrest of the father charged with the crime the two young people lived on adjoining ranches

FIFTEEN BAPTIZED AT CHURCH SERVICE Successful Revival Service Is Continuing at North Fort Worth Baptist Church Fifteen baptisms marked service at the North Fort Worth Baptist church Sunday night, those baptized having become members as a result of the services being held by Rev. W. H. Breach and the pastor, Rev. E. N. Bell. Evangelist Breach, who comes from Waukegan, Ill., preached following the baptisms, securing good attendance from an audience of fully 500 people. Good attendance is marking the meetings, which will continue until Wednesday night. Service this morning was held at 11 o'clock. Another service will be held tonight at 8 o'clock.

DEATHS MISS MAUD MCKILLEN Miss Maud McKillen, aged 22 years, daughter of A. M. McKillen, died at St. Joseph's infirmary Sunday afternoon. Death followed an operation for appendicitis. The operation was performed last Wednesday and the patient gradually grew worse. The funeral was held this morning from the family residence, in Evans avenue. EDWARD WILCOX Edward Wilcox, aged 51 years, died at noon Sunday at his residence, 311 East Second street. Death was brought about by a complication of malarial fever and rheumatism. Mr. Wilcox had lived in the city for the last six years. He was a widower and is survived by a brother, George, and a son, Edward, of this city. The funeral was held from Gause's undertaking rooms this afternoon. Interment was made in Oakwood cemetery.

FIRST BALES RECEIVED HENRIETTA, Texas, Aug. 21.—Clay county's first bale of cotton of the 1905 crop has been ginned at the Henrietta gin, 1,500 pounds of seed cotton turning out 520 pounds of lint, which was sold to the highest bidder for 12 1/2c, in addition to which the business men of the town gave a premium of \$40, aggregating \$110.50 to the producer. GORMAN, Texas, Aug. 21.—The first bale of cotton for the season's new crop has been brought in by N. W. Burkett, living four or five miles west of this place. The cotton was sold for 10 1/2c and a bonus of \$25 or \$30 made up by the citizens as a premium. Not more than a few hours after the first bale was brought in another one came, but too late for the premium.

TO BE NO CHANGE IN TRACTION FRANCHISE Arlington Heights Line Application to Go Before People as Asked in Original Petition No change is to be made in the Arlington Heights Traction company franchise as prepared for presentation to the city council for the calling of a referendum election. It was believed that failure to present at last meeting of council might be due to a desire to change the document as originally signed by petitioners. Statement at the office of the company, however, was made that no change will be made. As announced in The Telegram, no provision is made for a return to the city for the use of the streets in the franchise as originally framed.

NEW TEXAS CHARTERS AUSTIN, Texas, Aug. 21.—Charters of the following corporations have been approved and filed for record in the state department: Traders State Bank of Cleburne; capital stock, \$100,000. The Adams Mercantile Company of Ravenna; capital stock, \$10,000. Dallas Oil and Fuel Company; capital stock, \$10,000. Nacogdoches Cotton Oil Company of Nacogdoches; capital stock, \$40,000.

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ENSIGN TAKES PRIZE Texas Man Commended on Ability at Naval Target Practice PARIS, Texas, Aug. 21.—Ensign Otto Richardson of the United States navy, whose home is in this city, and who has been visiting his parents here, has received the following communication: "Aug. 11, 1905.—Sir: The bureau is pleased to note that the turret you commanded aboard the U. S. S. Monadnock on the target practice, 1905, attained the highest final mention of any 10-inch or 12-inch turret aboard vessels of the monitor class, thereby winning the first navy prize for monitor turrets. The bureau therefore commends the zeal and ability displayed in the discharge of your duties as turret officer. A copy of this letter has been filed with your record in the navy department. Very respectfully, "G. A. CONVERSE, "Chief of Bureau."



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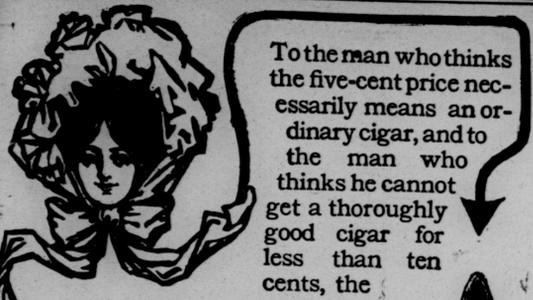
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RUSSIAN SOLDIER'S REMARKABLE STORY Letter Tells How Gen. Remis Was Torn to Pieces After Killing Corporal ODESSA, Aug. 21.—A remarkable letter received from a soldier in the Seventy-first (Belavsky) regiment, stationed at Novo Alexandria, province of Lublin, is reported to have been received here, relating how the commander of the brigade, Major General Remis, was literally torn to pieces by the regiment, after he had brutally murdered a corporal. The general appeared before the regiment and acknowledged that the Fourteenth army corps, of which the regiment is a part, had been ordered to the front. He added, however, that he could not accompany the corps to the front. Then there were cries of "scoundrel," of "coward" from the ranks. "Approaching our company," continues the writer, "where on the right flank stood the company commander and a corporal, he pointed his revolver at the latter and demanded: 'Tell me immediately, you reptile, who shouted among your men.' "The corporal replied that nobody in his company had shouted. "You lie," you dog," returned the general, and fired. The corporal fell dead. "Not satisfied with this, the general aimed at him, and the commander of the bullet missed him, hitting instead the company commander, who also stumbled and fell. It is impossible to comprehend what happened then. Like this soldier, I threw myself upon him and in less than a minute all that remained of the brilliant general was a shapeless mutilated mass of flesh. "The commanders of the Seventy-first and Seventy-second regiments called on the soldiers to shoot the body of the murderer upon the men the soldiers met them with a volley from nearly a thousand rifles. "When the dust here settled there were stretched on the ground about thirty corpses, besides also the commander of the Seventy-second regiment was killed and our own commander was left wounded in the breast. He was removed from the scene by officers, as not a single soldier would stir from his place. "On the next day there arrived from Lublin the commander in chief of the division, Lieutenant General Smirnov, who, succeeded in receiving the body of the murderer from the soldiers. "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.

CATHOLIC COLONIES Pope to Found Fifteen Villages by Natives in Africa (Special Cable to The Telegram—Copyright, 1905, by Hearst News Service.) ROME, Aug. 21.—It is announced that the pope has decided to create in Central Africa fifteen villages or colonies of native Catholics, each of which will be under the ecclesiastical protection of the African diocese. The villages are to be called New York, Minnesota, New Orleans, Baltimore and so forth, the idea of his holiness being to recognize in this novel fashion the generous contribution of the faithful in America toward mission work in Africa.



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Two of the prettiest games ever seen in this city played at Haines' Park Sunday afternoon left the result of the City League in doubt, with but a single game remaining on the schedule. Kellers took the first game of the two by a score of 3 to 2, while the second went to the Denvers in the ninth by a score of 1 to 0.

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SOUTH TEXAS LEAGUE. Beaumont 1-7, San Antonio 0-5. DREW \$2,500 CLAIM. LAWTON, Okla., Aug. 21.—S. S. Boone of Lawton drew claim No. 385 in the Utah drawing. The claim is worth \$2,500.

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THE FARMERS' UNION

There is a strong movement being made to bring the state headquarters of Texas Farmers' Union to Fort Worth, and it is reported that the outlook for its coming is quite encouraging. The Telegram voices the sentiments of all Fort Worth people when it assures the farmers of Texas they will receive a cordial welcome to this city.

The banner county of west Texas is coming into her inheritance—an inheritance richer than was dreamed of. The promises of former years are being realized in even greater measure than the dreamers of yesterday ever thought possible.

The land-poor stockman of yesterday is selling his grazing land to the farmer of today and both are gainers. Instead of a vast prairie dotted here and there with a few scattered homesteads, there are now happy homes, contented wives, hard working, prosperous husbands and merry children.

The cowboy has given way to the parson, the school teacher has displaced the ranger. Civilization, prosperity and wealth have come west. Mitchell county offers every man a home and a living. Here are farming lands as good as those of Tarrant and Grayson, fruit lands as good as those of Erath or Anderson, truck lands as good as those of any country, and a plenty of them.

Land as good as the best in Texas can be bought at from \$2.75 to \$12, according to location and improvements. A few hundred dollars gives a man a home in Mitchell county, with a cost of only a few thousands in any other part of the state.

And homesteaders are not disappointed when they come to Mitchell county. Our lands, good and cheap though they be, are not the only attraction. Mitchell county people are healthy people. The elevation is about 2,000-1,400 higher than Fort Worth. The air is pure, the water is good. There is plenty to eat and plenty of work to do. What more could people ask?

Colorado, the county seat of Mitchell county, is on the Texas and Pacific railroad, about 230 miles west of Fort Worth. Fine streets, comfortable homes and beautiful views are the features of the town that first attracted attention. An \$80,000 court house, a \$15,000 jail (usually empty), three public school buildings and five churches are among the attractions of the town.

to do. Fort Worth feels they should be encouraged and abetted in all their undertakings, and Fort Worth is anxious to lend every encouragement possible. The establishing of the state headquarters in this city is the proper thing to do, and it is generally hoped that early action will be taken that will insure this result. Our people are willing to do the proper thing in the premises.

THE BOOMING WEST

Reports from west Texas indicate that section is on a regular boom this year. From San Angelo comes reports of the largest influx of immigration that section has ever known, and lands are changing hands rapidly at very satisfactory prices. The big ranches are being cut up and sold in small tracts to men who are engaging in stock farming, and the general opinion is that the development of the stock farming idea is going to make the west the most prosperous portion of the state.

Mitchell county is the paradise of Texas, the garden spot of the whole state. Her orchards and vineyards, farms and gardens, are the wonder of every visitor to west Texas. Her fields of cotton, corn, milo maize and Kaffir corn are her standbys.

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Various Texas towns are now receiving first lades of new cotton, and handsome premiums are generally being paid. Fort Worth has as yet made no organized effort to control her share of the cotton trade this season, but the farmers are assured that they can find plenty of buyers here and the full market price will be paid during the entire season.

The time has come in the history of Fort Worth when valuable franchises should command a valuable consideration. The man who expects to get something for nothing may be disappointed, but not so with the people. When the city confers these valuable rights, it is but proper that the people should get something of value in return.

It has been discovered that the common Texas horned toad is very fond of the boll weevil as a table delicacy, and the federal government may now be expected to soon arrive on the scene of action with several carloads of the toads. The federal people are always ready to take up any small thing that promises to smother the boll weevil.

The tax rolls of various Texas counties now being received at Austin are showing a very large increase in taxable values, and this is but another indication of the general prosperity that is prevailing throughout Texas.

It did not require much effort on the part of the cattlemen to convince Secretary Wilson that Dr. Salmon had made most egregious blunder in his cattle

shipping regulations, and the same were very promptly rescinded. It is a pretty safe proposition that the men who grow and ship the cattle are in the best position to judge what is proper for them.

It is announced that the Katy railway will make no extensions this year, and this will be a cruel disappointment to a number of towns that have been figuring on such connection. The Katy is one of the most popular lines of railway operating in Texas.

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AMONG EXCHANGES

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Senator Bailey has cancelled all his Texas dates for speeches, and those warm facts will not materialize for some time yet.

A woman over in Honolulu is reported to have given birth to seven children at one birth. Although the woman was a Chinese and the children are dead, yet Mr. Roosevelt would send her an autograph photograph.—Denton Record and Chronicle.

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"Dual tariff" may become a pleasing variant of tariff reform and tariff revision, but in some form or other the tariff question seems destined to come up at the next session of congress, and Speaker Cannon may find himself utterly powerless to keep it down.—San Antonio Express.

The big convention at Chicago last week may be accepted as something of an indication of the state of unrest prevailing among the people on the tariff question. And that was but the opening gun in a renewed fight for tariff reform.

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THE WEB

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Verses That Ring

REST AT LAST

But you seem long to the weary feet, But it leads at last where the shadows fall in silence over the breast.

The way seems long, and the flowers are few That bloom for the wounded breast of you. Yet we know, when the tears and toll are past, We shall rest with the lilies of God at last!

With the lilies of God on brow and breast In the beautiful valley of perfect rest! Break, O tempests, in starless skies! And drain, O tears, from the saddened eyes.

Evermore is the joy of the song; 'Twill not be long—it will not be long! There is balm for the weariest lives unblest. In the beautiful valley of perfect rest! —Atlanta Constitution.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

Those angels men marry soon shed their wings. A cynic is a man who has no earthly use for children. A woman in love is sentimental; a man in love is silly.

If a man is pushed for money he is usually shoved to the rear. Most of the serious slips occur after the cup has been to the lip. One seldom realizes that he is wrong until he is found out.

There is more or less envy in the makeup of every man and woman on earth. Our idea of a pleasing conversationalist is one who possesses the faculty of making a long story short. When a woman goes shopping it takes her all afternoon; when she goes buying it takes her only a few minutes.

It is simply impossible to get any amount of the twelve to live up to the magazine poetry that is written about it.—Chicago News. REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR

Either a girl has a high instep or she thinks she has. Sometimes a man is so smart he can save money even if he is married. Family life is nearly always contented when the whole bunch are asleep.

Old maids know how to teach mothers how to raise their children, and young wives know how to manage their husbands. When a girl is engaged to a man it is awful hard for her to believe he loves her unless he tells her he always kisses her photograph before he goes to bed.—New York Press.

MOST ANYTHING

A WORD FROM JOSH WISE A friend in need is the kind we all try to dodge. An Iowa boy was robbed by a 16-year-old boy—no, no, he wasn't the president.

Rojevstevsky's explanation of his defeat shows that if he had had better vessels, better guns and better men, he might have won. It isn't "America's Smart Set." It's America's Zany Set.

John D. Rockefeller, according to a newspaper paragraph that has been going the rounds for a week or so, is an expert shorthand writer. However, nobody must get the idea that John is a shorthand writer.

NO DOUBT ABOUT IT

The get-rich-quick-game's knocked. Every young knower man: They say there's naught but loss In any speedy path. That all may be quite true, But I don't think it's so. For once I went in one—

Oh, yes, I will admit I may be pretty thick, But when I played the game Somebody got rich quick. EVERYTHING A FACTORY NEEDS

We have been told that someone has said a factory will be started at this place. We would be pleased to know of some factory, however, nobody must get the idea that John is a shorthand writer.

RUBBERNECKING AGAIN

Mrs. Lysander John Appleton is older than her husband, and we would like to know how much.—Atchison (Kan.) Globe. TWO VIEWPOINTS

A city man, before his guest, Some steaming tempting dish will lay, And say, with swelling chest, "I brought that from the farm today." The farmer, too, a dish will pass, And, as he puts it down, Remark, "That ought to be first-class. I brought it yesterday in town."

CRANKS AS THEY PASS

This afternoon a big, broad-shouldered man walked into the county court house and approached the elevator man. "Fardon me," he said, "but can you tell me whether the supreme court is at work today?" "Yes, sir," replied Frank. "Second floor." "Are the judges busy?" "Early."

"Do you think they are too busy to sign an order for \$30,000,000?" "Thirty million dollars!" exclaimed Frank. "Merely a trifle," commented the stranger. "James Hazen Hyde owes it to me and I want Mr. Jerome to collect it this afternoon if the judges ain't too busy to sign the order to show cause?" "Well, you find Mr. Jerome in the criminal court building up on Center street."

STORM AT WALTER, OKLA

LAWTON, Okla., Aug. 21.—A storm of earth and fire did considerable damage. The Christian church, under construction, was blown down and the Baptist Tabernacle where services were being held was completely demolished. The towers of the tower and Temple were quite a tall of hall.

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HOUSE STRUCK BY LIGHTNING SAN ANGELO, Texas, Aug. 21.—During a rainstorm here Saturday night the two-story residence of Ben Mays, in East San Angelo, was struck by lightning, setting the house on fire. The family escaped. The furniture was saved. Insurance of \$1,200 will cover loss.

THE TELEGRAM'S SHORT STORY MAN WHO WOULD'NT DRINK

It was a wild day when Booth Stansfield came into Gold Bar, the new mining camp. Old Dan Forbes, the coach driver, pulled up, with the reins tied to the dashboard, so stiff, if you'll take his word for it, that his pocket-flask was half-full of the stuff that is said to keep the cold out. You may rest assured that nothing but pure inability to bend his elbow could have produced that result.

"And that thar tenderfoot"—referring to Stansfield—"stuck to the box all the way from the Notch." Old Forbes had announced in admiration, "Thar's the makin' of a good citizen in that chap," he averred. "Lightnin', he is."

Naturally the inhabitants of Gold Bar were very anxious to see the person who came so highly recommended by the driver. He was a dark, thin man, with hollow eyes and flashing teeth. With his first appearance in the only saloon Gold Bar afforded, came the usual western invitation.

"In a short time my sleigh had left all the others behind save the one that contained the woman who had refused my company and her escort. I was determined to beat them. But I was too drunk to drive well. "Suddenly we reached a sharp curve in the road. The two sleighs were now neck and neck, going at a furious pace. Directly ahead was a bridge not wide enough for the two to pass side by side. I resolved to cross it first and repeatedly laid the whip over my horse, yelling like a madman. In vain my brother tried to stop me—in vain the driver of the other horse endeavored to slacken his speed.

"Neck and neck we swept on, reaching the bridge together. The only thing that remained behind was the scream from the woman, a crash and then all was a blank.

"When I recovered consciousness, two days later, I learned that it was the only survivor of the party. We had all been thrown off the bridge and the others were stunned and drowned. And now, boys, do you wonder," he concluded, "that I have never, from that day to this, taken a drop of the accursed stuff? And I never will!"

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"Partner," he asked, "can you forgive me?" Stansfield arose and, taking the miner by the hand, said: "I drink no more, my friend."

"Liquor, stranger?" from a big, red-haired fellow who was not, in the parlance of the camp, "used to chawin' his words twice."

Booth Stansfield measured him with a glance, and, quick as a flash, his right hand shot out, and the miner staggered and went down to the floor. Stansfield put his foot on his breast and held him there, while he calmly surveyed the consternated companions of the fallen man.

"I presume, gentlemen, I owe you an apology," said he. "That invitation to drink I take it is a caution here. Nevertheless, I am sure you will excuse me, it is also my usual custom to knock down any man who asks me to take a drink. To the gentleman who has the floor," Stansfield added, smiling, and removing his foot, "I just wish to say that I bear him no grudge or malice whatever, but I am perfectly willing to give him any satisfaction he wishes—only make your wants known. I guess that is explicit enough."

"I crawl!" he said, "I'm not a fool to know when I've enough," grunted the miner, rising to his feet, "but," and there was a world of meaning in his eyes as he glared around, "if you fellows choose to take advantage of this affair, why you may do so—there's no one ahead of any of you."

The companions of the miner stood speechless and puzzled. They could not understand what caused the trouble. It was up to Stansfield to explain, and he said:

"Gentlemen, if you would like to hear a story, I will tell you why I refused to drink."

"Let's have it, partner," cried several. "Six years ago," he began, "there wasn't a harder drinker in the state of Indiana than I. Brought up by indulging parents, with everything one could reasonably wish for, I soon got into fast company, and, almost before

my dear old parents realized it, as well as myself, I was a drunkard. "I was not the only child. I had a brother ten years younger. Sometimes he would follow me into town, to bring me home when I was unable to get there myself. "On one occasion of which I am about to tell you, we had been to a sleighing party, and, for the first time, my brother formed one of the company.

"The town we were driving to that night was some 14 or 15 miles distant, and we made several stops on the way, each time, naturally, to take a drink, so that by the time we reached our destination, we were feeling rather merry, to say the least.

"About 11 o'clock we started home. I had drank a great deal of liquor, so my head came into my cutter, as the young woman I had taken refused to ride home with me. Her refusal had greatly angered me, and, accordingly, when someone proposed a race, I was perfectly willing, of course, to assent. Brother tried to dissuade me, but it was useless.

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Booth Stansfield measured him with a glance, and, quick as a flash, his right hand shot out, and the miner staggered and went down to the floor. Stansfield put his foot on his breast and held him there, while he calmly surveyed the consternated companions of the fallen man.

"I presume, gentlemen, I owe you an apology," said he. "That invitation to drink I take it is a caution here. Nevertheless, I am sure you will excuse me, it is also my usual custom to knock down any man who asks me to take a drink. To the gentleman who has the floor," Stansfield added, smiling, and removing his foot, "I just wish to say that I bear him no grudge or malice whatever, but I am perfectly willing to give him any satisfaction he wishes—only make your wants known. I guess that is explicit enough."

"I crawl!" he said, "I'm not a fool to know when I've enough," grunted the miner, rising to his feet, "but," and there was a world of meaning in his eyes as he glared around, "if you fellows choose to take advantage of this affair, why you may do so—there's no one ahead of any of you."

The companions of the miner stood speechless and puzzled. They could not understand what caused the trouble. It was up to Stansfield to explain, and he said:

"Gentlemen, if you would like to hear a story, I will tell you why I refused to drink."

"Let's have it, partner," cried several. "Six years ago," he began, "there wasn't a harder drinker in the state of Indiana than I. Brought up by indulging parents, with everything one could reasonably wish for, I soon got into fast company, and, almost before

EXPORT GRAIN RATE PEACE CONFERENCE

Meeting to Be Held at Chicago to Patch Up Existing Differences

An important conference of railroad managers, especially in the freight traffic departments of western lines, will take place at Chicago Tuesday to give consideration to the grain rate situation.

Matters pertaining to disturbed rate conditions are to be considered. It is believed that the threatened dilapidation of rates on grain to the seaboard will be averted before still further sacrifice is required.

The Missouri Pacific announced that today it would make rates from the Missouri river to St. Louis as follows: On wheat, 7 1/2 cents per hundred weight; coarse grain, 6 1/2 cents; from lower Missouri river points to Westport, La., and Galveston, for export, 16 1/2 cents on wheat and 15 1/2 cents on coarse grain; from Omaha, 1 cent higher; from lower Missouri river points to Westport, La., and Galveston, for export, 16 1/2 cents on wheat and 15 1/2 cents on coarse grain; from Omaha, 1 cent higher; from lower Missouri river points to Westport, La., and Galveston, for export, 16 1/2 cents on wheat and 15 1/2 cents on coarse grain.

The rates announced from Omaha, as put in by the Burlington, viz., 7 cents on wheat to St. Paul, 6 cents on corn, and Omaha to St. Louis, 5 cents on wheat and 4 cents on corn, were withdrawn. Notice of the tariff was given in error, and has already been received in this city.

TO HALVE CHARGES Believed Icing Rate Will Be Greatly Reduced

As a result of the investigation into the icing of refrigerator cars of private companies by the Texas railroad commission, there is a fair prospect of the present rates being cut squarely in two. From the Austin report that the commission will establish a schedule of icing charges that will be lower than present rates by 50 per cent.

The investigation of the commission shows that the charges for icing cars were from \$25 to \$40 per car, while the actual cost, if done by shippers, would be from \$15 to \$22. Charges now range from \$50 to \$65 per car.

The private car companies declare that the regular ice-making companies in Texas are unable to furnish the ice necessary to bring in the ice from long distances and the charges made by the companies are for the actual cost.

PROSPEROUS YEAR Gould System Expected to Break All Traffic Records

Traffic officials of the Gould system predict that the present will be the banner year, and that earnings from now on are likely to show very large increases. Holzfors 1905 has been the banner year of that system. That year the corn crop of Kansas broke all previous records, but the wheat crop was a comparative failure, the yield being in the neighborhood of 42,000,000 bushels.

This year the wheat crop of that state is estimated at 80,000,000 bushels, and the corn crop at 25,000,000. In 1902 the corn crop amounted to 25,000,000 bushels. This year it is estimated that the state has 60,000,000 more bushels of grain than ever before in its history. This increase will be equal to about 5,500 tons, or 183 more train loads of grain than ever came out of Kansas before. Earnings of the system will increase in proportion, and a record-breaking year, so far as they are concerned, is expected.

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THE PRESIDENT'S CHEAP SUIT The interviewer found this week's celebrity, Robert J. Wynne, quite at home in the American consulate general in the city. The "business manager of America in London" had carried the freedom of the great republic into the region of black coats and silk hats, and on a sweltering summer day frankly wore a light suit of Holland, reminiscent of the Dutch republic that gave the title name.—New Amsterdam.—New York. "In America we dress according to the weather," said Mr. Wynne. "I guess your English dress according to the fashion."

Mr. Wynne dresses in good company. He looked down at his cool suit with a smile of reminiscence. "The last time I saw President Roosevelt I wore these same clothes."

It was at the White House in Washington, and of course, the suit was a little free and easy for an official visit. So I apologized. "Mr. President," I said, "I must make my excuses for appearing before such a great person as yourself, and on such an important occasion, in an outfit that cost \$6." The President stared at me and then seized my arm. "How much did you say?" he asked. "Six dollars, Mr. President."

"He burst out laughing. 'Well, I have beaten you,' he cried. 'I am nearer to the people than you are. This suit of mine cost me \$4!'—London Chronicle.

NEW DALLAS WIRE Increased Business Between Cities Necessitates More Lines

The Postal Telegraph Company is adding another wire to the lines between Fort Worth and Dallas and will soon have them ready for use.

quoted at considerable length by all the Chicago newspapers. Captain Paddock opposed the proposition that Chairman Packard of Iowa appoint a committee of fifteen to carry on the reciprocity work and wanted the committee named by the conference, one from each state. After there was heated debate the proposition advocated by Captain Paddock was lost. During the discussion he said, according to the Chicago Chronicle: "These delegates are not from each state, you scratch my back and I'll scratch yours. I believe all these amendments were devised primarily that their authors might get their names in the newspapers and send market copies home." The Chronicle says that the statement made by Captain Paddock caused a decided sensation.

AMUSEMENTS

ROSEN HEIGHTS PIKE At Rosen Heights Pike Sunday night the Hawthorne Theater Company presented the four act comedy drama "The Westerner" at the summer theater there.

A good attendance was secured at the opening performance of the company by whom a favorable impression was made, the catchy play being given in a sprightly and artistic way.

A vaudeville specialties between the acts added to the performance, including several wonderful acts. A change of bill is announced nightly this week.

LAKE ERIE A comedy skit "Fun in a Barnyard," and a number of pleasing vaudeville acts comprised the program at Lake Erie pavilion Sunday night, following a superb concert by Lake Erie orchestra given earlier in the day. Of the vaudeville acts Lew Wells, Sylvan and O'Neil, The Three Ronalds and the Western Sisters made decided hits. Picture melodies and "The Seven Ages" by the Eriograph were well received.

ARREST MADE ON SWINDLING CHARGE

W. O. Perry Arrested Sunday Says He Has Merely Overdrawn Accounts

Through the efforts of Detective Al Ray of this city, W. O. Perry, aged 21 years, lawyer and newspaper man, was in the hands of local authorities this morning with a charge of swindling on the police blotter against his name.

Perry was arrested Sunday afternoon in Dallas and was later brought to this city. Immediate cause of arrest is the cashing of a check for \$25 on the American National Bank of this city on July 29. The check given here was on a bank at Roff, L. T., and when sent there was not honored.

Perry said to a Telegram reporter this morning that overdrawing his account was the entire cause of the trouble. "I am guilty of no swindling," he said. "I am simply overdrawn and will settle the matter today."

When the check was cashed on the American National Bank here the case was reported to the police.

A picture of Perry was secured at Kansas City and posters were struck off and sent broadcast over the country. It was learned through a traveling man that Perry was in Dallas and by means of his picture on the poster he was identified and arrested.

C. H. Hudson, cashier of the First National Bank at Roff, L. T., has written a chief of Police Maddox of this city saying that four checks of Perry's have been received there.

William O. Perry is well known in Texas. He was a resident of Limestone county a number of years ago and there published a newspaper. Through the influence of friends he obtained some recognition in politics and being active in the campaign he was given a position at assistant sergeant at arms of the Texas house of representatives.

POLICE STATION MATTER SOLVED

Temporary Quarters in City Hall and Prison at Street Department Yards

Alderman Waggonman, one of the committee named to investigate the purchase of the Southwestern Telephone building for city police purposes, favors the plan of building permanent detention quarters near the street department headquarters, as outlined in The Telegram several weeks ago by City Marshal Maddox.

According to the plan now under consideration, a portion of city hall can be used for temporary quarters and prisoners sentenced can then be transferred to the permanent prison.

Final conclusion of the city hall basement has made change of some sort necessary and the foregoing plan has been hit upon in an effort to solve the problem.

A suitable building on the street department grounds, it is estimated, could be built for about \$2,000.

Mark Twain Has Gout

WINSTEAD, Conn., Aug. 21.—Samuel L. Clemens (Mark Twain) is recovering from a severe attack of gout at Edgewood, a cottage in Norfolk rented by Miss Clara Clemens, his daughter, for the season. He was attacked a week ago and has been a very sick man.

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MALARIA UNDERMINES THE HEALTH

When the germs of malaria enter the blood the entire health is affected, and if the blood is not purified of these germs and microbes, Chronic Sores and Ulcers, Liver Spots, Chills and Fever, Boils, Aches and Pains, and a great variety of troubles manifest themselves, and soon the entire system is undermined, leaving the sufferer a prey to a most miserable, weak and nervous condition.

913 W. Market St., Louisville, Ky. For several years I suffered with Chills and Fever, caused by Malaria in my system, and each summer for several years I would have a relapse. Finally my physician prescribed S. S. S. I took a few bottles; this was about six years ago. It entirely cured me, and I have never been troubled since. I am sure no other medicine could have given me so complete and immediate relief, and I cannot speak too highly of S. S. S. My partner in business is now taking S. S. S. for an eruption of the skin, and a general run-down condition of the system, and although he has taken but one bottle, already commences to feel better. I. SHARPEFF.

S. S. S. counteracts and drives all the poison from the blood and builds up the system by its fine purifying qualities and tonic effects. It strengthens every part, increases the appetite, helps the stomach and digestion, and by supplying the body with rich, pure blood, cures Malaria and all its disagreeable ailments. Unlike most blood medicines S. S. S. is purely vegetable. It does not contain a particle of mineral of any kind to disagreeably affect the stomach, bowels, and by cleansing and strengthening the blood, puts every part of the body in healthy condition. Book on the blood and any medical advice desired without charge.

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Monnie's Duches, the tailor \$3 shoes, in all styles and leathers. Oxford \$2.50. The J. J. Langerver Co., opposite city hall, interior decorators and sign painters.

All of the latest sheet music. G. E. Cromer, 502 Houston street. New Refrigerators and Ice Boxes at Hubbard Bros., 108 Houston street. Phone 2191.

When in the market for lumber see the John E. Quarles Lumber Company. They have a big stock and are in the field for trade and lots of it.

Cromer Bros., Rambler and Cleveland bicycles on easy payments. Palo Alto Dog and Horse Show for sale only at Nobby Harness Co., 600 Houston street. Old phone 56-2r.

See the Famous Shoe Store, 709 Houston street, for shoes that fit and wear. The firm has built up an enviable reputation on its goods.

Why, yes; all the fashionable women want the best in hats, and for that reason they go to J. M. Reagan's, Sixth and 4th Houston streets, to get them.

Want an ice box? Of course you do. Then see N. A. Cunningham, furniture, for it. He sells you on time or for cash. Cheapest prices.

W. B. Scripps, First and Throckmerton streets, has the finest line of agricultural implements in the south-west. All up-to-date goods to select from.

Get a Kruckman Watch. Guaranteed for one year. \$1.00. 507 Main street. In any part of town Haggard & Duff, 413 Main street, have property listed. They will help you to build a home and secure the property.

Do you play ball? If you do and want anything in the line of gloves, mitts, masks, bats, plates, etc., go to A. J. Anderson's, 410-12 Houston.

The place to get anything you want for the home is at the Nix Furniture and Storage Co., 406-408 Houston. Cash or time is the way goods are sold.

Noel's Cold Storage Market, 202 Main street, is the place to get meats and produce kept sanitariously clean. The prices are the lowest.

If it's a nobby, up-to-date suit you want, made the proper fashion, you'd better go to M. A. Norris, 315 Main street, right away, quick.

Texas Paint and Paper House has an experienced wallpaper salesman. Let us show you what we can do. The Winters-Daniel Realty Company have an exceptional large list of desirable city and farm property for you to select from. Better see them now.

For insurance in solid companies or for good investments in real estate, improved or unimproved, see John Burke & Co., 109 East Fourth street. The best in the world—a Kruckman \$1 watch. Guaranteed a year.

Special bargains in pawned diamonds and watches that were uncalled for at The Eagle Loan Office, 109 Main street. R. H. Griffin & Co., 406-408 Houston, carry an immense stock of groceries. It is kept clean and fresh. Best place in Fort Worth to trade.

TAX ROLLS SHOW GAIN IN ARKANSAS, Tex., Aug. 21.—The tax rolls of Bowie county for the current year have been upped and will be submitted to the commissioners court next Wednesday. The rolls show an increase in the county's assessed valuations over last year of about \$250,000. The rolls for last year showed a total valuation of \$7,500,000.

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STORIES OF THE DAY

GALLANT SON OF THANKS A sense of humor and a delicate compliment was that of a Holton boy who was lying in a hospital. The pretty nurse overheard him exclaim: "Oh, my Lord! Wishing to rebuke him kindly, she came to his bedside and said: "I think that I heard you call upon the name of the Lord. I am one of His daughters. Is there anything I can do for you?" He looked up into her lovely face and with every word of respect and admiration, remarked: "Yes; ask him how he would like me for a son-in-law."—Holton Recorder.

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The Telegram's Financial and Commercial Page

STOCKS

Table of stock prices for various companies including Am. Locomotive, Canadian Pacific, and others.

GRAIN

Table of grain prices for wheat, corn, and other commodities.

COTTON

Table of cotton prices for various grades and origins.

LIVESTOCK

Table of livestock prices for cattle, hogs, and sheep.

MISCELLANEOUS

Table of miscellaneous prices for various goods and services.

Advertisement for VIVION COMMISSION CO. featuring cotton, stocks, grain, and provisions.

Advertisement for C. T. VIVION, a commission merchant.

Advertisement for LOUISVILLE BANK, closing its doors.

Advertisement for Western National Suspends Operations Under Orders of Comptroller of Currency.

Advertisement for SUMMER TOURIST RATES VIA CHICAGO GREAT WESTERN RY.

Advertisement for THE RIGHT ROAD, Chicago Great Western Ry.

Advertisement for VISIT THE LEWIS AND CLARK EXPOSITION.

Advertisement for SPECIAL RATES VIA M. K. AND T. RAILWAY.

Advertisement for DO YOU NEED FURNITURE? featuring NIX FURNITURE & STORAGE COMPANY.

Advertisement for WOOD & WOOD, Ready Reference Directory.

Advertisement for MEN-WOMEN-CHILDREN, Weak Kidneys Cured Forever.

Advertisement for Chas. F. Spencer & Co., REAL ESTATE AND RENTALS.

Advertisement for MEN'S WEAR, Young, Middle Aged and Elderly.

Advertisement for Scott's Santal-Pepsin Capsules, A POSITIVE CURE.

THE WEATHER: High temperatures with the maximum close to the 100 mark.

WEATHER FORECAST: The forecast for Texas east of the one-hundredth meridian.

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

WEATHER RECORD: Following is the weather record for the last twenty-four hours.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN: Following is the weather record for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 a. m.

REMARKS: The action felt is generally clear temperatures are generally above normal.

LIVERPOOL GRAIN CLOSURES: LIVERPOOL, Aug. 21—Wheat closed 1/2 off.

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PAINTS, OILS AND GLASS: White lead per cwt. strictly pure.

PROVISIONS: Dry salt extra, 8 1/2; dry salt regulars.

HAY AND FEEDSTUFFS: Carload lots, 100 lb. cars from millers.

MOLASSES AND SYRUPS: Sorghum, hls. per gal. 25@30; corn syrup.

HIDES AND WOOL: Dry Hides—Long stretched, 17c; 16-lb.

CORDAGE: Rope, basis of 1/2 inch; Sisal, 10c; Manila, 15c.

BUILDING MATERIALS: Board, per 100 feet, \$2@2.50; shiplap, \$2.15@2.25.

WHOLESALE FRUITS AND VEGETABLES: Home grown apples, 45@50c; home grown pears.

CHEESE AND BUTTER: Cheese, full cream, Longhorns, 4 in. blocks.

SUGAR: Granulated, in bags, 36c; granulated, in sacks.

BEANS: No. 1 navy, 3 1/2c per lb; No. 1 Lima, 3 1/2c per lb.

GREEN COFFEE: No. 1 fancy peaberry, 14 1/2c; fancy polished.

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WANTED—Men to learn leather trade. Few weeks complete. Position guaranteed. Top wages paid graduates. Can earn expenses before finishing. Call or write. Motor Barber College, First and Main streets.

WANTED—Addressed and phone number of all ladies wishing employment of any kind. We will give you prompt attention and secure you position on shortest possible notice. Consolidated National Employment Agency, 1519 Main Street. Phone 2725. Glenn & Holloway.

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TELEGRAPHY. Typewriting (touch method), and station work, all complete. Positions guaranteed immediately. Write for particulars, Tandy's Depot College, Fort Worth, Texas.

WANTED—Short-hand pupils; private teacher; easy terms. Easy system; no shading; no position. Address Miss Jackson, 1003 Taylor street, city.

WANTED—Young man with horse to manage good paper route; must have some cash; furnish security bond, and references. See Circulator, Telegram.

WANTED—Young man to do piece work in brass factory. Call Midland Brass Works, First and Throckmorton.

WANTED—Women to sew making overalls. Miller Mfg. Co., 115 south Boaz street.

WANTED—An experienced lady to canvass in city; good contract to the right party. Address, 415, care Telegram.

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

WANTED—Man to carry good paper route. See Circulator, Telegram.

WANTED—Teacher for fire and serpentine dance. Phone 3623 old phone.

WANTED—Woman to do housework. 1911 Jennings ave.

IF YOU WANT work see Labor Bureau, 202 1/2 Main street. Business confidential.

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—By Sept. 1, position as stenographer by young lady of previous experience. employed at present. Address 1291 this office. State salary.

WANTED—Position for light housework; can give good references. Address 205, Dunklin. Old phone 74. New phone 1549 red.

WANTED—Widow, all alone, position in small family immediately, good references. Address No. 442, care Telegram.

REFINED lady wants roommate; have large front room, nicely furnished; terms reasonable; close in. Phone 1925.

WANTED—Clerical position by young lady who writes neat hand and is apt at learning. Address 97, care Telegram.

WHEN YOU WANT HELP call Labor Bureau, 202 1/2 Main. New phone 931.

WANTED

WANTED—See us before you sell your second-hand furniture; we are short of goods and will pay highest prices. E. L. Second-Hand Store, corner First and Houston. Both phones 1229-1r.

WANTED—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping, close in, south side. Address 82, care Telegram.

TO RENT—Furnished flats or rooming house. Business Exchange, 202 1/2 Main street.

WANTED—Continental Tobacco tags—\$2.50 per 1,000 Coleman's, 709 Main.

WANTED—At once, clean rags at Telegram press room.

PERSONAL

SCHOLARSHIP—\$15.00—\$75.00 limited time. We will sell 5 months' tuition in either department, night school, for \$15. Night school opens Sept. 1. Special discount on day course. Our students buy and sell goods to all merchants and transact business with all banks of this city. Our students all succeed. Nelson & Draughon Business College, Sixth and Main. J. W. Draughon, Pres. Tel. 1307.

GARRISON BROS. Dentists—501 1/2 Main, phone 9919-2 rings.

ANY INFORMATION given of a boy named George Spurgeon or George Franklin, who left home Aug. 18, will be thankfully received by his mother, Mrs. M. A. Spurgeon, 107 East Belknap street, Fort Worth, Texas.

THE TELEGRAM accepts advertising on a guarantee that its circulation in Fort Worth is greater than any other paper. Circulation books and press room open to all.

FOR CHILLS take Dr. Lister's Blood Specific, \$2.00 per bottle delivered or express charges paid. The Lister Co., Box 88, Fort Worth.

QUALITY has cheapness beaten by many a mile. Wood & Wood, Carriage Repository, 401-403 Houston street.

ROOMS AND BOARD

BOARD and room for young men and roommate for young lady. Phone 1909, 503 E. Weatherford.

BOARD AND ROOMS—Apply at 701 Jennings avenue, of phone 3177; references required.

THE HAYS—South rooms, good board, modern conveniences; \$4 to \$5 per week. 813 South Calhoun street.

FOR RENT—With board, furnished rooms, modern conveniences, close to town. 815 Lamar.

MERCHANTS' dinner served every day; 25c. The Del Ray, Thirteenth and Houston streets.

CAN accommodate several young men with board and double rooms; bath. 903 Jones street. Mrs. E. J. Massey.

WANTED—First class boarders. 413 East 10th street.

ROOMS FOR RENT

ROOMS FOR RENT—3 nice rooms with bath and phone; terms reasonable for light housekeeping if desired. Half block of Rosen Heights car line, 397 1/2 West Weatherford street. Old phone 3388.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms, with modern conveniences, either single or en suite. Apply 804 Taylor street.

TWO unfurnished rooms to rent, light housekeeping, nice new rooms. Call at 206 Josephine street, one block of College car line.

ROOMS—A few cool, clean rooms with bath; special rates for the summer. Mrs. Langever, Langever building, opposite city hall.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping; and one room for gentlemen. 302 West Fifth street. Phone 3083.

MCST desirable bedrooms, extra large, cool, quiet, modern conveniences, two blocks Hotel Delaware. 300 East Fourth street.

THREE nicely furnished rooms complete for light housekeeping. Phone gas and bath. No children; references. 415 East Fifth.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Apply 806 East Belknap. Old phone 1370.

TWO UNFURNISHED ROOMS—1301 east Eighth street. \$6.50 a month for the two.

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 Blythe's, corner Eighth and Houston sts.

ONE nicely furnished front room, upstairs, with bath, close in. 905 West Belknap.

NICELY furnished rooms, either single or en suite, modern conveniences. 804 Taylor st.

SOUTH rooms with or without board; also housekeeping rooms. All conveniences. 513 East Sixth street.

NICELY furnished and unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping. 607 Hemphill street.

FOR RENT—Nice pleasant rooms, electric light, phone and bath. 1024 Taylor street.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 604 South Jennings ave. Phone 450.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, with all modern conveniences. Old phone 559.

FOR RENT—Large upstairs south room, with or without board. 909 Taylor st.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms. 302 Taylor street.

ONE FRONT FURNISHED ROOM. 612 West First.

FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping. Apply 513 Fourth street.

TWO ROOMS, furnished for light housekeeping. 321 Louisiana avenue.

BEST rooms in the city. The Kingsley, Eighth and Throckmorton.

NICELY furnished housekeeping rooms, desirable, cheap. 203 Rusk.

TWO LARGE UNFURNISHED housekeeping rooms; cheap. 207 Pecan st.

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms with gas. 502 East Third street.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Small confectionery store at 204 Twenty-third street, North Fort Worth, am doing a good business, making 150 per cent per month on small capital; reason for selling, am obliged to leave city. Apply at above address if interested. Also new tent for sale cheap.

FOR SALE—My elegant home for the next thirty days, \$5,000, one half cash, terms to suit, everything modern, a beautiful place 701 Jennings ave., phone 3177 Mrs. F. C. Woods.

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

FOR SALE—Extra fine second-hand phonograph; cost new \$325; \$100 takes it this week. J. J. Langever, Langever building, opposite city hall.

FURNITURE for completely furnished five-room house for sale cheap. Ladd Furniture and Carpet Co., 704 Houston street, phone 562.

STOCK of groceries and 5-room cottage, 50x140 feet, barn and sheds; no ac. net. Call at 1415 E. Belknap at New phone 1302-blue.

FOR SALE—Combination horse, city broke and perfectly gentle; also good buggy and harness. T. H. Hall, 1905 Eighth avenue.

SHINE PARLOR, office business, flats and hotel cheap. We have what you want. See us. Business exchange, 202 1/2 Main street.

FOR SALE—A good cow or will trade for horse. 512 Vickery Boulevard, corner Cromwell.

BARGAIN—\$100 for weight 450 Emerson piano; easy payments. Alex. Hirschfeld, 112 Houston street.

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

WHAT HAVE YOU GOT to trade for four lots in Seymour, Taylor county, Texas. Apply 909 Houston street.

TWO young Jersey cows with heifer calves, for sale cheap. Phone 845.

FOR SALE—Two nice buggies; regardless of value. 514 Pennsylvania avenue.

FOR SALE—For removal, three good rooms, at 509 Jennings avenue.

CORR WOOD—Any quantity. H. H. Hager & Co. Phone 2232.

SPECIAL NOTICES

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

35.00 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 3398.

THE WORLD'S DIETETIC Institute, and the International Political Specialists' School will give Unlenton, Ky., \$10,000 to change its name to Unlenthropy. Write A. G. Lee, 1562 East Weatherford street, Fort Worth, Texas.

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JUST received, a large shipment of rubber. Anyone wanting stock can have them put on at once. Schmitt, 200 Throckmorton.

WHAT'S NICER than a good laundry? That's what you always find when you let the Modern Steam Laundry have your work. Phone 787.

WE ARE giving away \$50 a month absolutely free. No fake. Come and get your share. Dillon Brothers, 290 Jennings.

LAWN MOWERS ground 50c; also repairs by an expert. King, 100 East Second street.

LAWN MOWERS sharpened by an expert. Bound Elec. Co., 1006 Houston st.

MADE IN FORT WORTH

ASK FOR BEWLEY'S BEST Flour, Always the best, always the same.

WHY send your business away from your home when workmanship and prices can be duplicated by people who spend their money in the city which maintains your business?

The Speer Printing Company manufactures blank books. Phone 35, old or new, the next time you want anything in the printing line.

MOSQUITO PROOF SCREENS. Phone 2197. New Phone 1532. Don't take chances on any kind of fever from mosquito bites. Keep 'em out.

AGEE BROS. SCREEN CO.

PATENT KINDLING—The next time you visit your grocer ask him about Patent Kindling. It is now on sale in all progressive grocery stores, the same as a box of matches or a bar of soap. One 5-cent package is sufficient to light 12 fires. This kindling will make a fire as quickly as coal oil. Try it and you will use no other kindling. It is convenient, perfectly safe and cheap.

FOR YOUR own sake eat Butter Nut Bread, Eagle Bakery.

QUIT PAYING RENT—Why don't you pay to yourself, ROSEN HEIGHTS LAND COMPANY.

ON EASY TERMS—Lots on Bluff, North Glenwood addition, one minute from Interurban station, five minutes from center of Fort Worth, or fine acre blocks near Masonic Home, artesian water. Houses built if desired. Cobb Bros., Reynolds building, phone 368.

WE HAVE rental customers for several houses; \$15 to \$25 per month. Is your house vacant? Come and see our bargains in homes and lots this week. Geo. W. Clark, 115 West Sixth street.

FOR SALE—On West Fifth street, a new cottage, on corner lot; modern style; well built; low price. Address 2288 at 151 West Fifth street. Phone 1876-2 rings.

WALTER T. MADDOX buys, sells and exchanges real estate. If you are thinking of buying, it will pay you to see him. A fine list of residence and business property. Wheat building, phone 1545.

FOR SALE—Modern four-room house, corner lot, south front, graded lot, well set in grass and trees; an ideal home. This is a bargain. Part cash, balance \$12.50 per month. Owner leaving city. Address 95, care Telegram.

WHY PAY RENT when you can apply this now to the purchase of a home? A small amount added to your rent will buy a home in good residence portion of city. See A. D. Carpenter, with Glen Walker & Co. Phone 521.

FOR SALE—At a price that will surprise you, a seven-room house, with bath, pantry and sixty-three-foot gallery on a lot 100x140 feet, on the Boulevard; best location in North Fort Worth. M. L. Ray, 1405 Main street, North Fort Worth. Phone 2101-1 ring.

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

CLAIRVOYANT

CLAIRVOYANT—Madam Goff, Clairvoyant, Medium, Palmist, gives advice on all matters. 414 Houston street, corner Fourth.

REAL ESTATE BARGAINS

FOR SALE—Seven-room house, one-half block of car line; sewerage, gas, etc.; a dandy at \$2,000.

Nice, modern, six-room house, close in on west side, sold within ten days can be had at a bargain. Owner leaving city. See us for terms.

Elegant four-room house; hall and bath; barn; trees; nice lawn; only \$1,250; a dandy.

New five-room house; hall and bath; pantry; two-story barn; east front lot, 50x140. If sold this week, \$2,500 gets it.

We have a beautiful new four-room house, bath room; strictly modern; plumbing alone cost \$220. This is a nice home, on corner; \$1,600 gets this home.

Four-room house and hall, on car line; 11,250; \$150 cash, balance \$15 per month. Two lots on St. Louis; three on May; two on Jennings avenue; for small party can build just what you want.

Elegant three-room house; barn, etc.; sewerage in alley. If sold this week, \$2,000. Beautiful lots on Fairmount addition. See us if you want one.

Three-room house, \$550. See it. Elegant nine-room house, sewerage, etc.; and assisted by the city. Owner going to sell at \$6,000. See us.

Money to loan on city property, or for building purposes. See us and we will build what you want.

HAGGARD & DUFF, Phones 810. 513 Main Street.

LOTS FOR SALE—Fort Worth's fashionable suburb, Arlington Heights. Realty Company, 103 east Seventh street.

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LEGAL NOTICES

PROCLAMATION. — Fort Worth, Texas, July 24, 1909. By virtue of section 55-B of the amended charter of the city of Fort Worth, and by direction of the city council at a regular meeting held in council chamber at city hall July 21, 1909, I hereby call for the election of the qualified voters of said city, to be held on the 19th day of September, 1909, during the legal hours for holding general elections for the purpose of submitting to said electors for their approval or disapproval the following ordinance:

Ordinance No. — An ordinance granting unto Sam Davidson, associates, successors or assigns, the franchise for the establishment and operation in the city of Fort Worth of a gas, steam heat, electric light and power plant and to erect poles, string wires, lay pipes and conduits for such purpose in said city, and to supply gas, electric light and power and steam heat to public and private consumers in said city.

Be It Ordained by the City Council of the City of Fort Worth: Section 1. That whereas Sam Davidson and associates desire to erect in the city of Fort Worth a light, power and steam heating plant for the purpose of supplying light, power and steam heat for public and private use, therefore, the said Sam Davidson, his associates, successors or assigns, are hereby privileged and authorized, and the right is hereby granted to them, to erect on the streets and alleys of the said city, poles, lamps, wires of every kind that may be proper and necessary for the purpose of distributing and furnishing electric light and power for public and private use.

They are further authorized and empowered to lay pipes and to construct conduits under all the streets, alleys and sidewalks of the said city for the purpose of conducting and distributing steam heat, gas and oil and furnishing the same for public and private use.

Sec. 2. All poles, lamps, wires and apparatus placed in the streets and alleys and all pipes and conduits placed thereunder shall be placed in such position and location as may be designated by the city engineer or such officer as may be appointed by it for designating the location of the same, and the same shall be erected and maintained under the supervision of the city engineer of the city of Fort Worth.

Sec. 3. The rights and privileges granted hereunder are given subject to the limitations and provisions of all ordinances heretofore enacted relating to the same, and the right is reserved by the city to enact ordinances in the future governing and enforcing the provisions of this ordinance. It is to say: For gas for \$1.25 per M.; for gas for fuel, \$1.30 per M.; for electric current, 10c per K. W., and regulating the rate of charges for steam heat service.

Sec. 4. This franchise shall exist and be in force for a period of twenty-five years, subject to amendment or repeal, as provided by section 55b of the amendments to the charter of the city of Fort Worth.

Sec. 5. All poles, wires and other apparatus and all pipes and conduits erected or laid under the provision of this ordinance shall be erected in such manner as not to endanger or injure the property, health or comfort of the citizens of the city of Fort Worth.

All streets and alleys shall not be unnecessarily opened or obstructed by laying down or repairing the wires and mains, and such streets and alleys shall be repaired as speedily as possible, and the same shall be left in as good condition in all respects as before the laying of such pipes and conduits or the erection of such poles.

The said Sam Davidson, his associates, successors and assigns shall be held responsible for all damage occasioned to persons or property by the negligent use of the authority herein granted.

All streets and alleys shall be kept open by the city of Fort Worth, and the city shall be held responsible for all damage occasioned to persons or property by the negligent use of the authority herein granted.

The said Sam Davidson, his associates, successors and assigns, agree that they will indemnify and hold harmless said city against any claim for damages, costs and attorneys' fees incurred by said city or paid out by it by reason of injury to person or property resulting or claimed as a result of the construction or maintenance of said poles, pipe lines, conduits and other apparatus.

The said Sam Davidson and his associates, successors and assigns hereby agree to execute a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$10,000, condition that they will pay such damages and expenses, and will leave the streets and alleys in as good condition as they were before erecting such poles, laying such pipes, wires, etc., as herein authorized. The said Sam Davidson, his associates, successors and assigns, shall also, in consideration of said privileges herein granted, pay to the city each year 2 per cent of gross receipts from gas, electric light or steam heat.

Sec. 6. The city of Fort Worth reserves the right to put up on the streets and in the conduits of the said Sam Davidson, his associates, successors and assigns, or require others to use the same and pay a reasonable rental therefor, provided that the conditions are sufficient for use by other parties.

The city reserves the right to require all electric lines along the business streets to be put under ground at any time.

Within thirty days after the adoption of this ordinance the said Sam Davidson shall file with the city secretary a copy of the terms and provisions of this ordinance; otherwise the same shall be null and void. The same shall be void in case the said Sam Davidson, his associates, successors or assigns shall fail to commence work on said light and heating plant within sixty days from the adoption of this ordinance.

A failure to protect the city against any damage on account of the negligence of said Sam Davidson, his associates, successors or assigns, shall, at the election of the city, give it the right to cancel and annul the franchise hereby granted.

Filed July 21, 1909.

JOHN T. MONTGOMERY, City Secretary.

The aforesaid election will be held as follows:

LEGAL NOTICES

First Ward—Mansion Hotel

STANDARD TAILORING

Standard oil may make tainted money, but Standard Tailoring don't make tainted togs.

Tailoring should have certain points of excellence that make it standard—less than that causes dissatisfaction. Our coats are properly shrunk from materials properly starched—canvases, collars and lapels properly padded; undercollar properly felled, edges properly stayed, seams properly pressed, collars properly shrunk, buttons properly sewed, button holes properly handworked.

We give our customers standard tailoring.

Suits Tailored to Taste
\$18 to \$40

SKINNER & CO.
Incorporated
Tailors, 715 Main Street
Fort Worth, Texas

Always Seasonable

Swift's Premium Ham Bacon

and

Silver Leaf Lard

U. S. INSPO
SWIFT & COMPANY, U. S. A.

make the finest kind of eating for any meal and any day. Their quality, flavor and appearance are unsurpassed. Each piece is branded on the rind.

We give our customers standard tailoring.

August 15; three votes between August 15 and 6 p. m. Sept. 9. This contest will close at 6 p. m. Sept. 9, 1906.

Special prizes to be given away during this contest are:

STANDING OF CONTESTANTS

Miss Cassie Boswell	21,470
Miss Margaret Ochs	28,900
Miss Lela Breeding	21,565
Miss Bessie Elmore	16,800
Miss Frances Pruitt	16,870
Miss Myrtle Frost	20,460
Miss Lottie Holland	13,950
Miss Florence Goetz	12,500
Miss Birdie Yeates	10,210
Miss Maggie Edmondson	2,290
Miss Lucile	1,150
Miss Flora Lee Blair	1,605
Miss Mary Dingee	1,505
Miss Minnie Williams	1,505
Miss Ruth Hosmer	1,505
Miss Nedra	1,500
Miss Imogene Sanguinet	1,500
Miss Mand Sawyer	1,450
Miss Elizabeth Wells	1,230
Miss Ida Crowley	1,150
Miss Ida	1,150
Miss Annie Baker	1,100
Miss Edna Pendleton	1,050
Miss Madeline McCart	875

NOMINATION BLANK

Date.....

I nominate.....

as the most popular young lady in Fort Worth.

Name.....

Address.....

Chamberlain's COLIC, CHOLERA AND Diarrhoea Remedy

THIS is unquestionably the most successful medicine in use for bowel complaints, and it is now the recognized standard over a large part of the civilized world. Every man of a family should keep this remedy in his medicine chest. It may save life. PRICE, 25c. LARGE SIZE, 50c.

Interested in the Traders' company are people not having the trained legal mind accustomed to seek circuitous routes are accustomed to permit a large amount of equity to creep into their proceedings. As a matter of equity is not Mr. Armstrong with his franchise attempting to proceed around that regulation? The regulation for a payment into the city treasury of a percentage of earnings also met with the approval of citizens—at least until the present time no protest was made against it. Both these will be avoided by the new franchise asked. Will the chancery of the people consider this equity?

Yours for right,
F. W. WARD.

The provision against regrant until within six months of expiration of a franchise is embodied in the city charter.—Ed.

A CHAPTER FROM THE CAREER OF MR. EVERETT TRUE

OH, MOTHER, I'M SO SORRY YOU COULDN'T STAY ANOTHER YEAR.

WELL, I'M NOT! I'M TICKLED TO DEATH YOU'RE GOING, AND HOPE YOU NEVER COME BACK!

I'LL NEVER VISIT YOU AGAIN!

OH, YOU BEAST! YOU'LL NEVER SEE HER AGAIN!

MY DEAR, DOESN'T THAT PROVE IT PAYS TO TELL THE TRUTH!

NADINE FACE POWDER

Copyrighted in Green Boxes. SUPERIOR IN QUALITY. HARMLESS AS WATER.

Nadine Face Powder is compounded and purified by a newly discovered process. Produces a beautiful, soft velvety appearance, which remains until washed off. Ladies who use Nadine Face Powder are sure the complexion will be fresh and lovely at the close of the evening.

THE QUALITY IS UNEQUALLED. Buy one 50-cent green package of Nadine Face Powder, and if you are not entirely satisfied notify us, and we will promptly REFUND YOUR MONEY.

Sold by all leading druggists, or mail price 50 cents. White, Flesh, Brunet, prepared only by NATIONAL TOILET CO., PARIS, Tenn. Sold in Fort Worth by Covey & Martin, J. M. Parker's Pharmacy, Weaver's Pharmacy and other leading druggists.

Fresh Candy

You are always sure of getting Fresh Candy at Covey & Martin's. Constantly arriving shipments and brisk sales keep our candy stocks ever fresh.

We carry a full assortment of LOWNEY'S CHOCOLATES.

Covey & Martin
DRUGGISTS
810 MAIN STREET.
OUR STORE NEVER CLOSSES.

what a pleasant hour is in store for them in this last piece of work. Miss Seawell has never given us a more rollicking and genuinely witty story, nor one so full of the very spirit of comedy.

EVERYBODY'S FOR SEPTEMBER

Comparison of the city of today with the city of the future is a cheerful exercise. And plenty of material for the comparison is offered in the September Everybody's. There is, for instance, the intensely modern biography of James R. Keene, the great Wall street magician, whose contests with Jay Gould and with "Standard Oil" are brilliantly described by Mr. Lawson in a particularly absorbing instalment of his "Frenzied Finance." It is a chapter from the very heart of the life of today, this story of a man, according to Mr. Lawson, "of infinite strategy and daring." Perhaps a no less amazing financial genius is that of Mrs. Edna Rawls Reader, the attractive young woman who handles millions as coolly as dominoes, and who just escaped being dictator of a republic. Juliet Wilbur Tompkins has studied the wonderful woman financier at close range, and begins in this issue, her authentic history of Mrs. Reader's career. To Mr. Russell's powerful history of "The Greatest Trust in the World" is added in this number, a postscript of peculiar interest—the last word for the present, on that commercial monster, the beef trust.

TO THE TELEGRAM

FRANCHISE TAX

To The Telegram.

An interested attendant at the Armstrong franchise discussion at the court house Saturday night, I had one impression made upon my mind without a satisfactory solution at that time. Mr. Armstrong neatly side-stepped the franchise tax question by making a delivery of a trained debater, turning the fire of one of his opponents against the other and declaring the matter fully answered by Mr. McCarty.

Mr. McCarty's argument seems plausible and may have some measure of justice in it. However, a closer investigation of the matter may show some claim to consideration on the part of the downtown business man whom Mr. Armstrong is so anxious to furnish with heat, light and power at reduced rates.

Does any one argue that because the franchise tax has a delivery of mail at his door four or five times a day he should be exempted from the Federal tax as levied in the payment of postage and all the burden be borne by those who by living where the delivery can be more readily made can secure such accommodation? Some things are practical matters and must be treated in such light.

On the other hand, too, the downtown merchant already pays an occupation tax; his taxes are much heavier than for similar area of property in the outskirts, and the man who has the property rent or purchase price for his property. The plea that the franchise tax is settling the tax of the downtown property owner on the poor man in the outskirts by necessarily raising the price of his goods is not a feeble argument against its adoption.

Suppose, as argued, the franchise tax is merely a tax on all the people, is it not as a business proposition then a good thing? It is collectible in a sure and speedy way from one source only, avoiding loss, expenditure and delay in collection of a similar amount scattered among the property owners in the city. A tax, if it is such, secured in one way must reduce the tax burden along other lines. Then why not collect it in the most business-like and surest method?

Would Judge Armstrong widen his argument adopted from Mr. McCarty and apply it to the railroads of the state?

I read monthly the reports of the money paid by them on their passenger earnings. Think of the poor traveling public paying excessive fares that the railroad may be enabled to pay this tax to the state. Perhaps soon the passenger will be compelled to pay fare to help raise this fund. That would be a calamity too awful to face. Respectfully, CANONICUS.

GRAIN RATE STILL BEING CONSIDERED

Citizens Becoming Impatient at Failure of Railroads to Give Fair Charge

The receipt of grain on the Fort Worth market during the week ending Saturday last was not very large. There was a total of fifty-four cars of wheat, three of corn and six of oats.

"I'll tell the railroads to see fit to restore the differentials on grain shipments that were taken off some time ago, Fort Worth's receipts of grain will not be satisfactory," said a grain man today. He continued by saying that the matter of asking the railroads to restore the differentials is still under consideration by the grain men of Fort Worth, but as yet no definite steps have been taken in the premises, but probably will be soon if the roads themselves do not act.

As it now is very little grain that rightfully belongs to this city comes this way. It is going to either Texarkana or Memphis, which points have a much more favorable rate.

CITY NEWS

Crown Hardware Co., 1007 Main street. Cut flowers at Drumm's, Phone 101. Mannings' Powder for heat. Box's Book Store, 402 Main street. McLean indorses Manning's Powder. Piano tuning, Prof. Lamb, 833 Taylor. Picture Frames at Brown & Vera's. Hopkins indorses Manning's Powder. Dr. J. A. Gracey, Ninth and Houston Dr. LaBeaume, both phones. VIAMI. Mrs. L. G. Thomas, Phone 1284. J. W. Adams & Co., feed, produce, fuel and other goods, 510. Bowden. Thus saves you 10 per cent on lumber 711 W. R. R. Av. Both phones 711. W. H. Waldo, agent for the Frisco at Vernon, is in the city today. Lyman Spitzer of Toledo, Ohio, was among the day's visitors. C. E. Boss and S. C. Moore of Sherman were here today. Mr. and Mrs. Ben J. Tiller have returned from a visit in Indiana. Charles R. Turner and wife of Waco are in the city. J. A. Breeding and wife of Houston are here for the reunion of Red Men. Dr. George Jackson is visiting at Eureka Springs, Ark. Five hundred people left here Sunday on the Santa Fe for the Arbuckle mountains to spend the day. Miss Fannie Prince of Sweetwater, Texas, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. H. Veal Jewel, 813 Cherry street. Superintendent G. A. Taft of the Wells-Fargo Express Company is here from Houston. Mrs. Della Moyers left Saturday for Amarillo, Tex., where she will visit her sister for a few weeks. It will always be found a little better and perhaps a little cheaper at the Williams & R. E. Bell Hardware Co., 1615-17 Main street. Arthur Chilton of the local Texas and Pacific and Mrs. C. McCulloch have gone for a fishing trip in the San Angelo country. Dr. W. M. Taylor of Chattanooga, Tenn., who preached Sunday at the Christian Tabernacle, left today for home accompanied by Mrs. Taylor. J. H. Alderman, assistant general freight and passenger agent of the Mineral Wells route, who has been in the city for a few days, has returned to his home in Weatherford. Mrs. M. C. Peris and daughters, Misses Lena and Bessie, have returned from Abilene, where they have been visiting J. F. Drahay, Mrs. Peris' brother.

WACOS REDMEN HERE

Will Attend District Council of Order. Plans for Great Council

Special to The Telegram.

WACO, Texas, Aug. 21.—A number of big chiefs of the Red Men left this morning for Fort Worth to attend the district council of the Red Men, of which those who attended were Big Chiefs Otto Bruck, Nat Smith, C. A. Weatherford, J. A. Lemke, H. U. Bover, Lee R. Davis. The subjects to be considered at Fort Worth are plans for the meeting of the great council in Waco in 1906.

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WOMAN'S HOME COMPANION

The Woman's Home Companion for September opens with the first installment of its new serial by A. Wilson Barrett. It is entitled "The Silver Pin," and promises to be one of the most absorbing detective stories ever written. Shorter fiction is not forgotten, and there are five tales which are complete in this number, among them one by Anne O'Hagan, a stirring tale of western adventure, and another, "The Second Homecoming," delightful in every way, by Fannie B. Rice, a new writer of much promise. There is also a fairy tale by Dr. Max Nordau, an unexpected contribution to literature. The first installment of the intensely interesting "Excursions into the Unknown—Ghost Stories from Real Life" is included, and there is a splendidly illustrated theatrical article with reproductions of some very fine photographs of well-known players. The new knitting department begins, and all the old departments are in place. Published by The Crowell Publishing Company, Springfield, Ohio.

Auditorium Notes

LIST OF PRIZES

Fine piano, donated by Ross & Heyer Company.

Round trip ticket to Portland and \$100 in gold, donated by the Denver road and C. D. Minter.

Fine horse, buggy and harness, horse donated by Hicks & Anson and Cook & Simmons, harness donated by Nobby Harness Company.

Fine diamond and pearl ring, donated by Mrs. Sam Davidson.

Prizes will be given away Sept. 9.

SPECIAL PRIZES

Lot in Hemphill Heights, donated by Capps Land Company, lumber for house donated by the lumber dealers of Fort Worth, paint and paper donated by paint and paper dealers, to be given to the person who sells the most bricks by Sept. 9.

Scholarship donated by Professor Bauer to the girl under 12 years of age who sells the most bricks by Sept. 9.

The Fair to the married woman who sells the most bricks by Sept. 9.

A life-size doll, imported, with wardrobe, donated by Gernsbacher Brothers to the girl under 5 years of age who sells the most bricks by Sept. 9.

A fine leather mission rocker, donated by Laid Furniture and Carpet Company, to the married woman who sells the most bricks by Saturday, Aug. 25, at 6 p. m.

A Chinese dinner gong, donated by Pakes & Co., to the woman who sells the most bricks by Saturday, Aug. 12, at 6 p. m.

Five dollars in gold to the girl under 15 years of age who sells the most bricks by Saturday, Aug. 19, at 6 p. m.

Ten dollars in gold to the young man under 21 years of age who sells the most bricks by Saturday, Aug. 19. Donated by Dr. E. D. Capps.

Twenty-five dollars in jewelry donated by R. L. Costan, to the person who sells the most bricks by Saturday, Aug. 26, under 15 years of age who sells the most bricks by Saturday, Aug. 26, at 6 p. m.

Eastman Kodak to the boy or girl under 15 years of age who sells the most bricks by Saturday, Aug. 26. Donated by Brown Hardware.

Prizes will be supplemented by other prizes during the life of the contest.

GOOD START NEEDED

To The Telegram.

A good start is always a valuable thing, especially in the case of candidates. Now, I say, is the time to let the corporations and franchise seekers know that the referendum is not a thing by which the business sense of a city could be ruined and the public subjected to the imposition. Let us go on record with the first opportunity as showing the American people are indeed capable of managing their affairs and willing and determined to stand by the principles of the principles of our government be ignored that we may become the objects of foreign ridicule?

A lesson now that the people will not start apathetic while a franchise, considering none of their interests, is foisted upon them will have not only a good moral effect, but in my opinion will lead to the offering of fair measures to their consideration.

In this connection it is most important that the newspapers voice all sides of such matters. Under the referendum committee meetings provide for a thrashing of the matter. The people must decide as a committee of the whole. The newspaper is the only way through which the questions can be brought to all members of this great committee and it is the duty of the press to keep the public so informed upon all sides.

I congratulate The Telegram on the course it has taken in this matter, and saw with pleasure that the meeting Saturday night was reported by it in full detail.

Let the people understand the matter and its vital importance to them that they may go to the polls and perform their duties. Should a councilman from any ward have failed to register his vote on a franchise when such matters were in their hands, what a protest, and rightfully, would have been raised from those citizens whom he was supposed to represent. Those citizens will be violating an sacred trust if they do not register their votes on the franchises at the coming elections.

Rest assured, signed off the petitions for the elections will go to the polls and vote for them. If you are opposed to the referendum that number of votes at least must be overcome before there is a possibility of defeating the measures.

Let's start right on municipal government by the people.

AN AMERICAN.

DAMAGE SUIT FILED

\$10,000 Asked for Alleged Injuries by Railway and Express Company

Special to The Telegram.

WACO, Texas, Aug. 21.—J. M. Valentine has brought suit in the district court for his minor son, Dennis Valentine, against the Cotton Belt Railway and Pacific Express Company. Plaintiff alleges that while his son was in Corsicana, and after a ticket had been purchased over the road, a truck of the express company and railroad ran over the boy while he was on the platform, mashing his foot, fracturing his skull and inflicting other injuries, for which \$10,000 damages are asked.

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VETERANS WANT WIDOWS' HOME

Discussion of Project Principal Part of Sunday's Camp Meeting

Lee camp veterans enjoyed Sunday's session from the fact that several interesting and instructive addresses were made by veterans, principal among them being Colonel R. M. Wynne, who has only recently recovered from a severe illness. He told the camp that he was pleased to be able to greet it again after having been very near death's door and that he could the more appreciate how dear to him is the thought of a Confederate veteran.

Colonel Wynne severely criticized Governor Lanham for vetoing the measure providing a home for widows of Confederate veterans and also indigent women of the Confederacy.

Colonel Abe Harris spoke along the same lines and commended Colonel Wynne for the expressions touching the veto of Governor Lanham. It is understood among veterans ever the state that there is much dissatisfaction over the action of the governor on this question.

Mrs. F. J. Jordan, president of the local chapter Daughters of the Confederacy, said that ground for the home for widows of veterans has already been purchased and that a portion of the money for the building has been secured. She believes that when the governor comes to fully understand the situation he will not turn a deaf ear to the proposition of the mass of veterans over the state of Texas, all of whom are anxious to see the home built.

W. P. Lane, former commander of the Sons of Confederate Veterans of Texas, spoke on the home proposition and favored it. His remarks were timely and brought out hearty applause.

Chaplain J. I. Wright opened the meeting with a prayer, after which Colonel James Cummings of Bowie and Chaplain W. P. Leverett of the Burlington camp were invited to take seats on the platform.

Applications made by W. S. Perkins and G. W. Loftus for membership to the camp were examined and approved by the membership committee and both parties were admitted as members.

Judge C. C. Cummins, W. T. Shaw and J. H. Lingenfelter were appointed as a committee to draft resolutions on the veto of Governor Lanham.

Colonel R. M. Wynne, A. J. Beoly and S. J. McDonald were appointed to draft resolutions of respect on the death of Judge George H. Gould of Palestine, who was on the staff of Major K. M. Van Zandt.

Judge C. C. Cummins read the war time poem, "We Drank From the Same Canteen."

Commander E. W. Taylor presented the camp with two pictures taken on the battlefield of Corinth shortly after

ORGANIZER APPOINTED

Taylor McRae Enters Service of Southern Cotton Association

The Southern Cotton Association, through the Texas organization, has commissioned Taylor McRae of Fort Worth an organizer for the association, with authority to visit any city or town in Texas for the purpose of organizing county, district or precinct divisions of the association.

Mr. McRae will at once enter upon the discharge of the work. He is making a study of the questions involved and will begin active work soon.

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MAGAZINES

The September number of the American Illustrated Magazine, for thirty years Leslie's Monthly, sets a standard which for many sided interest it would be hard to beat. The leading article is the first of Charles H. Caffin's series, "The Story of American Painting," and is beautifully illustrated with portraits. Robert Mayhew has a capital personality sketch of George Westinghouse, and Henry K. Webster has two articles, one on "Lords of Our Streets," and the other on the Carnegie hero fund. James T. Williams, Jr., writes on "Conscience Money," and Annie Payson Call contributes her usual paper on "Every Day Living." A very interesting page is furnished by Creswell MacLaughlin under the caption, "Sentiments of the School Master."

The fiction of the month is excellent. Among the contributors are Holman F. Day, Elsie Parker Butler, Wilbur D. Nesbit, Mrs. L. H. Harris, Jennett Johnson, The Henry Wallace Phillips serial, "Plain Mary Smith," grows in interest as it proceeds.

THE SEPTEMBER SMART SET

Molly Elliot Seawell's novelette, "The Chateau of Montplaisir," which opens the September Smart Set, is just the kind of story one wishes to read in warm weather. It is delightfully humorous from beginning to end, and while some of the situations are hilariously laughable, the author never oversteps the bounds of probability. Those readers who remember Miss Seawell's "Papa Bouchard"—and who do not?—which the same magazine published about four years ago, know

HOW THE VOTES COUNT

For every 10-cent Auditorium coupon received at the Auditorium headquarters between July 15 and 6 p. m. July 31, ten votes will be counted; five votes between July 31 and 6 p. m.

REGRANTING OF FRANCHISES

To The Telegram.

With all the discussion of franchise matters since the matter has been put in the hands of the people, I feel that one point has not been raised. As it has become a subject of attack to appear openly in this matter, and be fussed at by a man, I request that you withhold my name from publication. The point I raise is that there is, if I remember correctly, some sort of provision hanging round which prohibits the regranteeing of franchise until within six months of the expiration of the course the public recognizes that the Traders' Investment Company is not asking a new franchise—far be it from them. But the public also knows the George W. Armstrong and others in-

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