

M. FALLIERES ELECTED PRESIDENT OF FRANCE

Receives 446 Votes From the General Assembly

WERE FOUR ASPIRANTS

Real Contest Was Between Senator and Gen. Doumer, Member of Deputies

By Associated Press.
PARIS, Jan. 17.—Clement Armand Fallieres has been elected president of France's republic by the national assembly. The vote was 446 for Fallieres, 371 for General Doumer, his closest opponent. Fallieres was a short time ago chosen president of the republic by an overwhelming vote. His term is for six years. He will succeed Emile Loubet, retiring president, on Feb. 18.

PARIS, Jan. 17.—The national assembly met at 1 o'clock this afternoon in congress hall in the royal palace at Versailles for the election of a president of the republic. The assembly consists nominally of 591 deputies and 130 senators, but owing to the death, illness and passage of some of the deputies to the senate, leaving their seats vacant, the number present is decreased to about 360, making 430 votes necessary to elect a new president.

Greatest interest is being manifested in the proceedings, which, however, were very prolonged.

Members of the assembly voted in alphabetical order. Those waiting their turn discussed excitedly the prospects of their favorites.

Although several candidates are mentioned for the presidency to succeed M. Loubet, including M. Fallieres, minister of justice, and M. Leon, bourgeois and former premier, the real contest is between M. Fallieres and M. Doumer.

M. Fallieres has the general support of advanced socialist and radical groups constituting the famous party which sustained Combes as minister.

ROBBERY AT NOON

Chicago Jewelry Window Smashed in Broad Daylight

Special to The Telegram.
CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—One of the boldest robberies which have taken place even in Chicago, where murderers and thieves have been holding high carnival, was committed yesterday, when two thieves shattered the window of LeBot's jewelry store, in the Palmer House block, grabbed \$1,500 worth of jewelry and made their escape before any detective of sufficient sense to catch and hold them.

STEAMER HELD

Canadian Pacific Liner Had Smuggled Cigar Aboard

By Associated Press.
ST. JOHN, N. B., Jan. 17.—The Canadian Pacific steamer Lake Michigan was seized by the customs department here yesterday because one of her crew was detected in the act of bringing ashore 2,000 Spanish cigars on which no duty had been paid. Collector of Customs Dunn demands from the ship a deposit of \$400 to obtain its release. The customs authorities hint of other smuggling operations.

FRESH AFFRONT OFFERED FRANCE

Venezuelan Officials Prohibit Taigny From Re-entering

Special to The Telegram.
CARACAS, Venezuela, Monday, via Port of Spain, Island of Trinidad, Jan. 17.—Another complication in the already severely strained relations between France and Venezuela occurred yesterday, when M. Taigny, former French consul at Caracas, who had gone on board the French liner Martinique at La Guayra yesterday without the legal consent of the Venezuelan authorities, was prohibited from again landing in Venezuela and was forced to go on to Colon. He may not be allowed to enter Venezuela again.

What effect this will have on the policy of France remains to be seen. The action of the authorities is deeply resented by French residents.

ALCOHOL BARRED

U. S. Officers Serve Notice to Soda Fountains in New York

By Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Every candy store and cream parlor in the city in which there is a soda water fountain, was served yesterday with a notice from the United States internal revenue collector that soda fountain proprietors are not privileged to sell drinks containing alcohol unless they obtain, like the drug stores, licenses to sell liquor.

PACKERS BEG ANOTHER DELAY

After Six Months' Delay, Beef Trust Cases Are Postponed

Special to The Telegram.
CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—After six months of delay in the hearing of the beef trust cases, the question as to whether Commissioner Garfield violated the constitutional right of the packers in forcing them to produce records for the examination of his departments were returned, was taken up today before Judge Humphrey.

Illness of Attorney
CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—The trial of the beef trust cases, which was to have commenced today in the federal court before Judge Humphrey, has been postponed until Thursday because of the illness of one of the attorneys for packers.

CONVICT JUMPS OFF TRAIN AND ESCAPES

Convicted Robber Leaps From Texas and Pacific Train at Aledo, Texas

Special to The Telegram.
ALEDO, Texas, Jan. 17.—A convicted robber, on his way to the state prison at Rusk, in charge of H. H. Henderson, a Texas Ranger, gave his captor the slip and escaped from the train about two miles to westward of this place.

The convict was J. A. Delvie, who had been tried and sentenced in Pecos to five years in the penitentiary for stealing. Henderson is stationed at Odessa, in Ector county, and was commissioned to convey him to the prison. He was handcuffed to a seat directly in front of Henderson and a friend.

Delvie remained quiet all during the day, but succeeded in working his wrist free of the handcuff without the notice of the Ranger. After darkness had fallen and while the Ranger and his friend were occupied in gazing at the scenery, Delvie sprang from his seat and made a sudden dash for liberty. Henderson sprang after him, but the prisoner dashed the door in the Ranger's face and sprang from the car into the darkness.

Pursuit was made, but without success.

INTEREST NOW IN CHAMBERLAIN

English Election Attention on West Birmingham

By Associated Press.
LONDON, Jan. 17.—The pollings today are the most important of the present elections. They affect ninety-two seats.

Attention naturally centers upon Joseph Chamberlain's contest in West Birmingham, but among the interesting candidates, who today are defending their seats are Sidney Buxton, postmaster general in the popular division of Tower Hamlets; William St. John Broderick, former secretary of state for India in Guilford division of Surrey; Sir Samuel Evans, liberal in the middle division of Glamorganshire, and Sir William Evans Gordon, conservative in Stepney division of Tower Hamlets.

The present indications are that former Premier Balfour will not seek another seat in parliament until after the elections, when one of the newly elected members will probably retire in his favor so as to allow Mr. Balfour to try to enter the house by means of the election.

BOSTON MAN DEAD

Heart Failure Cause of Passing of W. W. Starling at Dallas

Special to The Telegram.
DALLAS, Texas, Jan. 17.—W. W. Starling, who says he is a true fellow man, was this morning arrested by Detectives Cornwall and Dunning of the police department and held for the arrival of J. S. Thompson, sheriff of Caddo county, Oklahoma. The charge is theft.

MAN DROPS DEAD

Taking a Walk With a Friend—End Came Suddenly

Special to The Telegram.
BONHAM, Tex., Jan. 17.—Paul Wilkerson of Ector died very suddenly here. He and a friend were walking in the east part of the city when Wilkerson suddenly fell forward on his face. He died while being removed to a near-by house.

Dead from Wounds

Special to The Telegram.
CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—Patrick Clyde died today from wounds received while he was defending Miss Frances Dewey, a visitor at his home, from the attack of three men. Otto Regal has been arrested in connection with the case.

JUST THE SAME



BUILDERS WILL SEEK ADVANCE

Carpenters and Bricklayers to Ask Higher Wages

NEW CODE PRESENTED

Scale of 75 Cents and 45 Cents an Hour to Be Asked by the Men

An increase of wages in the building trades will be asked in this city, indications pointing to a general advance with the rush of spring work.

Bricklayers will ask for an advance of 5 cents an hour, bringing their wages to 75 cents, a figure already being paid by some contractors, and the carpenters, it is said, will follow with a request for an advance from 27 1/2 cents to 45 cents an hour.

At the office of a prominent contractor it was stated this morning the new code had already been presented by the bricklayers. So far as can be learned definite action has not yet been taken by the carpenters.

A new working code, it is said, will soon be presented to all the master builders by the local union of bricklayers, asking for the increased scale of wages.

A committee has been appointed by the bricklayers to act officially for the union in the matter of informing the master builders.

Officers of the local union say no trouble is anticipated because for some time contractors have been paying 75 cents per hour, while the union scale calls for but 70 cents. This new scale will increase the wages of about 100 men a day. It is thought that the code will become effective about April 1.

The bricklayers of Dallas submitted a similar code Jan. 1 to take effect April 1. They, too, expect no trouble in securing the increase.

Carpenters to Ask More

The carpenters and joiners, it was declared Wednesday by a member, will soon give the contractors ninety days' notice of a new wage scale asked to become effective May 1. This new scale asked will be 45 cents an hour instead of 37 1/2 cents, the present wage. There are about 300 men who will draw increased wages if this request is granted.

Contractors this morning reported no notice of this request.

RUSSIAN CAPITAL TO DECLARE SIEGE

Anniversary of Red Sunday Expected to Cause Grave Trouble With Soldiers

Special to The Telegram.
ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 17.—A state of siege is to be declared here Sunday in anticipation of trouble then and Monday, the anniversary of Red Sunday.

Newspapers say that the attitude of the soldiers in the Manchurian army is becoming more threatening. Grave consequences are feared, the result being that the soldiers are resisting the officers' authority.

The foreign office has advice of Chinese activity in Mongolia, endangering Russian influence there. A heavy detachment of troops will be located along the Mongolian frontier.

CAT TURNS ON GAS; FAMILY NEARLY DIES

Special to The Telegram.
NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—A playful cat turned on the gas in the house of Joseph Steinhilf, at 67 Eighth avenue. As a result the whole family were taken to the Roosevelt Hospital, and by heroic treatment were saved from death by asphyxiation.

The cat was playing with a string, which one of the children had tied around the arm of the screw which turns off the gas. In some way she exerted sufficient force to turn the gas on full flow. This was at night. They were all discovered in the nick of time.

ANNIVERSARY OF BENJAMIN FRANKLIN

Special to The Telegram.
BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 17.—The state of Massachusetts and the city of Boston united today in celebrating the 200th anniversary of the birth of Benjamin Franklin, one of the founders of the republic and the greatest scholar of his day. Public exercises are being held in the Symphony hall, which is crowded to the doors. The program includes singing of historical and patriotic selections by a chorus of pupils from the Boston public schools and addresses by prominent men.

"SAVE OLD IRONSIDES"

Petition Taken to Washington is 170 Feet Long

By Associated Press.
BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 17.—Eric Pape, the artist, left Boston yesterday for Washington with the "Constitution" petition, which he expects to present to congress either today or tomorrow. While in Washington Mr. Pape will try to secure the signatures to the petition of many men prominent in all walks of life, who have expressed themselves as favorable to the movement to save "Old Ironsides."

The petition is an immense affair and requires four men to carry it. It is estimated over 2,000 persons have signed it. It is about one and one-half yards wide and 170 feet in length.

WILL MOROCCAN COUNCIL AGREE?

Delegates Having Easy Time of Leisure So Far

By Associated Press.
ALGERIERS, Spain, Jan. 17.—Delegates to the Moroccan conference today took a day of leisure in order to enable the secretaries to get ready for their work and indulged in private conversations among themselves, or spent the time preparing with their junior colleagues for discussion of the surveillance of contraband arms in Morocco, the first question to be discussed at the next meeting.

Ambassador White visited Gibraltar after he and Minister Gummere had gone over the present situation in Morocco regarding the illicit trade in arms.

When the conference shall agree on the regulations for the punishment of foreigners engaging in the smuggling of arms into Morocco, most countries, including the United States, will have to legislate on the subject as only Great Britain and Spain can, by orders in council, penalize their subjects abroad. While the talk among the ambassadors is all of conciliation and harmony, Mohamed El Torres, the Moroccan foreign minister and head of the mission of Morocco, and Mokri, the sultan's principal agent, do not believe the conference will agree.

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NAME BEFORE THE SENATE

Official Notification of Appointment Received

MRS. BARKLEY GETS WIRE
Telegrams Forecast Proved Correct—Sketch of New Postmaster

Official notification of the appointment of Lon Barkley as postmaster of Fort Worth has been received by Mrs. Barkley.

A telegram sent from Washington, D. C., Tuesday night to her by Mr. Barkley said:

"Appointed today. Will be confirmed Friday or Tuesday."

Mr. Barkley, who will succeed George W. Hurloughs as postmaster, is well known throughout the state, especially among cattlemen. He has been a republican for many years, taking an active part in politics in this part of the state. For a time he was county chairman of the organization.

First report that he would be a candidate for postmaster appeared in a forecast of The Telegram, printed several months ago. At that time a number of other names were also under consideration. The action of Mr. Barkley in moving from Birdville to this city was taken as a significant step by those interested in republican affairs. He has been living in the city about eighteen months.

Mr. Barkley has been a successful business man, and though somewhat reserved, has a host of warm supporters. He was a leader in the lily white movement, which has placed the republican organization in the state in the hands of the business men who believe in republican doctrines. He has been a close friend of Cecil Lyon, by whom the appointment is supposed to have been advised.

Cortelyou's Statement
Special to The Telegram.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 17.—Postmaster General Cortelyou today said that Lon Barkley would be appointed postmaster at Fort Worth, vice instead of the present incumbent. He thought the nomination would be sent to the senate either today or tomorrow.

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Big Springs Beginning to Become Live Farming Center of That Section

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It is a some-seeking rather than a fortune-hunting class of citizens who in Howard county is thus acquiring and the result is a feeling of solid prosperity hardly to be looked for in a young and rapidly growing country, where enthusiasm is apt to lend itself to the influences of a rejuvenating western atmosphere at an altitude of 2,600 feet.

And the natural question, after hearing from business men, railroad officials and every other class of the steady westward moving flow of immigration is, "What is bringing them?"

The opportunity of selling their farms further to the east at good prices gives a partial explanation. In the case of the settlers from the Abilene country, but there is more in Howard county than one who had only seen its cedar-covered foothills while passing through on a railroad might have expected.

Not a "Get-Rich-Quick" Plan.
There are no riches of young men strolling on farms with \$200 capital and closing the season with \$10,000 in the bank, but there are plenty of actual instances in which good lives have been gotten from the soil, and that in a country where the average rainfall has heretofore been around the 25-inch mark.

For three consecutive years the rain—
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RABBIS ON STRIKE

Students in Jewish Seminary Have Four Grievances

By Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—There was a strike yesterday in the Rabbinical Seminary. The seminary has 100 students between the ages of 17 and 24 years, studying to become rabbis. They declare that they will not resume their studies unless the following demands are conceded:

First—To have English taught.

Second—To be allowed to know more about affairs outside their religious routine.

Third—To study the Bible in addition to the Talmud.

Fourth—To have modern methods and spirit injected into the school.

The principal is Rabbi Nahum Dahn of Slutsk, Russia.

COTTON PLANTERS ARE DESPERATE

Half Crop Offered Pickers in the Panhandle

Special to The Telegram.
AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 17.—Cotton planters in the Panhandle are in a state of desperation over the impossibility of obtaining labor to pick their crops.

Half a crop has been offered to pickers, but even with this unprecedented inducement it is impossible to secure laborers.

A great part of an exceptionally good crop will be lost in Wilbarger and the neighboring counties in this way, according to Colonel John W. Robbins, state treasurer, who has just returned from his home at Vernon in the Panhandle.

Prejudice against the negroes has caused them to emigrate from that section of the state. In some counties there are practically no negroes at all because of the great number of lynchings which have taken place there.

Immigrants are pouring into these counties, but they cannot be persuaded to work in the cotton fields.

FOUR SUICIDES FOR SAME PRETTY FACE

Micrysalau Keigsky Was Name of Last Youth to Kill Himself for Iza

Special to The Telegram.
NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—"Marry you? Not with that name!"

When the cruel words Iza Frumof, belle of the East Side, dashed the hopes of Micrysalau Keigsky, a young Austrian blacksmith, who had laid his heart and hand at her feet.

Keigsky, in the agonies of despair, went back to his home, purchased a pint of wood alcohol and a small vial of carbolic acid, shut himself into his room, wrote a letter of farewell to Iza and shot himself through the heart.

He is the fourth man who has killed himself because he was rejected by the beautiful Iza. Marcus Freinhold was his immediate predecessor. Freinhold jumped off the Brooklyn bridge. The other two self-slayers both chose the razor route and slashed themselves from ear to ear.

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Story of a Busy Life
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With Mr. Field at his death, in addition to his wife, were Mrs. Marshall Field, Jr., Stanley Field, a nephew and son of Joseph N. Field of Manchester, England, and Mrs. Stanley Field.

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Fort Worth's Largest Department Store

W. G. Stripling THE PRICE IS THE THING

Only Three More Days of the Big Sale

INCREASING INTEREST IS BRINGING CROWDS.

The great sale, with its added bargains, and the news that is carried away by the shoppers of the surprising bargains offered, are bringing new crowds that had not seen our announcements. Three more days only. Glance at these prices—they need no argument.

- \$1.00 Black Taffeta Silk, yard wide 69¢
700 yards of Fancy Colored Shirt Waist and Suiting Silks in dots, stripes and solid colors, at 49¢
Dress Goods in short lengths, any one of them long enough for a full suit; goods that sold for 50c and 57c, at 33¢
27-inch Tricot, suitable for school dresses, all wool, dark greens, reds and blacks, that sold at 25c and 35c, at 19¢
52-inch Mohair in blue; a special today, sold at 75c; to be placed on sale at 48¢
27-inch Taffeta in fancy colors, pin stripes and checks; our regular \$1.00 Silk, at 69¢
500 yards of new Silk, in exquisite patterns and colorings, bought to sell for 50c, at 39¢
1500 yards 8 1-3c Ginghams at 5¢
10-yard limit to customer.

- 15c Outings in fancy patterns and good colors, at 10¢
10c Outings in fancy patterns and good colors, at 7 1/2¢
10c Flannelettes, light and dark patterns, 7 1/2¢
8 1-3c Flannelettes, light and dark patterns, 4 1/2¢
Cotton Goods Remnants at Half Price
Hosiery Bargains—10c and 12 1-2c Hose at 7 1/2¢
Regular 15c Hose, 2 pairs for 15¢
Children's 5c Hose, 2 pairs 15¢
Children's 25c Wool Hose at 15¢
35c and 50c Fancy Lisle Hose for ladies, at 25¢
75c Fancy Lisle silk embroidered Hose at 50¢
Men's 10c black or tan Hose at 5¢
3 Walking Skirts that sold at \$3.00, at \$1.50
Table Linens that sold at \$1.15, at 75¢
Wool Dress Goods Remnants at Half Price
50c Corsets at 25¢

NEW ARRIVALS THAT ARE INTERESTING
New Pastel Silks in their delicate, soft shades will be on display, in shadow effects and Jacquard designs, at \$1.00
New Batiste in wool; new shades of blue, green, old rose; 38 inches wide, at 50¢
Bonnet (Bonay) French Taffeta Silks, just received; the best French silks known for skirts; guaranteed to wear; per yard \$1.00

HEROIC RESCUE HAS FATAL END Runaway Proves Fiber of a Man's Nerve at Taylor

Special to The Telegram. TAYLOR, Texas, Jan. 17.—Jimmy Hussy, the one-armed flagman of the International and Great Northern Railroad Company at the foot of Main street here, became a hero yesterday afternoon, when, at the risk of his own life, he sprang the head of a runaway horse which was dashing down the streets hitched to a buggy. In the vehicle was Mrs. Jacob Spreiger, who had been out driving, when the horse became frightened and ran away. Hussy caught the bridle just as the horse was galloping across the railroad. He was carried along several yards and struck a telephone pole, his skull being crushed. Mrs. Spreiger was thrown from the buggy by the force of the collision and landed in a ditch. She was taken to the hospital, suffering from a fractured skull and a broken leg. She is in a serious condition.

CHARTERS FILED

Special to The Telegram. AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 17.—Charters of the following corporations were filed yesterday in the state department by Secretary of State Shannon: Houston Builders' Supply Company of Houston, capital stock \$10,000. Purpose, to deal in builders' supplies. The incorporators are S. B. Cowell, E. L. Mills and J. W. Carey. The Coffield Hardware Company of Rockdale filed an amendment to its charter increasing its capital stock.

AN EVERY-DAY STRUGGLE

Men and women of every occupation overtax the kidneys and suffer daily miseries when the kidneys begin to fail. Any work that is a constant strain on the back is bound to hurt the kidneys. The lifting, digging and planting of farm work, the constant bending over a desk or sitting at a sewing machine, working for hours on jarring, jolting wagons or railroad trains; the stooped positions and the reaching, pulling and heavy lifting of a hundred different trades—all these are hard on the back and must wear, weaken and injure the kidneys, because the kidneys are in the very part of the back that feels the strain. When the kidneys are sick, every exertion sends a sharp, stinging pain through the back or loins, and you are weary and tired all the time. Many tasks, like housework, that do not require great physical strength, are very trying on the back and kidneys. That is why backache is so common. That is why so many women are unnaturally weak and tired and sleepless.



DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS Sold by all dealers. Price 50 cents. FOSTER-MILBURN CO., Buffalo, N. Y., Proprietors.

LITTLE HELEN WALTON

Restored to Health by Vinol Her Mother's Story Mrs. R. Walton of Hornesville, N. Y., says: "Our little daughter was troubled with a bad cough which nothing seemed to relieve. We tried different doctors and medicines without benefit. The cod liver oil preparation, Vinol, was recommended, and before she had taken one bottle her cough had stopped, and her condition greatly improved. She now has a splendid appetite and is gaining in flesh. I advise every mother who has an ailing child to try Vinol. Nothing equals it, and it tastes so good there is no trouble in getting children to take it."



Our well known druggist, Mr. R. A. Anderson, says Vinol is a grand medicine for children; it produces bone, muscle and rich, pure blood. It is not a medicine as everything in it is named on the back label of every bottle; so parents know exactly what they are giving their children; it contains in a highly concentrated form all the curative, medicinal principles of cod liver oil, but without the nasty odor and low taste. It soon makes puny ones strong and rosy. We just wish every mother in Fort Worth who has ailing child, or ailing child would try Vinol on our guarantee. R. A. Anderson, Druggist.

from \$10.00 to \$20.00. The Thorndale Mercantile Company of Thorndale filed an amendment to its charter increasing its capital stock from \$20,000 to \$25,000.

San Marcos Bonds The attorney general's department yesterday afternoon approved three issues of city of San Marcos, Hays county, bonds. These bonds bear 5 per cent interest and are payable forty years after date with an option of five years.

JUDGE J. W. HILL WILL NOT RUN AGAIN

State Senator From Tom Green County Retires From Race to Succeed Himself Special to The Telegram. AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 17.—Judge J. W. Hill of San Angelo, who has served in Tom Green county in the Twenty-fifth senatorial district, arrived here yesterday afternoon to announce his withdrawal from the race for re-election to the senate, his term expiring this year. He declared that Representative Hudspeth, who was a member of the last three legislatures, had no opposition. The Twenty-fifth senatorial district is composed of twenty-four counties in West Texas.

BRIDEGROOM AT 75 DIES IN BED

In Third Week of Second Honey-moon A. Llewellyn Dies Special to The Telegram. TEMPLE, Texas, Jan. 17.—A bridegroom at 75, Andrew Llewellyn was found dead in his bed after three weeks of his second honeymoon by his new-made wife, yesterday morning. Llewellyn was one of the richest farmers in Bell county and lived at Troy, six miles northeast of Temple. Nine children by his first wife and the bride-widow survive him. The first Mrs. Llewellyn died several years ago.

Llewellyn was walking the streets of Temple on Saturday, and appeared to be in excellent health. He had made no complaints of feeling ill when he retired the night before, and according to his wife he showed all the indications of splendid vitality. Apparently the old man quietly laid down to the sleep which knows no awakening.

Immigrants Coming The Missouri, Kansas and Texas of the Southwest Route, as it is now termed, will bring a train load of immigrants to Texas Wednesday night. There were two coaches full on the day train, but the main party will be on the second section of the Southwest Flyer, due here Wednesday night.

Founded Museum With a gift of \$1,000,000 Field founded the Field Columbian Museum of Chicago, for the preservation of the rarest specimens in the ethnological and natural history exhibits at the World's Fair.

Field was born in the modest farm house of John and Fidelia Nash Field at Conway, Mass. He spent his boyhood helping his father on the farm. His early education was obtained in public schools and later he attended an academy. In 1852 he went to Pittsfield, Mass., where he was employed as a dry goods clerk. Four years later he moved to Chicago, Cooley, Wadsworth & Co., a pioneer firm, employed the young Easterner, who rendered such valuable service that he was admitted to partnership shortly afterward.

The firm name was changed to Farwell, Farwell & Co., and later to Farwell, Field & Co. The latter partnership was dissolved in 1865 and the firm of Field, Palmer, Leiter & Co. was formed. Two years later Potter Palmer retired.

When the business of Field, Leiter & Co. assumed proportions of \$12,000,000 a year, Leiter retired. Field then assumed the management. The business grew until its annual transactions now amount to \$40,000,000. By the Chicago fire the firm of Field, Leiter & Co. lost \$3,500,000 and the largest store in America. Almost before the ground cooled the firm re-erected its buildings that were the largest of their kind in the world.

Field was of Puritan stock, his American ancestors having come to this country in 1630. Field and his family lived in a palace at 1905 Prairie avenue, Chicago.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. W. D. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

A proper use of the Lister ads. will shorten your "Daily Program of Troubles."

ALPINE HAD TEN INCHES OF SNOW

Drifts Were Four Feet Deep in Some Places Special to The Telegram. ALPINE, Texas, Jan. 17.—Alpine has just experienced the heaviest snowfall that has ever occurred here. The ground was covered to the depth of ten inches, while the drifts were from two to four feet deep. No loss has been reported among stock, as the weather moderated and at no time was there any severe cold. This means fine grass for spring, as well as plenty of water in tanks and water holes.

Twelve families arrived this week from Mangum, Okla., bringing with them several carloads of household goods and farming implements, as well as fine teams, carriages, etc. They have not been awarded land and say they are prepared to prove that this part of West Texas can be made a farming country the same as Kansas Oklahoma. The section is good, substantial citizens and they are well-versed to Alpine by all classes except the big game hunters. The section has been awarded land in.

It has been proven that any kind of fruit (except tropical, of course), vegetable and grain can be raised in the (nature in Brewster county, and the arrival of the experienced farmers means much to Alpine and will help to develop this place.

Joe Irving shipped two cars of cows, one of calves and two of steers, which he sold to the Houston Packing Company.

W. J. McIntyre bought of R. L. Nevel three carloads of calves and shipped one car of New Orleans and the other to Fort Worth.

Oliver Billingsley bought of R. L. Nevel three cars of cows and shipped them to El Paso.

Jackson & Harmon shipped a car of steers and a car of cows to the Houston Packing Company.

Oliver Billingsley bought a car of cows from Jackson & Harmon and shipped them to El Paso markets.

J. F. Billingsley of Matthews has returned to Calceico, Cal.

INTERFERENCE ALLEGED

Theater Cases to Be Carried to Higher Court Frank Debeque applied to Judge M. E. Smith of the Seventeenth court Tuesday for a writ of habeas corpus, alleging that he was illegally restrained of his liberty by James H. Maddox, chief of police of Fort Worth.

The Penelope and Judith Shakespeare Clubs held regular meetings Tuesday afternoon.

The Ladies' Auxiliary to A. O. H. announce a dance at Imperial hall Tuesday, Jan. 22. Tickets 50c.

Fancy Elgin Creamery Butter, two pounds, 55c. The Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co.

Deputy Sheriff E. A. Bovich of Austin is in the city a witness in the Seventeenth district court.

C. A. Baird, traveling passenger agent of the Vandalaria, will headquarters at 2009 W. 7th street in the city.

W. V. Galbreath, general live stock agent of the Southwest Route, went north Wednesday morning.

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

Alexander Lodge, Knights of Pythias, will give an installation ceremonies Wednesday night at 8:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Winfield Scott entertained the West Side Social Club and a few friends Tuesday afternoon, complimentary to Mrs. R. B. Hunter of Denver.

The Current Literature Club will meet at the residence of Mrs. M. Alexander, in East First street, Friday afternoon.

Willard Phenix and Harry Hendricks have gone to New York to make purchases for the wholesale department of the Monnie Dry Goods Company.

Free to all purchasers of a 50c can A. & P. Baking Powder, a large 50c can of the same brand, or preserving kettle. The Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co.

CITY NEWS

Couch Hardware Co., 1007 Main st. Boaz's Book Store, 402 Main street. Blank books at Conner's Book Store. See Adams. He knows. Dr. Harris, osteopath. Tel. 735 & 3395. VIAMI OFFICE, R. 5, over The Fair.

R. F. McNulty of San Antonio was in the city Tuesday night.

J. W. Adams & Co., feed, produce, fuel. Phone 539.

John B. Wilson of Dallas was in the city Wednesday morning.

Plants, seeds and trees. Drumm Seed and Floral Company. Phone 121. Hon. James W. Swayne has returned from Comanche county.

Dr. J. L. Frazier, dentist, S. E. cor. Fifth and Main streets.

Good lumber, low prices. Manning Lumber Co. 900 W. R. R. ave. Tel. 308.

Among the visitors to the city today is A. G. Crump of DeKalb.

Doctors by the score have said Butter-Nut is the best of bread.

A little ad every now and then will get the trade of the best of men.

Mrs. N. G. Lane and Miss Lane of Quanah are guests at the Metropolitan.

W. A. McDonald of Cleburne is in the city.

Mrs. Della Ross of Dallas is visiting Mrs. G. M. Otten.

R. J. Sullivan of Denison is here on business.

Miss Clara N. Kellogg of El Paso is in the city today.

A. W. Hudson is here from Kansas City.

R. F. Dugan was here Tuesday from Denton.

S. Wallach of San Antonio is a visitor here today.

D. M. Pollard of Austin is at the Worth.

D. D. Robertson of Childress is here today.

W. F. Featherston is here from Henrietta.

L. A. Wilson of El Reno is in the city today.

D. E. Black of Galveston is at the Metropolitan.

BURGLAR GETS PRIZE EXHIBIT

Sewing Display of the Colored School Stolen A burglar entered the industrial department of the Ninth Ward colored school Tuesday night and stole all the fancy work and women's wearing apparel which had been completed by the sewing department during the season.

The money value was considerable and the work was almost invaluable to the school, as by reason of its excellence it had attracted the attention of the entire state.

The articles stolen took the first prize at the industrial art exhibit at Houston about three weeks ago and the school was being visited almost daily by people who were interested in this branch of the work and who desired to inspect the progress being made.

There are fifty girls in the sewing department, working under the direction of Miss J. C. Gee, who is a graduate of the University of Philadelphia. All of these students are losers to a greater or less extent financially by the theft.

When a Telegram reporter visited the school Wednesday morning and was conducted by Professor Terrell into the sewing department, where the robbery occurred, all that could be seen of the exhibit which had been the pride of the institution was an empty case and a roll of pasteboard which had been used for fancy work. Some of the girls were still in tears and it was evident that the district had been ruined.

The teachers also have felt the loss most keenly, as great things are expected from the industrial department and the progress made thus far seemed to indicate that the expectations were well founded.

Door Unlocked The burglar must have been provided with a key which would fit the door, as Janitor Upshar reports that he locked it before leaving Tuesday night, but that he found it unlocked when he came to work Wednesday morning.

The case containing the valuables had also been locked, but this was broken open by the burglar. Miss Gee declares that she can identify the work of each pupil and that if any of the missing articles are recovered there will be no trouble about the identification of them.

Chief Maddox of the police department was notified of the burglary this morning and Detective Tolbert sent to the school. Each pupil and those interested in the work were on the lookout for the missing articles.

EXPORT FREIGHT HAS BEST RATE

Charge to Germany Less Than to Memphis, Tenn. That it is possible to make foreign shipments at rates much lower than those in this country has been demonstrated here, the long trip to Germany being made at a cost less than that for a comparatively short American haul.

On shipments of stock food by the Crescent Stock Food Company of Fort Worth to German Bismarck, Ala., and Memphis, Tenn., the difference in freight was largely in favor of exports, the rate charged to the two American cities being over 100 per cent greater than to the European port. Rate to Germany was \$1c per 100 pounds; rate to Memphis, Ala., was \$1c per one hundred pounds, and rate to Memphis, Tenn., was 65c per 100 pounds.

The Stock Food Company has just completed these three shipments of their product, which consisted of sixty-seven solid tons to Germany, going one-half over the Houston and Texas Central and one-half over the International and Great Northern to Galveston, where it is transferred to steamships; 3,600 dozen packages to Memphis, Tenn., over the Cotton Belt, and 3,600 dozen packages to Birmingham, Ala., over the Frisco.

The shipments of solid car load lots, each car bearing a banner, full length of the car, on which was inscribed in big letters a story of the shipment, advertising Fort Worth.

THEATER CASE HEARD

Defendants Rest Without Submitting Evidence The case of Dave Houghton, charged with violating the ordinance relating to the sale of intoxicating drinks where theatrical or dramatic entertainments are given, was taken up before Judge Prewett of the corporation court Wednesday morning. Only two witnesses were examined, Captain Blanton of the police department and City Prosecutor Parker. Both testified substantially that they had seen three persons drinking what they believed to be beer in a place under the control of Houghton. They did not know who the persons were and their evidence therefore was not submitted. A diagram was presented showing the exact location of those they testified they had seen drinking. They were not in the theater proper.

The defendant, Houghton, did not take the stand and his attorneys took the position that the state had failed to make out its case, it being charged that the defendants had either sold or given away the beer in violation of the ordinance relating to the sale of beer and that neither a sale or a gift of the beer had been seen by the witnesses. The trial of the case was not completed, as the attorneys expressed their desire to produce further authorities on the subject Thursday morning.

The cases against Frank De Beque were passed.

SCHOOLHOUSE ROBBED

Colored Ninth Ward Building Visited by Burglars Burglars broke into the Ninth ward colored school building Tuesday night and stole a number of school supplies. Professor Terrell discovered the theft Wednesday morning and at once advised the police department. Chief Maddox sent Detective Tom Tolbert to the school and he is conducting investigations and endeavoring to locate the burglar.

Professor Terrell has information that is expected to lead to an arrest.

The left side of the face is usually considered by artists to be more beautiful than the right.

A Bad Stomach

Lessens the usefulness and mars the happiness of life. It's a weak stomach, a stomach that can not properly perform its functions. Among its symptoms are distress after eating, nausea between meals, heartburn, belching, vomiting, flatulence and nervous headache.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Cures a bad stomach, indigestion and dyspepsia, and the cure is permanent. Accept no substitute.

FAMILY LIQUORS

H. Brann & Co. WILL DELIVER TO YOUR HOME FOR \$1.00

A bottle Duffy's Pure Malt. Full quart Hill and Hill. Full quart Clark's Rye. Full quart bottled-in-bond Whisky. Gallon pure Claret. Half gallon Sweet Wine.

Both Phones 342

EL PASO WANTS WALKS

Border City Awakes to Necessity of Improvement Special to The Telegram. EL PASO, Texas, Jan. 17.—The recent snow, rain and mud has demonstrated beyond a doubt that El Paso must have street paving and the citizens are determined to get it as soon as possible.

The fact that the city paving bonds may not sell in their present form, electric light bonds, improvement bonds, the bidders, has set the property owners to talking about issuing blanket bonds, covering the whole city, and increasing the amount to at least \$400,000, to improve the streets.

A number of business men favor dividing the district into smaller bonds at once, whether they sell or not, and setting about the matter of arranging for blanket bonds without delay. The district bond idea has met with some opposition from the outset, and there are some who believe that it should be abandoned and the blanket form of bonds adopted. Still there are many who still favor the district idea, but almost all are agreed that the district bonds should be prepared, in case the district bonds fail to sell, to issue blanket bonds at the earliest possible date, believing that the taxpayers will readily vote for them.

10,000 CLUB FORMED

Temple Determined to Increase Population by Year 1910 Special to The Telegram. TEMPLE, Texas, Jan. 17.—A supreme effort is to be made to increase the population of Temple to a total of 10,000 by the year 1910. To this end a pledge has been circulated and freely signed by hundreds of obligate citizens, who have become members of the 10,000 club. A meeting will be held at the board of trade rooms on Thursday night, Jan. 18. The greater the population, the better the club has cut out work for itself that will require the district bonds to be placed on the market, virtually means doubling the population in four years, or an increase of 2,250 per year.

CANDIDATE FOR COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS

Ex-Attorney General Robert A. Johnson of Beaumont Will Make Race to Succeed Judge Henderson Special to The Telegram. GEORGETOWN, Texas, Jan. 17.—Hon. Robert A. Johnson of Beaumont and formerly assistant attorney general was here this week several days and announced his candidacy for one of the court of criminal appeals to succeed Judge Jno. N. Henderson. The bar here has unanimously elected Mr. Johnson as its former county attorney of Williamson county.

WHAT DO YOU CARE? YOU'VE GOT YOUR HEALTH.

Great Natures Do Not Despair at Disappointment—They Look for Something Else to Do. The broad-gauged man of today does not get blue just because things don't always come his way. There is something in the matter with him. If he "falls down" on one proposition he immediately starts to look up another. He keeps on trying and keeps on hustling. A man with his health and faculties has plenty of opportunities and the man who gives up is not a man of opportunity. It is a small nature or some physical weakness.

Dyspepsia certainly puts the best of men out of condition for work of any kind. You cannot blame the dyspepsia for getting blue. The very nature of it is such that it must depress and calculate to deprive him of ambition, energy and hope. There is hope for him, however, certain and sure. It is Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are recognized throughout the length and breadth of the land as the one cure that is safe and sound. They have effected, prove beyond the shadow of a doubt their greatness as a cure. Wherein lies their greatness? In the very fact that they are Nature's own simple remedies. They do the exact work in exactly the same way that the digestive fluids of the stomach do, because they are composed of the same elements and possess the same properties. They relieve the weak and worn out stomach of its burden, permit it to rest and grow sound and well. The stomach will get well quick and the man will be able to get on with his work. That is what Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets do. They not only take care of the stomach, but they take care of the man. You can satisfy yourself of the truth of this statement by putting the tablets to a test. Buy a box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. The process of digestion will be taken up and carried out just as the gastric juices and other digestive fluids would do it. Their action is natural and they cause no disturbance in the digestive organs. In fact, you forget you have a stomach when they begin to do their work. Mild and natural is the operation. Buy Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets at all drug stores at 50c a box.

The New Store

Muslin

22 different styles in gown from 25c to \$1.00. 26 varieties of Skirts, to \$1.00. 19 numbers in Drawers to \$1.00. 23 styles of Corset Co. 19c to \$1.00. All generously full, 98% of dependable material to make friends.

AMUSEMENT

"The Klitties" Canadian band honored its headquarters at Bell The Klitties have no other regiment, although of its members have Canadian regiment bands have been touring coast the past five years. Important cities in the States, Mexico and Cuba which time 125,000 were covered. The Klitties' Canadian band honored its headquarters at Bell The Klitties have no other regiment, although of its members have Canadian regiment bands have been touring coast the past five years. Important cities in the States, Mexico and Cuba which time 125,000 were covered. The Klitties' Canadian band honored its headquarters at Bell The Klitties have no other regiment, although of its members have Canadian regiment bands have been touring coast the past five years. Important cities in the States, Mexico and Cuba which time 125,000 were covered.

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Greenwall's Op

Thursday matinee and "The Klitties" band assisted by the famous Troupe of Pipers at Vocal Choir, Solo Matinee prices—Admission, 25c. Night prices—25c, 50c, 75c.

Friday Night

Arthur C. Alston's "The Klitties" band assisted by the famous Troupe of Pipers at Vocal Choir, Solo Matinee prices—Admission, 25c. Night prices—25c, 50c, 75c.

Saturday Matinee

Arthur C. Alston's "The Klitties" band assisted by the famous Troupe of Pipers at Vocal Choir, Solo Matinee prices—Admission, 25c. Night prices—25c, 50c, 75c.

English Grand

Matinee prices—Admission, 25c. Night prices—25c, 50c, 75c.

Harold World Famous

Christian Tabernacle, Inc. Matinee prices—Admission, 25c. Night prices—25c, 50c, 75c.

What They Say

Wilbur MacDonald, a well-known figure of the musical world, says: "I have used Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets and I can say that they are the best I have ever used for my stomach."

MAJESTIC

Twelfth and Jones. WEEK COMMENCING Matinee Daily 2:15.

MARGARET S. MADAME EMN

Another Great Offering HOWLEY AND MARGARET S. MADAME EMN. THE WHITE ILLUSTRATE KINETOG.

Special Bargain

Holdings. General admission 50c. Night prices, 15c. First ten rows in O. Upright Ticket.

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Are the standard of quality, perfectly smooth cutting edge to each and every pair. Each and every pair in every respect.

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Muslin Underwear Sale

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22 different styles in Gowns, ranging from 29c to.....	\$1.98
26 varieties of Skirts, from 39c to.....	\$2.25
19 numbers in Drawers, from 15c to.....	.98c
23 styles of Corset Covers, from 19c to.....	\$1.19

All generously full, "Sterling" made of dependable materials, and priced to make friends.

Meacham's

AMUSEMENTS

"The Kitties Band"

The greatest Scottish band in the world, and the pride of all Canada, is a permanent touring organization with its headquarters at Belleville, Canada. The Kitties have no connection with any regiment, although practically all of its members have served in the Canadian regiment bands. The Kitties have been touring constantly during the past five years, playing the important cities in Canada, United States, Mexico and Europe, during which time 125,000 miles have been covered. The Kitties were the only Canadian band honored with an engagement at the World's Fair, St. Louis, and the only Canadian band to make trans-continental tours.

"The Kitties Band" will be at Greenwall's opera house tomorrow matinee and night, Jan. 18.

"At the Old Cross Roads"

The story of "At the Old Cross Roads," which appears at the Greenwall opera house on Friday night, Jan. 19, is one of the deep heart interest and full of episodes of powerful dramatic strength. It abounds in scenes of vivid realism mixed with comedy of unconventional and original character. In fact, it is a play which sustains its interest from beginning to end and contains a happy combination of all the elements of pleasure. Many of the superb cast of last season have been retained. Whatever Greenwall's management made to strengthen the already strong aggregation of players.

GREENWALL'S OPERA HOUSE

Thursday matinee and night, Jan. 18, "THE KITTIES BAND OF CANADA." Assisted by the famous Canadian Troupe of Pipes and Dancers. Vocal Choir, Soloists, Etc.

Matinee prices—Adults, 50c; children, 25c. Night prices—25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00.

Friday night, Jan. 19, Arthur G. Aiston's Great Southern Play, "AT THE OLD CROSS ROADS." Stronger cast than ever, with Ethel Williams, James M. Brophy and excellent company. Prices—25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00.

Saturday matinee and night, Jan. 20, Henry W. Savage's ENGLISH GRAND OPERA CO. Matinee—Verdi's "Rigoletto." Night—Verdi's "Lohengrin." Prices—\$1.00, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00. Positively no free list. No exceptions. Seats on sale for above attractions.

HAROLD BAUER

World Famous Pianist

Christian Tabernacle, Thursday Evening, Jan. 18.

WHAT THEY SAY OF HIM

Wilbur MacDonald—"The most colossal figure of the musical world."

Professor M. H. Bauer—"A self-taught genius; the marvel of his musical brethren."

The New York Post—"One of the wonders of the musical season."

New York Sun—"His success is unqualified."

Berliner Tageblatt—"Belongs to the ranks of the first pianists."

Deutscher Reich Anzeiger—"Reminds of the genius Rubinstein."

Amsterdam Echo—"The greatest pianist that comes to us."

Bauer will be assisted by Miss Estelle Burns, soprano.

Admission \$1; reserved seats \$1.50; balcony, 50c.

Tickets on sale at Ross & Heyer's, 711 Houston street.

MAJESTIC THEATER

Twelfth and Jennings Avenue. WEEK COMMENCING JAN. 15. Matinee Daily 2:15. Night 8:15.

Another Great Offering in Vaudeville. **HOWLEY AND LESLIE, KIP KARSON, MARGARET SHANNON, MADAME EMMY'S PETS, WM. DAVIS & CO., THE WHITESIDES, ILLUSTRATED SONGS, KINETOGRAPH.**

Special Bargain Matinee daily, except holidays. General admission 25c; children 15c. First ten rows in Orchestra 50c. Night prices, 15c, 25c, 50c and 50c. First ten rows in Orchestra, 75c.

Uptown Ticket Offices: Fishers' Drug Store, 502 Main St. Alex's Fruit Store, 311 Main St.

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Are the standard of highest quality, perfectly smooth and keen cutting edge to the very point. Each and every pair is guaranteed in every respect.

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CAR CONGESTION BEING RELIEVED

Heavy Trains Going Out Daily on Texas and Pacific

J. W. Ward, division superintendent of the Texas and Pacific, who has been looking after the accumulation of cars in Fort Worth, states that the cars are being sent out very rapidly. "We are sending out about 200 loaded cars and 100 empties per day and are getting things cleared up as quickly as possible. The condition of affairs which has recently existed was due to the fact that the Rock Island was forced to dump a lot of freight on us when we were already handling an exceptionally large volume of business on our own account. The Rock Island was handicapped by a snow blockade on the El Paso and Northwestern and was forced to turn its freight over to us. We were not able to haul it, but when you turn the Rock Island over to a road like the Texas and Pacific at a time of the year when traffic is already heavy, it means something.

"Monday we handled twenty-two freight trains out of Fort Worth. Fourteen went west and eight east and we are handling an average now of about four trains of fruit, three trains of coal, one train daily in addition to the miscellaneous freight. This is the heaviest business that the road has ever done in Fort Worth. We have, however, not been here this time, but the shipments at present are very heavy. We are now receiving about seventy-five cars per day in addition to the miscellaneous freight. "The Texas and Pacific has a switching system near the stove foundry, which has been of some assistance in handling the rush of freight, but I believe we could have handled it all right even without this advantage."

T. P. to Build New Tracks

It is reported in what should be well advised sources that the Texas and Pacific has purchased some 100 acres of land on the stove foundry road a short distance west of the city limits for the purpose of building additional tracks and switching facilities. It is given to the report by the conditions which are known to have existed here of late showing the need of additional switching facilities. It is furthermore understood that the switching system of the company near the stove foundry is not completed as yet in accordance with the original intentions of the company.

Mr. Ward, the division superintendent will say nothing whatever concerning the proposed improvements as if they are true the company has some reason at present for keeping the knowledge from the public.

WEDDINGS

Kinch-Ashby

Everard T. Kinch and Miss Lotta Ashby were married Tuesday at St. Paul's M. E. church by Rev. J. F. Boeye. Mr. Kinch is a railway postal clerk and has a large number of friends in this city. Miss Ashby is the daughter of Mrs. E. L. Ashby of 905 West Seventh street and has a large circle of friends. They will reside in this city.

McDade-Williams

Charles McDade and Miss Grace Williams were married by Father Guyot at St. Patrick's Catholic church Tuesday. Miss Williams has lived in this city for a number of years with Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Bergin, while Mr. McDade is a well-known cattleman of West Texas. Both are well known in this city. Mr. and Mrs. McDade will then go to Bovina, Texas, their future home.

Kincaid-Wilson

C. M. Kincaid and Miss Florence Wilson of Cleburne were married by Justice of the Peace Charles T. Rowland on Tuesday.

Reina-Pabros

Felicie Reina and Miss Junita Pabros were married in the office of County Clerk R. L. Rogers Tuesday by Justice Charles T. Rowland.

Surveys Begin

TULSA, I. T., Jan. 17.—The Kansas City, Tulsa and Southwestern railroad, which was incorporated last year to build an additional railroad from Wichita Falls, Texas, to Kansas City, Mo., is making surveys from Tulsa, I. T., to Joplin, Mo., a distance of 125 miles. W. H. Hendren is chief engineer with headquarters at Tulsa.

To Extend Midland

OKLAHOMA CITY, O. T., Jan. 17.—Maney Bros. of Oklahoma City and Kalmann & McMurray of Kansas City have secured the contracts for building an extension of the Midland Valley railroad from Forker northwest to Silverdale, Kan., a distance of 28 miles. "This road has recently completed 65 miles of its road to Forker, Kan."

New Charter Issued

A charter has been granted to the Oklahoma Western company, an Oklahoma, with an authorized capital of \$5,000,000. This company is to build a railroad from Picher, Okla., to the Osage nation via the Middle Saline reservation in Woodward county and Kenton in Beaver county to a point in Union county, Oklahoma, passing through the Osage and Kaw reservations and the counties of Pawnee, Kay, Noble, Garfield, Grant, Woodward and Beaver, a total distance of 450 miles. The incorporators are: W. Graham, Paul D. Howse, Sidney H. Selig and others of Chicago and John A. Sime, H. A. Noah and others of Tulsa.

TEXAS AGENT NAMED

C. C. Mulherrin has been appointed traveling freight agent of the Southern Railway System, Inc., for the territory of Texas. This territory was formerly covered by W. T. Rembert, traveling freight agent, with headquarters at Dallas, but owing to the large extent of the territory embraced and the volume of business, Mr. Mulherrin has been placed in South Texas. Mr. Mulherrin was formerly soliciting freight agent of the Southern at Columbia, S. C.

Mexico-St. Louis Special

D. J. Byars, city passenger agent of the International and Great Northern railway, has received an official circular giving the schedule and equipment of the Mexico-St. Louis special which will be operated twice a week between St. Louis and Mexico City. The first train left St. Louis Jan. 18 and contained a baggage car, a dining car, one fourteen drawing room sleeper, one ten compartment sleeper and one ten section buffet-sleeper. This train will be called the Mexico-St. Louis Special and is put on especially to cater to the high class travel. Only first-class tickets accompanied by Pullman transportation will be honored. No passes will be accepted under any circumstances. It is said that the train will equal in every respect the high-class train operated between Chicago and New York and that it will have the fastest schedule ever made between the United States and Mexico. Only eighteen stops will be made between St. Louis and Mexico City, a distance of 1,800 miles. The train will be operated by the St. Louis Iron Mountain and Southern, Texas and Pacific, International and Great Northern and National lines in Mexico. It leaves St. Louis Tuesdays and Fridays and Mexico City Tuesdays and Saturdays.

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HARNESS MEN STILL AT WORK

Sessions of Convention Continued at City Hall

The program of the Retail Saddle and Harness Makers' Association for Wednesday morning was: "Why Should the Wholesale Manufacturers Support Our Association?" R. P. Morton, Shreveport; A. P. Tension, Dallas; G. M. Scherz, Cincinnati; and J. D. Padgett, Dallas. "Why Should the Retailer Break Away From Old Methods and Equip His Shop With Modern Machinery?" J. R. Porter, San Marcos; Percy Willis, Waco; C. J. E. Keller and J. W. Spake, Fort Worth. This was followed by a general discussion and the report of the finance committee.

Program for Thursday.—Report of general committees, new business, resolutions, etc., report of committee on necrology.

Address—Forty Years in the Saddle Business and Not Old Yet, Tom Padgett, Waco, Texas.

An Old Time Wasey, Who Sells the Bits and Buries, and Will Only Tell Part of What He Knows—Hon. F. E. Conner, Cleveland, Ohio.

Adjournment to 2:30 p. m.

The visitors will be shown the Fort Worth Brewery, the largest in the South.

3:30—Election of officers, meeting place for next year, unfinished business, new business, Banquet at close.

At 5:30 o'clock Thursday night a banquet will be tendered the visitors at Delaware hotel. Wm. James, toastmaster, has arranged the following addresses:

A Retail Business in Houston, Bryan, Corsicana, Dallas, and the Lessons to Be Learned in the Saddle Business—W. C. Padgett, Dallas.

The Newspaper a Factor in Business as Well as News—Clarence Oustley.

A Newspaper Man Who Always Looks Good in Print—John Calhoun Franklin Jackson, of the Herald.

San Antonio and the Men Who Made a Saddle City—J. S. Sicks.

What Are We Here For?—Thomas Jefferson Wyczer, of the World.

The Saddle and the Saddle Maker—Chief and President of the Southwestern Retail Saddle and Harness Makers' Association, and Hon. the Harness Business—J. H. Porter, San Marcos.

The "Traveling Man a Well-Earned Necessity: Sometimes in and Sometimes out of the Country"—J. C. Miller.

When I Was Young—J. R. Tension, Dallas.

Fort Worth—a Convention City—Hon. R. B. Padlock.

Dogs and Dogs—Col. R. S. Fleming, St. Louis.

Badgers and Badgers—Col. Meyer, Williamsport.

And other speeches, limited to one hour and sixty-five minutes.

MILEAGE BOOK FIGHT OPENED

Declared Railroads Are Inflicting Burden on Buyers

Though no official action has as yet been taken by Post J. T. P. A. members of the organization here are discussing the railroad mileage books and a number predict some concerted effort in this state to remedy conditions which they consider unjust.

Twenty million dollars of money, it is alleged, belonging to the jobbing and wholesale houses and manufacturers constantly is tied up in the treasuries of the railroads, from one year's end to another, and the railroads, which have the use of this money, pay no interest on the use of it. This enormous amount of money represents the excess that is paid by the traveling men for their mileage books and is not returned until after the 1,000 mile book has been used.

The railroads contend that their only safeguard in selling these thousand-mile books at reduced rates, 2 cents a mile is the fare, is to collect this extra 1 cent a mile, or 10¢, at the time the book is sold, but they return to the empty cover is given back. This business of redemption of mileage book covers is conducted by mileage bureaus connected with the various passenger associations.

The claim is made by passenger men that if a mileage book was sold at a flat rate of 2 cents a mile, which would require no refund or extra expenditure on the part of the purchaser, it would result in wholesale scalping of these books, and few persons would purchase regular tickets, even for short journeys, because of the comparative ease with which they could get mileage books from scalpers.

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No patriotic and progressive citizen desires to lose the privilege of walking up to the polls on election day and casting his ballot for such candidates as meet with his approval. And this is a very important campaign year. We must elect officers all the way up from constable to governor of the state. If the good citizens of the state neglect or refuse to pay their poll tax and thereby disqualify themselves from expressing a choice at the polls, they can but expect that the other kind of citizenship will soon be in the ascendancy and elect officers whose services cannot be satisfactory to the people.

The Telegram does not believe that every man should be a politician. But it does believe that every man owes a duty to his country and himself in these matters and should be inspired by a genuine feeling of patriotism. If the citizen fails to exercise this right of suffrage he fails to do his duty to his country and state government, and certainly every citizen is directly interested in the matter of good government and cannot afford to voluntarily disfranchise himself for the small amount of money involved.

You may not feel the situation very keenly now, but when the polls are opened next fall and your friend John Smith needs your vote and your influence to make the coveted landing, you are going to feel very bad if you are not in position to go up and give him the lift he thinks he has coming. You are going to feel bad when your friends and neighbors are exercising this great right and privilege, while you are relegated to the position of a Chinaman, and can only look on and wonder why it was you were so foolish as not to pay your poll tax.

Call at the tax collector's office today and square yourself on this poll tax matter. You cannot afford to do otherwise.

NATIONAL MEETING AT DENVER

The time is drawing near for the big meeting of stockmen at Denver, that is to result in the amalgamation of the two existing organizations. The indications are that Texas will be fairly well represented at this meeting, as there is a very general desire that the amalgamation process shall be conducted along proper lines. Following is the official call for the big convention:

To All Stock Growers' Associations and Stockmen: The annual meeting of the National Live Stock Association will be held in Denver Jan. 30, 31 and Feb. 1.

Matters of the utmost importance to all of you demand a representation from your state or local associations at this meeting. Among the reasons for your presence here will be the consolidation of the National Live Stock Association and the American Stock Growers' Association into one great live stock organization representing the entire live stock producing interests of the entire country; this organization will be effected upon the following basis which was adopted by a conference committee of the associations held in Denver, Colo., Oct. 20 and 21:

First. The membership to consist of live stock producing and maturing interests of the country. Second. The constitution and by-laws of the American Stock Growers' Association, modified so as to admit to membership associations of live stock producers, as well as individuals, to be made the basis. Third. One strong central committee, appointed by the association thus formed, to carry on the business of the association. Fourth. The association to co-operate with all allied interests through such sub-committees as may

be appointed by the executive committee whenever the interests of said association and such allied interests are mutual.

The objects of the organization thus formed will be to represent the live stock interests in all matters of general and public importance, and to conserve the interests, protect the rights, and to redress the wrongs of each and all of its members.

(Signed) F. J. HAGENBARTH, President National Live Stock Association.

MURDO MACKENZIE, President American Stock Growers' Association. The central committee of your association has put forth strenuous efforts in behalf of the reciprocity movement to open up the markets of the foreign countries that are gradually closing down upon us, and at present it looks as though temporary arrangements will be made with Germany, to be followed by a more permanent basis satisfactory to the interests of both nations. The extension of the twenty-eight hour law; the increased appropriation for agricultural and experimental stations and the inspection of meats, must demand the attention of every stockman.

The land question in which you are all interested—grazing upon the forest reserves or upon the public domain outside of the reserves—is a question that will demand a great deal of attention at our meeting. Secretary Wilson of the department of agriculture and Mr. Pinchot, chief forester of the agricultural department, expect to be here and outline the government's policy both as to the forest reserves and the public domain and expect to be largely guided by the expressions of the stockmen at this national meeting—the same to be the consensus of the public opinion among the stockmen. This one question alone should be of sufficient interest to bring 5,000 stockmen to Denver.

Commencing Monday, Jan. 29, the Western Live Stock Show is to be held here at the Union stock yards, and at the present time has every indication of being a splendid success. This is a western affair and one which is intended to show the improvement which has been made in the stock industry from the range standpoint and one which will be of educational advantage to every stockman present. Two thousand dollars in prizes has been hung up by the stock show and this has been duplicated by special prizes from individual stockmen and pure-bred record associations—so those who exhibit will be well repaid for the efforts they may put forth.

The citizens of Denver are putting forth every effort to entertain you while here and you should not miss this opportunity for coming into contact with your fellow stockmen from all over the country. There should be no necessity for urging your attendance for this is to your own individual interest. Please let me know at once what representation we may anticipate from you, their names and addresses, and when you arrive in Denver please report as soon as possible at headquarters, 211 Quinby building. J. H. GWINN, Secretary.

North Fort Worth is as proud of her new waterworks as the proverbial small boy of his first pair of red topped boots. And North Fort Worth has reason for pride in her excellent water system.

Smallpox is appearing in a number of Texas cities and towns, but the disease is becoming so common that it no longer excites such apprehension as formerly. Quite a number of cases are reported in Cleburne and several in San Angelo.

When Lon Barkley, the man who is slated to become the next postmaster of Fort Worth, jocularly remarked that he had an official document in his pocket that was a great joke on the other fellow, he seems to have been speaking by the card.

The death of Marshall Field in New York yesterday, removes one of the most successful business men of the country, and the merchant prince of Chicago. He was a man who liberally patronized newspapers of the country, and in that way made his great business success possible.

The death of Colonel Robert G. Love of the Galveston-Dallas News, involves a clear and distinct loss not only to Texas journalism, but to the south and southwest. Colonel Love was a man who made himself felt in the affairs of this section, and did much to elevate its journalism to the proper plane at a time when his services in that direction were sorely needed.

Albert T. Patrick has been granted a reprieve by the governor of New York, until March 15, and by that time he will have dug up sufficient reasons to justify a full pardon. Patrick is as resourceful as he is successful in standing off that pending sentence of electrocution. Never in the entire history of the country has there been made a more determined fight for a human life than has been made in his case.

The fight between Clark Howell of the Atlanta Constitution and Hoke Smith of the Atlanta Journal, for the governorship of the state of Georgia is now in full blast. The two men met in joint discussion for the first time a few days ago, and the report is that it resulted in a signal victory for Howell. Judging from expressions from the Georgia press, the Constitution man is going to be the winner.

Sporting endorsement in the shape of re-election, and with an official salary of \$2,000 per annum, President Harvie Jordan of the Southern Cotton Raisers' Association, is in position to fire a few more broadsides at the deposed rival from Texas, and at the same time put forth a prediction of 20 cent cotton. The skies ought to look very clear to this distinguished son of Georgia at this juncture.

Judge Terrell has been interviewing the governor at Austin, and was seen to come out of the executive presence with a broad smile on his face. This has been interpreted to mean that he has been given the official assurance on the quiet that the special session of the state legislature is a dead sure thing. It is intimated now on pretty good authority that the long expected session will be convened on March 15.

Citizens of Fort Worth should keep up the fight for good sidewalks until good sidewalks are an accomplished reality. The city has been permitted to present a run down at the heel appearance long enough. The time has now come when we should give to the world some substantial evidences that Fort Worth can justly claim to lead all Texas cities in the matter of progressiveness. Good sidewalks will be a great step in that direction.

It will be noticed in the report of the official proceedings of the Southern Cotton Association that the name of Colonel E. S. Peters is omitted from the roster of new officials. He is succeeded by George T. Jester of Corsicana, and this leaves the Calvert man free to indulge in a little cotton talk from time to time on his own account, entirely free from any restrictions by virtue of connection with the organization he has shown such a marked disposition to criticize.

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AMONG THE EXCHANGES

Harvie Jordan at New Orleans cotton convention declares that the farmers with cotton will get 15 cents for it and that there will be an order for reduced acreage at the convention.—Sherman Democrat.

Harvie Jordan may be able to push the price of cotton up to 15 cents per pound, but he will not have the distinguished services of Colonel E. S. Peters of Texas in the undertaking. Colonel Peters is not working in harmony with Colonel Jordan now.

Uncle Joe Cannon has taken off his coat to fight the revolutionists in the republican ranks who have declared against the Philippine tariff bill and the admission of the territories as states. Babcock of Wisconsin is the leader of the republican defectors. When Uncle Joe is done with him he will think that lightning has struck the house and a cyclone hit the barn.—San Antonio Light.

And Uncle Joe may be a little bit disfigured as a result of the encounter himself. This thing of fighting leaders in his own party is not as funny as it looks from a distance.

According to the report from the Texas railroad commission the newspapers of the state used only 8 per cent of the passes issued by Texas roads during 1905, and this transportation was issued in exchange for advertising and was by no means "free." The other 92 per cent was distributed among employees, state and national officials, politicians, grafters, etc.—McKinney Gazette.

Some of the free pass packers have tried to class newspaper mileage in the same category as the real thing carried by them. The fact that only 8 per cent of the passes issued in Texas has been issued to newspaper men, goes to prove that they are not to be included in the list of those who get something for nothing. The newspaper men of Texas give the railways more than value received for what they get.

Land Commissioner Terrell has announced for a third term. Mr. Terrell, no doubt, has come to the conclusion that no one can run the affairs of the land office but his dear self.—Colorado News.

Commissioner Terrell will find the third term proposition very unpopular with Texas democrats. The people of this state are strong believers in the principle of rotation in office, and while they occasionally make an exception to the rule, they are always inclined to the belief that every public officer should be content with a second term and make place for another hungry patriot.

A man who prefers a bottle of patent medicine to a prescription by his family physician does not know that he commits a grave mistake, yet he does, and one that is sure to cost him something above the cost of a prescription by the physician.—Tyler Courier.

Not necessarily. There are many patent medicines that are being manufactured and sold according to some noted prescription of a physician that proved to be a remedy for certain ailments.

Grayson county should demand of every man who seeks to go to the legislature, a platform, on which he expects to stand when he gets in the legislature. Let us understand something of the intentions of the gentlemen who wish to represent Grayson county at Austin. If a candidate expects to go to Austin without any intentions, he might as well stay at home for all the good he will do the people. There should be more confidence between the people and the men who seek to represent them in legislative bodies.—Sherman Register.

The people should furnish the platform for every legislative candidate in the state. No man should be permitted to go to the legislature for the purpose of airing his own views, but should go as the representative of his people and the people of all Texas.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR

A girl learns a lot just by not asking questions of her mother, who can't help telling her.

PERSONAL

Prince Louis of Battenberg is a printer, and the only one known to have paid \$1,000 for filling four teeth.

Queen Anarola of Madagascar has recently realized a long cherished ambition by paying a visit to Paris. While there she enjoyed the felicity of having her allowance increased from \$5,000 to \$10,000.

Former Judge William Moore, the well known financier of New York and Chicago, has the distinction of wearing the most costly overcoat in the United States. It was made to order from Russian sable and cost \$19,000.

The youngest king in the world is Daudi Chua of Uganda, Africa, a protectorate of England. He is now about 8 and holds court seated on a scarlet throne with a leopard skin under his feet and bearing in his hand a toy gun.

Lord Hawke made one of four centuries at cricket obtained in a match in 1896 in Yorkshire against Warwickshire, the score being 88. He was one of the scoring quartet which included Peel, Wainwright and Jackson.

Albert F. Springsteen, connected with the pension office, claims to have been the youngest enlisted and mustered soldier in the United States army during the war of the rebellion. He enlisted at Indianapolis on Oct. 15, 1861, at the age of 11 years and 2 months.

LITTLE TALES WELL TOLD

Senator Foraker was talking about a politician whose erratic conduct had estranged him from his party.

"This man," said the senator, "was showing a visitor over his new house in Washington the other day: 'He exhibited the large drawing room, in white and gold; the spacious dining room, in mahogany; the vast ebony hall, with its onyx pillars, and then he led his visitor into the littlest bit of a room off the hall—a mere cubbyhole, containing but a table and two chairs.

"Not very large, eh?" he said. "Small and cozy, isn't it? Here I entertain my political friends."

"Ah," said the visitor, "it will be large enough for that."

"We specialize in this age," said Richard Mansfield at a dinner. "Each of us confines himself to one thing, studies out that one thing's least detail and thus comes nearer to perfection than was possible in the past."

"Let me illustrate the unexpected and amazing attention to detail that abounds in modern life.

"A friend of mine is a clergyman. Recently a new pulpit was placed in his church. Meeting him a few days after the pulpit's installation, I asked him how he liked it.

"Not at all," said he. "It hides too much of the figure, and I like every shake of the surplice to tell."

"HOW JIM DIED," said James K. Hackett, "are incredible."

He smiled pensively at the luminous glass table of his New York house's dining room, a table with electric lights so ranged beneath it that its glass surface emitted a glow now pink, now orange, now scarlet.

"Incredible," he repeated. "There was Brown, who went touring in South Africa last year. I met Brown's cousin yesterday.

VERSES THAT RING

WHAT A PREACHER MIGHT LEARN. If one of our preachers should take a vacation and follow awhile the conductor's vocation, he would learn quite a bit, while at work on the car. As to how inconsistent some church members are.

Without the least doubt he would be quite surprised to learn that some children, whom he had baptized fully nine years ago, in the temple of prayer, are still far too young to pay any fare.

He would overhear women, going home from a function.

Tell of jackpots they'd won, without slightest compunction: He would learn every card from the ace to the joker. And the amount of their winnings and losses at poker. Then there is the man, who at vacancy stares, All the while the conductor is gathering the fares; Although he is holding the coin in his hand, He's determined to have a free ride if he can.

As for folks staying home on account of bad weather, He would find that it makes quite a difference whether they were going to church, if to party or ball. A storm wouldn't keep them from going at all. These and many more things he would learn with surprise.

About people who pull the wool over his eye, And he would doubtless pass up as a hard proposition The problem of saving their souls from perdition. —Boone Kirkman.

MOONSHINE AND MUSINGS

A WORD FROM JOSH WISE. A smooth tongue can crack a safe a good deal nearer than a stick of dynamite.

Anyway, your Uncle Hon Rogers has shown that a lawyer can ask more questions than a wax man will answer.

"I'm sorry," said the insurance agent to the man who had signed an application for a policy, "but our medical examiner has decided you are not a good risk."

"What's the matter with him? Does he think I'll squeal?"

"How eccentric Mr. Frankly tries to make himself appear at times."

"Eccentric?"

"Yes. I asked him how he liked the Wagner concert, and he said he couldn't understand the music."

A Chicago man who has sued for divorce tells the court that the first time he saw her he bet a friend he would marry her. Again it is shown how dangerous it is to win a bet.

The short, fat, gray haired man and the tall, raw boned gray haired man were standing on the rear platform.

"Pardon me," said the tall man, "but your face is familiar to me, yet I cannot recall your name. Nor can I remember where I saw you last. Strange, too, but I am not certain whether I met you here in the east or in the west."

It is hardly necessary to add that the tall man was Henry H. Rogers.

LITERARY NOTES

By careful dieting and training, Secretary Taft has reduced his weight to 294 pounds. By reading a few newspapers that are talking about the Panama canal he ought to be able to bring it down to about 300.

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Question Raised by Senator

Special to The Telegram WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—The senate yesterday afternoon passed a resolution to refer to the secretary of war the formation as to whether the United States army the Philippine Islands went over, followed without action. It was again touched per house went into cannot be learned.

Debate Took Senators took possibilities of afternoon in the dietment offered by Dolliver bill, giving the authority the interstate commerce imposing an Uncle Fulton succeeded session of the floor though interrupted by Clay, whose principle involved general debate. It concluded by the held the floor.

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Advertisement for Monnig's department store featuring various clothing items like silks, dress goods, ladies' warm underwear, and ready-to-wear sections with prices and descriptions.

DO OFFICERS OWN PHILIPPINE LAND? Question Raised in Congress by Senator Culberson. Debate Tricks Played. Senators took advantage of the wide possibilities of debate yesterday afternoon in the discussion of an amendment offered by Mr. Fulton to the Doolittle bill, giving to courts of justice the authority to modify orders of the Interstate Commerce Commission imposing an unreasonable rate.

METHODISTS TO HOLD CONFERENCE AT AUSTIN Texas State Sunday Schools Meet at Austin on March 27-29. AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 17.—Colonel D. H. Abernathy of Pittsburg, Texas, president of the Texas State Sunday School conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, south, called a meeting of the executive council in Austin yesterday to decide upon the date and place for holding the state meeting of the conference. Upon invitation of Mayor Shelby, Austin was selected as the place for holding the meeting, the date of which has been set for March 27, 28 and 29. At least one thousand delegates are expected to attend this meeting from all sections of the state.

FOOTBALL SAFE IN WESTERN COLLEGES Chicago Has No Fear of the Wave of Reform Sweeping Over East. By Associated Press. CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 17.—Members of the faculty of the University of Chicago believe that the "football abolition" will not strike the conference colleges of the west. Dr. J. E. Raycroft, acting head of the department of physical culture, and Dean E. B. Hurbutt, head of the divinity school and a member of the athletic board, hold that none of the middle west institutions will do away with the game. "I know that we would not think of abolishing the game at Chicago," said Dean Hurbutt last night. "It is by far too good a game to lose. There are too many level-headed men in the west to necessitate doing away with the sport. Reforms are needed, it is true, and it is a pity that the reason that the football conference will be held here on Friday. All talk of abolishing the game at any western college in the 'Big Nine' is pure nonsense."

NEW RULES FOR INSURANCE AGENTS Law Prohibiting Attempt by Agent to Cancel Policy and Re-insure is Proposed. By Associated Press. NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—A plea that a law be recommended to the legislature making it a misdemeanor for the agent of any life insurance company to induce a policy holder to discontinue his policy issued to him by an old line or legal reserve company for the purpose of re-insuring the policy holder in the company represented by the agent, was sent yesterday to the legislative insurance investigating committee, now considering its report in this city, by the board of managers of the Metropolitan district of the Equitable Life Assurance Society.

COUNTESS SLAIN BY HER SON? Madame De Bettanourt Found Dead. By Associated Press. PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 17.—John McMorrow, son of Anita McMorrow, who was known as the Countess De Bettanourt, was today committed to prison to await the coroner's inquest into the death of his mother. The countess died suddenly yesterday, and the police say that a short time previous to her death she had quarreled with her son. Mrs. McMorrow's body is said to be bruised. At the hearing today McMorrow declared he was in no manner responsible for his mother's death, but the police and coroner are conducting an investigation because of stories by neighbors of numerous disagreements between the mother and son over money matters.

COVEY & MARTIN DRUGGISTS. PRESCRIPTIONS. Are never filled out right unless filled exactly as the doctor indicates that they should be filled. Ask your doctor about the way we fill prescriptions. NEW BANK WILL SOON BE OPENED. Stockholders Meet Thursday in Rosen Inn to Organize. As exclusively announced in The Telegram, North Fort Worth is to have a bank of some size within a short time. W. H. Grove this morning announced to a Telegram reporter that the bank would be started there within sixty days. Mr. Grove is one of the originators of the new bank. This is the first definite announcement which has been made.

1-30th of the entire Quinine production of the World is consumed every year by the makers of Laxative Bromo Quinine. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Cures Colds, Croup and Whooping Cough.

44 YEARS IN HARNESS Hugh S. Tuohy, Nearly Half a Century in Treasury Service Dies. WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Hugh S. Tuohy, the oldest clerk in the treasury department, died at his home here yesterday. Mr. Tuohy was professor in classics in the college department of Georgetown university. He also taught mathematics at the Marine Barracks, and for several years conducted a private school at home. He had been in the treasury forty-four years.

TARIFF WAR LIKELY State Department Unable to Prevent Battle With Germany. WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—The state department has about thrown up its hands as to the prevention of a tariff war with Germany. The current opinion at the department is that the war is inevitable and Secretary Root is not willing to risk sending a reciprocity treaty to the senate. The state department believes that there is no way to prevent Germany from destroying the meat trade of this country with Germany. It is, therefore, clearly up to the beef packers now to see what they can do to prevent the German tariff from going into effect.

MAN FOUND DEAD Resident of Boston Succumbs to Heart Failure at Dallas. DALLAS, Texas, Jan. 17.—Frank Callback, 40 years of age, was found dead about 8 o'clock this morning in a room at a house at the corner of Main and Market streets. His death is attributed to heart failure. Callback came from Boston, Mass., and was traveling salesman for a St. Louis firm, selling plumbers' supplies. His brother-in-law, John Pike, is connected with the East Boston ferry department. The body will be held pending instructions from relatives.

HEAVY SNOWS AND COLD Cattle Reported Suffering in Central New Mexico. DENVER, Colo., Jan. 17.—Reports received here indicate that cattle and other live stock are suffering in Central New Mexico, owing to continued heavy snows and cold weather. There is no sign of abatement in conditions and the losses will no doubt be quite heavy. He knows no good who boasts he does no harm.

JOHNSON'S PARDON Telegram Received Today Saying That Executive Clemency Will Not Be Extended. F. M. Johnson, the Confederate veteran confined in the county jail under a life term of imprisonment, was today pardoned by Judge W. P. McLean of this city, and today the



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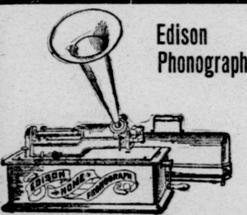
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BIG HORN BASIN GOES ON WIFE-HUNT

"Gray Bull Club," With 500 Millionaires in Membership, Tired of Bachelorhood

Special to The Telegram.
CODY, Wyo., Jan. 17.—With a membership of over 1,000 men, each of whom is worth at the very least \$50,000, a club known as the Gray Bull club has been formed in the Big Horn Basin for the purpose of providing wives for all the ranchmen in that region.

There are a number of millionaires among the club members. For many years they have remained single, but the coming of the railroad and the growth of towns along the route has inspired in most of them a desire to marry and settle down. One of them recently secured a wife through a matrimonial bureau. The rest determined

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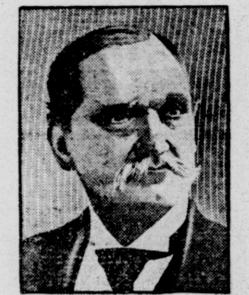
BUTTE, Mont., Jan. 17.—The relatives of M. S. Largey, heir to a \$6,000,000 copper mine, are alarmed by a report that he is engaged to marry Nena Blake, a young Chicago actress, and that he is now traveling about the country as the "angel" of a theatrical company which he put on the road in order to make that young woman a star.

ANGLO-CUBAN TREATY DEAD

President Palma Assures No Action by Island

PRESIDENT PALMA TALKS OF TREATY
The president said: "You can assure the people of the United States that the Cuban government appreciates all that the government of the United States has done for our cause, and that while I am president nothing will be done that will in any way interfere with the object I have in view, which is to promote friendly and commercial relations between Cuba and the United States to the fullest possible extent."

Special to The Telegram.
HAVANA, Cuba, Jan. 17.—The Anglo-Cuban treaty, which has caused so much discussion in the United States and in Cuba, the consequences of



PRESIDENT ESTRADA PALMA Of Cuba, Who Believes in the United States.

which have been so greatly feared by the commercial interests of both countries, and the ratification of which is even now generally regarded as a foreigner's construction, is dead.

President Roosevelt and the diplomatic corps at Washington have already been informed that such will be the fate of the treaty, both the deposed Minister Squigg and Consul General Steinhardt giving assurance of the fact.

HUNGRY SHEEP MAKES IMPORTANT DISCOVERY

He Ate Rubber Plant and Died—Corporation Formed to Exploit It

Special to The Telegram.
DURANGO, Colo., Jan. 17.—Because a certain English ram in a herd of sheep near here was of an inquisitive mind, a hitherto worthless plant growing freely in the mountains has been found to produce a rubber quite as valuable as the famous para rubber of South America.

The ram was brought from England to improve the stock of sheep in this region. He nibbled at a weed which he thought was a substance closely resembling rubber. Experiment proved that it was, indeed, a high quality of rubber.

STRIKE THREATENED

Pennsylvania, B. and O. and Lacka-

By Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—The engineers and firemen on the Pennsylvania and Baltimore and Ohio systems, it was reported yesterday, are dissatisfied with their pay. It is said they are preparing to ask for an increase. In spite of the belief that the firemen of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad are taking a vote on the question of a strike, officials here

FARMERS FLOCKING TO WESTERN TEXAS

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fall has gone over the 30-inch line, but there is no indefinite guarantee of its continuance.

There is some black soil in the county, but the greater part, and probably the best, is sandy, with a reddish clay underneath. This subsoil clay is sometimes three feet beneath the surface, and is good soil for small fruits, cotton, corn and garden vegetables. Water is gotten at a depth of from 20 to 100 feet. In some few places the water is alkaline and there are also stretches of alkali soil in the county, but they are like the popularly known, hard to find.

The productive soil of the county has been proven suitable for the majority of crops that can be raised in Eastern Texas. Corn does somewhat better. Oats do fairly well, although the straw is short. It is not a wheat country. The average cotton crop during 1903 was from one-third to one-half bale per acre. Some fields were a bale to the acre. The staple here is longer than in East Texas and of good quality. The Big Springs gin will handle 2,000 bales this season. The gin at Coahoma, a new venture, has already handled 900 bales, making the 1903 crop for Howard county about 3,000 bales. In 1904 it was less than 1,000 bales. Cotton is selling here now from 10.75 cents up.

Corn Maximum Forty Bushels
Corn last year yielded from twenty to forty bushels per acre. It now sells from 50 cents a bushel up on the streets. Kaffir corn and milo heads sell from \$10 to \$12 a ton. From a ton and a half to two tons can be raised.

Irish and sweet potatoes, pumpkins and all kinds of garden vegetables do well. It has been proven by experiment that tobacco can be grown successfully, although nothing has ever been attempted on a large scale. The smaller fruits, apricots, plums and grapes thrive. Apples, peaches and pears are raised in sufficient quantity for local consumption. Fruit and vegetable raising is aided by irrigation from tanks, which, while on a small scale, has proven quite successful.

One of the occupations to which Howard county seems especially adapted is poultry raising. The winters are usually mild, there is an abundance of free gravel in the soil and on the farms and milo maize which is raised in abundance, all kinds of poultry thrive. There are two large flocks of fancy chickens, from which purchased birds are shipped all over the state. A number of poultry fanciers on a smaller scale have pure-bred specimens.

Cattle Still in Evidence
In spite of the increase in farming throughout the county, cattle raising is still a leading industry. Just now most of the available stock has been shipped out. The winter has been open thus far and there is little feeding. Cotton seed for feeding purposes is selling at the local gin for 18 cents a bushel. The value of kaffir corn and milo maize for feeding is not yet determined, but the satisfaction of all stockmen, and the majority say the two cereals are good for fattening only when the seed are crushed enough to make them readily digestible by cattle. On the other hand, some of the farmers declare the uncrushed milo maize and kaffir corn fed to horses is as fattening as any cereal.

There is still plenty of land on the market in the county, although prices are rapidly advancing. Some farmers have increased 100 per cent in value during the past few years. One conservative in a position to know says the increase all over the county at from \$3 to \$4 per acre. Land is now selling from \$5 to \$20 an acre.

Recently Scott Robinson (the former of Fort Worth) put sixty-three sections of their ranch land in Howard county on the market. About twenty sections of this tract are located in Howard county and the dealer for much of it are just now being closed.

The tax rolls of the county show a valuation exceeding \$2,000,000. Some of those in a position to know say the rolls ought to be double that figure.

Game is Abundant
Howard county is without streams that run the year round, but surface lakes are plentiful. Some of these are salt, or alkaline, and others fresh. At this season of the year great flocks of ducks feed on the lakes and furnish much sport for hunters. What is known as the "blue head" quail, larger than the familiar Bob White, is also plentiful and large bags are easily obtained at this season.

There is little cedar worthy of the name in the county. A dwarf cedar which covers the hills sometimes grows large enough for use as posts. Neither the mesquite, the chinaberry or hackberry trees, which grow wild, attain much size.

ALICE ROOSEVELT'S TROUSSEAU READY

Outfit Being Made in Baltimore. Beautiful Costumes

By Associated Press.
BALTIMORE, Md., Jan. 17.—Miss Alice Roosevelt's wedding gown is to consist of a heavy white satin brocade being made in an American silk factory of a design originated for the president's daughter. The old lace belonging to the Lewis family of New England, Miss Roosevelt's mother's family, will be used in the trimming of the wedding gown.

Yesterday several of the gowns were sent to Washington for the prospective bride's inspection. Among them is the bravest dress of pale gray brocade. There is also a white satin evening dress combined with chiffon and real lace, and one of palest salmon green over green silk.

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ATLANTA, August 10, 1904.

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A ROUGH RIDER IS NOW A GOVERNOR

Albert Houston and T. G. Collins of Arlington were in the city Tuesday. When in the market for lumber see the John E. Quarles Lumber Company. They have a big stock and are in the field for trade and lots of it.

Edwin Seibold has returned from Old Mexico and Cuba, where he has been visiting since early in December. Word has been received at the office of Sheriff John T. Honea that Deputy Sheriff G. H. Buck, who has been in Mexico on official business, has left Laredo for Fort Worth.

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C. A. Darling, one of the early merchants of the city, and who left here some one year ago to make his home in New York, has returned to visit his daughter, Mrs. E. T. Hollis, and her family.

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J. W. Fletcher of Nashville, Tenn., is in the city. Mr. Fletcher has been making a tour of the state and says that Fort Worth is the best town he has visited thus far.

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In any part of town Haggard & Luff, 513 Main street, have property listed. They will help you to build a home and secure the property.

The place to get anything you want for the home is at the Nix Furniture and Storage Co., 304 Houston street. Cash or time is the way goods are sold.

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

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.

To Build Oil Mill

E. P. Bomar of Gainesville was in the city yesterday en route to West Texas. Mr. Bomar has just organized the Brazos Cotton Oil Company, which is to build and operate a cotton oil mill at Munday, in Knox county, which is on the line of the extension from Seymour to Stamford of the Wichita Valley road. Some of the associates of Mr. Bomar in this company are with him and the party will leave this morning.

Hopkins Jury Discharged

By Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—The jury in the case of Denton H. Hopkins, a prominent business man, on trial in Brooklyn in the first degree, was unable to agree on a verdict yesterday and was discharged. Hopkins was indicted for having killed his wife, Elizabeth, on the afternoon of Oct. 7. The couple had quarreled for years and had separated. Charles Hopkins was indicted for having killed his wife, Elizabeth, on the afternoon of Oct. 7. The couple had quarreled for years and had separated. Charles Hopkins was indicted for having killed his wife, Elizabeth, on the afternoon of Oct. 7. The couple had quarreled for years and had separated.

On the afternoon in question Hopkins called at his wife's apartments. It is alleged that when he opened the door his wife shot him in the right hand and then he drew a revolver and shot her three times, causing her death.

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Child's Russian Dress, 2 to 8 Years.

* Send May Manton Pattern No. *
* Name *
* Address *
* Size *

Child's Russian Dress 5241.
No style of dress suits the young child better than the Russian, and among all the Russian models none is prettier than the one illustrated, which is adapted alike to girls up to 8 years of age and to the wee boys who have not put off dresses. As shown, the

material is dark red cashmere, trimmed with an effective banding, but the design is a desirable one both for this and for similar wool materials of immediate wear, and also for the washable fabrics that will be in demand before many months, and which so many mothers will make during the midwinter season.
The dress is made with the fronts and back and is held in place at the waist by means of the novel belt, that is made with a separate front portion that is buttoned over into place. The sleeves are the full ones that make the most satisfactory of all for children's wear. When the dress is desired for boys the left side should be lapped over onto the right but otherwise there is no difference in style.
The quantity of material required for the medium size (6 years) is, 3 1/2 yards, 27, 24, yards, 32 or 2 yard 4 1/2 inches wide, with 1 1/2 yards of banding. The pattern 5241 is cut in sizes for children of 2, 4, 6 and 8 years of age.

IN MANY GUISES

A Story of an Exciting Dash for a Fortune by an Actor-Adventurer

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SYNOPSIS
Agar Hume, a young, impoverished actor, takes employment as valet to Sir William Dagmar, who is member of a secret society of consumptives. Serving a banquet at one of the regular monthly meetings of the club, Brown, as Sir William has decided to call his valet, tells his master, in answer to a question, that he cannot understand French. The conversation being in French, Brown learns that the society sustains a hospital where, later, disguised as Sir William, he sees a wonderful surgical operation performed in which the blood of an ape is substituted for that of a man. The operation being the nineteenth and a failure, one of the members of the society present kills himself.

(Continued From Yesterday.)

Sefton Dagmar arrived at about 7 o'clock. As soon as he heard that his uncle was ill and likely to die he went half crazy with joy and insisted upon staying in the house. I did not wish him to at all, but there was nothing for me to do except put up with the infliction and prepare another bed-room. However, he sent me out soon after dinner to dispatch a telegram to Newhaven for his baggage and I became reconciled to his presence. The fact was I needed an excuse to quit the house upon business of my own. Ever since my master had swooned I had been thinking very hard and it seemed to me that if I wished to improve my fortunes I must strike at once before all the geese, whom I expected to lay me golden eggs, should die.

Having sent Sefton Dagmar's wire I took a cab to Cheapside and sought out a cheap stationer's shop. I bought some common note paper and envelopes, and begging the loan of a pen, I scratched in struggling print the following epistle to Sir Charles Venner: "Sir—If you will inquire at the Colonnade hotel for Mr. Seth Halford tomorrow evening at 9 o'clock, you will be shown to a room, where you will find Dagmar the second. Kindly bring money and come alone!"

I posted this letter at the G. P. O. and returned to Curzon street. In the morning Sir William Dagmar was in a high fever and raving. I went early abroad and arranged with a restaurateur to supply all our meals. I then drove in a cab to a postoffice in the old Kent road and sent myself a telegram from my dying mother. Sir Charles Venner visited his patient at 1, and after he had gone I showed my telegram to Sefton Dagmar and Nurse Hargreaves, both of whom urged me to attend the summons. I tearfully allowed their protestations to prevail, and betook myself to my little stronghold in Burton street. There I spent the rest of the day in making myself up to represent the old actor whom I had impersonated on the occasion when I had shadowed my master to Kingsmere hospital for consumptives. For a purpose, to be afterward explained, I furnished my pockets with a small assortment of wigs, beards and mustaches.

When darkness fell I issued forth and rode in a cab to the Colonnade hotel. I told the clerk that I expected a visitor, my friend, Sir Charles Venner, the great surgeon, at 9 o'clock, and desired him to be shown up at once to my bedroom. I dined at the hotel, and to fortify myself for the fray I drank a small bottle of sparkling burgundy.

At a quarter to nine I repaired to my room. I set a chair on either side of the table, and I sat down upon one that faced the door—which I had left unfastened. I then put on a pair of goggles and waited.

Sir Charles was praiseworthy; punctual.

"Come in!" I cried.

The handle turned and he entered, just pausing on the threshold to tip the waiter who had brought him up.

"My dear old chap!" I exclaimed for the falter's benefit, "this is good of you, as ever, punctual to the tick!"

He closed the door carefully behind him, and advanced toward the table, pulling off his gloves as he did so.

"I suppose I may be seated?" he began in steady tones.

I nodded, eating him with my gaze. His countenance was perfectly impassive, but his eyes burned my stare with penetrating interest.
He sat down and calmly crossed his knees. "My time is limited," he declared. "Kindly proceed to business. You sent for me and I am here!"
I bowed my head. "True, Sir Charles," I replied in an assumed voice. "I do not propose to detain you long. The Kingsmere hospital for consumptives doubtless claims your care, so I shall be as brief as possible."

"I watched him sharply, but he did not turn a hair nor move a muscle. "Go on," was all he said.
"Shall we avoid details?" I inquired. "Unnecessary details, sir. But tell me all you know!" I said gently. "Unlawful secret society! We'll call that number one and bracket with it Geo. Cavanagh's death by suicide." A look of relief crossed his face at the word suicide. "Number two: Visitation is unlawful—I fancy—and you might be convicted of murder on my showing. It would be for a jury to determine, for all the great surgeon that you are!"

"Bah!" said he, and a curious gleam came into his eyes. "You can scandalize and perhaps destroy my practice, that is all. I must decline to discuss abstractions with a black malter," he replied in irritated tones. "What is your name and what is your price?"
"My name for the present is Seth Halford, Sir Charles. I shall not deny that it is liable to frequent change—" but he did not allow me to interrupt his transmutations, sir, or follow its vicarious possessor to his lair. As for my price, I have no objection in withholding that—it is 10,000 pounds."

"And is this subject, like your name, to change?"
"Not by so much as one farthing, Sir Charles."

He nodded and got languidly to his feet. "I came here prepared to sacrifice five hundred," he said, quietly. "Two in cash, the balance tomorrow. I am not sure that I am not pleased to save the money."

"Unhappily, Sir Charles, that is utterly impossible!"

"Not by calling in the police and arresting you for attempted blackmail?"
"I broke into a soft, rippling laugh. "So—" I muttered, "you only value your neck at 500 pounds! Such fine and delicate velvet as they are, too!"

"My neck is in no danger," he retorted angrily. "What can you prove against us, you fool, except that I performed a wonderful operation in the cause of science, in the ardent hope of saving a man's life, and in the sure trust of benefiting the whole human race?"

"But the man died, doctor, and he was of nineteen!" The coroner will shortly have a harvest, nineteen autopsies, Sir Charles! Think of them! Nineteen autopsies!"

"You fool," he repeated in tone of repressed passion, "if there were even ninety what of it? Buy enough of this; choose between 500 pounds and the lock-up. Choose quickly!"

His hand was already on the latch. Perhaps there was a policeman in the passages, I thought it unlikely, but still possible! At all events it was time for me to cease trifling with my adversary.

"You appear, Sir Charles Venner, to have forgotten the matter of clay anard's death!" He killed himself at the hospital and his body was discovered at the studio!"

"That can be explained!" he retorted, but his hand fell softly from the latch. "We have plenty of witnesses who saw his suicide."

"Suicide!" I sneered. "What of rule three, you one of seven murderers!"

Sir Charles Venner recrossed the room and quietly resumed his chair. His face was still as expressionless as a mask, but all the luster had departed from his eyes.

(To be continued.)

HOT ICE WAR TO KEEP TOWN COOL

Big Springs to Have Two New Plants

By a Staff Correspondent.

BIG SPRINGS, Texas, Jan. 17.—There is to be a warm (and to say hot) struggle over the ice question in this rapidly-growing town next summer. And the citizens expect to keep more comfortable than they have been for years at the expense of the rivals in the contest. In other words, instead of having to depend on the small amount of ice imported for the purpose of keeping beer and more ardent liquors at a temperature agreeable to fastidious palates, Big Springs is to have two ice factories, with a combined capacity of forty tons a day, and the anticipated result is a change from the present scale of 75 cents for a hundred pounds to 50 cents, 40 cents or even less, if the war for business between the rival companies becomes lively enough.

Cheaper Ice Assured

Much cheaper ice is assured at any rate, and merchants are laying in an early summer stock of ice cream freezers and frappe bowls in anticipation of the new project.

Seriously, the entrance of two ice manufacturing concerns in a territory heretofore without such a luxury promises to make business boom for both, add a thriving industry to the town and prove a profitable investment for those interested.

One of the companies is headed by Frank Tomlinson and C. C. Hinds, both of Big Springs. Tomlinson was formerly in the land and cattle business with Swift & Co. Hinds is a lumberman.

Fort Worth Capital Busy

Fort Worth capital is also interested in the project, but the names of the investors are not yet announced. They expect to incorporate for \$25,000 and spend that much in getting their plant in operation. They have bought \$15,000 worth of new machinery and have a site on what is known as the Burton-Lingo switch, where they will have ample facilities. Work on the foundations for the new plant was begun this week. They will secure water from a reservoir now being built at a considerable elevation above their factory site.

Plans Suggested Here

North Fort Worth furnished suggestions for their plant, which will be modeled largely after the ideas on which the North Fort Worth Ice Company's factory is built. The factory is to have concrete walls and will be built so that its size can easily be doubled if the demand justifies. A cold storage room 8x76 feet will be included in the plant, for storing meat, eggs, fruit and other perishable goods.

New Plant Building

The other ice plant is already being constructed by the Big Springs Ice and Manufacturing Company and is also planned for a twenty-ton plant. The men interested are Charles Schuirth, J. H. Muhl, William Derling and J. A. Naul, all of Big Springs. Mr. Derling is proprietor of the Big Springs gin and Naul is one of the earliest residents of the town. Application for incorporation of the company with \$20,000 capital has already been filed in Austin.

Will Use City Water

The company expects to use city water. In addition to the ice and cold storage plant it will also maintain a bottling works and manufacture cold drinks. The nearest rival establishment of the kind is in Colorado.

To Bid on Railway Contract

In addition to the competition for the trade of Big Springs and the surrounding towns, there is likely to be lively bidding for the contract to furnish the Texas and Pacific railroad with ice for its water coolers here. The company uses about seven hundred tons annually at Big Springs.

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HEALTH IN EXERCISE

BY ELIA K. DEARBORN, M. D.
While there may be many people who get too much exercise in their daily work, there are equally many who do not get enough, and even those who overwork with their muscles, are benefited by a change.

Judicious exercise and proper food made perfect health. Gymnasium exercise is better than none, but it is not to be compared with that taken in the open air.

To get oxygen, one must breathe pure air, and few people breathe correctly—the shoulders are held forward and crowd the lungs.

Try to touch the shoulder blades together in the back, and while doing so inhale slowly all the air the lungs will hold, retain it three seconds, and slowly exhale.

You can do this while walking about the house, or on the street, when at work at your desk in school or office; it relieves headache and nervousness through cerebral circulation.

Rapid walking in the open air is excellent exercise. With "head up, chin in, chest out and shoulders back," take long, swinging strides, with the arms swinging freely at the sides, or clasped behind the back. Be sure to walk on the sunny side of the street, unless the day be hot. The average person dislikes to walk for exercise, and it is to be pined that the cycling fad that combined at once so many desirable and pleasant things, and had so little on the other side of the balance.

To a debilitated person who is taking exercise for its therapeutic value, a little caution is necessary. Do not overdo—watch the heart rate, if it is over 100, rest until it is below 80—but persevere in the exercise and the heart will soon become strong. The heart can rest faster if the patient assumes a horizontal position.

For sleeplessness, a walk or bicycle ride, in the evening, the distance depending upon the patient's strength, will relieve the overcharged nerve cells and induce refreshing sleep, and is worth more than a brief of some narcotic drugs.

Excise before meals—rest or sleep after meals—even ten minutes spent on the couch after lunch is of untold value to those who must rush the rest of the day—but DO stretch out as limp as a rag and make the most of that ten minutes.

Walking or cycling is the best exercise for a torpid liver, and for indoor liver-crisis, walk on the hands and feet (all fours); this is also said to prevent appendicitis. The laugh that invariably follows this last exercise is worth \$10. Lay aside your dignity and let the baby ride while you give your liver stimulus.



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FURNISHED ROOMS with board. 1113 North street.

FOR RENT

H. C. Jewell, H. Veal Jewell, H. C. Jewell & Son, The Rental Agents of the City. 1009 Houston street.

FOR RENT-Store house; best location in Fort Worth for suburban racket store, dry goods and notions. Cheap rent; large territory. See Burke & Co. or address owner, W. L. Simmons Jr., Arlington, Texas.

FOR RENT-3-room residence, 611 East Weatherford; modern conveniences; barn, lawn; excellent neighborhood. If interested, call 719 West Third.

FURNISHED HOUSE FOR RENT-8 rooms, everything new and clean. Phone 4106 or address 23, care The Telegram.

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MISCELLANEOUS

EXCHANGE-Furniture, stoves, carpets, mattresses, 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 makes with care and skill. White albatross, mulis, silks, organdies, broadcloths, pongee dresses that are trimmed with Battenberg lace are carefully and properly handled.

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We have some fine bargains in small houses and vacant lots. Will pay you to investigate.

HAGGARD & DUFF OF F. H. NUCKOLLS. Phones 845 and 513 Main St.

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It might seem strange, but it is a fact just the same, that Avery & Cambron, 202 1/2 Main street, New Phone 94; Old 1748. will take a lease on any kind of city property, business houses or dwellings. Say, did you know they will lease your property for any time and will rent you on the first of every month, rain or shine, and no bother to collect from them? Won't that be nice? They can have any property. We also collect rents and look after your property. Do they sell real estate? Well, I should say so. Best salesmen you ever saw. In investment, buy time and money. Avery & Cambron, don't forget the name. It means money to you and it's easy to remember.

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J. A. STARLING & CO. Real Estate Brokers, Rentals, 512 Main Street. In Cotton Belt Ticket Office. Phone 123

FOR SALE-Two lots, Hemphill Heights; will trade for good horses. Call 1208 College avenue.

PERSONAL

ANNOUNCEMENT-S. BRAUDE, formerly with B. Z. Friedman Co., has opened a first class watch and jewelry repairing store and will be pleased to see his many friends and patrons at his new address.

S. BRAUDE, Swiss Watchmaker and Jeweler, 1209 Main Street.

10c-YOUR PAST AND FUTURE-10c For the scientific, acknowledged Queen of Palmistry, Card Reading and Clairvoyants, Queen Zenora and Mrs. Omega, located at Store Building, 1412 Main street, Gilbert's old store. If you desire truthful information by scientific experienced fortune tellers who tell facts and truth, give dates of marriage, business transactions, travels, etc., in fact, anything you desire to know, call on us and we will convince you. We read your hand for 10c. We give Card Reading and Trance Readings.

10c-Your Fortune Told-10c. 1412 Main street, big store, for refined ladies and gentlemen.

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MUST BE SOLD at once, owing to ill health, house, three rooms; barn, 10 feet in length, 20 feet wide, 16-foot roof; 840-foot well, fine water; 35-foot tower, 3 1/2 acres fine land, in best part of Cleburne. Price \$1,700.00; also fine bay mare, 10 years old, 15 hands high, price \$300; bay mare, 8 years, 15 1/2 hands high, \$450; fine black stallion trotter, 8 years old, colt, cousin to Dan Patch, \$1,700. For particulars write J. H. Lesley, auctioneer, Cleburne, Texas.

FOR SALE-Beautiful lot on south side; sodded and fenced; shade and walk in front; price, \$550; part cash, balance \$10 month, or will take horse and buggy or survey in part payment. New phone 1640 green, or call at 308 Maddox ave.

FOR SALE or exchange by owner, nice 5-room house, now renting for \$25, on Pennsylvania avenue; lot 200 feet deep and good improvements, with electric lights; will exchange for western land or unimproved property. State what you have. Address 29, care Telegram.

FOR SALE-Bargain, well-located restaurant doing good business; twenty-five table boarders; good counter; trade. Address, Box 232, Fort Worth, Texas.

MOLDING LATHES, saw and sandpaper machine work done at Dillard's Cabinet Shop. Phone 1950.

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\$1 or \$2 a week will do to furnish your room at Nix, the Furniture Man, corner Second and Houston.

FOR SALE TO RENT OR TRADE-Three-seated platform spring hack, first class condition and make, new top and curtains. Address 481, Telegram.

FOR SALE-At a bargain, on easy terms, new furniture of an eight-room house; has been in use two months and in first-class condition. Phone 2388.

AT A BARGAIN-One pair matched sorrel horses, one bay gelding; fine drivers. Phone 72. Call 202 Houston street.

FOR SALE-Eight full blooded bird dogs; twelve boarders; good counter; Mrs. F. M. Johnston, prop., Summit House, 200 Bluff and Houston.

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

NICE PARK SURREY - Handsome rig, rubber tires, almost new; very cheap for cash. Phone 752. 514 Pennsylvania ave.

FOR SALE-One nearly new upright piano; a bargain if sold at once; can be seen at 404 East Bluff. Old phone 2746.

FOR SALE-Well-located, nicely furnished boarding house; also eight boarders in the house. Old phone 3592.

FOR SALE-One of the best restaurants in Fort Worth; cheap rent; good opportunity. Address, 400, care Telegram.

FOR SALE-Genuine thoroughbred Mexican canaries. Apply 210 East Weatherford.

FOR SALE-Snow white poodle dogs from 5 weeks to 9 months old. 604 E. Leuda st. Harry Rosell.

DRY POSTOAK WOOD, any quantity; stove and heater blocks. R. M. Porter, North Fort Worth. Phone 1208.

LIVERY BARN for sale. Will sell stock and rent barn. Inquire, No. 8, care Telegram.

FOR SALE-Grist Mill half interest, or all. Run by electricity. McIntyre Grain Company, Duncan, I. T.

AN ALMOST new piano, one-half price; would take nice furniture in exchange. Phone 270.

FOR SALE-A new stock of groceries, two horses and delivery wagon; good location. Address, 21, care Telegram.

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FOR SALE-Nice lot near standpoint, cheap. Address F. 213 N Burnett st.

FOR SALE-Household furniture. Apply 1024 Taylor street.

FOR SALE-Several good milk cows. Apply 415 East Belknap street.

FO R SALE-Small stock of groceries. 303 Nichols street.

FOR SALE-Bugby, Elkhart, Stanhope, nearly new. Inquire phone 766 old.

FOR SALE-For removal, three good rooms, at 500 Jennings avenue.

NICE RUNABOUT, good condition, cheap. 514 Pennsylvania ave.

FLATS FOR SALE. Inquire 501 1/2 Main.

SEVERAL good bargains if sold at once. Business Exchange, 202 1/2 Main st.

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BOARD AND ROOMS

WANTED for four months, by a man and his wife board and room in a first-class private family, in a modern house, steam or furnace heat; reference exchanged. Address 469, Telegram.

WE CAN accommodate a few more table boarders; price \$4 per week. Mrs. Langever, Langever Bldg., 1003 Throckmorton street.

NICELY furnished rooms, with board, in private family; everything new and modern. 701 Jennings avenue. References required. Phone 3177.

NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS, with board, in private family; everything new and modern. 468 South Main street. Phone 1029 (old).

THE DU BARRY, 810 Lamar. Table board. Three minutes' walk from Main street. Home cooking. Quick service. \$4 per week.

GOOD DAY BOARD can be secured at 514 East Sixth street; \$3.50 per week. Phone 2613.

BEST ROOM AND BOARD at the Family Hotel, 1604 Lamar street. Rates reasonable.

FIRST CLASS board and room; modern conveniences; hot bath; \$4 per week. 902 West Weatherford.

TWO NICE ROOMS and board, in a private family. Phone 3664.

WANTED-To board children. 803 Groves. Phone 615 Green.

FIRST-CLASS room and board at 915 Lamar street. Phone 3115.

SPECIAL NOTICES

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SOMETHING new in Fort Worth-Ladies' tailor-made skirts, made here; also the latest patterns; from 42 up Mrs. J. Crume, 7th and Burnett, over Bergman's grocery store.

IF YOU have farms, stock, household furniture, pianos, organs, etc., to sell see J. H. LESLEY, Licensed Auctioneer, Cleburne, Texas.

FOR REMOVING AND RESETTING all kinds of glass, show windows especially, phone Enoch's Planning Mill 3464.

FOR HIGH GRADE PAINTING and paperhanging and decorating, call Dean & Son. Phone 3828.

MOLDING LATHES, saw and sandpaper machine work done at Dillard's Cabinet Shop. Phone 1950.

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LOST AND FOUND

LOST-Llewellyn setter, female, six months old; black head and ears. Spot on rump at root of tail; numerous small spots on rest of body. Phone 2323-1 ring for reward.

LOST-Between South Calhoun and North Florence, lady's small gold watch, with figures on face and gold dots around figures. Return to The Telegram office and receive reward.

LOST-A black lap robe with animal's head with glass eyes on it. Finder please return to 601 East Magnolia avenue and receive reward.

LOST-One black horse, white star in face and a little white on feet. Corner Pacific and Oak. Phone 2007 for reward.

STOLEN from 904 East Terrill avenue, five hens and one rooster, White Wyandottes. \$10 reward for the thief and chickens. Mrs. S. A. Morris.

Special to The Telegram. LONDON, Jan. 11.—A minister has been elected to the British house of commons, owing to the late returns from yesterday's election in the counties, which are flooding in today. Rev. St. Brooke, formerly a Unitarian pastor and Bromley division of the hamlets, a large division of London in behalf of the liberal party.

Special to The Telegram. LONDON, Jan. 11.—An English-born settler in America held many offices under the American republic, but for a native-born American to reverse the tables and be prominently elected to a seat in the governing body of the empire of Britain entirely without parallel in the history of the world. It is characterized humorous another phase of the "American down," "You can't keep an American down," the king, as it is reported, said, when informed that a Boston would represent a large section of London.

By Associated Press. LONDON, Jan. 11.—The Liberal is rising faster than ever today, a flood of returns comes in from today's elections in the counties.

Fourteen more conservative seats been captured, while the unionists only record a victory in one district which is more than counterbalanced by gains in Sunderland and Yorkshire.

Well-known unionists like W. St. John Broderick, former secretary of the London division of the Liberal party; Henry Chichester, former president of the local government board in Salford, division of Lancashire, and John P. Felt, former president of the board of culture in the Ramsey or northern division of the Huntingdonshire, overwhelmed by the liberal vote. Among the new members elected to the Liberal party are: Dr. Stoford Brooke, a former Unitarian minister in Boston, Mass., who captured the Bromley division of Tower Hamlets in London in behalf of the liberal result to date is as follows: Liberal 189; unionists 75; Irish nationalist 5; laborites, 33.

FAMINE IS RAGING IN NORTHERN JAPAN

960,000 People Panic Stricken Hunger—Suffering Throughout Greater Than Reported

Special to The Telegram. TOKYO, Jan. 11.—Statistics that 960,000 people in northern Japan are panic stricken with hunger. The suffering is believed to be greater than the government will admit.

ANOTHER FIRM CROOKED

Discrepancies of \$150,000 in Accounts of Tennesse Shoe Co. of St. Louis

By Associated Press. ST. LOUIS, Jan. 11.—According to a statement by Frank P. Hayes, a partner in Little & Hayes, accountants and auditing agents for the Tennesse Shoe Co., an inquiry into the affairs of the Tennesse Shoe Company has revealed discrepancies amounting to \$150,000. It is believed, to faulty bookkeeping by the company. John H. Tennent, president of the company, has tendered his resignation to the board of directors. John H. Tennent, Jr., has resigned secretary of the company.

ELECTRICIANS IN SESSION

District Council Meets Labor Temple

The first annual meeting of the district council of the Sixth of the Brotherhood of Electricians convened in this city today. The district comprises Oklahoma, Indian and New Territories, Arkansas and part of Iowa.

At the last convention of the national Electrical Workers' Association in 1905 the country was divided into districts, with each district one to take care of the members of the council. There are also members of the council present at the meeting which is being held at the Labor Temple. The meeting will be held each afternoon.

Friday night the members of the Home Amateurs' Cigar-makers' Union, which will all the time.

GRAND CLOTHING GOODS CO. Great Clearance Sale is the Real Thing

They Came, They Bought. Why? Because we sold dependable merchandise cheap. Come and See.

Imported Swiss Cheese 40c lb. Roquefort Cheese 60c Pound. TURNER & DINGEE

SIMON Licensed and Bonded PAWN BROKER 1503 Main St. Between 14th and 15th Sts.

Staver Buggies, Studebaker Spring Wagons and Harness. First-class articles at reasonable prices. Terms made on anything in the vehicle line. Texas Implement & Transfer Co., Corner Belknap and Throckmorton Streets.

1500 OVERCOATS 52 inches long. Rain-proof Cravatens, Raglans, Chesterfields, Box and other styles of Overcoats. All first-class tailor-made, now selling at FREDMAN'S LOAN OFFICE From \$4.00 up. 912 Main Street.

GOAL and WOOD Delivered in any quantity. Phone 694. ANDREWS-POTTS FUEL CO.

BUY IT HERE HOWARD SMITH FURNITURE CO. The Complete Housefurnishers 1104-6 Main; Both Phones

HOTEL WORTH FORT WORTH, TEXAS. First class. Modern American plan. Conveniently located in business center. MRS. W. P. HARDWICK O. P. HANEY, Managers

Mansion Hotel FORT WORTH, TEXAS. REMODELED American or European plan. The only first-class \$1.50 day hotel in the south. George D. Koenig, Prop., "King Dodo."

AMERICAN RESTAURANT J. C. MOORE, Proprietor. 603 Main Street, Fort Worth, Texas.

AMERICAN STEEL POST & FENCE CO. The fence of beauty, economy and durability. See our fence before placing order. 1044 New phone 1044

M. A. LESSNER, Jeweler and Optician. 1200 Main. Diamonds, Watches, Clocks and Jewelry. Edison and Columbia Phonographs and Records.

GLASSES FITTED EYES TESTED FREE LORD, Optician, 713 Main Street.

We have just received a large and up-to-date stock of Electric and Combination Chandeliers, and invite your inspection. A. J. ANDERSON ELECTRIC CO. 410-412 Houston St. Fort Worth, Tex.

POWELL OFFERS SIDEWALK PLAN

Crossings Are to Be Built by the City TO APPROPRIATE \$10,000

Blocked With Walks to Be Ones Connected Under Plan Advocated by Mayor

The committee representing the Board of Trade and the Factory Club and the Finance and Street and Alley committees of the city council met with the mayor and city attorney in the council room Tuesday night and had an interesting meeting for almost three hours in regard to the sidewalk and paving proposition.

The meeting took up two separate propositions. The first was the improvement of the city streets, which City Attorney Orrick discussed in view of the low valuation of property at present. After the improvement district plan had been discussed for some length of time Mayor Powell took the floor and advocated the appropriation of \$10,000 from the streets and water works to apply in the case of improvement districts.

He said he hoped to have a meeting with the city council on a future date to get the ordinance for the construction, which he thought the city and people would support, whereby the limit could be raised. He said that if not in a position to do so, Judge W. R. Booth declared that if the city would appropriate this sum of money he would undertake to build two miles of continuous sidewalks, South Jennings avenue within four months.

Improvement Districts City Attorney Orrick said that owing to the present valuation of property in this city it would be impossible to go ahead with the improvement district plan unless a test case was first made and the law limiting the tax rate to 2 1/2 per cent proved to be unconstitutional. As an example of the improvement district plan he stated the specific case of the Sixth ward improvement district, which was announced in the Telegram a week ago Sunday. The district includes Lipscomb streets, from railroad avenue to Pennsylvania avenue. The request for the improvement district plan was made by Dr. Cooper and a valuation of the property along the street showed that the tax rate would be 2 1/2 per cent. He said that the city engineer's estimate for the improvement district sidewalks with a forty-foot street paved with brick was \$18,160.20, which was divided as follows: Street paving, \$200 yards at \$15.170; curbing, at 40 cents, \$1,420; sidewalks, at 16 cents, \$1,575.20. The estimate for the street with a sidewalk was \$11,819.20. The street is 1,775 feet long and the estimate provides for only a three-foot sidewalk.

Mayor Powell then made his suggestion about the granting of \$10,000 by the city council from the streets and water works fund for the purpose of building street crossings wherever the people would build two continuous blocks of sidewalks. He stated that the city would build two continuous blocks of sidewalks, 20,000 feet of crossings three feet wide, or nearly four miles of streets crossings. He declared that he had always favored a street paving, curbing and sidewalks and as it was almost impossible to take care of all the streets, he thought the city should take care of the sidewalks. He also said that the city had started about ten or twelve years ago to improve the county roads and that the tax rate for the county was better than the streets of Fort Worth.

J. N. Winters J. N. Winters was present as the representative of the Eighth Ward Civic League. He stated that the position of the mayor and the guarantee of Judge Booth was what he had been waiting for. He stated that if the city would take such action he was sure that the Eighth ward would have 50 per cent of its sidewalks built within a year. He stated that the Eighth Ward Civic League would see that it was done also.

No Objections Heard Alderman Henderson then declared that he failed, as chairman of the finance committee, to see the necessity of the money for the proposition. He said that the fund, as soon as spent would be the highest that could be levied. Mr. Orrick then said that he only wanted to improve at present would be to begin in the portions of the city which are the poorest. He said that the improvement district would be extended.

Advice from Dallas W. J. Moroney of Dallas was invited to address the meeting and said that he had had years of experience with the legal and practical side of the sidewalk question and that he considered that it would be very unwise of this city to make these improvement districts unless the supreme court would decide that the 2 1/2 per cent limit of taxation, if said that Fort Worth is at present paying at the rate of \$1.75 per \$100 and that if an improvement district was made anywhere in the city and the rate raised to \$2.50 this would prevent the tax rate of the entire city being raised in case of an emergency before the expiration of the thirty or forty years necessary for the paying of the improvement district bonds, as to raise the present rate would then necessitate the raising of the limit in the improvement district part of town.

Mayor Powell Answers Mayor Powell then answered Alderman Henderson and said that he considered it one of the evidences of the prosperity of the city that it was able to run on the overdraft plan, on which the city was now operating. He said that the overdraft plan, on which payment of interest was made during the entire year, "that is, from that time the overdraft was made, as it does to the water works," he said, "and I do not favor passing the water works fund to the city. It is a matter of the city's credit, and it is not the duty of the city to spend its taxes when it can be avoided. He said that it was the same as the position of the man who sold his wages before he earned them."

Alderman Maddox, another member of the finance committee, declared that he was in favor of sidewalks wherever possible, but that he did not see where the money was to be found. The meeting was closed by Mayor Powell, who spoke as follows: "My heart is set on this problem. The aldermen of the finance committee talk of overdraft. Bonds, are debts the same as an overdraft. There is this big difference in favor of the overdraft, and that is that it can be taken up on call. It is true that we are behind at the end of the year, but if you will put the best bankers in power and let them devise means for the city, they will find that the city will be behind at the end of the year. It has always been so and will always be so. It is a matter of the city's credit that it can go to the bank and get money. There is only one way to take care of the overdraft, and that is to build the viaduct and went into debt. Here is a crying necessity, and I am in favor of applying this \$10,000 to the overdraft. We have more tax money than we need, and as the improvements are put down, as the value will be raised on all property thereafter, it is the duty of the city to take the chance and meet the citizen half way."

The meeting then adjourned without taking any action on a future meeting except that Chairman Armstrong stated that he would report the matter back to the clubs for which his committee acted.

Mental Accuracy BUILDING IS STONE Comes up when Comanche Has New Structure Going Up in Business Section. Special to The Telegram. COMANCHE, Texas, Jan. 11.—R. V. Neely is having erected on the south side of the public square here a one-story stone building with dimensions 60x110 feet. This will be divided by a partition and rented for mercantile purposes.

TEXAS GREATEST CLOTHING STORE. PRICE NEWS. \$15.00 and \$16.00 Suits \$9.50. H. S. & M. \$20.00 Suits \$14.50. Stein-Bloch \$25.00 Suits \$18.50. H. S. & M. and Stein-Bloch \$30.00 Suits \$21.50.

PASSING OF SOME LARGE RANCHES

Concho Country Rapidly Settling Up in Small Holdings

B. E. Ratliff is one of three brothers who are all cowmen. He and his brother, P. T. Ratliff, live in Brownwood and H. G. Ratliff resides on his ranch on the Colorado, which is located in Mills and Brown counties.

"We all have our own places," said B. E. Ratliff, "and what is said of the condition of one may apply to all, only my brothers have larger places and a larger business than my place. I am near Brownwood and my brothers are near Brownwood and my brothers are near Brownwood. Everything is in very fair shape both as to range and cattle, which are wintering fairly well. Everybody feeds their cattle to keep them up with sorghum, kafir corn, milo, oats and wheat. My brothers raise cotton and anyone going by their barns now will find 100-150 bushels of seed laid by for winter feeding. They sow large acreages of wheat for pasture and have hay fields covering an acre or so for the cattle to feed at during severe weather. "Our country is a good one and very productive, with good, honest people, and Brownwood is a thoroughly business place and improving every day. Wonderful Increase of Land "Land is also increasing rapidly in value. A small place that I gave \$350 an acre for three years ago I can now sell for \$15. You remember the Day ranch? Well, there was 120,000 acres in the ranch and it lay along the Colorado and Concho rivers for twenty miles. The headquarters was on Grapevine creek. Mrs. Lea, formerly Mrs. Day, put the ranch on the market a couple of years ago, cut up into farm blocks. Today she has sold all but a few hundred acres around the headquarters, and almost every quarter section is occupied and has a house on it. Named Town After Two Husbands She has located a town on the Colorado, which she named for her two husbands, Lea-Day, and has erected a fine, large hotel. The town has grown and is quite a business place now, owing to the number of new settlers that have to be served with goods of various kinds. "She has averaged about \$14 per acre for the land. Some years ago when she was in a tight place and wanted to borrow money, she stated to the moneyed man that she owned a tract that land for 40 cents an acre, so they said if she could the money was ready. Nath Hall looked over the range, saw that the grass was good and took 40,000 acres at 40 cents an acre and so the deal went through. Down in the south part of the county, along the Colorado, it was dry early in the fall and the grass is not so good as in other parts of the country."

Capital City Visitor E. F. Crozier, a young man whose home is in Travis county and whose mail is delivered to him in Austin, said: "I am not exactly in the cattle business now, but my brother-in-law, Albert Kent, is buyer for Armour and consequently I am in a position to know a cow when I see one. Moreover, I was born in Travis county and it would be strange indeed if being a native of Texas I was not interested in the cattle and kindred industries that have been here since the new year opened and not feel that I have had enough of Fort Worth. I am sure that I cannot tell you anything much about range conditions in our section, but when I left everything was seemingly in good shape. You know that our county is practically a solid farm, and the range is so limited that it is not worth talking about. However, a good lot of cattle are handled in and around Austin, the major portion of which comes from Llano and Mason counties and are usually good stock. A prairie man would think if he was set down in Llano county that a goat would prance and a family let down a cow, he should be get eight of some of the cattle he would change his mind and wonder where they get their feet."

"Now I just wish to say one thing, and I do not wish to hurt your feelings, as a member of The Telegram force, but I have advised my sister not to place another advertisement in The Telegram if she values her piece of mind. She got one in when she went to housekeeping a little while ago and said she wanted a boy. The result was that there never was such a rash of boys to any one house at one time, and it did look like all the nigger boys in the country read The Telegram and believe what it said, that a boy was wanted. From this it is evident that The Telegram is read in this community."

Lampasas Range Good Tilford Bean Jr. of Lampasas county, who, with his father, is engaged in the ranch and cattle business, with headquarters at the town of Lampasas, was in the city Tuesday and visited the Fort Worth Stock Ex-

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