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TURKS ATTACK SUEZ CANAL--REPULSED

TURKS ATTACK THE SUEZ CANAL AND ARE REPULSED

London, Feb. 4.—The Turks at last have made a definite attack on the Suez canal but after a sharp fight they were driven off with heavy losses.

After a fruitless attempt made Wednesday night to bridge the canal near Toussoum, they returned to the attack early yesterday morning with a force estimated at twelve thousand strong and six batteries of artillery and assayed to get across the water way on rafts. The British force however were waiting and the invaders were forced back, leaving about three hundred prisoners in the hands of the defenders. A considerable number of turks were killed and wounded. The British lost fifteen killed and fifty-eight wounded.

NINE INJURED IN COLLISION ON ORITNT AT WOODLAND

Nine men, all Mexicans were injured more or less seriously Wednesday night about eight o'clock when a Southbound Orient engine and a Northbound motor car collided head-on one mile South of Woodland on the main line. The men are now at St. John's Sanitarium.

Some of the workmen on the motor car are members of the O. P. Taylor gang, which is ballasting the track north of the city. They had started to their camp near Woodland. The engine was pulling a Southbound ex-

JAPANESE CRUISER REPORTED SUNK

San Diego, Feb. 4.—The Japanese Cruiser Asama is reported wrecked near Turtle bay, less than forty miles from where the steamship Isthmian and the Danish motor ship Malakka went on the rocks December 18. The Assama struck on or before last Monday and is now a total wreck. No lives were lost according to reports received here today.

tra freight. It ran out of water at Woodland, which is about sixteen miles North, detached itself from the train and came on in. Both the engine and the car were running at a lively rate of speed when the accident happened.

Get ready to get a share of the bargains that will be offered when the L. J. Mashburn stock of furnishings are offered to the public within a few days.

Bargains galore will be offered the public soon when the L. J. Mashburn stock is offered for sale. It will pay you to wait for the big sale.

WEATHER REPORT.

Tonight cloudy and colder.
Tomorrow fair and warmer.

SWEETWATER P. O. MAKES GOOD SHOWING

The papers over the country are publishing the facts that owing to the war in Europe the income of the United States government, including the postoffice department has been decreasing materially since the war began about August 1st. The Dallas Postoffice congratulated itself in showing an increase of \$1.50 for January, 1915 over the same month in 1914 on a total income of over \$88,000 for the month.

Under these circumstances the people of Sweetwater should have cause for congratulation over the showing of this office. While the income of the Sweetwater office is not in the same class with Dallas yet, the income of this office shows an increase of over 14 per cent for January, 1915, over January, 1914.

Instead of showing a decrease in revenue for the period of the war August 1st to February 1st, this office shows an increase of over 15 per cent which for the months of October, November and December, 1914 over the same period in 1914 shows an increase of over 21 per cent in favor of 1914 and December 1914 increase over 23 per cent over the same month in 1913. To say the least if these figures show that conditions are better in Sweetwater than they were a year ago and that the war in Europe has not cut down Uncle Sam's revenue in Sweetwater but that the income has been increasing while the war has been going on.

It is only another proof that Sweetwater is coming into her own.

The I. T. Club.

Mrs. Will Byrd entertained the members of the I. T. club Thursday afternoon at the her home on Oak street.

Mrs. Lang Aycock's resignation as President was accepted and Former Vice President, Mrs. Stella Johnson was elected to the position.

Mrs. Dr. Hamilton was elected Vice President.

The afternoon was delightfully spent and many delightful stitches were taken.

Guests of the club were Mrs. Will Corbet and Misses Blanchard and Wright.

PRESS REPORTER

Notice Farmers.

After January 30th our gin will operate only three days in the week, Tuesdays Thursdays and Saturdays. Please bear these dates in mind.

THE MUNTGIN COMPANY,
W. T. Rasmussen, Mgr.

Phone us about that old suit and we will fix it good.—Heath Tailoring Company.

INTERNATIONAL COMPLI-CATIONS ARE IMMINENT

3RD VICTIM MARSHALL SHOOTING

Marshal, Tex., Feb. 4.—No hope was held today for the life of John Copeland, a bank cashier here, shot last night in the hotel room of William Black, of Bellaire, Ohio, a lecturer and professional critic of the Catholic church. Black and John Rogers of Marshall were killed in the same shooting. Black claimed to have been a former Catholic priest.

The shooting occurred within two minutes after a committee of Marshall men, Copeland, John Rogers, and George Ryan, called on Black just before six o'clock last night, to request him to stop his lectures here attacking the catholic church. Black on the night before had talked on the effects of the "Confessional Box," and last night was to talk on "Convent Life." With Black was Miss Sadie Black, aged about 1-7 an adopted daughter, and C. F. Hall who registered from St. Paul and traveled as Black's companion.

Bridge Club.

Mrs. Seth Johnson was hostess to the Bridge Club Wednesday afternoon. There were nine members and four guests present.

There were four tables and after the games the hostess served a salad course.

B. Y. P. U.

The B. Y. P. U. will meet Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Baptist church.

Washington, Feb. 4.—General Caranza has called upon the Spanish Minister at Mexico City on threat of deportation to surrender within twenty four hours Angel Del Caso, a Spaniard who claims to be an agent for the Spanish government but whom Caranza charges with being active in the service of General Villa. This information was received today in private telegrams from Mexico City, which state that Del Caso is supposed to be hiding in the Spanish legation.

Turks attack suez canal

GOVERNMENT SHIPPING MEASURE IS ALL BUT LOST

Washington, Feb. 4.—Administration leaders in the senate were frustrated again today in their plan to recommit the government ship purchase bill with instructions for its amendment. Tonight they were considering a proposal to let the bill go to the committee without instructions, with a view to bringing it up again, on a motion to discharge the committee if it should fail to act promptly.

Although no agreement was reached to proceed on this new line of action the fact that the champions of the bill found themselves lacking at least two of a majority with no possibility of changing this situation until next Monday at the earliest led them to ponder over some other solution of the problem.

Big One Day Sale on suits at Bob May's, the old reliable tailor, tomorrow.

Remember Saturday is bargain day at Bob May's Tailor Shop.

If you fail to get one of those suits at Bob May's Tailor Shop Saturday you will miss a real bargain.

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We have an Extra Good Program For Tonight Consisting of

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W. A. PERRY, Editor.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Chief of Police:
E. Q. (JAKE) SIMMONS.
W. R. JOHNSON. (re-election.)
JOHN BRYAN.
City Secretary:
W. H. BARTLETT (re-election.)

**WOMAN SUFFRAGE FOR TEXAS
MAY BE VOTED ON BY TEXANS**

Austin, Feb. 4.—Indications point to the adoption at the present session of the legislature of the point resolution submitting an amendment to the constitution providing for woman suffrage to a vote of the people. The resolution has received a favorable majority report in the house and is to be considered within the next week or ten days. In the meantime, there is a strong delegation of women here, headed by Miss Todd, of California, lobbying for the adoption of the resolution. Representative Burmeister of McMullen county, who is championing the resolutions on the floor of the house, asserts that he has 84 votes pledged for the amendment, which is just ten short of the required two-thirds. There are a number of members, it is believed who will vote to submit the question, who will vote against it at the polls.

A Great Preacher.

Editor Reporter:
Listen, friends, I am going to tell you just here that something out of the ordinary line has happened to us folks at Blackwell, Texas, for Rev. S. J. McKaughan has preached again on the streets of our little village town Saturday, January, 31, 1915. He sure did send out a powerful message to us. And we, too, were sure glad to hear him again. His text was in Psalms 14:1, "The fool hath said in his heart, There is no God." He handled this text to a finish. No man can stand under his powerful speech and gainsay his words. He does prove his points. The skeptics and infidels will shake and tremble under his power. His words burn their way into your soul and stay there.

Your brother to all,
W. E. DOGGETT,
Blackwell, Texas.

Messrs. Berman & Levy have purchased the L. J. Mashburn stock of furnishings and will offer the entire stock to the public at less than manufacturers cost within a few days.

It's A. S. Mauzer, Att'y at Law, Now.

Hon. A. S. Mauzey, received a telegram from El Paso last night advising that he successfully passed the examination for full admittance to the bar, is therefore now a full-fledged attorney at law. Mr. Mauzey recently took the examination before the state board at El Paso and while no one expected him to do otherwise than pass the examinations successfully, the news is gladly received by he and his many friends here.

He has already been offered some attractive legal business and will at once enter into the practice of law. He is well equipped for this, the duties of his profession and the Reporter predicts a successful practice for him from the beginning. At present he has his office with County Attorney, Chas. W. Lewis.

Class '15 Will Entertain.

The graduating class of the High School will entertain in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Robertson this evening. The members of the High School faculty will be their guests.

Globe Trotter Here.

Andrew G. Haight, who is touring the world on a wager for a large sum of money, reached Sweetwater on his journey last night.

According to letters and other documents carried by this man, he left New York August 5, 1912 and is now in his twenty seventh state, having traveled more than 29,000 miles. The provisions of the agreement require that the visit the capitol of every state in the union and the capital of every civilized country in the world within a period of ten years. It is further provided that he must not beg, borrow, steal nor accept contributions, but must make his way by legitimate means. If he violates any of the provisions of the agreement he loses the wager, and must return to his home.

Leaving New York without a cent to pay his way, Haight has made his way this far by delivering lectures on his travels and selling souvenir pins, etc. When he reaches foreign lands he will lecture on his travels and the American flag. He is not required to travel on foot as long as he has money with which to pay his way, but must earn all the money he spends, and before leaving the American shore he must have accumulated sufficient money to pay his way across the pond. "I wish I could visit Europe right now," said the traveler, when talking about his travels. The wager stipulates that he visit all civilized countries. At the present time not many of the countries of Europe could be called civilized, the people engaged, as they are in killing each other.

Mr. Haight carries with him a letter from Governor Colquitt showing that he has visited Austin, and also letters from twenty six other governors or their secretaries. He spent one week at Trenton, N. J. waiting to get the signature of Governor Wilson, now President Wilson, when that distinguished gentleman was Governor of New Jersey, and while he was making the campaign for president. "I think Wilson is one of the greatest presidents this nation has ever had," said Mr. Haight.

This man will appear at the Queen tonight, February 5th, and will give a lecture of his travels.

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No more mail order goods for US.



Mr. & Mrs. Mail-Order:-

Why write for furniture that may turn out a sad disappointment when you see it? Our store is right here with the furniture, pleasing in design, durable and well-made. The furniture that you buy of us will not fall to pieces or cave in after being used a short time.

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The home of the Hoosier Kitchen Cabinet. A small cash payment and \$1.00 per week will pay for any article in our store

Q. T. T. Club.

Mrs. Byrd entertained the Q. E. T. club yesterday afternoon at the close of this pleasant hospitality Mrs. Byrd served a delightful refreshment course

Read it first in the Daily Reporter.

1000 Agents wanted to sell the self heating sad iron. Labor and fuel saver. Pay salary or commission. Agents make \$15.00 to \$20.00 per day. Ladies make good representatives.—IMPERIAL SAD IRON COMPANY, Ft. Worth, Texas, Box 285.



The brilliant wedding ceremony scene, Act 1, of the musical opera "A Modern Eve" Sweetwater Theater, Thursday night February 11.

THE SPECTACLE MARKET IS FLOODED



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SHERIFF YARBROUGH TO

AUSTIN AND SAN ANTONIO

Sheriff Jack Yarbrough has gone to Austin and San Antonio. He took an unfortunate young man to the insane asylum at Austin and had in charge a young man charged with desertion from the army whom he will deliver to the proper authorities at San Antonio. Officers picked up the deserter here several days ago. He is charged with deserting the army on the Mexican border.

M. L. Nix Buys Auto.

M. L. Nix, the genial proprietor of the Sweetwater Produce Company made a deal today in which he became the owner of a handsome Ford car. The deal was made with James Bright, of Eskota. Mr. Nix will use the car as a service car and wants the public to remember that his telephone number is 613.

First Baptist Church.

Program for Sunday, February 7th, 1915.

Sunday School at 9:45, a. m., W. H. Jobe Superintendent.

Beginning promptly at 11 a. m.

Sing 326 by choir.

Prayer by A. D. Tillis.

Song 298 by congregation.

Prayer by Judge Daniel.

Scripture reading by Pastor.

Offertory.

Prayer by Pastor.

Solo by Miss Shick.

Sermon by the Pastor. Theme: 'The Knowledge of Christ.'

Invocation.

Benediction.

B. Y. P. Jr. at 3 p. m.—Mrs. Bryant, Teacher.

Sunbeams at 4 p. m.—Mrs. Snow, Teacher.

Beginning at 7:30 p. m.:

Song 24 by choir.

Prayer by Judge R. C. Crane.

Song 197 by congregation.

Prayer by W. H. Jobe.

Scripture reading by the Pastor.

Offertory.

Prayer by Pastor.

Sermon by Pastor. Theme: 'Man's Inability to Direct His Steps.'

Invocation.

Invitation.

Benediction.

Card of Thanks.

We take this method of thanking our friends and neighbors for their kindness to us and our dear little boy during his illness and death. We assure you that your kindness is appreciated by us more than words can express. May God's richest blessings be yours.

MR. and MRS. B. C. DULAN.

Self-Culture Club.

The Self-Culture club held a most interesting meeting with Mrs. W. K. Beall Thursday afternoon. The meeting was opened by the President, Mrs. A. A. Chapman.

In the absence of Secretary, Mrs. F. G. Robertson, Mrs. Shugart was appointed Secretary pro tem.

Mrs. W. W. Beall led the discussion and questions on Physical development.

Miss Imogene Neely was a guest of the club and very interestingly talked of her work and visit to A. & M. College.

Mrs. Reynolds added much pleasure to the meeting with a vocal number.

A refreshment course concluded the social hour.

The club will hold its next meeting with Mrs. F. G. Robertson, 1101 Walnut street, Orient addition.

Box Supper a Success.

The box supper conducted by the ladies of the Second Baptist church at the church last night proved to be an interesting event. A large number of boxes were prepared by the ladies and all found a ready sale. \$8.00 in cash was raised and will be applied to the church building fund.

Read it first in the Daily Reporter

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H. S. Record, Vice Pres.

Geo. W. Willis, Asst. Cashier

D. R. Couch, Vice Pres.

Paul M. Bertram, Asst. Cas.

Priscilla Club.

Mrs. W. H. Jobe was hostess to the Priscilla club at its last meeting. A full attendance of membership added interest to the meeting.

This resourceful hostess always proves herself an adept at giving her friends pleasure.

Refreshments were served at the conclusion of the afternoon.

Miss Allie Bond will be hostess to the Saturday club Saturday afternoon.

With Mrs. J. D. Dulaney.

Mrs. J. D. Dulaney charmingly entertained about twenty of her friends yesterday afternoon.

The diversion for this delightful hospitality was an old time quilting.

The afternoon's pleasure was concluded with a refreshment course.

Wants Sewing.

Want plain sewing to do at home.—MISS BELLE McCOMMON, 206 S. E. Second street.

Tree planting time is here and many of our people are placing out shade ornamental and fruit trees about their premises. In view of the splendid prospects of a splendid water supply, it appears to the Reporter that many the usand trees should be set out this season here.

The Abilene Reporter and the Colorado Record have already lined themselves up for a division of Texas. The former splendid publication has urged the proposition for several years. The writer might decide later on that such a plan would be the best policy, but at present we are strongly of the opinion that the division idea is not worthy of serious consideration. West Texas is rapidly coming to her own and we verily believe that ere long her rights will be completely recognized without any such radical steps. Sentiment or no sentiment, we are for keeping Texas intact.

The Nolan County Abstract Company has moved its complete set of abstracts of Nolan county to a ground floor location in the Aycock Building, No. 111 W. N. 2nd street, formerly American Express office. 151-9tc

Marriage License.

Marriage license were issued yesterday by County Clerk E. E. Roy to Mr. R. G. Franklin and Miss T. Lee.

The little child of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wilkerson which has been dangerously ill for some time is reported to be improving.

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Mrs. Sadowski
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Thursday, February 4th

Come and see the newest and latest styles and bring your pattern and dressmaking needs. You will be welcomed.

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New Spring Styles in Summer Hats



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Citation by Publication.

The State of Texas.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Nolan County—Greeting.

You are hereby commanded to summon M. C. Parker, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the Thirty-Second Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said Thirty-Second Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Nolan county, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in the city of Sweetwater, on the third Monday in March, A. D. 1915, the same being the 15th day of March, A. D. 1915, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 11th day of February, A. D. 1915, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1349, wherein O. L. Wilkerson is Plaintiff and M. C. Parker is the Defendant, and said petition alleging that the residence of the defendant, M. C. Parker, is to plaintiff unknown; that heretofore, to wit, on or about the 23rd day of February, A. D., 1910, the defendant, M. C. Parker, purchased from J. L. Preston, certain real estate situate in Nolan County, Texas, and described as being all of Lot No. eighteen (18) in block No. forty-seven (47) of the Hughes Addition to the town of Sweetwater, and that as a part payment for said lot, the said M. C. Parker, executed and delivered to the said J. L. Preston his certain thirteen (13) promissory notes, payable to the order of the said J. L. Preston at Sweetwater, Texas, the vendor's lien being retained on said notes upon the aforesaid land and premises to secure the payments of said notes; that the last six of said notes (being Nos. 8 to 13, inclusive,) were purchased by the plaintiff from J. L. Preston for a valuable consideration and in due course of trade, and are now the property of plaintiff; that said six notes in this cause sued on were executed by the said M. C. Parker on February 23rd, 1910, the first five of said notes being for the principal sum of ten dollars (\$10.00) each, and the last one of said six notes being for the principal sum of twelve dollars (\$12.00), and all of said notes bearing interest from date until paid at the rate of ten per cent (10 per cent.) per annum, said notes also providing that ten per cent should be added to the principal and accrued interest and collected, as attorney's fees in case of suit, the first one of said notes being due October 23rd, 1910, and one becoming due on the 23rd day of each month thereafter, so that the last one of said six notes was due and payable on March 23rd, 1911; that by the execution and delivery of said notes, the said defendant, M. C. Parker, promised and became liable and obligated to pay the legal holder thereof the full amount stipulated in said notes * * * principal interest and attorney's fees; That although said notes are long past due, and though frequent demands have been made for the payment thereof, the said six notes herein sued on, and each and all of them, are now due and unpaid, and suit has been instituted thereon after the said notes have been placed in the hands of an attorney for collection by plaintiff; wherefore, the attorney's fees, as well as the principal and interest of each and all of said notes, is due;

Plaintiff prays for judgment against said defendant for the principal sum of Sixty-two (\$62.00) dollars, and ten per cent interest thereon, as provided for in said notes, for attorney's fees, for a foreclosure of the vendor's lien retained in said notes upon said land and premises, for his costs, and for such other relief, both general and special, in law or equity, to which plaintiff may show himself justly entitled.



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Every Piano must be sold at once. You cannot recall any time in History that such Sensational Prices have been offered. It is a case where every Piano must be sold. We cannot allow these instruments to remain on our floor. We must Sell them. We want to impress the fact indelibly in your mind that these pianos are NEW. We have No second hand Pianos in stock. You may look the Country over, you may go through the largest music stores in the great metropolitan cities, and you cannot purchase a Piano equal in quality, tone, finish and reputation within \$150 of the prices that we are quoting during this Sale.

Make us an Offer, if it is within the bounds of Human intelligence we will accept it. Easy terms. Your Credit is Good.

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Herin fail not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Sweetwater, Nolan County, Texas, this 4th day of February, A. D., 1915.

DAN CHILDRESS, Clerk,
District Court, Nolan County.

Notice.

For brick and cement work, leave orders at Reavis & Darr's shop.

CURTIS DUGAN.

J. McAllister Stevenson, Jr., Patent Attorney, removed to 111 West N. 2nd street. 151-9tc

Wanted.

Two furnished rooms for light house-keeping, by maa, wife and child. Can furnish references. Apply at this office.

Four unfurnished rooms to rent on East Second, paved street, close in. See Mrs. L. E. White or call at Reporter office.

Wanted.

I want to buy a good gentle Jersey cow.—DR. NEWT LONG. 151-3t

YOUNG MEN HERE ON EIGHTEEN HUNDRED MILE HIKE TO COAST

Roy Farmer and E. Reynolds of Fort Worth arrived in the city last night. They are hiking across the continent from Fort Worth to San Francisco, Cal. They were callers at the Reporter office this morning and stated that they were engaged in a contest with an Italian, Winhurst, by name that the foreigner was giving them a lively chase thus far.

They left Fort Worth at noon, January 23rd, and expect to make the trip in ninety-six days. The distance is 1,800 miles. They expect to go the upper Santa Fe route, via Clovis, N. M., while the Italian will follow the lower route. The young men stated that the world's record for such a hike is now held by an Italian and they are determined to wrest it from him and place the honor where it rightfully belongs—in the American camps.

Both young men appeared enthusiastic over the trip and are eager to win. We hope they will win out in their contest, but could not help feeling that they should be in some good high school preparing for the real battles of life than be engaged in such "wild goose chases."

\$16.50 gets the nicest suit or overcoat in town at Bob May's new Tailor Shop tomorrow.

Central Presbyterian.

Sunday School at 9:45. Special program in observing "Vocation Day."

Public worship at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. with sermons appropriate to the day.

Morning subject: "The Choice of Life's Work."

Evening subject "The day of Opportunity."

Prayer service Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

All are cordially invited to any and all of our services and will be heartily welcomed at "The home-like church."

GEO. W. BECK, Pastor.

Miss Imogene Neely of Roscoe is guest of Miss Forrest Bradford in the city today. She recently returned from A. & M. College where she did special work in connection with her work as superintendent of the Girls' Canning Clubs.

\$10,000.00 worth of clean merchandise soon to be thrown on the market at what they will bring. Watch for this big sale.

Wanted, to Rent.

Want to rent two rooms for light-house-keeping in well located home in Sweetwater, Texas. Have wife, and one child three years old. Address P. O. Box 68, Hamlin, Texas.

Sells Seven Fords in Two Weeks.

The Aadms Auto & Machinery Company report the sale of four Ford cars last week and three this week. Manager R. M. Adams says that his greatest trouble lies in keeping cars in stock. However, he will soon receive another carload for his trade here.

Representative Wanted.

Representative wanted in your community. Fast selling household necessity. Make \$40.00 to \$70.00 weekly. Large premiums assure sales in every home. Write today. Texas Mail Order Supply Company, Div. A. Dallas, Tex.

Rev. W. E. Caperton of Blackwell is in the city on business. He has assumed active management of the Blackwell Bulletin and is well pleased with the way his business is starting out.

Shoe Repair Work.

I am prepared to do your shoe repair work at a reasonable price. Give me a trial.—W. T. MILLER, at the white wagon on Northwest 2nd street.

Tailored to measure, made to fit you suit or overcoat at Bob May's Tailor Shop Saturday.

Miss Willie Hightower is reported dangerously ill at the family home in the Western part of the city.

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