

INSURANCE MAN HAS NO POLICY

President of Home Life Says He Is Not Mentioned

JEROME TAKES UP RYAN CASE

District Attorney Will Investigate Equitable Ins. Co. Head's Silence

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—An investigation of the affairs of the Home Life Insurance company of New York was taken up by the legislative insurance investigating committee today.

The first witness was George E. Ide, president of that company. Mr. Ide said in making investments his company gives no commissions to brokers.

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—District Attorney Jerome will today take up the matter of Thomas F. Ryan's refusal to answer the questions of the insurance investigating committee relative to E. H. Harriman's efforts to participate in the purchase of the majority stock of the Equitable Life from James H. Hyde.

GARRISON DENIES HE'S ROBBINS MAN

Says He Is Running for State Treasurer on Own Account

Special to The Telegram.

AUSTIN, Texas, Dec. 11.—Colonel T. S. Garrison of Timpano, Shelby county, candidate for state treasurer, was here last week on business at the state house and shaking hands with his friends at the capitol.

BERNHARDT MAKES DENIAL

Blames Egg Incident Upon Incorrect Interview

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—Speaking of the protests made against her plays during her Canadian tour Sarah Bernhardt, who arrived here yesterday, said: "It amounts to nothing. There is a theater in Quebec which has been producing a series of degenerate plays. The archbishop asked that a sermon be preached against these plays."

SWAIN ACQUITTED

Verdict of Not Guilty Returned in Murder Trial at Houston Sunday Morning

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HOUSTON, Texas, Dec. 11.—A verdict of not guilty was returned Sunday morning by the jury in the Swain case, Major Hugh N. Swain, charged with murdering C. W. Jones, being set at liberty after the verdict was given.

BLOCK RANCH SOLD

Dallas Man Pays Four Hundred Thousand Dollars for Big Property in New Mexico

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EL PASO, Texas, Dec. 11.—The Block ranch, the largest ranch in Lincoln county, New Mexico, has been sold for the round sum of \$400,000.

ENGLAND'S NEW CABINET STRONG

Campbell-Bannerman's Selections Generally Praised

LONDON, Dec. 11.—The conservative morning newspapers are compelled to admit that Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman has succeeded in forming a

WIRELESS TELLS OF SHIPWRECK

Lightship Victim of the Storm on Atlantic Coast

NEWPORT, R. I., Dec. 11.—A half-finished message sent just before the batteries were supposed to become exhausted, came here by wireless from Nantuxet lightship early today asking for "help from anywhere."

The lighthouse tender Azalea, which left New Bedford at 7:30 o'clock last night, should reach the vicinity of the lightship during this forenoon.

When the wireless messages were received at the naval torpedo station here yesterday from the lightship reporting she had sprung a leak and water was steadily gaining, the officials prepared to send help.

The leak in the lightship's hull, while not definitely located, according to the latest message apparently is just above the fire room plates. So rapidly did the water come in that although pumps were kept constantly at work, late yesterday afternoon the fire room was flooded and the fires have been extinguished.

Wireless communication with the lightship then ceased and it is supposed nothing further will be heard directly from the vessel, as the dynamo has probably given out.

On board the lightship are Captain Jorgenson of Dennis, Mass., commanding two engineers, three naval electricians operating wireless apparatus and eight seamen.

NEWPORT, R. I., Dec. 11.—The Nantuxet South Shoal lightship No. 65, which went out on a relief expedition five days ago, and is now anchored far out in the North Atlantic, sprang a leak yesterday and according to wireless messages received here it became helpless in a serious condition.

Lightship officials, while anxious, declare they believe the ship can weather the storm. The lightship carries a crew of two engineers and eight men.

NORFOLK, Va., Dec. 11.—Life-saving crews of the Kittyhawk, Kill Devil and Hag's Head stations spent a busy Sunday. The first two battled several hours to save the crew of the steamship Aragon and finally succeeded in shooting a line over the vessel's decks.

The entire crew of twenty-one men was then rescued. The barge Goddard, which the Aragon was towing, also went ashore. Late yesterday afternoon five men who were on the barge were rescued by the life-saving crew at Nag's Head. The wind at Cape Henry last night was blowing thirty-eight miles an hour.

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To the Voters of Fort Worth

Fort Worth, Texas, Dec. 4, 1905.

Dear Sir:

At the request of a large number of voters, who have been urging me in person and by petition since early in July, I have consented to submit my name at the primary election, Dec. 14, as a candidate for mayor.

The present and future of the city demand that the office be filled by a man of courage, integrity, capacity and diplomacy. If, upon a thorough investigation and proper reflection, you conclude I am best qualified, of those offering, to fill the office, I shall expect your vote; otherwise not. It is your duty as a citizen to acquaint yourself as best you can with the qualifications of the candidates, and to be man enough to vote for the one who in your judgment is best qualified to promote the interests of the city.

When you have done this, without bias or prejudice, no friend of yours or of the city can complain. If you do less than this, you will wrong yourself, your family and your city.

If nominated and elected, I promise to devote all the time and attention necessary, at whatever sacrifice, to a thorough, impartial and complete discharge, to the best of my ability, of every duty and responsibility connected with the office. I shall endeavor with all my might:

First—To familiarize myself with the condition and detail work of every department of the city government, and to institute any reform that will secure better service at less cost.

Second—To supervise the expenditure of every dollar of the public money, and prevent all waste or misapplication in its use.

Third—To secure and maintain an adequate supply of artesian water, and as soon as possible, an extension of the sewer and water mains to every part of the city.

Fourth—To supply the necessary buildings and facilities to properly accommodate all children who are entitled and desire to attend the public schools.

Fifth—To use every effort in keeping the city clean and free of contagious and infectious diseases.

Sixth—To reduce the tax rate, if conditions justify it, or can be made to justify it.

Seventh—To secure in any reasonable and legal way the paving of additional streets and sidewalks, and an improved method of cleaning and repairing the streets.

Eighth—To devise a way, if none now exists, to compel street railway companies and other public service corporations, to maintain and furnish efficient facilities and adequate service.

Ninth—To maintain and perfect the present charter provision, authorizing a referendum.

Tenth—To enforce impartially all laws and ordinances.

Eleventh—To give every individual and every interest equal, impartial and unbiased consideration.

Twelfth—To fill and perform every function of the office, and by the use of business methods in a business-like way, promote to the best of my ability the peace, progress and prosperity of the city.

Not being a politician, I have adopted this method of reaching your brain, instead of by shaking your hands, or by desperate attempts to kiss the baby. I am not posing as a pump-handle statesman. The sycophantic smile and strong hand-shake of the demagogue have elected more incompetents and rascals to office than boodle. Don't let personal friendship, sympathy, a smile or a hand-shake rob you of the manly courage to vote your convictions. I am not appealing to friendship or hate, faction or prejudice, but to your manhood. I am no pessimist, grumbling and fussing over the mistakes of the past. Yesterday is gone forever. Don't knock. Get together for the work of tomorrow.

Vote to make Fort Worth a better, greater, grander city.

Yours for Fort Worth, first, last and all the time,

N. H. LASSITER.

and Justin O'Brien, son of Judge Morgan J. O'Brien, came near plunging over the street viaduct yesterday at One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, just west of Eighth avenue. A portion of the iron fence along the side of the viaduct was torn away, and the only thing that prevented the machine from plunging to the street, seventy-five feet below, was one of the posts of the railing. The car had crossed the viaduct and was well over west of Eighth avenue when the sprocket chain broke.

The road at this point is at a steep incline and when the chain snapped the machine started backing down the viaduct. The emergency brake failed to work and the car kept backing with increasing speed and at last struck the iron fence, tearing a part of it away. The driver kept his head throughout and called to his passengers that the iron post would save them. The rear part of the machine actually backed over the viaduct, but the post caught it in such a way that it was held from dropping to the street. Men who had witnessed the accident rushed for the machine and got the women out. The latter became so hysterical that they had to be taken home in a cab.

PRESIDENT WILL PASS RATE BILL

Murdo Mackenzie Declares Situation Is Good

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WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Murdo Mackenzie of Trinidad says: "The President's railroad rate bill is going through in a way that will leave its opponents, if any such exist, blinking as though a comet had whizzed by."

Mr. Mackenzie and Judge Cowan of Texas came in together, and started letting the congressmen know what was wanted by the American Stock Growers' Association. It soon became plain that talking was not needed.

"I am satisfied the bill is going to pass," said Mr. Mackenzie, "and that it will pass in such a form as the President wishes it to pass. Foraker and others with railroad rate bills containing ideas not at all to the President's liking are only looking for soft places to alight. The message contained all that we stockmen wanted in regard to rate regulations, and after hearing the views of leading congressmen in regard to it, Judge Cowan and I feel that the way is now opened for the proper kind of law—law that will enable the stock shippers of the west to obtain a fair show in eastern markets."

Mr. Mackenzie and Judge Cowan are also engaged in trying to effect a change in shipping regulations whereby cattle may be left on the train thirty-six hours instead of twenty-eight hours. The secretary of agriculture is taking up the matter, and if the humane societies can be convinced that the extension of time will not materially affect cattle in transit a change of regulation may be looked for.

HONORS EDUCATOR

Memorial Service for Late Dr. Prather Will Be Held at State University in Austin

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AUSTIN, Texas, Dec. 11.—Memorial services for the late President William L. Prather are to be held in the auditorium of the University of Texas on Tuesday, Dec. 12, from 11 a. m. to 1 p. m. Addresses are to be delivered by Hon. T. S. Henderson of Cameron, chairman of the board of regents of the university; Dr. E. E. Mezes of Austin, dean of the academic department; Dr. W. S. Carter of Galveston, dean of the medical department; Hon. Thomas J. Lee of Galveston, an alumnus of the university; and J. W. Stephens of Weatherford, who was a fellow student with Colonel Prather at Washington and Lee University in Virginia. Appropriate scripture lessons will be read by Dr. S. H. Werlein, who was President Prather's pastor, and Mrs. W. G. Bell, and the University Glee Club will furnish suitable music. The student body and the general public are invited to be present.

POST STOPS AUTO

Party of Four Saved from Plunge of Seventy-Five Feet from Steel Viaduct

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—A touring automobile containing Mrs. W. A. Burke, Louis Haggerty and his sister

FINAL CLASH IN RUSSIA COMING

Government Challenge Will Be Accepted by Workmen

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"Reaction has come," were the words on every lip, and in the liberal extremist camp there was only one opinion that it must be resisted to the bitter end.

At all meetings last night, some of which lasted until this morning, the opinion was unanimous that the government has forced their hands, and the supreme weapon of a general strike must be invoked.

Newspaper editors at yesterday evening's meeting, decided the temporary press law forbidding the discussion of vital questions affecting the welfare of the nation violated the principles of freedom of speech and press guaranteed by the imperial manifesto and that it must be defied. The result was that the editions of Russ and had a dozen more radical papers were confiscated.

Employees of the Riga Ore railroad have declared a strike on account of the declaration of martial law in Livonia, and have vowed to appeal to the men of the Baltic lines followed the example of the Riga Ore men. The situation in Livonia is desperate. Absolute anarchy prevails.

CROWDS MOWED DOWN

Machine Guns Used at Riga with Deadly Effect

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 11.—A messenger who arrived here this morning declared the streets of Riga are flowing with blood. After a meeting of the railroad men in Riga they were mowed down by the fire of machine guns and artillery.

Railroad men in St. Petersburg at a meeting yesterday evening resolved that inasmuch as "Reaction is gaining force and the government is seeking to retract what was won by the first, partial Russian strike," the railroad men shall stand ready to obey the signal for a general strike, but advise their fellow workers to await word from the central committee in Moscow, as failure must not be risked.

Simultaneously with the arrest here of M. Dronshillney and all members of the union, employees of the post and telegraph operators at Moscow with M. Kokhanovski at their headquarters were arrested at Moscow.

The interior minister today issued a proclamation not only notifying the post and telegraph employees that failure to return to work will be equivalent to discharge, but that all those who agitate for a continuance of the strike are guilty of cutting or otherwise destroying wires and apparatus will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

NAVAL CADET IS TO BE CLEARED

If Dismissal Is Ordered Will Be Given Reappointment

CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—A dispatch to the Tribune from Washington says: If Midshipman Minor J. Meriwether Jr. is dismissed from the navy as a result of his court martial on the charges growing out of a fight with Midshipman Branch early in November and from the effects of which Branch died, he will be reappointed by one of the members from Louisiana and a special bill presented, which if passed, will reinstate the midshipman as officer of the navy.

It has become known that Meriwether was acquitted on the charge of manslaughter, but was found guilty of infringement of the rules and regulations of the naval academy, which are of sufficient seriousness to warrant his dismissal. The case now is in the hands of the secretary of the navy, who probably will reach his conclusions within a few days. It is quite possible that Meriwether may be allowed to stay at Annapolis, but if that course of action is followed by the authorities, he undoubtedly will be given some severe punishment, possibly by being dropped back a year.

Whether he be punished or not in this manner, it is likely Meriwether will lose a year, provided he is permitted to stay at all. He has lost over a month from his work and would have considerable difficulty in making it up. He has written the secretary of the navy for permission to re-enter his classes, but this request has not been granted. The entire congressional delegation from Louisiana is in favor of Meriwether's retention in the service, and the members are determined to make a fight for him.

They think the court martial itself has brought out facts enough to show that Meriwether would make a splendid officer.

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R. E. LEE CAMP HOLDS SESSION

Resolution Praises Daughters of the Confederacy

At the regular Sunday afternoon session of the Confederate Veterans yesterday, the committee appointed to draft a resolution expressing the deep and lasting obligations they were under to the Daughters of the Confederacy for having completed the raising of the \$70,000 for the erection of the monument to Jefferson Davis, president of the Confederacy, the cornerstone of which will soon be laid at Richmond, Va., reported. The resolution, as adopted, is in part as follows:

"In undertaking the fulfillment of this request this committee is fully conscious of its limitations in the power of expressing the full meed of congratulations to our women of the south for their unflinching devotion to an ideal involving the proper appreciation of the aspirations of a people, striving in the past for all most dear to human hearts—local self-government and the defense of our altars and our firesides, and the green graves of our sires, God and our native land. Jefferson Davis embodies all this, and language is inadequate to render sufficient thanks for recognition to those active spirits who never let go this labor of love until it was complete.

"This camp has long since shown its obligation to these dear devoted Daughters, by resolving time and again to keep in mind a remembrance of the many kind offices and the untold sacrifices of our southern mothers as paramount to all other memorials we owe to the spirits of the great American conflict, and that we desire above all things else to perform a reciprocal duty we owe them by erecting a monument to them that will tower above all others of its kind in the south, and our Sons have assumed to carry into effect this grand design, which we await as the cap stone of all our building of monumental and historic interest, but close by clearing as to this last work of theirs in completing the funds for this monument, that many Daughters have done virtuously, but too excellent them all."

Discussion of employment for veterans was had, a number of positions open being reported. Reports showed a number of camp members ill. Robert Burr's poem, "Man Was Made to Mourn," was read by Captain Joe Terrell, who said that he considered it one of the prettiest pieces ever written. To this Comrade J. M. Cross took issue with Captain Terrell, saying that he believed man was created for a much nobler purpose than to mourn; that he was created to go upward and progress.

W. S. Perkins gave a few reminiscences, at the conclusion of which the following program was rendered, under the direction of J. E. Gaskell: Instrumental duet, Misses Ruth and Naomi Griffin; vocal solo, Mrs. W. W. Sloan, accompanied with violin obligato by W. W. Sloan; song, Miss Star Redford; report of the convention at Waco, Miss Elizabeth Teates; song, Mrs. M. Terrell. Misses Ruth and Naomi Griffin were elected honorary members of the camp on motion of Adjutant W. M. McConnell.

At the conclusion of the meeting of R. E. Lee camp, the Sons held a short session and decided to give a box supper Friday night in the R. E. Lee Camp room. Half of the proceeds will go toward paying for the piano that is being used by the Veterans, Daughters and Sons, and the other half will be devoted to the indigent fund of Lee Camp, veterans. A committee of five, of which Mrs. John A. Kee is chairman, was appointed to make arrangement for the supper, and J. E. Gaskell was appointed to prepare a program for the occasion.

REBATE CASES ARE DISMISSED

Attorney General of Kansas Loses at Kansas City

The action of United States Judge Phillips at Kansas City in dismissing the cases brought against the Santa Fe, Missouri Pacific and other railroads for alleged giving of rebates on shipments of the Elkins' law, has created the liveliest interest over the country, especially at Washington. The decision of Judge Phillips that his court was without jurisdiction is naturally a disappointment to the officials of the administration.

RAILROAD SAVES MONEY

U. S. Supreme Court Ruling Profitable to Southern Pacific

Because the United States supreme court has decreed that the state of Kentucky cannot tax tangible property not within the limits of the state, is a ruling by which the Southern Pacific saves a large sum of money. For five years the county of Jefferson has assessed taxes against the railroad on an assessed valuation of \$300,000,000. Under a compromise the railroad company has paid \$54,000 in settlement of all back taxes for five years and agrees to hereafter pay the county and state taxes each year on an assessed valuation of \$2,700,000.

FREIGHT RATES LOW

Improved Road Beds and Transportation Facilities Save Shippers

In no country in the world are freight rates so low as in the United States, is the statement made by a Chicago paper, which further says that within the last thirty years rates have fallen about one-half. The paper quoted says: "Taking the Pennsylvania as a representative of all the roads, the average rate per ton per mile has been reduced from \$1.50 in 1870 to 61 cents at present. Had the old figures remained in force last year, shippers over that road would have been required to pay \$127,337,590 more than they did. The Pennsylvania carries about one-sixth of all the freight moved in the United States, so that on this basis the total saving to shippers on last year's movement of freight was more than \$740,000,000.

"The amount saved to shippers in the last thirty-five years would have been sufficient to pay off all the bonded and floating debt of the roads and to have paid the interest on the larger dividends on their holdings than they have ever received. "The reduction has been made possible only by immense expenditures in the way of improvements through which unprecedented economies in operation have been brought about. But the figures show in every case that shippers have received much greater benefit from these reductions in the cost of operation than have the owners of the property. There has been nothing like such an increase in dividends as there has been a reduction in rates. "Of course, the gain in earnings has come about from a still greater increase in tonnage. In 1890 the tonnage moved one mile by the Pennsylvania amounted to 1,014,622,000, while last year it had increased to 14,223,451,000.

MONEY FOR RAILROADS

Mexico to Spend \$100,000,000 During New Year

It has been estimated that fully \$100,000,000 in gold will be expended in the Republic of Mexico during the new year in the construction of new lines of road, in extending existing lines and in repairing old ones. An era of railroad building that surpasses any previous record in that country is now under way. It is announced that important extensions of the government lines are to be made very soon. The Pacific division of the National is to be converted from a narrow to a standard gauge in order to conform to the main line of that system. The Inter-oceanic, which is also a part of the government system, is to be changed to standard gauge. Besides these extensions and improvements there are many others.

CLARK GETS STEAMER LINE

Will Run From San Pedro, Cal., to the Orient It is announced that Senator Clark, who, in connection with the Union Pacific, controls the San Pedro, Los Angeles and Salt Lake line, has completed arrangements for a line of steamers from San Pedro via the Hawaiian Islands to China, Japan and Manila. These steamers are designed to compete with the Hill water lines to the Orient and to supplement the Harriman lines. The government has completed a breakwater at San Pedro costing \$5,000,000 and vessels drawing thirty-five feet can enter San Pedro harbor. The San Pedro line has begun the construction of large docks at its terminal, and the company is chartering tramp steamers to encourage the trade and prepare for the establishment of the new line when the steamships are finished. There will be four regular liners of 15,000 tons capacity.

CHURCH UNITY IS PREDICTED

Rev. Robert Hammond Cotton Closes Series of Sermons

Closing a series of sermons at Trinity Episcopal church on the subject of church unity, Rev. Robert Hammond Cotton, rector, Sunday morning declared that the ritual of the ultimately united church will be what is sometimes called the St. James' creed: "Pure religion and undefiled before God and the Father is this. To visit the fatherless and widows in their affliction and to keep himself unspotted from the world."

NO RACE SUICIDE

Throng of Children at Ellison Store This Morning Shows No Danger in Fort Worth

Nine o'clock this morning found practically every child under 6 years of age in Fort Worth at Ellison's Furniture and Carpet store. All had gathered in response to the announcement appearing in The Telegram that Monday would be children's day at the store and that each child under 6 years of age would be presented a child's chair. Presentation began promptly at 9 o'clock, the 1,500 chairs that had been on display in the Seventh street window of the store melting rapidly before the throng of visitors.

PENSION ROLLS GROW

Expected There Will Be 8,000 Names on Rolls Next Year

AUSTIN, Texas, Dec. 11.—While the number of Confederate veterans over the state is being reduced at a fast rate by death, it is a remarkable fact that instead of the pension rolls decreasing, they are increasing at a fast rate. Since the creation of the pension act there has been a steady increase in the number of pensioners until now there are 7,765. Captain E. A. Bolmes, chief pension clerk, says it would not be surprising to have over eight thousand before the expiration of six months. Indeed, there are already over two hundred new applications received since the last apportionment was made. The next apportionment will not be made until April and if the increase in the number of applications continues to come in at the present rate, it may reduce the per capita.

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FORT WORTH HAS SUCCESS AT HAND

Need for Progress at Present Time Imperative

Judge N. B. Moore, secretary of the Factory club, in speaking of the present conditions in Fort Worth, says: "Fort Worth with its superior advantages as a distributing point for wholesale industries, manufacturing plants and investments is attracting attention in every part of the United States. The Factory club is receiving daily a number of inquiries covering almost every line of business. As a result of the correspondence and the continual systematic work of the club, a large number of visitors will be in the city following the holidays. "Many are attracted by our unqualified opportunities for business enterprises and for investments in so many ways that will give a desirable dividend; by our location for healthfulness; our unlimited supply of pure artesian water; collegiate advantages; our up-to-date, thorough work in our common schools; our business colleges; medical institutes, church relations and the elevated, pure and ennobling society.

"Is there danger in our citizenship not realizing our opportunities? Are the business men too much engrossed in their enlarged business to look ahead? Do they realize that our rivals are ever awake to pluck the fruit which we have produced? Will we gather it, or let others? It is ready to garner. "The business man, firm or city that ceases to keep themselves permanently before the active business world soon sinks into 'innocuous' quietude. Business will not come running to you. You must seek it. The 100,000 inhabitants are in sight, if the citizenship of Fort Worth will exercise the same pluck as of other days."

BUSINESS LOCALS

Everybody ought to have a good photograph. Swartz, 705 Main street, is where most people go when they want good ones. Now is the time. Herbert Snelling of Dallas was in the city Sunday. See our line of lap robes and horse blankets before you buy. Nobby Harness Company, 600 Houston street. C. H. Jamnison of San Angelo is in the city. If it's anything in the furniture line you want you'd naturally go to the Ladd Furniture and Carpet Company, Phone 562. Any way you want to pay. Colonel Louis J. Wortham of Austin is here. If it's hardware go to the Panther City Hardware Co., First and Houston streets. They can supply you with anything in the line. Judge John I. Gulon of Ballinger spent Sunday in the city. W. L. Douglas Shoes. Best in the world. If you have BUNIONS, we have shoes to fit them at \$3.50 pair. Monnig's, 1302-4-6 Main street. Mrs. William Jacobs of New Orleans is visiting relatives in the city. Go to Cummings, Shepherd & Co., 700 Houston, for photograph records, musical instruments. They carry a large line of latest up-to-date goods. H. P. Jones of Chicago is in the city. Mr. Jones is connected with the Armour interests in that city. The best liquors, wines and cigars to be had in Tarrant county are kept at York's Liquor Store, 1010 Main street. A trial order is sufficient evidence. S. S. Conway, superintendent of the packing department of Armour & Co., of Chicago, was here Sunday. Fort Worth Business College. Man's best capital is a college education, fitting him for everyday duties of life. Opposite Delaware Hotel. Colonel I. M. Standifer was a visitor in the city Sunday, leaving last night for his home in Houston. Try a bottle of Miller's Best, \$1 a bottle. Get the Quality, High grade whiskey, at \$1.25. The Kentucky Liquor House, 114-16 Houston street. Your prescriptions can be filled exactly as the doctor ordered at Reeves' Pharmacy, 1201 Jennings avenue. Fine line of toilet articles always on hand. If you want anything to read go to Green's Old Book Store. Don't hesitate—just phone 201, the Fort Worth Steam Laundry, and let them convince you that they are in the business to please their customers. Johnson Grocery Co., 606-608 Houston, carry an immense stock of groceries. It is kept clean and fresh. Best place in Fort Worth to trade. W. B. Scrimshire and R. A. Bobo, First and Throckmorton streets, have the finest line of agricultural implements in the southwest. All up-to-date goods to select from. James A. Banister \$5 and \$6 Shoes for gentlemen. Monnig's, 1302-4-6 Main street. The J. J. Langever Co., opposite city hall, interior decorators and sign painters. C. M. of the latest sheet music. G. E. Cromer, 503 Houston street. Cromer Bros., Rambler and Cleveland bicycles on easy payments. Jacobs, Floy's and Allegretti's candies, free every week, at Blythe's, on the corner. The Eagle Loan Office, 1009 Main street, makes liberal loan on all articles of value. Unredeemed pledges at one-half price. Dr. Johnston's Red Blood Tonic drives out all poisons from the blood and leaves it rich, red and pure. Dillon Bros., 200 Jennings avenue. If you give us your order for wall paper this week, we can have your dining room in the pink of condition Christmas Day. Texas Paint and Paper Company. Columbia 10-inch Disc Talking Machine Records reduced to 60c. Gold Moulded Cylinder Records, 25c. Come and hear the new ones. A. J. Anderson, 410-412 Houston street. Our new Christmas ware is in. Bring in your checks this week and get a good selection. Lots of pretty new things with our Baking Powder, Extracts and Thea Nectar. The Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Company.

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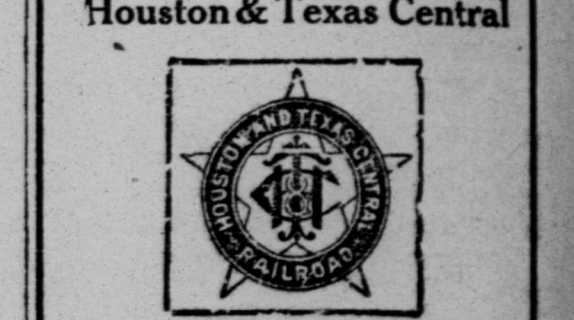
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OF INTEREST TO WOMEN
A NET EVENING DRESS

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—One of the faintest evening dresses I have seen this season was exhibited for just one day last week by a Broadway importer. It was of cream net trimmed with ruffles of cream lace, and cream beading run with baby velvet ribbon of the loveliest shade of old rose. It was built over a foundation of cream India silk, which is so much softer than a taffeta that it is almost the only thing suitable to use under net. Each ruffle was beaded with the heading run with ribbon. It was also put on both skirt and waist in a simple key pattern in which each one of the upturning openings was strapped with the ribbon. And all through this heading trimming there were tied tiny little bows of the ribbon. The lace ruffles were put on the waist in a sort of jacket shape, meeting the ruffles which ran over the sleeve. The yoke was of the net with no silk foundation underneath. The girl was of the cream silk folded. In passing, I must say that these ruffled elbow sleeves, in all kinds of thin materials, are nothing short of a rage this season. L.L.L.



years ago. My friend Mitchell and I had been hunting in the mountains of Southern California. One evening we made camp in one of the most picturesque spots that all that beautiful country. The camp fire gave forth a cheery glow as we sat and smoked our pipes, recounting the day's sport. After we had finished our smoke we rolled in our blankets, and, with saddles for pillows and our heavy sombreros covering our faces, were soon asleep. "My next conscious thoughts were of warmth on my face. I sat up suddenly to find the sun just above the treetops. As I did so I saw the strangest figure that ever met my eyes. "It was the form of a man, but a man whose like I had never seen nor imagined. He seemed to be at the very least seven feet high and even shrouded as he was by the folds of his odd costume, magnificently proportioned. He was garbed in a flowing gown of white, wound around by a broad crimson sash, into which were stuck two daggers and a long curved sword with a handle of gold set with jewels; while a huge turban of oriental fashion, snow-white like his gown, crowned his head. Beneath the turban gleamed two big, but piercingly brilliant, while the lower part of his dark oval face was half hidden by a moustach, jet black, and as long as the horns of a big steer. What finally riveted our attention, however, was neither the man's garb nor his features, but an object that he held in the curve of his right arm—a human skull, of a size that seemed to indicate a man of even larger stature than the one before us. He placed the skull upon the ground, and pointed with one outstretched hand over my head, as though indicating something in the distance. Naturally, we both turned in the direction of that gesture, but seeing nothing unusual in the landscape, faced about again toward the figure. Then we looked at each other in blank astonishment. The man had vanished as completely as a soap bubble bursting in air! "As we stood there dumfounded, our eyes scrutinizing each other, the plain, the sky overhead, and finally the ground, Mitchell gave a cry of astonishment. "Why, there's the skull!" he exclaimed. "Sure enough, there was the skull lying on the ground scarcely two yards from where we stood. At first it seemed much like any human skull except that it was unusually large, and polished so that its top glistened like a billiard ball. As we turned it around however, a cry of astonishment broke from both. The eye sockets were not empty, but contained a pair of the oddest sort of eyes. They were perfect in shape and expression, and through carved from what seemed to be deep blue glass, looked into our lifelike for pleasurable contemplation. But what added to the uncanny effect of the lidless blue orbs was the fact that they moved, being evidently set on some sort of bearings. From time to time we glanced toward the spot where we had placed the uncanny object, half expecting that, too, would vanish. But no, it remained just where we had left it, its top glistening in the sun, its lidless blue eyes gleaming with an almost human expression. As I looked, for perhaps the twentieth time, at the glistening thing I observed that the eyes were turned toward the left, and seemed gazing fixedly at the hillside above our camp. Seized by a strange idea, I arose and turned the skull in the direction of the hill toward which the eyes looked. They stared straight ahead. "Again I looked at the skull. Beyond a doubt its deep blue eyes were directed toward a particular portion of the rocky wall marked by a small depression, shined like a diamond. "I'll go to the camp for an ax," said Mitchell. Ten minutes later he returned with the only available tool we possessed, and I began hacking too lustily at the rocky wall, keeping the mark upon which the eyes were riveted as our guide. Before long we had a big slice of the rocky soil cut away, and Mitchell had just taken his arm at the work, when his ax suddenly buried itself in what seemed to be a soft shell of rock. The next moment a section of the earth, quite six feet each way, gave away, revealing to our astonished eyes a deep excavation. "The walls were cut and carved in many curious devices, while around the three sides ran a shelf cut in the rock on which rested many human bones piled in regular rows. I was examining a pile of these at the end farthest from the opening, comparing them with the skull in our possession, when, finding them apparently of the usual size, I tossed a thigh bone carelessly back on the shelf. It struck the pile with more force than I had intended, and they all came tumbling to the floor; but as they fell they revealed what appeared then, and subsequently proved to be, a crystal casket. Carrying it to the opening I set it down in the light. Upon examining the lid I found that it was not hinged but simply set it away, and there before our staring eyes lay a huge heap of blue stones, all cut, and polished to a dazzling brilliancy. "Sapphires!" cried Mitchell, and his eyes bulged from his head. "I thought as he did, but, being no judge of such things, was not too ready to let my hopes soar, only to be dashed to earth again. There must have been at least two pecks of them, ranging in size from a small pea to stones as big as the end of my thumb—and all perfectly cut. Suddenly, as we stood gazing incredulously at the gleaming stones, my thoughts flew to the skull and I ran to fetch it. As I brought it into the light I saw that its gaze was now riveted on the casket, the lidless orbs seeming actually to gloat over the piles of blue stones. A new thought flashed through my mind. Could it be—? Yes—undoubtedly—the eyes that we had thought only bits of blue glass were themselves sapphires, but larger and finer than any in the casket. "Well, Mitchell and I were practical, first of all. Finding nothing more, we took ourselves and our precious burdens to the camp, and that very night we started for San Francisco. "The leading jewelers pronounced our gems of the first water, and gladly paid us \$20,000 for sixty of the smaller stones. Upon parting company we divided the sapphires equally between us, and since then have visited every market of Europe, in each of which the stones have been pronounced flawless. "So far I have converted less than half of them into money. The ones I have placed in the casket in a

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A few days after his return to New York from twenty years' prospecting in South America, Alfred Leighton found the following letter at his hotel: "Buena Vista, Tarryville-on-the-Hudson, April 26, 189.—Dear Alfred: To my astonishment and delight I ran across your name among yesterday's hotel arrivals. Come up here with bag and baggage so that we may talk over old times.—Melville Barrett."

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THREE MEN SEEK LOUBET'S PLACE
Paul Doumer's Chance for the French Presidency Is Best

BY PAUL VILLIERS.
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PARIS, Dec. 11.—In February next year M. Emile Loubet will leave Palais Elysees and turn over to his successor the presidency of Europe's greatest republic. There is little doubt that the president, who has filled the office in a most dignified and patriarchal manner during seven years, would be re-elected almost unanimously if he cared to be a candidate, but this re-election which Grevy accepted and which Felix Faure undoubtedly would have sought, President Loubet refuses to consider, and the man who has been the host of so many monarchs and the honored guest of the kings of Spain and Portugal, has only one wish now, that of being allowed to disappear from public life and to show that he is in earnest he has already leased in Due Dunois, a far from fashionable street, an unpretentious apartment for \$1,000 a year, where he will spend the short time of the year, when he will not be living on his estate at Montelimar. It is by no means lack of money, but solely his democratic and simple taste, which has made the president choose to live on the left shore of the Seine from the fashionable set, for M. Loubet was a very wealthy man before he was elected president, and has saved during his term of office a good many thousand francs out of his annual salary of 1,200,000 francs. The day when the 300 senators and 596 deputies will meet at Versailles to elect a new president is not very distant, and already there is considerable interest in the election. Three Prominent Candidates The number of presidential possibilities has, however, dwindled down to two or at most three candidates. Of these M. Doumer is undoubtedly the most interesting. Paul Doumer was born in 1857, was chief of the cabinet in 1885, and was elected a member of the chamber since 1888. He was the most ardent champion of the income tax, and fought for this reform while he was minister of finance in the radical cabinet bourgeoisie, but his zeal and fire disappeared as if by magic when the lucrative office of governor general of Indo China was offered him. Without a moment's hesitation he left Paris, remained six years in Asia, made the press praise his administration in the far-off colony, carefully kept in the background during the Dreyfuss affair and returned to France in 1902, when he once more attracted general attention by his first speech in favor of "greater France" and an extended colonial policy, which once more carried him into the chamber with 11,522 votes against 226. Since January, this year, he has quietly endeavored to pave his way into the Palais Elysees, enthusiastically supported by M. Millerand, who aspires to become his chief of cabinet. The two other candidates are the president of the senate, M. Fallieres, and M. Leon Bourgeois. I do not believe, however, that M. Fallieres has much of a chance. He is a man respected by everybody, a sincere republican and has faithfully seconded M. Waldeck-Rousseau in his fight against the nationalists, but he is not very elegant; he is small and inclined to be stout, and not very popular with the people of France. He has quite a following in the senate, but absolutely none in the chamber, which does not care to elect another president of the senate president of the republic. The fight will, therefore, undoubtedly be between M. Bourgeois and M. Doumer, and personally, I believe that M. Bourgeois will win. Should he refuse to become a candidate, as some say he will, it is still possible that he may induce M. Loubet to become a candidate for re-election. Qui vivra, verra.

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New York safe deposit vault, but the skull— "As he spoke he gestured toward an ebony cabinet just above his head. There, behind a glass door, stood a huge skull, whose lidless blue eyes, looking out toward the distant city, seemed to pierce every obstacle between itself and the casket of sapphires over which it still kept watch and ward.

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A QUERY REGARDING MR. LASSITER AND A REPLY

Editor Telegram: With your usual fairness, I ask you to answer a question or two that is puzzling to a few of us who want to vote for the right man for mayor.

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OUR WASHINGTON LETTER

THE DRIFT OF POLITICS

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VERSES THAT RING

A FRAGMENT

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A H—Y MAIDEN

TAKING OFFENSE

CHANGES AGAINST HIM

LITTLE TALES WELL TOLD

CAUGHT THE THIEF

POINTED PARAGRAPHS



RUSSIA'S SUSTAINING INFLUENCE

HOW HAS RUSSIA BEEN ABLE TO ENDURE SUCH A RACKING INTERNAL STRIFE AND HAVE ANY SORT OF GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION LEFT? WHY HAS NOT SUCH A HURRYING RUSH OF CONTRADICTORY CURRENTS SUFFICED TO DESTROY EVERYTHING IN ITS Maelstrom? IT MUST BE THAT RUSSIAN LIFE IS COMPARABLE TO THAT OF THE PROTOZOA, PARTS OF WHICH CAN BE HACKED AWAY AND YET THE AGGREGATE STILL LIVE.—NEW YORK GLOBE.

LESSON OF THE NELSON CENTENARY

THE QUESTION FOR US TODAY IS NOT SO MUCH WHETHER WE HAVE A NELSON IN OUR NAVY OR WHETHER THE SAME SPIRIT ANIMATES THE MEN. THE REAL POINT IS WHETHER THE NAVY IS ABSOLUTELY EFFICIENT IN EVERY SENSE OF THE WORD. IF THE ANSWER IS IN THE AFFIRMATIVE WE MAY AWAIT EVENTS WITH CALM CONFIDENCE; IF NOT, WE HAVE NOT LEARNED THE LESSON OF THE NELSON CENTENARY.—COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCER.

ANIMUS OF THE OPPOSITION

FROM THE UNANIMITY WITH WHICH WASHINGTON UNANIMOUSLY INSISTS THAT THE ISLE OF PINES BELONGS TO CUBA, IT MUST BE A BUM PLACE, OR ELSE WE HAVE AN ADMINISTRATION FULL OF ISLANDS.—NEW YORK TELEGRAM.

WILL DO JUST AS WELL

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REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR

MOST OF THE MEN THAT GIRLS SAY THEY HAVE REJECTED NEVER ASKED 'EM.

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ROSEN TO ASK TAX REMOVAL
Will Seek to Have Franchise Changed

Sam Rosen will appear before the city council at the next meeting and petition that the 2 per cent tax clause be stricken from his franchise.

At the time that the Rosen Heights line was granted a franchise to operate a street car line in this city the clause requiring it to pay 2 per cent of the receipts exclusively outside of the city treasury was enacted. The company has to pay at the end of every year this 2 per cent tax on seven-eighths of the receipts of the company, the other eighth being considered as the part of the receipts exclusively outside of the city limits. This makes the company pay the city \$1.80 on every \$100 received besides the tax assessment.

"We will deliver our petition to the city council at the next meeting, a week from tonight, and see what the opinion of the council is on the matter," said Mr. Rosen. "It is not right that there should be a discrimination against the Rosen Heights street car line, and I would like to see what can be done to make matters equal to all."

At the same time that the petition for a discontinuance of the 2 per cent tax is presented a request will be made for the return of the \$5,000 bond that the company made for the building of the tracks. Mr. Rosen said this morning that the bond was given for the purpose of assuring the city that the franchise would build the tracks as stated. The company is now anxious that the bond should be returned to the bond company and not kept for twenty years as has been suggested. He says that the company gave the bond understanding that it was to be for the building of the line only and was then to be returned.

R. ELLISON IS DEAD
Prominent Young Cattleman Dies at Home of Sister in Fort Worth

Robert Ellison, the youngest son of Colonel and Mrs. E. L. Ellison of this city, died Sunday night at the home of his sister, Mrs. D. W. Godwin, 401 Burnett street. He was 37 years of age. For the past few years he has resided on his ranch in the Panhandle country and was well known among the ranchmen of Texas.

He came to this city several days ago for the treatment of kidney trouble. At the time of his death his wife was at Honey Grove, Texas, and his father in the Panhandle. Both are now in this city.

He was born in Murray, Ky., July 21, 1885, and moved from there with his parents to Davis, Tenn., in 1890. He came to Ft. Worth in 1888. He became a member of the firm of Maddox & Ellison. He sold out his interest in this company in 1935 and entered into the cattle business in Collingsworth county, where he owned a large ranch. He was still the owner of the ranch at the time of his death.

Mr. Ellison was married July 10, 1935, to Miss Ruth Parker of Honey Grove, Texas. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Ellison of this city, and also by a brother, T. B. Ellison, and a sister, Mrs. D. W. Godwin, and by his widow, Mrs. Robert Ellison.

He was a member of Red Cross Lodge No. 14, Knights of Pythias, and of the local lodge of Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks.

The funeral will be held tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock from the residence of his sister, Mrs. D. W. Godwin, 401 Burnett street.

G. A. KILBEY HERE
Western Commissioner of Salvation Army to Deliver Address in Fort Worth

Commissioner G. A. Kilbey, who has charge of all Salvation Army work west of Chicago, reached Fort Worth today, and will speak at the Broadway Presbyterian church tonight at 7:45 o'clock.

Commissioner Kilbey is accompanied by his chief secretary, Colonel Miles; also Colonel Addie of St. Louis, Major Jordan of Dallas and other officers. He has been making a tour of the eastern part of Texas, holding meetings, auditing books and inspecting the Salvation Army work being done by the state officers.

Tuesday an officers' council will be held in Dallas, attended by every officer in charge of Texas. A review of Salvation Army work will be made and advice given.

This is Commissioner Kilbey's first visit to Fort Worth, and North Waters, in charge of the work here, is anxious that a good meeting be had at the church tonight. Commissioner Kilbey is said to be a fluent speaker.

POSTOFFICE ROBBER
Special to The Telegram.
LAWTON, Okla., Dec. 11.—The Lone Wolf postoffice and a racket store were recently burglarized and a quantity of stamps, cash, watches and jewelry taken. The authorities have traced the guilty parties as far as Chickasha.

EL PASO HAS BIG SNOW FALL
Total Depth Reached Was Four Inches

Four inches of snow at El Paso Sunday is shown in the weather report this morning. The near approach of an area of high barometer and of a low at that point caused a snowfall, due to the closeness of the high and low temperatures attendant upon high and low barometric points. At the same time that it snowed at El Paso it rained at Phoenix. A snowfall of that depth at El Paso is unusual and is probably almost a record for that town, as the general climate of El Paso is higher in temperature than Fort Worth.

The snowstorm is not scheduled for this city, indications being that the weather will turn warmer instead of colder.

Although the weather for this city was cold yesterday and fell below the freezing point it was not an official cold wave, as the weather bureau provides that during the month of December a cold wave must only be reported when the thermometer drops twenty degrees and falls to the point of twenty degrees above zero. This rule applies during the months of December, January and February. In November the thermometer has to fall twenty degrees or more to be reported as a cold wave.

Low temperatures were reported throughout the state for Sunday, but the twenty-seven degrees reported as minimum at this point was the lowest of any in the state. The maximum temperature at Fort Worth was forty-five degrees, a range of eighteen degrees.

Throughout the lake regions there is a low barometric area that is causing stiff winds. They ranged from thirty-two miles to fifty-six miles an hour. A heavy frost is reported at New Orleans.

Official statement of the weather conditions is:

"A low barometric area dominates the lake regions, causing winds of thirty-two to fifty-six miles an hour.

"A 'low' in the extreme southwest is causing rain in Arizona and quite heavy snowfall at El Paso.

"The middle northwest has high barometer conditions, causing clear weather and zero temperature in Nevada and Wyoming. The high area over the Gulf states has caused heavy frost at New Orleans and Jacksonville, and temperatures in Alabama and Georgia are below freezing."

SUPT. MARRIES TEACHER
Special to The Telegram.
LAWTON, Okla., Dec. 11.—A. R. Harris, county superintendent of Roger Mills county, was recently married to Miss Hattie Dunnell, a teacher at Clarenden, Texas. Prof. Harris was once a prominent educator of Texas.

CITY NEWS

Croun Hardware Co., 1007 Main street. R. Dowell of Bowie is here today. Boaz's Book Store, 402 Main street. Picture Frames at Brown & Vera's. See Adams. He knows. J. W. Adams & Co., feed, produce, fuel phone 539.

Bowden Times saves you 19 per cent on lumber. 711 W. R. R. Av. Both phones 711.

C. H. Bencil of Brownwood is in the city today.

For monuments see Fort Worth Marble and Granite Works North Main and 3d.

H. H. Paul is here from Muskogee, I. T.

Dr. M. B. Harris, osteopath. Telephones 773 and 3298.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Edgin are here from Pittsburg.

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Mr. and Mrs. Mangle of Thurber are visiting friends in the city.

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J. J. McCarthy is a Houston visitor here today.

Miss Cora Ridgeway of Comanche is here today.

W. L. Austin is here today from Dallas.

Ralph Marthy is here from Dallas today.

Miss Virginia Van Zandt will return from Baltimore in a few days.

Big line Children's Rockers for Xmas. Howard-Smith Furniture Company.

G. M. Giles of Carlsbad, N. M., is in the city.

John Doyle and R. L. Evans of Denison are here today.

C. H. Beard of Moore, Okla., is a guest at the Worth.

Assistant County Attorney W. H. Seay has one to Waxahachie to visit relatives.

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Miss May Larimer has returned from a visit of several weeks with Austin friends.

Mrs. Bernie Anderson will be the hostess of the Merry Wives next Thursday afternoon.

Judge W. D. Harris and L. M. Whittsitt will speak tonight at 8 o'clock at Wylie's store, Arizona and Leuda streets.

It will always be found a little better and perhaps a little cheaper at the William Henry & R. E. Bell Hardware Co., 1615-17 Main street.

M. M. Lydon will address the citizens of the Fifth ward under the auspices of the Fifth Ward Democratic Club, Tuesday, Dec. 12, at 8 p. m., at Tucker Hill fire hall.

Ray Hunter, senior warden of the Fort Worth Masonic Lodge and the representative of this city in the grand lodge at Waco, has returned home.

Mrs. Hyde Jennings and Miss Jennings will remain in Baltimore until after the holidays. Miss Jennings, who has been in the hospital for some time, is recovering slowly.

There will be a called meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Broadway Presbyterian church Tuesday at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. A large attendance is expected.

The dance for the Christmas dance of the Imperial club will be Dec. 22. The Commercial club will give its Christmas full dress german on the evening of Dec. 23.

The Christmas edition of The Telegram will be issued next Sunday, Dec. 17. It will be a publication of unusual merit. Advertisers who want to present their offerings to buyers should get copy in early during the week, so that the matter of display and position can be given the proper attention.

CATTLEMEN MEET
Seventy-Two Names Added to List of Members at Session of Executive Committee

The executive committee of the Texas Cattle Raisers' association held the regular quarterly meeting this morning in the offices of Secretary Lytle of the association. The meeting was called to order at 10 o'clock by Vice President I. T. Pryor of San Antonio, President W. W. Turney of El Paso not being present.

Members of the committee present were I. T. Pryor, R. Walsh of Palo Duro, D. B. Gardner of Fort Worth, J. H. P. Davis of Richmond, John N. Simpson of Dallas, D. H. Lucas of Carlsbad, N. M., and John A. Lytle of Fort Worth.

The names of seventy-two cattlemen were presented to the committee and accepted for membership. The committee adjourned at 2:30 o'clock for lunch and met again this afternoon.

DEATHS

RAY MORELAND
Ray Moreland, aged 3 months, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Moreland, died Sunday night at the home of his parents on the Stone Foundry road. The remains will be taken this afternoon to Grand Prairie for interment.

J. M. MAY
J. M. May aged 32 years, died Sunday night at his home, corner of Twelfth and Jones streets, Fort Worth. The body was taken to Mansfield for interment.

IMPORTATION CHARGED
Preliminary Hearing to Be Held by Commissioner

Preliminary hearing of Paul Jamison is set to be held before United States Commissioner Dodge tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Jamison was arrested in this city the latter part of November, charged with a violation of act of congress of March 3, 1903, and with importation for immoral purposes. He was released at that time on a \$1,000 bond to await the preliminary hearing which will be tomorrow.

POLICE ORGANIZE
Benevolent Association Elects First Officers

J. H. Maddox, chief of police, presided over a meeting of the Fort Worth Police Benevolent Association, held Sunday morning at police headquarters. The following officers being elected: A. D. Algood, president; R. R. Porter, vice president; C. W. Newby, secretary, and J. H. Allen, treasurer.

The committee on by-laws and constitution for the association was Officers Newby, Peterson and Maben.

This committee will, during the week, draw up the necessary articles and make a report to the next association, which will be held in the offices of the chief next Sunday morning, Dec. 15.

The committee of officers, which is busy selling tickets to the ball to be given by the association Thursday night, Dec. 28, in Balfie hall, report more than \$200 total received from this ticket sale.

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AMUSEMENTS

"THE SHOW GIRL"
B. C. Whitney brings his production of the greatest success, "The Show Girl," or "The Magic Cap," a musical comedy in two acts, to Greenwall's opera house tonight, Dec. 11. The production is a glittering spectacle as to scenic embellishments and magnificent costumes, and money has been expended with a lavish hand. Mr. Whitney has long borne the reputation of furnishing to the playgoers of this country choristers, many of which have now risen into prominence on account of their beauty and talent, and in this attraction, "The Show Girl," he has not overlooked this feature of his entertainment, and a large and youthful chorus of beauties is promised us. One of the big hits in this successful musical comedy is that of an impersonation of a cat called "Thomas," given by Charles E. Parcor, who bears the reputation of being called the greatest living animal impersonator in this country. His work is very clever and difficult and must be seen to be appreciated. Another feature is the "Troubadour Four" quartet, who sing popular airs.

"THOU SHALT NOT KILL"
Frederick Schwartz, the manager of Tolstol's "Thou Shalt Not Kill" the world's record in making the circuit of the earth. He left New York city on July 2 on the Deutschland and arrived in Paris July 9, 1903. From Paris he took the fast Russian flyer and reached St. Petersburg, Russia, July 11, missing his connection with the Siberian Express, which leaves every fourth day.

Making the feat of his compulsory delay, he met Count Leo Tolstol, the noted author, through the kindness of American Consul Smith of Moscow, and spent two whole days with the veteran writer.

It was a fortunate meeting for Mr. Schwartz, for he collaborated in a dramatization of Tolstol's pamphlet which caused such a sensation in all Europe, entitled, "Thou Shalt Not Kill." Tolstol gave many points and suggestions for the production and believes the success in America is greater than his "Resurrection."

The part of Alyce, which is the stellar role of the play, will be portrayed by Miss Alyce Kee Nan, who was selected from a list of twenty odd stars on a \$1,000 bond to await the preliminary hearing which will be tomorrow.

CHARITY PLAN PRESSED
Report Delayed to Secure Attendance of Ministers

The committee of ministers which had charge of a plan for an united charities organization was ready to report at the meeting of the ministers, which was to have been held this morning, but there was no quorum present and the matter had to go over to the next meeting. There were only three ministers present this morning.

RAILROAD RUMBLING
EATING HOUSES OPEN

The new eating houses which have just been completed at Childress and Amarillo by the Fort Worth and Denver City have been opened for business. They form a great improvement over the old order of things at these two places. They are said to be up to date in every particular.

NOTES AND PERSONALS
C. J. Travis, superintendent of bridges and buildings of the Denver road, is here from Denver on a short inspection tour.

G. F. Carter, general superintendent of the Denver road, returned Saturday night for five days' inspection tour of his lines. He reports that the road is in a satisfactory condition.

"LITTLE JOHNNY JONES"
The local theatergoing public will be regaled on Wednesday and Thursday, Dec. 13 and 14, with the first performance in this city of last season's musical success, "Little Johnny Jones," which will be presented at Greenwall's opera house Wednesday and Thursday nights and Thursday matinee, Dec. 13 and 14. "Little Johnny Jones" is a musical melodrama in three acts, written by George M. Cohan, the author of several very successful musical plays. The company that will present "Little Johnny Jones" in this city is one of unusual excel-

lence, numbering fully sixty people, with a chorus of forty. The most notable songs perhaps and those most familiar to our theatergoers are the "Yankee Doodle Boy," "Grip My Regards to Broadway," "Good-bye Flo," "Billie, Fauchette" and "They're All My Friends." No musical piece was presented last season that scored a more emphatic success than "Little Johnny Jones."

"THE PUMPKIN HUSKER"
There isn't a bit of gloom in "The Pumpkin Husker," which comes to Greenwall's opera house Saturday matinee and night, Dec. 16, under the management of Wallace J. Derthick. Matinee prices, adults 25c, children 15c. Night prices, 25c, 35c, 50c.

AT THE MAJESTIC
Miss Lillian Campbell, the charming operator of "Phroso," was educated in Paris, France, her father being an attaché of the American embassy. Miss Campbell's parents were persuaded by Mrs. Ryan, the inventor of "Phroso," to permit their daughter to exhibit it at the Paris exposition, where the act was an immense success. After finishing the engagement of the Majestic circuit, "Phroso" will be taken on a tour through Australia, sailing from Frisco Jan. 15, for Melbourne.

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If you have a pain or dull ache in the back it is unmistakable evidence of kidney trouble. It is a warning to tell you trouble is ahead unless you remedy the cause immediately.

Lame back is only one symptom of kidney trouble. Other symptoms are, being obliged to pass water often during the day and to get up many times during the night, inability to hold your urine, smarting or irritation, passing brick-dust or sediment in the urine, catarrh of the bladder, uric acid, constant headache, dizziness, sleeplessness, nervousness, irregular heart beating, rheumatism, bloating, irritability, wormy feeling, lack of ambition and sallow complexion.

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Plant Shade Trees!
See Drumm's Seed and Floral Co. Both phones 101. 607 Houston.

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COTTON

COTTON WEAKENS Bearish Pressure Effects a Decline of 24 to 27 Points Special to The Telegram. NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—The cotton market opened unchanged on near and 6 to 14 points off on distant position...

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ESTIMATED TOMORROW Special to The Telegram. Following is the estimated receipts of cotton at the three leading ports...

Table with columns: Tomorrow, Last Year, etc. Rows include New Orleans, Galveston, Houston, etc.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON Special to The Telegram. NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 11.—Spot cotton quiet and 3-16c lower at 11 7/8c for middling...

NOTED TURFMAN IS DEAD PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 11.—Captain Samuel S. Brown, the multi-millionaire coal operator and well known horseman, died today at his home inquirrel Hill, this city...

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY FOR SALE—7-room, two-story, plastered house, lot 6x100, Southwest side, convenient to Bell Line, \$2000 down, balance \$20 per month, 8 percent interest. Price, \$2,250. Phone 8100.

LARGE FRONT ROOM with private bath and grate; use of phone, etc. Call 920 Taylor street.

A BOOKKEEPER changing positions will do office work of some kind, 34 care Telegram.

FOR SALE—Horse and buggy. Call at 410 Clara street.

FRANKLIN COUNTY DRY MT. VERNON, Texas, Dec. 11.—Return to county court for \$25,000. The Franklin county went dry in Saturday's local option election.

UVALDE IS DRY UVALDE, Texas, Dec. 11.—Uvalde county went dry by seventy-six majority in the local option election Saturday.

FIRE IN NASHVILLE, TENN. NASHVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 11.—Fire early Sunday destroyed the overall factory of O'Bryan Bros. The loss is estimated at \$75,000.

PACKERS' CASES ARE CONTINUED Formal Trial on Indictments to Come Later to Come Later

CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—The cases against the beef packers were not called today in the United States court, but will be heard tomorrow.

THE packers have claimed they were promised immunity by Commissioner of Corporations Garfield, and this the United States district attorney denies. Accuracy of the assertions of the packers will be tested in the preliminary hearing and formal legal proceedings against the men indicted will be taken up at a later date. It is expected, however, that the hearing tomorrow will bring out some important matters connected with the prosecution of the packers.

Rheumatism, more painful in this climate than any other affliction, cured by Prescription No. 2851, by Elmer & Amed, For sale by all druggists.

PANAMA BILL IN SENATE WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 11.—When the house met today Speaker Cannon announced the committee on appointments. In the senate the Panama canal appropriation bill was taken up.

WILLIAMS GAINS FIRST VICTORY WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 11.—A lively tilt occurred in the house today just before adjournment between Lamar of Florida and Minority Leader Williams regarding committee assignments.

Lamar sought to discuss the matter, but Williams objected in the interest of democratic harmony, effectiveness and good will. He was at once challenged to call a democratic caucus tomorrow, but declined to commit himself on the ground the house was no place for democratic caucus, effectiveness and good will. He was at once challenged to call a democratic caucus tomorrow, but declined to commit himself on the ground the house was no place for democratic caucus, effectiveness and good will.

STOCKS

Special to The Telegram. NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—Stocks opened rather irregular and in the initial trading grew stronger. The feature of the early session was a 2 1/2-point advance in Reading, Tennessee Coal and Iron also advanced 1 1/2 points immediately following the call, while Chicago Great Western gained almost a point. Erie showed an advance of 1 1/2 points about midday, while New York Central had a 1-point gain, closing up a point.

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GRAIN

Special to The Telegram. CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 11.—Wheat opened steady 3/4c to 1c higher, being influenced somewhat by better cables. The market was quiet during the first hour. The May option, after working up 1/2c above Saturday's final, eased off on liquidation to 8 1/2c or 3/4c below the early high point. Receipts 19 cars, of which 2 were contracts; 45 cars were received this day last year.

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LIVESTOCK

MONDAY'S RECEIPTS 4,000 Calves, 1,000 Hogs, 300 Sheep, 100 Pigs, 100 Cows and mules, 100 Horses and mules, 100 etc.

MONDAY'S REVIEW AND SALES Stock yard receipts today are: Cattle, 4,000; calves, 1,000; hogs, 2,000; sheep, 300; horses and mules, 100.

MONDAY'S REVIEW AND SALES (continued) Cattle market is strong and active. Top steers, \$3.30. Hog market steady, tops, \$5.07 1/2. Sheep market steady.

MONDAY'S REVIEW AND SALES (continued) Later receipts of cattle did not materially change earlier estimates. No fed steers arrived, and packers had to be content with such warmed-up market as was available.

MONDAY'S REVIEW AND SALES (continued) The cow trade presented a better appearance, especially in the northern districts, where the bulk of the butcher stock was to be found. The demand for cows was insistent on the part of packers and outside buyers, and as the quality showed some improvement, an upward market resulted.

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Genito-Urinary and Rectal Diseases—Wednesdays and Fridays, from 1 to 2 p. m. Surgery—Wednesdays, from 2 to 3 p. m. Diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat—Mondays and Thursdays, from 1 to 2 p. m.

DEPUTY GETS PRISONER Deputy Sheriff Roark returned this morning from Eastland county with J. Everett, who is charged here with the murder of Justice Rowland, after which trial before Justice Rowland tomorrow, the property alleged to have been stolen being two mules.

SUPREME COURT PROCEEDINGS Special to The Telegram. AUSTIN, Texas, Dec. 11.—Proceedings in the supreme court today were: Certified questions answered: Aetna Insurance company of Hartford vs. R. O. Brannon, Eastport county. Reversed and remanded. M. H. Lauchheimer & Sons vs. G. Y. Coop, Coryell county.

Motion to file petition for mandamus granted and cause set for Jan. 22, 1906. J. N. Rowley vs. J. Terrell, Comissioner Antonio Garza vs. J. J. Terrell, commissioner. Motion for rehearing overruled: William Boyd vs. St. Louis Southwestern railway company of Texas, Bowie county. Rehearing submitted: A. L. Kulp vs. T. L. Abley, from Harris county; International and Great Northern railway vs. railroad commission of Texas, from Travis; E. I. Novill vs. J. J. Terrell, commissioner, et al. Cause reset for Jan. 22, 1906; J. B. Willoughby vs. J. J. Terrell, commissioner, et al., petition for mandamus.

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WILLIAMS GAINS FIRST VICTORY WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 11.—A lively tilt occurred in the house today just before adjournment between Lamar of Florida and Minority Leader Williams regarding committee assignments.

MARKETS ELSEWHERE CHICAGO LIVE STOCK CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—Cattle—Receipts, 25,000; market opened 10c lower; closed, \$10.75; cows and heifers, \$11.25@11.65; stockers and feeders, \$2.10@4.05.

STATEHOOD SONG HEARD IN SENATE WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Single statehood for Oklahoma and Indian Territory was promoted today in a novel manner. A delegation from these territories called to pay respects to Senator Beveridge, chairman of the committee on territories. The committee room would not accommodate all visitors and the senator received them in the corridor and addressed them. The overflow occupied the stairs leading to the marble room, one of the semi-sacred precincts of the senate.

THRU TRAINS 9 A.M. 9:15 P.M. Via To EAST & NORTHEAST J. ROUNSAVILLE, C. P. & T. A. Fones 229. 512 Main Street.

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TELEGRAM'S DAILY PUZZLE

Owing to the confusion that has arisen over the operation of two puzzle contests at the same time, the Daily puzzle will be omitted this week. It is planned to start this feature again next week under conditions that will be easier of solution and saving confusion with the Sunday puzzle. The winners and answers in the daily contest will be announced in Wednesday's paper.

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WANTED-For United States army able-bodied, unmarried men, between ages of 18 and 35; citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, 345 Main street, Dallas, 1290 Main street, Fort Worth, 113 1/2 South Fourth street, Waco; 121 1/2 Travis street, Sherman, Texas.

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HAVE YOU SEEN that fine line of blue leather goods for Xmas presents? We also have a fine line of whips, lap robes, saddles and blankets. See us before you buy. Nobby Harness Store, 400 Houston street. Old phone 36-2 rings. J. A. Clary, manager.

PERSONAL

FORT WORTH LODGE, NO. 118, A. P. and A. M., will confer the Master's degree tonight, beginning at 7 o'clock sharp. Refreshments after work. All Masons are cordially invited to attend. W. C. STRONG, W. H. FELD, Secretary. W. M.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE

FOR SALE-One brand new Sechler runabout, rubber tires, cut under, wholesale price \$125. Bargain if sold at once. Address, 457, Telegraph.

ROOMS FOR RENT

FOR RENT-Nicely furnished rooms; modern; all cars pass door; new management. Lenox Flats, over Western Union, 601 1/2 Main street. Electric lights, hot and cold baths.

LEARN TELEGRAPHY and railroad accounting, \$50 to \$100 a month salary assured our graduates under bond. Our six schools the largest in America and endorsed by all railroads. Write for catalogue. Morse School of Telegraphy, Cincinnati, Ohio; Buffalo, N. Y.; Atlanta, Ga.; La Crosse, Wis.; Texas: Dallas, Texas; San Francisco, Cal.

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First and Main, wants men to learn barber trade. Splendid opportunity just now. Few weeks completes. Course includes practical experience, instructions, lectures, demonstrations examinations; diplomas and positions. Little expense; catalogue free. Write today.

INDIGESTION OR DYSPEPSIA, even chronic cases, can be stopped forever by "Ophthalmology." No knife, medicine or massage. Will sign a contract to refund the money. Dr. T. J. Williams, 315 Houston street.

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FOR SALE-A strictly modern cottage, 5 large rooms, together with reception hall, corridor, bath room, store room, butler's pantry, large closets, latest improved plumbing, porcelain bath, lavatory, sink and toilet, gas and electric lights, large bath for two horses and two carriages, wood and chicken houses, orchard, vineyard and flowers, garage driveway, concrete walks, lot 65x140 to alley, south front, 1/2 block from Summit avenue car line, Sixth ward. Office Phone 854, or residence 1648. Address H. B., 301 Fort Worth National Bank Bldg.

FOR RENT

H. C. JEWELL, H. V. Jewell, H. C. JEWELL & SON, The Rental Agents of the City, 1200 Houston street.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN-A 4-months-old red heifer calf; anyone returning or sending any information of the same to 2613 Chestnut avenue, Rosen Heights, North Fort Worth, will receive liberal reward.

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED-Position by lady of refinement, as companion, in return for board and lodging; employed during day; best of references. Address 2, care Telegram.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE-A good eight-room house; two large halls, east front, well shaded, 500 Bryan avenue. Will take smaller places as part payment. Going at a sacrifice. Inquire at Eagle Bakery.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT-Five-room house, hall electric lights, 1021 South Main street. Apply 403 St. Louis avenue. Phone 2750.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST-A bird dog with white spots and brown head; wears collar and answers by the name of "Pickett." Will pay liberal reward for delivery at 411 Adams, or phone 2762 (old).

FOR SALE

FOR SALE-Trade-Fine team of horses, wagon and harness. Horses in good condition and perfect health. Must sell or trade at once. 514 Pennsylvania avenue.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT-Eight-room house, two large halls; gas, electric lights, sewerage, sink in kitchen; all modern; must furnish references. Also four-room house, 504 South Calhoun street, newly papered and painted. Apply W. J. Doherty, Eagle Bakery, 715 South Main street.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT-Modern twenty-six-room flat, near Seventh street, on Houston. Apply, B. F. Sprinkle, 205 Main street.

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PROF. ROBERT CORTLAND-(Neuropathist) treats all forms of disease successfully. No drugs, no surgery. Are you discouraged, nervous, stomach trouble, female troubles, all run down? Go to Professor Cortland take his treatment, then tell your neighbors. Reynolds Building, Eighth and Houston, with Dr. G. C. Keiser, rooms 206 to 215 Dr. G. C. Keiser.

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FOR RENT

FOR RENT-Three-room house, two-story, stone front. Hubbard Bros., phone 2191.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT-Elegant front room, with bath, light and phone privileges. Call 804 Lamar street.

ROOMS FOR RENT

NICELY FURNISHED ROOM for rent, 211 Taylor street.

REAL ESTATE BARGAINS

WE have opened this week a car load of Bedroom Suits and a car of Sideboards and Dressers, which we want you to see and price. Hubbard Bros., 110 and 112 Houston street. Phone 2191.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT-Nicely furnished rooms (en suite), half block from public library. Floor Bldg, second floor front. Call on Flora-Esplan Loan and Trust Co., 909 Houston street.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT-Nicely furnished front rooms, steam heat, bath and lights. Flat B, Sangarlet, corner Jackson and Lamar, \$20 per month; can occupy Dec. 8.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT-Nicely furnished rooms, with or without board, or would rent to a couple for housekeeping; references required. 404 Clarence street.

SPECIAL NOTICES

WE REPAIR FURNITURE and stoves. We buy furniture and stoves. BANNER Furniture Co., 311 Main, both phones.

FOR REMOVING AND RESETTING

All kinds of glass, show windows especially, phone Shedd's Planing Mill, 3404.

FOR DELIVER Oyster Leaves, chicken leaves, chile and tamales.

Owens & Graham, 114 Houston street. Phone 4421.

YOUR PRICE BUYS at Nix's, corner Second and Houston streets.

Try us and see.

DON'T forget the grand masquerade ball at Pritchard's Hall, North Fort Worth, Wednesday night, Dec. 13, 1905.

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H. H. HAGER & CO. appreciate coal wood and feed orders.

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LAWN MOWERS sharpened by an expert.

Board Elec. Co., 1044 Houston st.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR MAYOR. The friends of Mr. N. H. Lassiter, to the number of more than one thousand, announce him as a candidate for mayor, subject to the action of the primary election, Dec. 14, 1905.

I HEREBY announce myself as candidate for alderman of the Fourth ward, subject to the action of the democratic primaries, Dec. 14.

M. M. LYDON.

I HEREBY announce myself as candidate for re-election as alderman of the Fourth ward, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, Dec. 14.

J. F. LEHANE.

I HEREBY announce myself as candidate for alderman of the Fifth ward, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries, Dec. 14.

M. M. LYDON.

I herewith announce myself as a candidate for alderman to represent the Seventh ward, subject to the action of the democratic primaries.

R. L. ARMSTRONG.

I HEREBY announce myself as candidate for re-election as alderman of Third ward, subject to the action of the democratic primaries, Dec. 14, 1905.

W. R. PARKER.

I HEREBY announce myself as candidate for alderman of the Second ward, subject to the action of the democratic primaries, Dec. 14.

C. E. MARLOW.

I HEREBY announce myself as candidate for alderman of the First ward, subject to the action of the democratic primaries, Dec. 14.

W. H. WARD.

I HEREBY announce myself as candidate for alderman of the Ninth ward, subject to the action of the democratic primaries, Dec. 14.

J. E. VALENTINE.

MISCELLANEOUS

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

UNION STEAM DYE WORKS, 111 West Ninth street, Fort Worth.

We dye and clean evening dresses of the most delicate and expensive material with care and skill. White albatross, mulls, silks, organdies, broadcloths, pongee dresses that are trimmed with Battenberg lace are carefully and properly handled.

SPECIALS in combination book cases and many other articles for next week only.

See Monday's ad in The Telegram. Durrett & Gorman, corner Houston and Tenth streets.

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GOOD DAY BOARD can be secured at 614 East Sixth street; \$3.50 per week. Phone 2613.

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FIRST-CLASS room and board at 915 Lamar street. Phone 314.

UMBRELLAS

WANTED-1,000 umbrellas to recover and repair. 707 East Third street. Chas. Bagget.



\$22.00

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We have just received a shipment of Black Thibet which we contracted for early in the season and before the enormous rise in price occurred. They are strictly all wool. Positively won't wear glossy, fast black, standard strength. They were bought to sell for \$30.00. We have them on sale, Sack Suit or Overcoat, Tailored to Taste, for

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Many children inherit constitutions weak and feeble, others due to childhood troubles. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will positively cure children and make them strong. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. J. P. Brashear.

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We have just received some beauties with fancy decorated shades and bowls, solid brass lift-out fountains and best round wick burners. Ordinarily these goods would be sold at from \$5.00 to \$10.00, but they arrived late and we have marked them

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They won't last long, so you had better come in early this week. We will hold them and deliver the day before Christmas if you wish.

Nash Hardware Company

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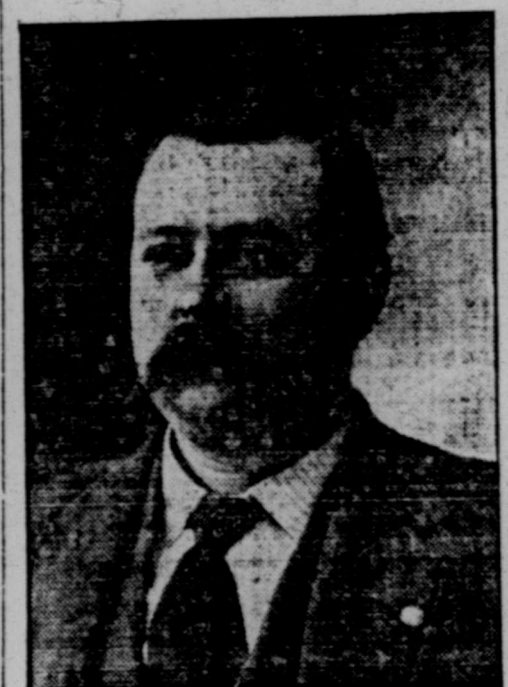
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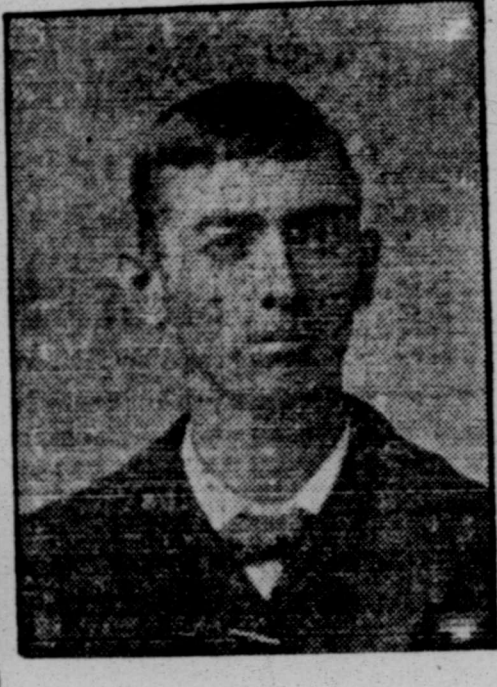
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TWO CANDIDATES OUT IN SECOND WARD RACE

B. L. Waggoman, Present Alderman, and C. E. Marlow Seek to Represent People in Council for Coming Term



B. L. WAGGOMAN.



CLAUD E. MARLOW.

B. L. Waggoman and Claud E. Marlow are opposing candidates in the Second ward aldermanic race.

B. L. Waggoman, who is running to succeed himself, has been in city council for six consecutive years and also served a part of the unexpired term of Major Higgins in 1891, when there were eighteen members of the city council. At the end of the term the number of aldermen was reduced to nine and Mr. Waggoman did not seek re-election.

He is 36 years of age and has lived in this city since 1880. He has been a resident of the Second ward virtually all of the time. He was first engaged in the ice business and then went into the livery business. About six years ago he became interested in the fuel business and has continued in it since. He announced in the present race, after first declining to run, upon the presentation of a petition signed by a large number of the voters of the ward.

Mr. Waggoman is chairman of the public buildings committee, and the

streets and alleys committee. He is also a member of the public grounds committee of the city council. He is running on a platform which includes the building of a new market square and auditorium, the paving of Rush and Throckmorton streets and the cross streets between and the erection of a new school for the Second ward.

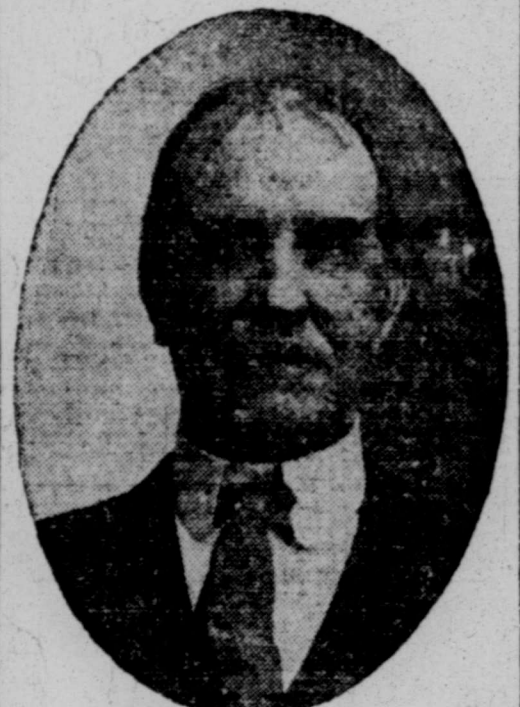
Claud E. Marlow was born at Augusta, Woodruff county, Ark., Feb. 22, 1874. He came to Fort Worth Feb. 1, 1879, and was engaged in the grocery business in North Main street until April, 1883, when he moved to Colorado City, Texas, and engaged in grocery business and other enterprises at that place. He was married April 8, 1885, his wife having been Miss Ariella Boswell, daughter of Dr. John W. Boswell, D. D., editor New Orleans Christian Advocate. He was elected city clerk of Colorado City in 1887 and served four years in that position.

He returned to Fort Worth in 1893 and was interested in the Fort Worth Bottling Works for some time. For the past two years he has been engaged in the promotion of Colonel Waterhouse to brigadier general. He was made colonel of the regiment.

COL. E. W. TAYLOR HAS WAR RECORD

Candidate for Mayor Entered Army a Minor

Among the candidates for mayor of the city is Colonel E. W. Taylor, commander of R. E. Lee camp, United Confederate Veterans. His opponents



COLONEL E. W. TAYLOR.

are N. H. Lassiter and Judge W. D. Harris.

Colonel Taylor came to this city from Jefferson, Texas, where he had gone with his command at the end of the war.

He enlisted early in 1862, in Captain W. L. Crawford's company, A, yet a minor at Jefferson, Texas, after having sold out his drug store. Being a druggist he was exempt from military duties, but his devotion to his country indicated that he should enlist in its defense.

At the organization of the battalion which was organized by Colonel Richard Waterhouse, he was made sergeant major, and at the organization of the regiment, he was elected major of the Nineteenth Texas infantry. Within a few months there was a vacancy, when he became lieutenant colonel, and after

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the promotion of Colonel Waterhouse to brigadier general. He was made colonel of the regiment.

At the close of the war he was senior colonel of the brigade, and often in command of the brigade.

He fought in the battles of Mansfield, Pleasant Hill, Jenkins Ferry, Milliken's Bend, Ashland Landing and many minor engagements.

At the close of the war he marched his regiment from Hempstead, Texas, with all the military discipline, toward their respective homes. As they neared their counties to which they belonged they were disbanded, with all their company property, and the last night out from Jefferson they camped at Little Cypress, two miles from the city of Jefferson. Next morning they marched into town with all the military display and lined up, and he said to them: "Your country has no further claims upon your services; you have made true and valiant soldiers, and redeemed every promise. You will now divide up your company, go to the commissary's department and take all the supplies that you can take home with you, and when you are at home seek to build up your broken fortunes, but above all, make true and loyal citizens under the flag of the United States."

Since coming to this city, he has been prominent in lodge and army circles and has been a member of the board of equalization of taxes.

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List of letters remaining in the post-office at Fort Worth, Texas, Dec. 11, 1906. Persons calling for same will please state where they wish to receive mail; also give date of this advertisement. Advertisers' letters are held two weeks before they are sent to the dead letter office at Washington, D. C.

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