

FARMERS WOULD BECOME MANUFACTURERS' RIVALS

New Business Plan Provides for Entrance Into Trade CO. DELEGATES MEET Business Sessions of Convention Being Held at the Labor Temple

That the Farmers' Union contemplates entering into industrial manufactures is shown in the proposed business plan for the Tarrant county organization referred to the various local unions from the meeting held Dec. 6.

Section 2 of article 6 of the proposed form of government, as sent out to the various locals by F. V. Evans of this city on behalf of the committee, is as follows:

The association will enter industrial pursuits as early as its capital will permit, and will undertake to turn the finished products for use, and will buy or build and operate cotton gins, oil mills, elevators, warehouses, flour mills, packing houses, factories, etc.

The scope and object of the union is declared to be "to supply the economic needs of its members; to buy, sell or produce any of the products of labor; to buy or sell, build or operate any of the means necessary to production or distribution which may now be owned or operated by an individual or private corporation; to negotiate and guarantee loans to its members upon gilt-edged security."

As an industrial organization the union is to be co-operative and shares will be sold and held by members only, no member being allowed to hold more than four shares for himself.

NEW COMPANY ADMITTED Fire Insurance Organization of Canada May Enter Texas AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 2.—The state department yesterday granted a permit to do business in Texas in 1906 to the Western Assurance Fire Company of Toronto, Canada.

MEXICAN ARRESTED Sweetwater Officer Looks for One Man and Finds Another ABILENE, Texas, Feb. 2.—While in Nolan county searching for Theodore Aglar, charged with the murder of a Mexican and seriously cutting and shooting several others near Lorraine, Officer W. F. McLaughlin of Sweetwater arrested Roma Lomez. He is charged with burglary.

NEGRO'S BOND \$1,000 Charged with Killing a Negro at Abilene, Texas Special to The Telegram. ABILENE, Texas, Feb. 2.—Oscar Trushart, negro, charged with the killing of Joe Coleman, a negro here, was released on \$1,000 bond.

\$50,000 FOR THE TEXAS ORPHANS Mrs. C. Miller of Rusk, Makes Great Bequest Special to The Telegram. WACO, Texas, Feb. 2.—More than \$50,000 is divided among four orphanages in Texas by the will of Mrs. C. Miller of Rusk, who died some time ago.

BIG SYNDICATE DEAD Creditors of W. F. Miller Paid 132 on Each Dollar Special to The Telegram. NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—At a meeting of the creditors of William F. Miller of the Franklin syndicate yesterday, a dividend of one dollar was declared.

NEAT RECEPTION GIVEN Only Five Hundred and Fifty "Took Tea" With Perry and His Wife! Special to The Telegram. WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Almost anybody with a moderate income can stand well in society in the national capital.

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SAYS HE MARRIED MRS. CHAS. YERKES

San Franciscan Tells Reporters Wife Is Shy

By Associated Press. NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—Wilson Mizner, the young San Franciscan who says that on Tuesday he married Mrs. Charles T. Yerkes at her home at 846 Fifth avenue, returned to the Hotel Astor at midnight last night after several hours' absence and said genially to the reporters:

"I have just paid a visit to Mrs. Mizner at her home, 846 Fifth avenue. We had a long talk and canvassed the situation thoroughly. I tried to persuade her to see you newspaper men at least once and settle the whole business. She would not do it tonight, but may give out a statement tomorrow. I expect her to, anyway."

News Came Too Soon "Now, as a matter of fact, the reason Mrs. Yerkes denied she is married to me was that the news came out too soon to suit her, though it was not through any fault of my own. She did not expect that the marriage would be announced for a good while and when she woke up Wednesday morning she found that the newspapers were full of it she was pretty angry."

CONSPIRACY NOT SHOWN Plea of Railroad Man and Broker Upon Rebate Law By Associated Press. KANSAS CITY, Feb. 2.—The Burlington road freight traffic manager, George L. Cosgrove, and a freight broker, George L. Thomas, in replying to the indictments returned against them in the federal court, filed motions for their complete acquittal.

COMES CLOSE HOME The southwestern miners subject to strike order embrace 9,000 in Kansas, 12,500 in Indian Territory and almost 8,000 in Missouri. The funds in the union treasuries amount to two and a half million dollars, while an amount equally large will be raised by special assessment of miners before April 1.

"DIFFERENT TOMORROW" New York Bartender Suicided After "Making a Night of It" Special to The Telegram. NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—Otto Backhouse, in his home, No. 186 Manhattan avenue, Jersey City, early today fired three shots into his right temple from a revolver. At the city hospital the physicians say that a bartender employed by James Lueban of Carlton and Montrose avenues, Jersey City, a number of men were in the saloon until long after midnight. Backhouse seemed to have been drinking more than was good for him, and the men played practical jokes on him until he closed the saloon. As he left the jokers Backhouse called out: "Well, boys, it will be different tomorrow."

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ANOTHER BIG GAIN 11,156

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April 1st Will See Immense Disturbances

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MERCURY DROPS 40 DEGREES

Adirondacks Temperature Falls from Spring to Midwinter By Associated Press. PLATTSBURGH, N. Y., Feb. 2.—Telegraphic reports from the Adirondack regions today state that the temperature dropped about 40 degrees there last night.

JUDGE DEUEL IS NOT TO RESIGN Justice Will Not Leave Bench in New York

Charge Is Fitting Ship for Illegal Sealing Trip SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 2.—The jury last night returned a verdict of guilty in the case of William J. Woodside and R. E. S. Desmit, charged with violating a federal law in fitting out the ship Carmelita on an illegal sealing expedition. The jury disagreed regarding Robert Tyson, a co-defendant, and those defendants will be sentenced Monday.

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EFFECT AT FORT WORTH March Springs Up 18 Points on Receipt Immediately on receipt of the ginners' report, March cotton at Fort Worth, which has been resting easily at a level of 11.02, sprang up to 11.19, and within five or ten minutes sank down again to 11.02. The flurry was brief and not particularly startling, and values soon regained their normal level. The lowest price of the morning was 10.98, which was made shortly before the report came in.

SHOP FOREMAN KILLED Former Texarkana Policeman Has Fatal Injury at Stamps, Ark. Special to The Telegram. TEXARKANA, Ark., Feb. 2.—Charles C. Murphy, foreman in the Louisiana and Arkansas car shops at Stamps, Ark., thirty miles east here, died here as the result of an injury received while at work in the shops. He was formerly a member of the police force of Texarkana.

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SPRING PLOWING BEGINS Mild Weather Encourages Farmers in Vicinity of Burleson Special to The Telegram. BURLESON, Texas, Feb. 2.—Farmers are making headway with their spring plowing during these days of warm weather. Cat sowing has begun, and a large acreage will be sown here. Fall oats and wheat are looking nicely since the last weather.

RECOMMENDS PAROLE WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Secretary Pennington has recommended to the board of pardons that the parole of the late Senator Charles McNary be granted.

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BULLISH COTTON ESTIMATE ISSUED

Price Jumps 19 Points on New Orleans Market

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 2.—Director North's estimate of the amount of ginned cotton to Jan. 16, 1906, according to figures in possession of the census bureau, is 250,884 bales. The report indicates a total production for 1905-06 of 10,249,000 bales, exclusive of the linters.

JUMPS 19 POINTS New Orleans Market Rises on Report of Census Bureau By Associated Press. NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 2.—The estimate of the census bureau of the amount of cotton which was to be ginned after Jan. 16 was read at the Cotton Exchange at 10:19 o'clock, and the report had been sent by Director North to the speaker of the house.

SHARP RISE AT NEW YORK Cotton Springs Up 19 Points Net Higher By Associated Press. NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—The census report estimating only 250,884 bales that remained to be ginned on Jan. 16 was followed by a sharp rally in prices and around midday March was selling at 11.03 and May at 12.12, or 17 to 19 points net higher.

NEW YORK FEVERISH Before Receipt of Report Values Fluctuated By Associated Press. NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—The cotton market opened firm at an advance of 10 to 15 points on covering and fresh buying for the long account, which was encouraged by firm cables and expectations that the census report and cotton remaining to be ginned after Jan. 16 would be bullish.

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WEST TEXAS TRAVELING MAN IS YARN EXPERT

TELLS EXPERIENCES Twelve Years as Cowboy and Knowing "Wet-Ropers," Is Now a Salesman

Special Correspondent. BAIRD, Texas, Feb. 2.—Texas has many traveling men and like the members of their profession, all have a greater or less fund of interesting stories with which they while away the time when waiting for trains, or occasionally recite for the entertainment of a customer and his store-box congress.

But most traveling men are silent when they get into a crowd containing W. L. Jones of Baird. Jones holds the palm for stories and better than the palm, he always holds his crowd. He can tell stories that will make men sit up until 2 o'clock in the morning to listen and when he has finished he leaves the impression that he has merely torn a page or two out of the preface of a long book which might contain his autobiography since he came to Texas.

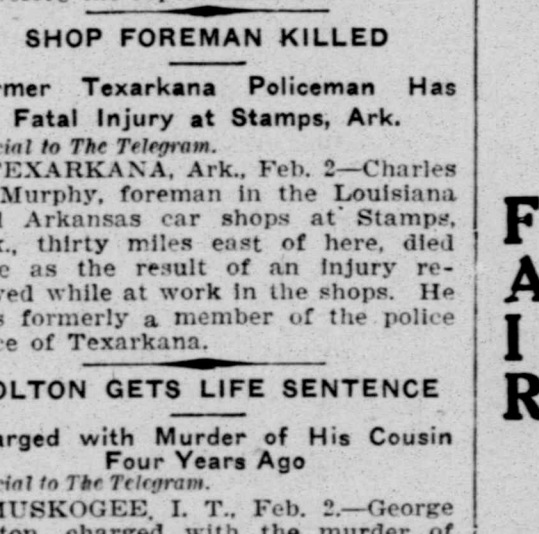
Knows Early History Jones lived through the interesting period in west Texas known as the "wet-roper" days. Thomas Dixon Jr.'s tales of the Ku Klux Klan have made him much fame, but Jones knows enough about the "wet-ropers" to fill a book or two of his own. Jones' present occupation is selling overalls and gloves. One of his favorite pastimes is a game of dominoes. The metamorphosis from a carefree cowboy to an overall salesman who likes nothing better than a four-handled game in a quiet corner, is a long story and Jones has never told all of it.

He has known what starvation means, also lack of water, he has been dragged at the stirrups of a wild broncho and had half the flesh stripped from his back by a pony which tried to get rid of him by running under an over-hanging oak limb branch. One of Jones' stories which graphically pictures the experience of early west Texas pioneers in exploring the then almost unknown country, deals with his trip to the Devils River country in 1878. One of the men with whom he went is now living in Hood county and can bear out the tale.

"Three of us started out to the Devil's River country in the spring of 1878," said Jones, in beginning the story. "There were L. M. and John Wyatt, brothers, and myself. "We got to Beaver lake without mishap, found hunting good and had plenty of game. From Beaver lake we started to drive to Howard's ford. Late one evening as we were going down hill over a rough, rocky trail, I said to the boys, 'Wouldn't we be in a fix if our wagon would break down?'"

"I don't suppose we'd gone three hundred yards further before the rear axle broke in two and there we were. "Twenty-four miles back to Beaver lake and thirty-five or forty miles to Howard's ford. We had heard that there a well had been recently sunk in what was known as Johnson's run, but we did not know for sure whether it had been dug or in what direction it lay. "We were in a serious predicament. It was eighty-five miles to Del Rio and 110 miles to Knickerbocker, the

FAIR WEATHER SAYS FORECASTER



WEATHER FORECAST. NEW ORLEANS, La., Feb. 2.—Weather indications are: East Texas, north: Tonight and Saturday generally fair.

East Texas, south: Tonight partly cloudy and cooler; Saturday generally fair; fresh northerly winds on the coast. Arkansas, Oklahoma and Indian Territory: Tonight and Saturday fair.

Fort Worth and vicinity may expect generally fair weather tonight and Saturday, with possibly occasional showers.

2400 POLLS IN TAYLOR CO. ABILENE, Texas, Feb. 2.—Total poll taken here last night, 2400.

Mothers We Are Ready With Suits for YOUR BOYS

While other stores are short on sizes, we can give you the choice from full lines, any size you choose. We are first in town to receive the new 1926 patterns—Buster Brown and Norfolk styles, single and double-breasted, for that boy of yours.

Nice fancy chevrons, in double-breasted coat, at... \$1.75 New gray and fancy mixtures, in both double-breasted and single-breasted, at \$2.00, \$2.50 and... \$3.00 All Wool Blue Serge Suits—the best wearing and most satisfactory cloth that you can put on a boy. Come in all sizes from third to seventeenth year; the smaller sizes elaborately trimmed with fancy braids and buttons; for the older boy they are made plainer, as the age increases; specially good value for... \$3.50 New Suits in shades of new grays, both in medium and dark shades—just the thing; does not show dust and wears well; of pure wool; the suit from \$4.00 to... \$5.00



N. C. Stripping THE PRICE IS THE THING

nearest blacksmith shops. We could not go on with our broken axle and we had only about two gallons of water in our keg.

"We decided to camp, eat supper, and wait for morning before planning what we should do. We had a supper of antelope steaks, drank a little wine, the horses were forced to do without, and then lay down to sleep as best we could.

"In the morning when we woke, the first thing we noticed was that our horses were gone. They had either been stolen or half-crazed from lack of water had run.

"We suspected that they had been stolen, and taking our revolvers and bridles, started out to see if we could trail them. The two Wyoates of our party went in one direction, while I took another. Soon I found the horses' trail, but they were tracks of five horses in a line of three, which was all we had.

"I went back to where we had left the wagon and soon the other boys joined me. I told them what I had found and we decided that one should stay and guard the wagon while the other two went after the horses and the third man of our party, and asked if he could lend us a wagon so that we might go after him. She had no wagon, but said that about twenty-two miles further on a new colony composed mostly of Dallas men, had settled and that we probably could get a wagon there.

"We let our horses rest all night, and then started for the new settlement. We found it, borrowed the wagon, and started on the trail at Johnson's run. We did not get back until the second night after we had left our third man with our own broken wagon, and he had no idea what shape he was in. We had left his some food, a little water, and plenty of ammunition, but they having heard of the settlement, they might probably have concluded that we had either been killed by horse thieves or had been taken from them.

"After resting another night at Johnson's run we started out as early as possible for our wagon, on the way we met a man on horseback.

"He stopped us and asked if we belonged to a man with a wagon and no horses. We said we did. 'You'd better hurry, my horse got to ever make his pretty near desperate. Last night I was riding along and when I got close to him he called me and asked me what I was doing. I told him and he said I was going to do no such thing; that I had to stay all night with him. As he had a whole magazine of revolvers and Winchester I decided he was telling the truth, so I jumped off my horse and stayed with him all night. He was very all right, but I gave him half of my canteen.'

INVESTORS WIN AGAINST COMPANY Court of Appeals Dismisses Appeal of Concern

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 2.—The dismissal of the appeal by the court of civil appeals yesterday in the case of the Fidelity Funding Company of San Francisco et al. vs. San Hirschfeld, from Travis county, means a victory for the appellee, Hirschfeld, and the intervenors in this case. This is the company, it will be remembered, time since in Texas about a year ago and proposed to pay investors in its certificates a profit of 50 per cent on the amount invested. This appeared to be such a "good thing" that the company did a thriving business in Texas, but, some time later, before most of the certificates had matured, the company was thrown in the hands of a receiver. On the application of Hirschfeld, Joe Koen of Austin was appointed receiver. The trial court denied the appeal of the funding company to vacate the appointment of a receiver and the case resulted in a victory for the intervenors. The funding company appealed to the court of civil appeals and that tribunal, as stated above, dismissed the appeal yesterday, which leaves the judgment of the trial court stand.

MAN BURNED TO DEATH Another Has Narrow Escape in Fire at Abbeville

ABBEVILLE, Texas, Feb. 2.—Fire was discovered in the dwelling house belonging to Horace Graham near the railroad here and occupied by LeRoy Maynard Jr., who perished in the flames. George Cuculli, a well-known rice burner, was in the house at the time the fire broke out, and being severely burned. Mr. Maynard was about 40 years of age. The building, which had been totally destroyed. Loss about \$1,200.

FEW IN ATTENDANCE Meeting of Texas Railway Managers Discuss Traffic

WACO, Texas, Feb. 2.—The meeting of Texas Railway Managers' Association yesterday was attended by as many as had been expected, but the session was an interesting one for the railroad men. The following officials were present: S. B. Hoyt, president, Rock Island; Leroy Trice, International and Great Northern; W. C. Nixon, Santa Fe; E. J. McDaniel, Rock Island; H. Innes, S. A. & P. R. W. Miller, East Texas; G. F. Hawks, H. W. Charles, Hamilton Texas Central; ex-Governor Joseph D. Sayers, attorney for the organization, and Blair Gilmore, secretary. The subject of passenger traffic was discussed, and was one of the chief matters discussed.

NEW LINE PROPOSED Waco Capital Would Build Railway From Hillsboro to Temple

TEMPLE, Texas, Feb. 2.—The Board of Trade has received a proposition from E. Kelly of Waco, Texas, that he intends building a line of steam railroad from Hillsboro to Temple via Waco, on which line freight traffic will be handled by steam locomotives, while passengers will be transported in gasoline motor cars between the points. Kelly proposes to build a line from Hillsboro to Temple via Waco, on which line freight traffic will be handled by steam locomotives, while passengers will be transported in gasoline motor cars between the points. Kelly proposes to build a line from Hillsboro to Temple via Waco, on which line freight traffic will be handled by steam locomotives, while passengers will be transported in gasoline motor cars between the points.

RANKIN TO SPEAK Dallas Religious Editor to Enter Campaign at Temple

TEMPLE, Texas, Feb. 2.—There is a local election scheduled in Bell county, and the prohibitionists are determined to fire the first gun of the campaign. They have killed Rev. C. C. Rankin of Dallas, editor of the Christian Advocate, to address a prohibition mass meeting at Belton and at Temple, Feb. 5 and 6, when he will speak on "Good Citizenship." The pros are rushing matters somewhat, as not even the petition for the election has been circulated yet.

GIVEN FIVE YEARS Alleged Slayer of Weaver Rowe Sentenced at Waco

WACO, Texas, Feb. 2.—E. B. Finlunas, charged with the murder of Owen Rowe at Moody, this county, in January last year, was yesterday sentenced to five years in the penitentiary by a jury in this case, the charge being reduced to manslaughter. The two men were young fellows and were on their way home and in a lane, when Rowe was stabbed to death, there being no eye witnesses.

RAILROAD SEEKS RELIEF Wants Half of 1905 Kennedy Tax Remitted

WACO, Texas, Feb. 2.—A bold horse theft was committed yesterday afternoon about 5 o'clock, and a negro named E. Davis and charging from Dallas is in jail. The horse was taken from right in front of the county court house and belonged to Deputy Constable George Garard. The negro was captured before he got out of town, but not until after a hard chase, in which he left the horse and ran for it. The horse and rider were in the north part of the city.

CATTLE FOR FORT WORTH Two Cars from Burleson—Herd is in Good Shape

BLOODY FIGHT IN NOLAN COUNTY Mexican Dance Has Fatal End. One Dead

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Feb. 2.—The San Antonio Traction Company accepts Half Fares from Children Special to The Telegram. S. ANTONIO, Texas, Feb. 2.—The San Antonio Traction Company has issued instructions to its conductors to accept 3 cents in payment of the fare of one child under the age of 12 and 5 cents in payment of the fares of two children under that age. A number of persons, knowing this, the other half fare, when 5 cents is given and they were accepted by the conductors. The matter of issuing tickets for the other half fare, when 5 cents is given for one child, is being considered by the officers of the company and their legal advisers, but no conclusion has been reached. The decision of the company to put the half-fare rule into effect in the case of children under 12 years followed the receipt of the decision of the supreme court of the United States by the company's attorney. This decision was in the case involving the possession of a child under 12 and 5 cents in payment of the fares of two children under that age.

WANTED IN JAIL? Unknown Man Is Fired on by Deputy Sheriff

WACO, Texas, Feb. 2.—Only one case of snuff poisoning in Waco for the fall and winter is the record on this disease, and it is considered a fine one. There have been two or three cases in all, but only one of them developed here. The city has been cleaned and kept that way, and this is considered one of the chief reasons of immunity from snuff-pox.

HOTEL CHANGES HANDS Metropole at Waco to Have New Management

WACO, Texas, Feb. 2.—R. G. Wendland of Temple, formerly with the Harvey people, who had bought the Metropole at Waco, has been conducting the Rinkley hotel, yesterday took formal possession of the Metropole here. T. H. Glancy relinquishing his lease to them. The new men are well known hotel men and have taken charge of a popular house.

STATE NEARING A CASH BASIS \$65,363.86 Is Increase in Tax Collections

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 2.—Although there was an increase of \$65,363.86 in the amount of tax collections received by the comptroller during January, being December collections, over that of January 1919, it is not believed that the state is on a cash basis until the latter part of this month or the first of March. The total amount received from taxes in January, 1920, for December collections, was \$197,787.94, against \$132,424.08 for the same month in 1919, making an increase of \$65,363.86.

DOWIE LEADER FINED IN COURT San Antonio Judge Convicts Woman of Disturbance

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Feb. 2.—For the second time Mrs. Mary McGee Hall, a leader in the corporation court this morning, by continued indisposition, was fined for disturbing the peace by loud and vulgar language in the streets. She was fined \$25, and witnesses testified that she did not know the law. Her husband, who is a member of the Methodist church, is a resident of the city, referring to them as stinkpots. Notice of appeal was given. In the preceding case she was fined \$10 and also appealed.

NEW BANK AT AUSTIN Capital Stock of New Institution is \$100,000

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 2.—The charter of the Capital Bank and Trust Company of Austin was filed late yesterday afternoon in the secretary of state's department; capital stock \$100,000. The corporation is composed almost entirely of citizens of Austin and surrounding counties, and while it does not really absorb the First National Bank of Austin, it takes over its deposits. Captain W. H. Richardson is the president of the new institution. There are three state officials connected with the new bank. Comptroller Stephens, Chief Clerk John T. Smith of the comptroller's department and State Treasurer Robbins.

JUDGE FISHER APPOINTED Will Preside in Galveston District Court No. 10

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 2.—The appointment of Judge Lewis Fisher of Galveston, to be district judge of Galveston district No. 10, made a few days ago by the governor, was officially announced yesterday and becomes effective on Feb. 1. Judge Fisher succeeds Judge F. M. Spencer, resigned.

CATTLE SALE MADE Range Still in Good Condition

BRACKETT, Texas, Feb. 2.—Judge E. A. Jones has sold to Hobbs & McCormick of Spoford 200 head of stock cattle at \$12. The recent freeze did not kill all the grass and weeds in this section and there is still good grazing. Some of the best new stock, bred by farmers and ranchmen. Wells are still open, and the water level is set good.

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LOW RATE PREVAILS Hood's Pills

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FARMERS' MEETING CALLED President Calvin of Union Calls Gathering For March 6

DALLAS, Texas, Feb. 2.—President E. A. Calvin of the Farmers' Union, has issued a call for a meeting to be held in Dallas March 6. A rate of one and one-fifth fares for the round trip has been announced. Some very important questions are to be discussed and probably disposed of at the meeting promises of great importance to farmers of Texas. It is stated that representing the Farmers' Union, housing farm products and promotion of cotton manufacturing are subjects in which every farmer of the state is interested. Their concerted solution is of importance to all classes. The Dallas Commercial Club quarters in the Terminal building has been secured for the meeting. Mr. Calvin stated that there would be probably 1,000 farmers in attendance.

WOMAN FOUND HANGED Mind Affected by Death of Husband

GEORGETOWN, Texas, Feb. 2.—Mrs. Jacob Rymal, aged 64 years, was found hanged today with a small rope. The death of her husband recently is thought to have affected her mind. The coroner's inquest will be held today.

TEXAS CENTRAL LETS CONTRACT Line Will Extend West of the Orient Road

Captain J. A. Owens of Galveston, a well-known railroad contractor, was in Fort Worth Thursday morning, accompanied by his son, Ed Owens. He informed The Telegram that he had just closed a contract with the Texas Central to grade forty-five miles of the Interstate of the Orient and Central. This will carry the road twenty miles west of the Orient and the road will pass every mile of its route through a most fertile and productive country.

TO RAISE BONUS MUSKOGEE I. T., Feb. 2.—The citizens here held a mass meeting Thursday night and resolved to close every business house of enterprise for the purpose of raising the balance of the \$30,000 bonus needed to secure the shops and operating headquarters for the Muskogee Valley Railroad. Ten thousand dollars was raised Thursday and \$20,000 remains to be raised before the necessary amount is secured.

CHANGE IN KATY The following circular has been received here from the office of General Passenger Agent Crush of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas at Dallas.

"Effective Feb. 1, Jake Gerlock is appointed traveling passenger agent, with headquarters at Fort Worth. His territory will include Wichita Falls, Gainesville, Denton, Denison, Sherman, Bonham, Greenville, McKinney and intermediate points. The appointment of G. J. Lee as assistant city ticket agent of the company at Dallas. These changes have been forecast in The Telegram, but the circular announcing them have just been received.

OLD TIME RECALLED Phil Auer, general passenger agent of the Rock Island, has received an invitation to be present at the golden jubilee of his old Sunday school class in Buffalo, N. Y. The present Sunday school superintendent is the same superintendent who was in when Mr. Auer attended the Sunday school, having occupied this place for twenty-five years.

Mr. Auer began his railroad career in Buffalo, starting out like many others at the bottom. His first position was that of messenger for the Grand Trunk railroad at Buffalo. Subsequently he went to Niagara Falls, where he was employed by the New York Central. From that place he went to Chicago and joined the forces of the Rock Island, which road he has been eight years.

TRICE ADVANCED Leroy Trice, vice president of the International and Great Northern railroad, is expected in Fort Worth Thursday afternoon, accompanied by A. I. Bowers, superintendent of bridges and buildings. It is understood that Mr. Trice shortly to be promoted to a more responsible position with the Gould system, but he has not yet made any official announcement of the change.

TRUCKING AGREEMENT Negotiations in Progress Between the Santa Fe and the Cotton Belt

WACO, Texas, Feb. 2.—Negotiations are in progress between the Santa Fe and the Cotton Belt which, it is believed, will result in the entrance of the Santa Fe to the city in the near future. The Santa Fe will use the tracks of the Cotton Belt from McGroves to Waco. During the progress of the negotiations the Santa Fe has offered to pay the Cotton Belt a certain fixed charge for the privilege of coming in and using the terminals of the Cotton Belt here, while the latter road has been endeavoring to have the payment made upon a basis of the

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How Mrs. Rannells Freed Herself From an Inherited Disorder

Sufferers from ailments that have a hereditary origin, such as that which is hereditary, are often in a state of mental and physical distress. The case which follows proves that such hereditary difficulties are not beyond the reach of curative forces and should inspire hopefulness and a readiness to try remedies that have effected signal cures, such as that which is hereditary.

Mrs. Elizabeth Rannells, of No. 408 East Seventh street, Newton, Kansas, is a well-known resident, whose disinclination to make known her personal affairs is overcome in this instance solely by her sense of obligation to others who may be ignorant of the possibility of relief from the physical sufferings which she formerly experienced. She gives the following account of her ailment and her cure: "For two years I suffered from a trying nervousness in my lower limbs from my knees down, as my mother and my grandmother had suffered before me. The situation was for many years accepted as unavoidable because hereditary. But about two years ago, when my son was realizing benefit from the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, I thought that might possibly be some good in them for me. My mother had then become so nervous as to make it difficult for me to sleep. I often had to walk the floor restlessness the whole night. After stopping my work I bought the pills and I evidently stopped a little too soon for nervousness came back after a month or so and I used the pills again for a time. Relief came at once and since I have been free from any return of the twitches or from any interference with my sleep."

These pills cured Mrs. Rannells by building up the blood to carry health and strength to every part of the body. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have cured the worst cases of bloodlessness, indigestion, nervousness, rheumatism, sciatica, neuritis, nervousness, spinal weakness, and the special ailments of girls and women whose blood supply has become weak, scanty or irregular. Information address the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

TELEGRAM'S 20-PAGE DAILY BEATS FT. WORTH RECORDS

Biggest Regular Week-day Edition Ever Printed by Local Newspaper

The first day of the shortest month in the year marked a new era for The Telegram, in so far as a week-day paper is concerned.

Circulation January brought to The Telegram another big increase in the daily average circulation.

Advertising The Telegram yesterday printed 447 more inches of reading matter and 132 inches of advertising than any other Fort Worth paper.

IN THE COURTS FATHER FILES SUIT W. H. Womack Asks \$1,950 Damages from Swift & Co.

Probate Court In the matter of the estate of H. C. Jett, deceased, Mrs. Belle Terry, No. 476 Pacific avenue, filed proof of her share of the said H. C. Jett and had raised him from infancy, his mother dying a short time after his birth.

Suits Filed The following suits have been filed in the district courts: Emma McDonald vs. John McDonald, divorce.

Seventeenth District Court Bessie Bonham vs. R. H. Bonham, divorce and alimony.

Consultation Held Assistant County Attorney R. E. L. Roy went to Dallas Thursday for consultation with the county attorney of Dallas county on the Eugene Faulkner case.

FARMERS BEGIN SESSION HERE

Business Plan and Market Are Principal Topics Tarrant County Farmers' Union met in executive session at the labor temple Friday morning with C. B. Johnson as president and J. T. Beasley as secretary.

SUE LIQUOR DEALERS State Revenue Agent to Inaugurate a New Move Austin, Texas, Feb. 2.—State Revenue Agent J. W. C. Johnson, who is here on a trip throughout the state, reported that as a result of his investigation he had found a large number of liquor dealers throughout the state who are operating without state licenses.

RATE BILLS UP Senate Committee Will Report One of Three By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 2.—The senate committee on interstate commerce today reported an agreement to vote on the various railroad rate bills on Feb. 16.

PARDONS MIDDY Roosevelt Extends Executive Clemency to Miller By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 2.—The President has pardoned Midshipman John Paul Miller of Kentucky, recently convicted of having at Annapolis naval academy.

WARNS DOCTORS AGAINST COMBINE Grover Cleveland's Address Is Received With Enthusiasm Special to The Telegram. ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 2.—At the celebration in honor of the 160th anniversary of the Medical Society of the State of New York, former President Grover Cleveland was one of the speakers.

SANG WHILE DROP FELL Negro Wife Murderer Meets Death in Theatrical Style Special to The Telegram. WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—William Hamilton, a Negro, was hanged today, while a quartet on the scaffold sang "Jesus, Lover of My Soul."

UNKNOWN HERE No Offers Have Yet Been Made Local Retailers A special dispatch received by The Telegram Friday says the Walkup & Fielder, R. A. Anderson, Thomas Childress and W. J. Fisher, retail drug stores of Fort Worth, are mentioned as desired to be taken over in options and consolidated by the newly incorporated United Chemists Company.

AFTER SICKNESS Our Druggist, R. A. Anderson, Tells How to Regain Strength. "Owing to this changeable climate and unseasonable weather, there has been a good deal of sickness in Fort Worth during the past few weeks."

APPOINTMENTS MADE Joint Conference Votes Continuance of Wage Scale By Associated Press. INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Feb. 2.—The joint conference of coal miners and operators adjourned sine die at 11:40 o'clock today, after the chair had descended.

Saturday Is the Last Day of Our Great Mid-Winter Sale

This sale has far exceeded our expectations—it has been a wonderful success; every day seemed to surpass the preceding one, but we expect to make Saturday (tomorrow) the banner day of this bargain-giving occasion.

Hose Specials Ladies' Black Woolen Hose, gray heel and toe, 25c grade, 19c

Neckwear Tomorrow we place our entire stock of Fancy Chiffon and Silk Stocks, including all the latest styles and popular colors.

In the Basement Men's Fine Chevrolet Shirts, in post-man's and fireman's blue, 38c kind, 47c

Ladies Fine Suits and Coats—Astounding Reductions—Best Styles Etons, Jackets, Long Coat Suits, in all the late styles and accepted cloths, in mixtures, panamas, shadow checked or plain mannish mixtures, chevots and broadcloths; the season's latest models; regular prices up to \$39.95; on sale at, \$9.85

LOCAL FIRM GETS BIG CONTRACT McCullum-Crandall Bid Secures \$30,000 Job

DRUG COMBINE UNKNOWN HERE No Offers Have Yet Been Made Local Retailers

HURT IN WRECK Salt Lake Road Scene of Head-On Collision

INQUEST HELD IN POISON CASE Justice Decides August Sweet Ended Own Life With Acid

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OF INTEREST TO WOMEN FAIR HANDS SORT THE MAIL; FAIR WOMEN ACT AS POSTMEN



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ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 2.—The strike in St. Petersburg has played havoc with the postal arrangements, and has afforded an opportunity to a number of famous women to demonstrate their patriotism.

When it became an impossibility for the government to deliver the mails, volunteers were called for, and among those who responded were several women of title and a number of popular actresses.

Of course they do not tramp from house to house like the "regulars" in the service. The St. Petersburg woman postman of today drives to the door of the lucky recipient of correspondence in her carriage or automobile, and often a page or footman carries the parcels into the houses.

At the postoffice fair hands, manufactured and jeweled, are engaged in sorting mail. The air of the office, once stale with tobacco, is now fragrant with soft, cease-soothing odors, and it is whispered in quarters where jealousy lives that there is more tea drinking than work performed.

Among the "postmen" are Mlle. Postkorska, the famous opera singer; the Princess Orosoff, the Countess Modynoff and Mlle. Labunskaja, Papan and Polakova, three popular actresses.

In quite a genial voice, "I am glad to find you so much better after your distressing journey here!"

"Are you?" I muttered stupidly. I was overcome with surprise at his curious charge of matter.

He helped me, dumb with astonishment, out of the room and along a passage into a fine old dining hall. Seated at table there were Dr. Fulton, Dr. Venner and Marion Le Mar, now Lady Dagmar.

At the sight of the beautiful woman whom I had so passionately loved I cried out loudly, and stood still. Her face was pale. She was attired in deep mourning, and her eyes were resolutely downward.

Sir Charles Venner uttered a low, cynical little laugh. "Marion!" I gasped, looking at her straight and full.

Very slowly she raised her eyes, and returned my glance with a look of cold disdain. "I thought her a thief and a traitress, and yet my eyes fell before her gaze."

Beudant entered the room. "The grave is dug, master," he announced. I looked at Sir Charles. He was biting his under lip and curiously regarding me.

"Whose?" I demanded. "Yours and Lady Dagmar's!" he replied with a sneer.

I looked at Marion. She was calmly eating her breakfast. "This is some ghastly joke!" I cried.

Marion glanced at me and smiled. "Silly cynic, monsieur," she murmured quietly. "My good friend, Sir Charles Venner, persists in believing that we love each other, and I—in spite of the fact that scarcely a month ago I deserted you in order to marry Sir William Dagmar."

"Sir William Dagmar, madame!" cut in Sir Charles in tones of ice. "You forget that you are now a rich young widow."

"Well, sir," "And that you have steadily refused to account to me for my money, which should have been placed, long ere this, at the disposal of our order."

"Sir William Dagmar bound me with an oath as he lay dying—" "You have told me that story before," interrupted Sir Charles. Marion shrugged her shoulders, and put into her mouth a morsel of bread.

"Go on! someone," I cried impatiently. "I am not to allow you to power. Why not enlighten me?"

Beudant placed beside my plate a can of coffee. Sir Charles coughed behind his hand. "We will see," he rejoined. "You have a nerve, I know, but keep on eating while I talk—if you can!"

I nodded. "After breakfast," "In broad daylight!" I asked, much astonished.

"Ah! Mr. Hume," he replied, "I read your mind. But this chateau is placed in a wood and is distant seven miles from the city and human habitation."

"Then I have not long to live?" "As one measures time?" "And—Mar—Lady Dagmar?"

"You will die together. In each other's arms, if you choose to be romantic."

I turned to Marion. We gazed at each other for a long silent minute, and then, overcome by some strange emotion, I muttered brokenly: "Is it possible, after all, that I have wronged you?"

"You have," she replied. "Can you forgive me?" I asked hoarsely.

"It is late to make amends." "They will not kill you, Marion?" I asked in English. "Surely they are jesting."

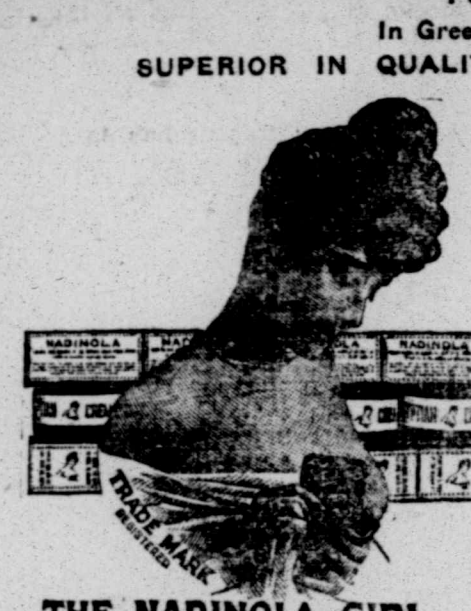
"Yes—and no," she said. "Last night they forced me to make a will leaving them my money. They tortured me."

"How?" I gasped. "They dragged me to the room where you lay bound and senseless. If I had refused to obey they would have cut you into pieces before my eyes."

"My God!" I cried. "And that broke your will? But I should have deserved it all for doubting you?" "Not quite," she answered, and she smiled in exceeding sadness. "Marion, will you please allow me to discover that my limbs were frightfully stiff and cramped. By dint of a good deal of exertion, I climbed from the bed and essayed to rise, to get up, and door opened and Sir Charles Venner stood before me."

"Good morning, Mr. Hume," said he. (To be continued.)

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IN MANY GUISES

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

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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, 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.

He is tortured and refuses to tell where the treasure secured by his blackmail, secured by masquerading as Sir William, is concealed, saying that Marion has the money and jewels. She denies and shouts "Torture him, torture him! That's all I have to say!"

Marion rescues Brown from Venner and takes him away, where, in the belief that he is dying, he causes his treasure to be brought to him. (Continued From Yesterday.)

Sir Charles shrugged his shoulders and cocked his revolver. "We must quit Paris, or die in the attempt," he replied. "Mr. Hume, if you wish to live, you will be silent. Fulton, look out of the windows again."

"Dr. Fulton obeyed. "I can no longer see any one," he reported.

"They must be on the side of the street," he muttered. "Ah, Beudant! Thank heaven! Bhl! him, Beudant!"

The negro passed a rope around my arms and in a trice I was secured. A bell began to tinkle in a distant portion of the house. Sir Charles Venner started at the sound, and paused for a moment, intently listening. The bell rang again. Sir Charles threw a cloak across his shoulders and tiptoed to the door.

"Hold! within there," cried a raucous voice in French. "All right!" shouted Sir Charles. "We'll be with you in a moment!"

I smiled grimly. Some passing policeman, observing the street door open, had rung the door bell in order to inform the household of its carelessness. Sir Charles Venner, however, believed that one of my agents had called out to his confederates, who

WINTER ECZEMA SKIN HARD AND DRY

Some skin diseases are active in Summer, while others wait until cold weather to manifest themselves. Winter Eczema sleeps in the system through the long hot months, and gives no sign of its presence; but at the coming of Winter the trouble asserts itself and it becomes one of the most painful and distressing of all skin diseases. The blood is filled with poisonous acids which seem to be excited by the cold; and as these are thrown off through the pores and glands, the skin cracks and bleeds, the flesh becomes hot and feverish and the itching intense. The natural oils which keep the skin soft and pliant are dried up by the cold, bleak winds, causing it to become hard and dry, giving it that shiny, leathery appearance, characteristic of the disease. The head, face, hands and feet are the usual points of attack, though other parts of the body may be affected. So painful and distressing is the trouble that the sufferer constantly "doctors" and treats it trying to get relief. Soothing washes, medicated ointments and salves are used, but aside from giving temporary relief they do no good. The cause is poisonous acids in the blood, and these must be removed before a cure can be effected. The only cure for Winter Eczema is S. S. S., the greatest of all blood purifiers. It cleanses the entire blood supply of the acrid poisons and sends a fresh, healthy stream to the diseased skin, healing and softening it and curing the painful, itching eruptions. S. S. S. enters the blood and purifies it of all waste and foreign matter, and cures Winter Eczema—no matter as it is sometimes called—safely as well as surely; besides it does not contain any harmful mineral to damage or damage any part of the system. Book on Skin Diseases and any medical advice you need, free. THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

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BARKLEY WILL BE POSTMASTER

The tempest in a teapot that was stirred up by the announcement that the confirmation of Lon Barkley as postmaster of Fort Worth would be held up pending the investigation of charges that had been filed against him, has entirely subsided.

About the only thing that can be successfully alleged against Lon Barkley is that he is a consistent Republican, and judging from the true and staunch friends he has among the leading Democrats of this city, he must be a very decent sort of a Republican.

Of course, we would all be glad to see a true and tried Democrat occupy the position of postmaster of Fort Worth. But this is not Democratic year, when it comes to the matter of federal patronage, and Democrats can only console themselves with the realization that the office has fallen in competent and deserving hands.

Postmaster Barkley announces that the services of Assistant McKee will be retained under the new administration, and his action in the premises will meet with general approval.

MATTER OF STREET IMPROVEMENT

The campaign inaugurated the beginning of the new year by the most progressive citizens of Fort Worth for better streets and sidewalks still goes bravely on, and promises to lead to some very satisfactory results.

The action on the part of the city will doubtless serve as a very considerable stimulus in inducing every progressive citizen to do his plain duty in the matter of complying with the requirements of the law which make good sidewalks mandatory on the part of all property owners.

building of good sidewalks in its front, and property owners can truly regard money so expended in the light of an investment.

The Telegram is heartily in sympathy with this movement for better streets and sidewalks in all Fort Worth, and hopes to see the good work go on until every portion of the growing and prosperous city is trimmed up and provided with just what is needed in the premises.

JUDGE BROOKS SHOULD RESIGN

The Times-Herald was the first paper in Texas to suggest to Judge Brooks and Commissioner Colquitt the propriety of resigning their positions in order to conduct their respective campaigns for the gubernatorial office.

The Dallas News, The Fort Worth Telegram and other papers agreed with the Times-Herald and presented some additional reasons to those suggested by this paper for these gentlemen to resign their present positions.

Now comes Judge Brooks and says that he has no idea of giving up the place he holds. "The old idea," says Judge Brooks, "that judges should be wrapped in gowns, adorned with wigs and rigidly kept separate from the people, has long since been repudiated in this practical, progressive country.

There can be no reasonable objection to a man on the bench mixing and mingling with the people; in fact, we rather think such a practice is to be encouraged. But the framers of this government thought proper to divorce the judiciary from the other departments of government; in truth, made it the final arbiter in all matters of dispute.

Possibly and quite probably Judge Brooks is sufficiently strong not to be influenced in his decisions by political considerations. But all men are not made of the same stuff; they might swerve a little from the exact line of justice in order to court the favor of some special interest or particular faction, hoping thereby to win support for the political office being so persistently pursued.

For the sake of his weaker brethren, Judge Brooks should hand in his resignation to Governor Lanham.

The suggestion of Judge Brooks as to what the people expect a judge to do may be the proper conception of the situation, but the trouble is that it does not go far enough. The people may be willing and anxious for the judiciary to mix and mingle with the common herd and take an interest in the welfare of the masses, but not in the manner that is being practiced by the learned jurist.

There is no objection to any judge in the state mixing and mingling with the people when there is no ax to be ground, and when there is time from official duties to permit of such action.

To the woman who is beautiful one of the most absorbing subjects in the world is how to preserve her beauty. To the woman who is not beautiful the question of how to make herself beautiful is equally absorbing.

AMONG THE EXCHANGES

Judge C. K. Bell, former attorney general, did more to enforce anti-trust laws of this state and collected more fines for violations of these laws than any man who ever held the office. He is not making demagogic campaign speeches, abusing all corporate interests in the state, but his record shows that he enforced the laws while in office, no matter whether private parties or corporations suffered thereby.

The editor of The Fort Worth Telegram, that confirmed idealist of Texas journalism, has paused in his exhortation of elder statesmen to step into the legislative breach and is calling on Judge Brooks and Railroad Commissioner Colquitt to resign their present positions before pursuing further the gubernatorial honors.

Would the esteemed Express permit a member of its staff to put in the bulk of his time in some other avocation without reducing the size of his weekly stipend, or calling for the surrender of his pretended allegiance? These ideas may appear those of an idealist when applied to the state, but when they are brought home to ourselves they at once become intensely practical.

The government agents who are in Texas to get laborers for the Panama canal must not be allowed to impose upon insane people or other irresponsible. No sensible laborer would leave Texas to go to the isthmus of Panama to work.

Texans are not falling over themselves in an effort to get work in Panama. In fact, the average Texan does not care to look for work anywhere else than in the broad and prosperous state in which he has made his home.

Nobody is thinking about politics except the politicians. The truth of the matter is that we have so many elections in a year that the average citizen gets sick and tired of politics, and this is one reason for the lack of interest on the part of voters.

Still, every citizen owes his country a duty and unless we take the proper interest in politics we cannot expect the blessings of good government.

With coal selling at \$20 a ton at Lubbock, Texas, it is not probable that the citizens of that town will care to sing "We'll have a hot time in the old town tonight."

Not much danger of a hot time in any town that has to pay \$20 a ton for coal. But, fortunately, the people of Lubbock have milo maize, kaffir corn and other feedstuffs to burn.

HOW NOT TO BE BEAUTIFUL

By CAROLINE

To the woman who is beautiful one of the most absorbing subjects in the world is how to preserve her beauty.

To the woman who is not beautiful the question of how to make herself beautiful is equally absorbing.

The answer to both these questions is easy to read, but the process is so simple that it won't be accepted by the women of America.

It is merely to avoid all worry and to live as much as possible in the open air.

A woman thus is assured of two things, a good complexion and a charming expression, without which no woman is beautiful, and with which even the plainest can be made attractive.

The strenuous life has been preached so much to the men of America, and put into such violent practice by the women, that at times one almost wishes it had never been heard of.

There is probably no country in the world where there are as many pretty girls as right here, but too many of them have harassed and discontented expressions.

They attempt so much in so many different ways and then worry because they can't accomplish what they have undertaken.

There is nothing that harasses a woman and gives her an expression of discontent like worry.

The worried woman is not the one who has trouble, but the one who is looking for trouble.

As a rule, the woman who has real trouble is too busy making the best of things that have happened to worry about things that may happen.

It is pretty generally conceded that the American woman has about the best and easiest time of any woman in the world.

So there is no reason why she shouldn't have the most beautiful expression—and lead the world's congress of beauty.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

A small man dodges when he meets a great opportunity. A banknote often supplies the keynote to the situation.

You may lead a fool to wisdom, but you cannot make him think. No, Alonzo, sour grapes were never known to cause appendicitis.

A girl is never loved any the less because she has money in her own right. The elevator boy manages to reach the top, but he isn't allowed to stay there.

A millinery bill frightens a man almost as much as a mouse frightens a woman. The average girl would rather marry in haste and repent at leisure than to never have a chance to repent at all.

QUAKER REFLECTIONS

The folly of gambling is only impressed on the loser. Some people are perfect jewels, and others are clever imitations. When the lazy man has anything to do he hates to waste the time doing it.

HE SAW HIS SHADOW ALL RIGHT



MOONSHINE AND MUSINGS

BY SID BARTON

Oh, Isle of Pines! Oh, Isle of Pines! Where patriots have made a squeal With annexation's shrewd designs.

The discovery that the 1900 calendar could be used for this year is of little value; but with the present plans for insurance economy, definite information as to when the 1906 calendar can be used again would be rather interesting.

A New York woman found seventeen pearls in a blue point she was eating, which, if they were really good ones, must have made good on the check and possibly on the waiter's tip.

Chicago's scheme of having a municipal dairy looks rather attractive. It would go well with the municipal pig counter.

The poor of today are the rich of tomorrow, and the rich are the poor of tomorrow.—William Allen White. Um-m-m, maybe so, William, maybe so; but somehow some of us seem to have missed our turn.

Chicago's announcement that it has a citizen 101 years old makes one wonder where he has lived all of his long life.

There are increasing evidences in various sections that the ever puzzling question, "What shall we do with our 'elder statesmen'?" is in a fair way of solution. But, goodness gracious! what a shock it will be—to the statesmen.

There is scant encouragement for counterfeiters in the fact that somebody worked off a lead half dollar on Herty Green, however. Other things besides lightning seldom strike twice in the same place.

A COMPARISON

New York was shrouded yesterday in a fog as dense as a sensational speech on the Philippine tariff.—New York Herald.

PUBLIC OPINION

The Chicago Record-Herald thinks that the readiness of the Republicans in congress to accept Democratic suggestions and amendments to the rate bill and so report a measure that will represent legislation irrespective of party affiliations "cannot but be regarded as impressive proof of good faith on both sides and, at the same time, as a striking recognition of the strength and universality of the demand for effective and honest rate legislation."

Now contrast the action of the house committee with the action—or inaction, rather—of the senate committee on interstate commerce. The do-nothing policy of that body has not failed to attract the notice of even neutral correspondents and observers.

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VERSES THAT RING

NOTHING NEW UNDER THE SUN

There is nothing new under the sun; There is no new hope or despair; The agony has just begun. Is as old as the earth and the air. My secret soul of bliss Is one of the singing stars. And the ancient mountains miss No hurt that my being mars.

I know as I know my life, I know as I know my pain, That there is no lonely strife, That he is mad who would gain A separate balm for his wound. A single pity and cover; The one great God I know Hears the same prayer over and over.

I know it because at the portal Of heaven I bowed and cried, And I said: "Was ever a mortal Thus crowned and crucified! My praise Thou hast made my blame; My best Thou hast made my worst; My good Thou hast turned to shame; My drink is a flaming thirst.

But scarce my prayer was said Ere from the place I turned; I trembled, I hung my head, My cheek, shame-bitten, burned; For there, where I bowed down, In my boastful agony, I thought of Thy crown and crown— O, Christ! I remember Thee.—Richard Watson Gilder.

LITTLE TALES WELL TOLD

THE EVOLUTIONS OF NATURE.

John Burroughs was talking about the increased interest that the world now takes in nature and her works and ways.

"A modern girl from New York," he said, "would not be apt to say, as I heard a girl say thirty years ago, as she looked at a multitude of tadpoles in a pond: 'Oh, look at the tadpoles! And to think that some day every one of these horrid wriggling things will be a beautiful butterfly.'"

EASING HER FEARS

In his villa at Capri, a beautiful villa that Ellihu Vedder built, Booth Tarkington gave a dinner to the American colony in December.

During the dinner Mr. Tarkington did something very absent minded. Then, apropos of absent mindedness, he said: "At Phillips Exeter academy, where I went to school, there used to be a most absent minded instructor.

"This man's wife hastened to him one morning as he sat in his study marking exercises. 'Oh,' she cried, 'oh, I've swallowed a pin! Oh, John, what shall I do?'"

"The instructor smiled. 'Don't worry about it, my dear,' he said, in a soothing tone. 'It is of no consequence. Here—let me fumble at his lapel—here is another pin.'"

NEVER GIVE UP THE GUN

Governor Guild of Massachusetts, who served in the Spanish war, tells a story of a New York regiment, many of whose members were recruited on the East side. They were spilling for a fight, and it became necessary to post a sentry to preserve order.

A husky Bowery recruit, of pugilistic propensities, was put on guard outside, and given special orders to see that quiet reigned, and, above all things, if trouble came his way, not to give up possession of his rifle.

Soon a general row began, growing in proportion as the minutes passed. The soldier walked his post nervously, without interruption, until the corporal of the guard appeared on the scene with reinforcements. "Why didn't you stop this row?" shouted the corporal.

The sentry, balancing his rifle on his shoulder, raised his arms to the correct boxing position, and replied: "Shure, phwat could I do wid this gun in me hands!"

Many a man starves his family in order that insurance grafters may live on the fat of the land.

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A. J. Rosenfield

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A. J. Rosenfield Rises to Find Clothes Gone

When A. J. Rosenfield of 2000 Lipscomb street returned about 9 o'clock Thursday night he hung his trousers on the head of his bed, placed his vest on a table and the remainder of his garments in another place in his sleeping room. When he was awakened by a fire alarm whistle at 3:30 o'clock Friday morning, he found his clothing in a wheel-barrow in the back yard. Fourteen dollars which was in his trouser pocket and the watch which was in his vest were missing.

In speaking of the affair to a Telegram representative Friday morning Mr. Rosenfield said: "I heard the alarm and got up to investigate. The first thing I missed was my trousers. I knew exactly where I had put them and they were not there. Then I looked around for the rest of my clothes and I found that they were all gone. Of course I had other clothing in my wardrobe and did not have to come down in my night clothes. I was interested in the fire and also in looking up my missing garments so I donned an old suit of clothes and went out in the back yard to look around. The first thing that caught my eye was my check left up in the wheel-barrow.

Check Left Behind "I am thanking my stars, however," said Mr. Rosenfield, "that I did not get my check caught in the wheel-barrow. I received a check for \$94 Thursday afternoon but it was after banking hours so I did not get it cashed. This check was in my pocket but the burglar did not take it, evidently being afraid that he could not cash it and that it would lead to his detection. My watch only cost \$2.50. Some time ago I lost a valuable watch and since that time I have made a custom of buying cheap watches, which would keep the time and which are these watches that the burglar secured and I am not worrying much over the loss.

My daughter telephoned for the police as soon as the burglary was discovered, though I told her it was no use, because we did not know how long the burglar had been gone before I awoke. He might have gotten in any time between 9 o'clock and 3:30 o'clock.

Same Method of Entry The method of gaining access to the house was the same as that employed in getting into the house of Mrs. Rector at 410 Missouri avenue, Thursday night, except that it was not necessary for the burglar to break the screen door. The house was entered through a screen door at the back and this suit of clothes and all parts of the house. After entering the house the burglar took the precaution to turn the night latch on the front door, also so that he could get out either way. The front door could not be opened from the outside. Mr. Rosenfield called at the police station Friday morning and gave the officers all the information he could relative to the affair in the hope that they might be able to apprehend the burglar. There are no clues, however, except the watch.

The frequent burglaries which have been reported exclusively in The Telegram, have caused the people to become thoroughly alarmed and has done much good. There were several calls received Thursday night from various parts of the city where prowlers were discovered, and the police believe that there have been many other houses tried, where the entrance could not be effected because the people had read The Telegram reports and taken precautions to lock their doors and windows carefully.

Officers Busy The mounted police officers were kept busy answering calls and their horses had hard work. A report comes in the mounted officers run for their horses and they speed their horses to their limit because every minute counts in burglary cases. Several burglaries have been reported in the city since the beginning of the year.

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MAN ABOUT TOWN Wm. R. Houston, son of General Sam Houston, was in Fort Worth Thursday morning en route to west Texas. Mr. Houston was for years in the railway mail service, his run being in and out of Fort Worth. While he was at the Texas and Pacific passenger station old habits led him into the transfer room, where all the mail boys that pass through the big station make their headquarters. He was known to all the employees there and between him and them a running talk of old times was kept up. In appearance Mr. Houston is almost a double of his illustrious father.

R. E. Dodson of Houston was in Fort Worth Thursday en route to a Telegram man that he would in future make his home in this city. "Houston is a good town," said Mr. Dodson, "but I regard Fort Worth as the coming great city of the state. The railroads are here, you have the packing houses and there is no better country in Texas than that which surrounds Fort Worth. I have for some time been contemplating a change from Houston and have determined to come to Fort Worth."

RECEIPTS DOUBLED Railroad Ticket Sales in City Break Record The annual reports of ticket sales made by the International and Great Northern at Fort Worth show that the receipts during the year have exceeded those of the preceding year by exactly \$177 more than 100 per cent, or in other words that the sale for 1925 was \$177 more than double the sales of 1924. D. J. Byars, the city passenger agent, says that he attributes the increase largely to the volume of tourists who have gone from Fort Worth to Mexico during the year, but the volume of local business has also made favorable showing.

BUSINESS LOCALS If it's anything in the furniture line you'd naturally go to the Ladd Furniture and Carpet Company, Phone 562. Any way you want to pay. Dr. W. L. Simmons Jr. of Arlington was in the city Thursday. If it's hardware go to the Panther City Hardware Co., 131st and Houston streets. They can supply you with anything in the line. Mrs. G. W. Greathouse, 1130 Washington avenue, has returned from south Texas, where she was called by the death of her mother. Best in the world. If you have BUNIONS, we have shoes to fit them at \$3.50 pair. Monnig's, 1302-4-6 Main street. George Spiller of Jacksboro was in the city Thursday as the guest of his son, Berkeley Spiller, bookkeeper for the Cattle Raisers' Association of Texas. Go to Cummins, Shepherd & Co., 700 Houston, for phonograph records, musical instruments. They carry a large line of latest up-to-date goods. Oliver L. Spiller of Jacksboro was in the city yesterday en route to the Annapolis naval academy. He has been home since October on account of sickness. The best liquors, wines and cigars to be had in Tarrant county are kept at Tock's Liquor Store, 1016 Main street. A trial order is sufficient evidence. Miss Genevieve Lawler of Houston, daughter of Captain James Lawler of that city, is in Fort Worth, the guest of Mrs. M. D. Watson at the Delaware hotel. Fort Worth Business College, Man's best capital, a course in business, and a large line of everyday duties of life. Opposite Delaware Hotel. Your prescriptions can be filled exactly as the doctor ordered at Reeves' Pharmacy, 1201 Jennings avenue. Fine line of toilet articles always on hand. Don't hesitate—just phone 201, the Fort Worth Steam Laundry, and let them convince you that they are in the business to please their customers. Johnson Grocery Co., 606-608 Houston, carry an immense stock of groceries. It is kept clean and fresh. Best place in Fort Worth to trade. The J. J. Langever Co., opposite city hall, interior decorators and sign painters. W. E. Scribner and R. A. Boba, First and Throckmorton streets, have the finest line of agricultural implements in the southwest. All up-to-date goods to select from. All of the latest sheet music. G. E. Cromer, 503 Houston street.

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FOR RENT—8-room residence, 611 East Weatherford; modern conveniences; barn, lawn, excellent neighborhood. If interested, call 719 West Third.

FOR RENT—New three-room house, four acres of ground; artesian well and windmill; between court house and packing house, in valley east of Rock Island tracks. Phone 3043.

FOR RENT—One-half of 6-room cottage in Glenwood; references required. Address R. E. B., care T. R. James & Sons.

FOR RENT—A five-room furnished house, with all modern conveniences; on car line. Apply 413 Main street. Phone 2218.

MOTORS TO RENT—Bound Elec. Co.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE

FOR SALE—Furnished house for sale; two-story, eight-room house, with all modern conveniences and out-houses; comparatively new; furnished complete; four blocks from Main st. on Lamar; will sell or trade for business property. Address 496, care Telegram.

FOR SALE—Hay, cheap; second cutting Johnson grass hay; saved without loss; 4000 tons from Main st. trotting station, 5 years old; fine double cross on Hambletonian 10, half his value will buy him. F. E. Albright, 210 Main street, Fort Worth. Phone 1833.

ON ACCOUNT OF SICKNESS owner is compelled to part with forty shares of the Posey Automatic Switch Company stock. See S. D. Lary, 1300 1/2 Main street, Fort Worth, Texas. Phone 416.

FOR SALE—Black Tennessee Jack 8 year old and two Jennets, cheap for cash. For particulars inquire Animal Hospital, 119 Rusk St., phone, old 431 or 220 new.

FOR SALE—Cheap, one high-grade piano and one almost new piano; both instruments in perfect condition. Will sell for \$330 514 Pennsylvania avenue.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Very fine desk and typewriter, used only three months. Want to trade them against my property. See 214 Pennsylvania avenue.

FOR SALE—One five-room dwelling house; cheap. Call at corner Fourth and Houston streets. Germania house.

FOR SALE TO RENT OR TRADE—Three-seated platform spring back, first class condition and make, new top and curtilas. Address 451, Telegram.

DELIVERY WAGON, comparatively new. Apply Fort Worth Iron Works factory, phone 1478.

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.

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

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 1906

ANNOUNCEMENTS
FOR CONGRESS
JAMES W. SWAYNE
Subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE
Chas. T. Rowland is a candidate for county judge of Tarrant county, subject to the action of democratic party.

MADE IN FORT WORTH
FURNITURE
THE FORT WORTH FURNITURE CO.

THE LARGEST manufacturers' sales station in Fort Worth. The only house carrying a complete line of office supplies.

MAKING POWDER is made in Fort Worth and guaranteed to give entire satisfaction for all feet, chafing, piles, and old sores.

AWNING AND TENT MANUFACTORY
Store and resident awnings made to order; painting tarpaulins and wagon awnings.

BLESSING Photo Supply Co., 218 Houston street, manufactures photographs for amateurs.

J. E. WESTLAND'S BEST, new size
CLAIRVOYANT
GLACE CORLAND, Medium and Clairvoyant, predicted President McKinley's assassination.

UMBRELLAS
Wanted—1,000 umbrellas to repair and repair. 303 Main street, Chas. Baggett.

IT'S UP TO YOU, who buying, selling or exchanging Furniture, remember NIX the FURNITURE MAN.

THE largest line of high-grade vehicles in the city.

WOOD & WOOD
101-103 Houston street.

EASY PAYMENTS
EAST PAYMENTS—Purchase your home at one dollar per week at R. E. Lewis Furniture Co., 212-214 Houston st.

VEHICLES and harness that have merit.

WOOD & WOOD
Carriage Repository, 401-403 Houston Street.

Scott's Santal-Pepsin Capsules
A POSITIVE CURE
For Inflammation of the Bladder and Prostate Gland.

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PENNYROYAL PILLS
Original and Only Genuine
For the relief of all cases of Catarrh of the Bladder and Prostate Gland.

MEN AND WOMEN.
Use Big 4 for unnatural discharges, irritations or ulcers of the mucous membrane.

One Way Colonist Tickets
On Sale Daily Feb. 15 to April 7.

\$15.55 NEW ORLEANS
AND RETURN—MARDI GRAS.
Sell Feb. 21 to 26; limit March 10.

\$23.85 NASHVILLE,
TENN. AND RETURN. Sell Feb. 25 to 27; limit March 10.

\$21.15 MOBILE, ALA.
AND RETURN. Sell Feb. 5 and 6; limit Feb. 9.

Through Sleeper Daily to Galveston and Houston.

E. A. PENNINGTON, C. P. & T. A.
Both Phones 458, 811 Main St.



Swift's PRIDE Washing Powder
A true helper to the housekeeper.

Swift's PRIDE Washing Powder is a pulverized soap for general use in cleaning woodwork, kitchen utensils, and metals.

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Makers of Swift's PRIDE Soap

LONGWORTH FOR OHIO GOVERNOR

Gen. Grosvenor Talking Up Chances of Protege

Special to The Telegram.
CINCINNATI, Ohio, Feb. 2.—General Grosvenor, one of the chief figures in Ohio politics, is backing Nick Longworth for governor of Ohio.

At City Park
NEW ORLEANS, La., Feb. 2.—Rosamond and Corsucate were the winning favorites at City Park yesterday.

At Fair Grounds
NEW ORLEANS, La., Feb. 2.—St. Valentine in the fourth saved the favorites from a shut-out at the Fair Grounds yesterday.

At Oakland
SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Feb. 2.—Oakland results: First race, three and a half furlongs: Seven Full won, Mintao second, Janice Marian third.

At Ascot Park
LOS ANGELES, Cal., Feb. 2.—Ascot results: First race, four furlongs: Silver Stocking won, Halton second, Sweet Kitty third.

AND HE WAS CROOKED
After Urging "Honesty," Cattleman Is Arrested for Fraud

Special to The Telegram.
INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Feb. 2.—In the convention of the State Herd Breeders' association, at the state house this afternoon, Thomas B. Sotham, after declaring that honesty is the best policy, was served with a summons to answer a civil action brought by Clem Graves to recover \$10,000 damages arising from an alleged fraudulent cattle transaction.

GOLFERS TO MEET
Call Issued for Western Golf Association Meeting

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—Secretary Russell D. Hill yesterday issued the call for the annual meeting of the Western Golf association, which will be held March 9 at the Grand Pacific hotel, Chicago.

SWANSON INAUGURATED
First Act of New Governor of Virginia Was to Exercise Clemency

Special to The Telegram.
RICHMOND, Va., Feb. 2.—The inauguration of Governor Claude A. Swanson took place yesterday, the oath of office being administered by Judge Stafford Whitte of the supreme court of appeals.

CONGRESSMAN HITT ILL
Representative From Illinois Confined to Bed in Washington

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Representative of Illinois is seriously ill at his residence in Fifteenth street, this city.

BLOOD POISON CURED!
Have You Bore throat, pimples, eruptions, copper-colored spots, patches, old sores, bone pain, ulcers in the mouth, hair falling out, write for proofs of permanent cure of worst cases of Syphilitic Blood Poison.

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COURT ORDERS

GRAVES REMOVED
Editor of Atlanta News Deposed by Georgia Judge

Special to The Telegram.
ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 2.—On an order signed by Judge Pendleton of this city, John Temple Graves was last night removed as editor-in-chief of the Atlanta News.

WHAT THE NATIONAL BISCUIT COMPANY STANDS FOR
The scientific, reconstructed baking industry, whereby the goodness and nutrition of Biscuit and Crackers have been marvelously enhanced.

—The new method of protection by which all dust, dirt and moisture are completely excluded from the package and the freshness and goodness of its contents are carefully preserved.

This is the trade mark which appears in red and white on each end of the package as an absolute pledge both of the quality of the baking and the purity of the packing.

For example by Graham Crackers—so different from the ordinary graham crackers—different in baking—different in flavor—different in packing—More palatable—more satisfying—more nutritious. Made of the purest Graham flour and baked in a manner understood only by the National Biscuit Company.

IGORROTE CHIEF DIES IN N. O.
Quaint Ceremonies for Puc-a-un, Lord of the Pontocs

Special to The Telegram.
NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 2.—Chief Puc-a-un, lord of the Igorrotes, who lives and rules in the far away Bontoc province, on the island of Luzon, one of the American Philippines, is dead, and there is deep mourning in the little camp of strange foreigners in New Orleans.

HER NAME WAS MAUDE
Atlanta Elephant Runs Amuck on Two Quarts of Corn Whisky

Special to The Telegram.
ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 2.—Made wild by drinking two quarts of corn whisky, Maude, the pet elephant in Grant park, broke from her inclosure and ran amuck. In her efforts to control the drunken animal two keepers were injured. The many people in the zoo at the time fled in panic.

OWNED ALL NEW YORK
Woman 86 Years Old Dies in San Francisco With Remarkable Claim

Special to The Telegram.
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 2.—Mrs. Annie Gendar died yesterday, aged 86 years. She was on the eve of instituting suit to recover several blocks of property located in the heart of New York city. The property, she declared, once belonged to her grandfather, Captain James Post, who was with the army of the revolution.

THE PEOPLE TO LOSE
Boston Council Won't Let Them Vote on Gas Franchise

Special to The Telegram.
BOSTON, Mass., Feb. 2.—An order providing that the question of the purchase and operation of an independent gas and electric light plant by the city should be submitted to the people at the next election for ratification failed in its passage in the common council last night. The order necessary forty-two votes, but fifty were necessary or two-thirds of the entire membership of the council.

BULLET IN BRAIN
Yale Freshman Carried Lead in Head

Special to The Telegram.
NEW HAVEN, Feb. 2.—After carrying a bullet in his brain for eight years, Charles Maxwell Lane, a Yale freshman of Bristol, Conn., is dead at his home. The phenomenal case has interested physicians. Lane was 18 years old in 1898 he was bathing with several boys in a pond at Bristol. They were playing with a revolver, when it was accidentally discharged. The bullet of .32 caliber, entered Lane's head, lodging not far from the base of the brain. His left side had been paralyzed ever since, but he possessed an unusually keen mind.

COWAN IS ATTORNEY
Fort Worth Man Elected by American Live Stock Association

DENVER, Colo., Feb. 2.—Organization of the American National Live Stock Association was completed by the election of the following officers, named by the executive committee: Secretary, T. W. Tomlinson of Denver. Treasurer, W. E. Hughes of Denver. Attorney, S. H. Cowan of Fort Worth.

BROKE HIS PROMISE
Offered Surgeon \$1,000 to Save Life. Now Suit Comes

Special to The Telegram.
BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Feb. 2.—"Save My Life or I will pay you \$1,000," the exclamation credited to Sheriff James White of Logan county to a physician called to attend William Hatchett, a young man who had been accidentally shot by the sheriff in trying to take into custody the insane bodies of the body home, and the rigid probity is so apt to return upon the offender at an inopportune moment.

CLEVELAND FOR CALIFORNIA
Ex-President May Make His Home in Los Angeles

Special to The Telegram.
LOS ANGELES, Cal., Feb. 2.—Letters from the east say that ex-President Cleveland contemplates making his home in California, at least during a part of each year. Los Angeles newspapers are now urging that he do so, and suggesting that commercial bodies make the welcome formal.

OLD VIRGINIA CHEROOTS
Package of 3 for 5c.
(A cheroot is a cigar made without the head)

You know them—everybody does. You see them everywhere, and a million of them are smoked every day.

But do you know how good they are? Don't be prejudiced just because you may be in the habit of paying 5 cents for one cigar. Three Old Virginia Cheroots are passed to you across the counter for 5 cents only because you don't have to pay for the work of forming the useless head—the little tip on the end of the cigar, which you have to bite off before you can light up.

Short leaves and clippings of selected domestic tobacco blended in the fragrant filler—and made up in the biggest, cleanest cigar-factory in the world.

Sold wherever they sell tobacco

Advertisement for National Biscuit Company featuring a circular logo with 'INER SEAL' and text describing the quality and scientific nature of their products.

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DR. PRICE'S BAKING POWDER

A pure, cream of tartar powder, free from alum and phosphates.

No acid but that of grapes—which is pure, pleasant and healthful—enters into Dr. Price's Baking Powder.

Fruit acids are accounted by hygienists the most important of the elements of the food of man, and of these the acid of the grape is most prominent.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder is not only the most efficient and perfect of leavening agents, but owing to its constituents is likewise promotive of health.

PRICE BAKING POWDER CO., CHICAGO.

will be promoted to a place on the regular force, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Copp.

SLAYER SUICIDES

Killed Dentist for 45 Cents—Takes Own Life
ASHLEY, N. D., Feb. 2.—The body of Henry Folskerson, charged with the murder of W. I. Drake, a prominent Minneapolis dentist, was found in a

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THOMAS D. ROSS, Attorney and Counsellor at Law
Land Title Block, Fort Worth, Texas.

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We carry a Fine Stock of Jewelry. No watch or clock too complicated for us to repair. Get the observatory time of us. Corner Houston and Seventh streets. Parker's Drug Store.

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Honest Dental Work

At Honest Prices
8th & Houston, Over Blythe

Staver Buggies, Studebaker Spring Wagons

and Harness. First-class articles at reasonable prices. Terms made on any thing in the vehicle line.
Texas Implement & Transfer Co. Corner Belknap and Throckmorton Streets.

SIMON MONEY LOANED at a very low rate of interest on Diamonds, Watches, Guns and on other articles of value.

PAWBROKER 1503 Main St. Between 14th and 15th Sts.

THE UPPER CITY AND ITS KEEPERS

How the Wire Network Is Kept in Order

"Hello, Central! Long distance, please."
"That long distance? Please give me Dallas. I want Jim Herkimer, at the Oriental."
"Yes, waiting."
"That you, Jim? Say, that deal's all right for \$10,000. Close it up. Your commission's same as usual. Be sure and get it closed within about ten minutes, because the other fellows are after Bob and may get him. So long."
And you hang up the phone with a satisfied air. A \$10,000 deal is through. Simple, isn't it?

But did you ever stop to think of the labor of invention, of ingenuity, of organization, of expansion, and of constant watchfulness that made that \$10,000 conversation? Dallas is over thirty miles away. It is a thin double copper thread that connects the two cities by telephone. At both ends had a complicated mechanism with some seven or eight thousand different connections, any one of which is liable to get out of order.

Although people have become so used in these days to the constant necessity of the telephone that little attention is given to the fact that it has become one of the most important factors in daily American life.

Miles of Wire
Fort Worth has 3,200 separate systems and the other with some 8,000. The average length of a private wire line is about 100 feet. In the case of the Fort Worth and the neighboring suburbs, which are from three to six and eight miles out. The length of the copper wires, including, of course, in Fort Worth and its vicinity entirely exclusive of long distance, is about 33,000 miles of double wire—each phone has two wires leading to and from the central office. This makes about 66,000 miles of single copper threads. The total length of the wire in the Fort Worth exchanges.

Sixty-six thousand miles of wire! That length of thin copper thread, laid out in a clear, straight line, would circle this fat old world, across continents and across seas, nearly three times. How could it be so long, and yet so short? London, England, is back again, ten or twelve times. It would reach from here to the north pole and back again twenty times.

How They Are Kept in Order
And like watchful human spies in the centers of the two intricate meshes of web spun by the two telephone systems are the men who keep the Fort Worth, or the old and the new, as they are conveniently called, sit two men, John P. Henderson and John C. Caster, at the heads of the systems here. Immediately beneath them are the superintendents, who are supposed to keep in their heads accurate records of every wire in the system. The labyrinth of wires which lead out in all directions, ramifying like the solar plexus beneath them, are for the most part "trouble men" two in the case of the new company, and six or seven in the case of the old. Twenty-five line-men are out on every day, and something like double the number in the other complete the "road force."

Five Thousand Miles Apiece
These "trouble men" are supposed to—and do—keep the wires working in order the whole vast system. With its two men the Fort Worth Telephone Company, the "new" company, keeps over ten thousand miles of double copper wires. One man has an average territory, that is, of about five thousand miles of wire to cover and keep in order. The old company's average is slightly less.

About ten calls come in a day, every day in the year, on the average. Phones are out of order, wires crossed or grounded or broken or cut. And these men mend them with accuracy, quickness and dispatch.

The Men Overhead

Constantly and energetically the telephone companies are working to throw still farther their outposts of communication. In every direction, in every part of the country, are being laid out new lines, and across the brown rolling Texas plains, the thin copper lines are pressing out and away, bringing outlying settlements and villages into the middle of the great, every great center of population in America. In the city they are constantly laying out new wires, changing routes, putting up new connections, renewing old wires.

Every block or so in the business district, two or three blocks in the residential district, is a pole with a torpedo-like cap on top. That is a center of distribution. Heavy cables run up to the top of these poles, and in the little miniature central within the torpedo cap branch out. They are carried on individual strung cables, or in single wires, into the residences and business houses direct. In some large buildings the heavy cables are carried underground to the middle of the building, and led up through the floors.

Danger in Work
Ever stop to watch a couple of men at work stringing wires along from post to post? It looks dangerous, and it is. Every once in a while some lineman touches two open wires with one hand, or two wires with the other, and there's a dead lineman. This happens on an average once a day, somewhere in vast America.

Then the lineman gets careless with much repetition. One neglects to buckle the safety belts which every lineman must wear, or he doesn't buckle securely his foot slips, and down he goes fifty feet to the pavement, crushed. That also happens with great frequency, although they as seldom occur in the same place that linemen forget and are negligent.

So the commercial supremacy of the city has led to a tolling army of heroes overhead.

OFFICER RESIGNS

W. J. Williams Succeeds Thomas Copp as Policeman
Police Officer Thomas Copp tendered his resignation to Chief Maddox Thursday afternoon and the resignation was accepted. W. J. Williams, who has formerly been an extra police officer,

HEALTH

Means the ability to do a good day's work, without undue fatigue and to find life worth living. You cannot have indigestion or constipation without it. It is the power of the liver and purifying the blood. Such a condition may be best and quickest relieved by Herbine, the best liver regular that the world has ever known. Mrs. D. W. Smith, writes, April 8, 1902: "I use Herbine, and find it the best medicine for constipation and regulating the liver I ever used." 50c. Sold by Covey & Martin.

WOODMEN INSTALLED

Interest Exercises Held at City Hall Auditorium

Lone Star Lodge No. 2, Woodmen of the World, held a public installation of officers Thursday night at the city hall, several hundred persons attending the interesting exercises.

Hon. O. S. Lattimore acted as installing officer, making a number of well-chosen speeches.

Those installed were: W. H. Lennon, consul commander; J. H. Wood, advisor lieutenant; J. A. Todd, clerk; Joe A. Vera, banker; T. J. Rutledge, escort; William Webber, warden; D. H. Hedge, sentry; G. S. Miller, manager; Dr. A. P. Brown, Dr. J. L. Cooper, Dr. J. E. McLean and Dr. R. B. West, physicians.

Of these J. A. Todd, clerk of the lodge, is commencing his thirteenth term. When he was first elected clerk there were but 136 members in the lodge.

W. H. Lennon, consul commander, is now beginning his twelfth term in that position.

Lone Star camp No. 2 is the largest in the sovereign jurisdiction, which includes all of the United States except the Pacific slope. The lodge was organized March 7, 1891, and was the first in the city to be established. At both ends had at the beginning forty members; now it has 1,300.

In connection with the installation the following program was rendered: Piano solo, Guy R. Pinner; address, T. J. Powell; recitation, Ethel Lee Steel; vocal solo, Miss Evelyn Bowman; with solo by Mrs. G. V. Morton; address on "Woodcraft," Hon. O. S. Lattimore; violin solo, Mrs. G. V. Morton; vocal solo, Andrew Hemphill, Professor Pinner accompanying.

ORPHANAGE NOW NEEDING FUNDS

Colored Institution to Appeal to All Denominations

Rev. W. L. Dickson, superintendent of the colored orphanage at Gilmer, Texas, is in the city for the purpose of securing assistance for the support of his institution, which, he says, is badly in need of funds. He is appealing to all of the pastors in the city, both white and colored, and also to the business men. The orphanage is now in a most needy condition, and he is making a list of names to appeal to all denominations.

There are now seventy-one children in the orphanage, and he is looking for \$14,000. Since the orphanage was established five years ago, 350 children have been enrolled. The majority of these are boys, and he is making themselves useful and found places in Christian homes.

The children are taught in a school, which is connected with the home, from 8 o'clock to 12 o'clock every day, after which they are taken to the field or to some other place, and are well cared for. The superintendent, who is a white man, is doing a great deal of good work, and is well supported. The other children also do sewing, learn cooking and house-keeping.

Among the white men who are associated with the orphanage are Dr. O. R. Holbert, Dr. R. C. Buckner, W. L. Dickson, and W. Boyd, president of the First National Bank of Gilmer, who is treasurer of the institution.

Building Permits

A permit was secured Thursday by George Reynolds to erect a three-story brick and stone building on lots 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8, block B-6, Parker's addition. The building will be used as a store and also for rooming purposes. It will cost \$4,000. It will be near the corner of Tenth and Houston streets. A portion of the building has already been erected and the construction will begin immediately.

W. D. Over has secured a permit to erect a one-story five-room dwelling on lot 49, block 13, Phillips addition. The building will cost \$4,100.

A permit was secured Thursday to erect a two-story nine-room dwelling on lots 21 and 22, block 1, Moodie addition, the building to cost \$2,800.

SINGING CLUBS MEET

Preparation for Festival in 1907 Already Begun
The meeting called Wednesday afternoon in the Board of Trade rooms by H. A. Judd, president of the State Federation of English Singing Societies, was held at the five o'clock singing on lot 49, block 13, Phillips addition. The building will cost \$4,100.

The local organization is now perfected and the work of preparing for the singing of the festival in the spring of 1907 will be set in motion at once. The secretary reported that the Northern Texas Tracton Company has granted to the five o'clock singing clubs the privilege of opening the club season at Handley with a concert. Each of the clubs will at once begin preparing for this concert.

TO BUILD NEW JAIL

City of Dallas to Spend \$27,500 in New House
Special to The Telegram. DALLAS, Texas, Feb. 2.—The city is in search of a lot for its new jail, for which a bond issue in the sum of \$27,500 has been authorized. At first it was agreed to place the new building on the old calaboose lot, but Police Commissioner Hlaylock interposed with the objection that it was not centrally located.

His objections were considered and a committee appointed to investigate and see if a lot could not be purchased.

A number of propositions have been under consideration and it is stated that the public grounds and buildings committee has about decided upon the purchase of a lot at the corner of Commerce and Kendall streets for \$17,500.

FELL EIGHT STORIES

And Came Up Swearing—Broadway Janitor Tough
Special to The Telegram. NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—William S. Senke, janitor of 263 Broadway, an apartment house, fell eight stories in the building down a dumb water shaft, 200 ft. when pulled out by tenants he angrily shouted:
"Hang that dumb water, anyway! It's always out of order."
Senke had been pulled out in a fractured ankle, contusions of the back and lacerated hands.

The total number of letters, papers, etc. forwarded by post in the German empire last year was 6,988,000,000. England and France comes next with 4,544,000,000 and 2,944,000,000, respectively.

BRIDE FEARED SHE'D MISS TRAIN

Phone Communication With Colp Saved the Day

"Oh, heavens! I wonder if that train is on time?"
The excited bride clasped her hands in despair. The minister was late in arriving. According to the schedule they had arranged, there would be only five minutes to get to the station, change clothes and drive to the station to catch the train for New Orleans, where they were to spend their honeymoon during the Mardi Gras.

And if the train was on time, they would have to make other plans, and that would mean that the honeymoon on the train, all because the minister hadn't come.

"Call up the depot, quick!"
The agonized minister sprang to the telephone. "Give me the depot, quick!" he exclaimed, while central calmly chewed gum.

"Hello," came the gruff answer.
"Oh, please," the train on time?"
"Search me. This is the freight yard office," and the phone slammed down.

"Oh, central, hurry! Give me the train man!" said the telephoner, while the bride danced in suspense.

A terrific clamor sounded across the wires, as the next connection was made. Ten thousand hammers were smiting on a million anvils, and the ringing thunder almost deafened the listener.

"This is de roun' house," announced a burly Irish voice through the noise.
"Is the train on time?"
"Who knows?" he responded, and slammed down the phone.

"Oh, oh! What shall I do?" The prospective mother-in-law danced madly on one foot.
"Say, what do you want?" queried the telephone girl, softly.
"Oh, I must know if that train is on time!"
"Why don't you call Colp?" suggested the girl. "Here, I'll get him."

"This is Colp," said a voice.
"Oh, is the train on time?"
"Which train?"
"The train for New Orleans."
"Forty minutes late," announced the voice.
"Oh, thank you, Birdie, it's all right."

Just then the minister entered. He had been delayed by a breakdown on the car line. The situation was saved.

"But who is Colp?" inquired the mother.
"Why, Colp's the livery man," said her husband, as they stood together and watched the happy pair drive away. "He has established an information bureau about trains. He gets special reports from all the train dispatchers, the moment they get word of any delay in the trains. He's only been running since last Thursday, but they tell me he is getting as many as a hundred calls a day."

"Isn't that great?"
"All the railroad men and conductors' wives and drummers, and travelers in Fort Worth, call him a 'voice of thanks,'" returned the husband, who does considerable traveling himself. "Colp's number is 108 on the old phone, and 628 on the new."

TODAY ORIGINAL FOOTBALL DAY

Candlemas Ball Forerunner of Thanksgiving Games

Candlemas Day, which is celebrated today, is probably the original football holiday instead of Thanksgiving Day famed for gridiron struggles in the present age.

The custom in former times in Scotland was to have a football match on Feb. 2. All the young men took part, the unmarried men against the bachelors or one parish against another.

"Candlemas ball" was looked forward to by all the young men of the village, and on one occasion it is reported that one merry party with the cry, "Put out the Candlemas lights," set the ball game down a hill and into the creek, where the game was played in the shallow water.

Candlemas day was celebrated in the St. Patrick's church this morning at 7:30 o'clock, in connection with the regular First Friday month mass.

At the ceremony all the candles which must be of pure bees' wax, to be used during the entire year in the church, were blessed, and also a supply of candles for the lady. All by members of the church are supposed to have at least one candle, which has been thus blessed in the home for the purposes of Holy Communion or Extreme Unction if necessary.

Origin of Festival
It is said that the original feast was first instituted to take the place of the old Roman februation, or purification of the people of pagan Rome, but there is no proof of this.

The festival was, however, declared in honor of the purification of Our Lady. The lighting of the candles are in honor of the words of Simon, who he took in his arms the infant Christ, proclaiming Him "a light to lighten the Gentiles."

There are many customs in connection with the day, one of which is given above. A Catholic England the people believed that the burning of candles at the procession of early mass brought good fortune, and the best to those whose candles burned the longest; and that if pieces of the burned candles were kept they would keep away evil spirits for the year.

Evil Christmas Eve
On Candlemas Eve it is the custom in some places to remove every bit of Christmas decoration.

Another Scotch custom was for all pupils to make presents to their teachers of money, supposedly to buy his candles for the coming year, the boy and girl giving the largest sum, which was supposed to be in accord with his parent's ability, were crowned "Candlemas King and Queen." The teacher then made a bowl of punch, in

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In Australia a series of classes for instruction in sheep and wool classing have been instituted and are being enthusiastically attended. Some farmers and their sons have hidden long journeys on horseback to attend them.

PUPILS AND FRIENDS AID TEACHERS IN BOX CONTEST

Standing of Contestants

Miss Mary Malone	7
Miss Minnie Goette	5
Miss Smith	5
A. E. Burnett	4
Mrs. Jennie Oliver Johnson	4
Miss Pinka Jones	4
Miss Mary Martin	3
Miss Belle Bowdry	3
Miss Frankie Van Zandt	3
Miss Lily Clayton	2
Miss Porter	2
Miss Foster	2
Miss Nored	2
Miss Houz	2
Miss Helen Oilham	1
Miss Cowan	1
Miss Mattie Wairam	1
Miss Ada Dawson	1
Mrs. Wright	1

Already great interest has been excited in The Telegram's contest for the most popular school teacher. Pupils and friends are taking the matter up and working vigorously for their favorite among the educational pillars of the city. Though there have been

but two days for contestants to enter, nineteen are already on the lists, and more are coming in.

But the time is short. Only a week more is allowed, and during that time whoever is to win must pile up a majority. It is up to the pupils and friends aforesaid to get out and hump themselves for their favorite pedagogue.

Conditions
The conditions of the contest are these: All votes must be written on coupons cut from The Telegram. One is printed in each issue. The name of the teacher, her grade and school, and the voter, must be written in. Votes must be brought or mailed to The Telegram office by 6 o'clock of the day before, in order to get in any afternoon's paper.

The vote ends on Feb. 9, and twelve box seats in the Majestic theater for the Saturday matinee will be awarded to the winner, who may invite anybody she or he pleases to occupy the seats on that occasion.

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