

ONE OUT OF EVERY TEN MEN WANT DIVORCES

Increasing Increase in Number of Divorce Suits

Records Show That Many Fort Worth Marriages Are Failures

For every ten marriage licenses issued in Tarrant county during 1906 up to the close of business Saturday, Dec. 29, three and one-half divorce suits had been filed in the district clerk's office.

For every two divorce suits filed during 1906 up to the close of business Saturday, Dec. 29, one divorce had been granted, but three-fourths of the suits for divorce filed during the year have never gone to trial, but will be heard later.

The statistics bearing on marriage and divorce in Tarrant county, as furnished by the records of the district and county clerk's offices, are of great interest to those people who have their curiosity aroused by a proposition: "Is marriage a failure?"

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another case the allegation was made by the wife that her husband spends all his earnings on lewd women wearing wife and children to rustle food for the family and should he come home and find nothing to eat he evidences his displeasure by knocking the wife down.

To offset this case of cruelty there is another case in which the husband charges that his wife, when charged with infidelity, proudly admitted it and asked: "What are you going to do about it?"

There are several cases on the record in which the cause of action is that the defendant has been convicted of a felony, and there is one case where the pleadings set out that every time the plaintiff got into the bed for a week he was kicked out by his wife, the defendant he had made a shake down and sleep on the floor.

By referring to the records of the district court, and then to those of the county court, it was learned that a number of cases of divorced parties had secured a marriage license for a new partner before the ink on the docket where their decree of divorce was entered was dry.

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Gained in 1906

- Twenty-six new wholesale firms and manufacturing establishments. \$51,000,000 increase in bank clearings (Total \$317,000,000). 2,500 feet frontage new brick and stone business houses. \$200,000 spent for new churches and church improvements. One new railroad (Trinity & Brazos Valley). Six miles additional street car trackage. One Y. M. C. A. building—cost \$40,000. Two new ward schools. Three new hospitals. Two new fire halls.



CINCINNATI FIRE LOSS IS \$100,000

Policemen Rescue People From Tenements

SOLDIERS ON A TEAR Desperate Men Precipitate a Panic in Constantinople

TO TRY THE NEW STYLE SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Jan. 1.—This city is beginning to advocate the commission style of government, similar to that of Galveston, and no doubt the necessary legislation will be introduced into the legislature at the next session.

YEAR DIES A NOISY DEATH IN FORT WORTH

CUBANS ASK FOR PROTECTORATE Many Residents Sign the Petition

NO MORE LAGNIAPPE Passing of An Old-Time Custom in New Orleans

WILL ORGANIZE SCHOOL LEAGUES President Sullivan Returns From Chicago Visit

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NEW YEAR LID FIASCO

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NEW WEARS AT THE WHITE HOUSE

NANE WAS EXECUTED

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The Big Store

To It's Friends and Patrons:

You have helped us over the stepping stones of success and we have rounded out the year with a most phenomenal list of one grand success after another. We have endeavored to cater to your wants in many ways, always with merchandise of such a dependable character that we felt consciously proud when we sold it to you, feeling that we were giving you the best values that your dollar would buy here or elsewhere. Knowing that if for any reason it was not satisfactory, no matter how slight that reason was, we could have given it to you, feeling that we were getting value for value in return, striving by this fair treatment to build up a greater, grander business, a store in which you will have perfect confidence at all times. For in your confidence in this store and its methods, both past and future, we rely for the store's future greatness. For the favors you have shown by your kind words and influence we earnestly thank you and extend to you our heartfelt greeting of

A Happy New Year

H. C. Stripling
THE PRICE IS THE THING.

WEDDINGS

Patton-Killinger.
Miss Lillian Mae Killinger and Roy R. Patton were married Monday night at 8:30 o'clock in the parlors of the Taylor Street Presbyterian church by Rev. J. W. Caldwell. The ceremony was witnessed by a number of the intimate friends and relatives of the contracting parties.

WEST TEXAS RANGE

Captain John T. Lytle Left for Visit in San Antonio.
The reports for Christmas week, ending Dec. 30, received from the inspectors of the range by the secretary, Captain John T. Lytle, of the Cattle Raisers' Association of Texas, indicate that conditions during the week continued excellent as to range, weather and cattle.

COURT HOUSE HOLIDAY

Offices were Open but Courts Not in Session
The New Year's holiday was generally observed at the county court house Tuesday and there was but little business transacted at the offices of the collector and the sheriff's office were open, but the two district courts and the county court were not in session. The district clerk's office was kept open up to noon for the filing of any emergency papers, but up to four o'clock there was nothing doing in the county court up to noon, there had been but three papers and one birth certificate filed.

COMMITTEE TO MEET

Mayor Harris Issues General Invitation to All Interested
The general charter committee will meet Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the mayor's office of the city hall to consider suggestions for the further amendment of the proposed charter, from the draft as finally adopted by the general committee.

WOMAN IS DESTITUTE

Mrs. A. J. Sawyer Without Means of Support
Mrs. A. J. Sawyer, whose husband killed himself in North Fort Worth last week, is in a destitute condition and her case appeals strongly to all charitable people.

SAYS CONFESSION WILL NOT CONVICT

Attorney for Palmer Woman Talks

The reported confession of Mable Palmer, now being held for the theft of the A. B. Wharton diamonds, the transfer of the prisoner to the county jail and the fixing of bonds in the sum of \$10,000, has created no little stir among those familiar with the case, which will, in all probability, be brought up by the grand jury Wednesday.

AMUSEMENTS

"The Awakening of Mr. Pipp"

Mr. Pipp is misnamed. He ought to be called Mr. Pippin. At least that is what the audience at Greenwall's New Year's eve thought about the work of Charles Grapewin, the leading role of the semi-musical comedy which let loose whole loads of laughter from the patrons of a well-filled house.

WARMEST DECEMBER

Average Temperature Was 52 Degrees, the Highest On Record
In the history of the weather bureau in this city never has been another December as warm as the one that has just passed. The mean or average temperature for the entire month was 52 degrees above the average of all other months of the year, and established a new record for high temperature besides.

NEW REAL ESTATE FIRM

Offices Opened at 1016 Houston Street Monday Morning
A firm that will doubtless be of great value to Fort Worth was organized last week and offices opened at 1016 Houston street, in the building formerly occupied by the Mills Realty Company.

GRANT NEW TRIAL FOR J. G. LOWDEN

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DEATH NOTICE OF MAN WHO IS ALIVE

H. C. McKelvey May Recover From Illness

If H. C. McKelvey, for years master mechanic of the Fort Worth and Denver shops in this city, who lives near Polytechnic college, recovers from his illness he will have the unique experience of being able to read his own death and burial notice. A morning paper contained the account of his death on Monday and subsequent interment, the late information is to the effect that he is still alive with a fair chance of recovery.

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COLLISION IN A FOG

Street Cars Come Together with Fatal Effect to Passengers

WILMINGTON, Del., Jan. 1.—During a heavy fog this morning, two cars on the Wilmington City Railway collided. It is reported three persons were killed and several injured.

IS UNCONSTITUTIONAL

Federal Judge in Kentucky Upsets Employers' Liability Act

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Jan. 1.—Judge Walter Evans of the Federal court today declared the employers' liability act unconstitutional. The decision was made in the case of the administrative board of the Southern and Pacific railroad and is believed to be the first one handed down in connection with this act.

CHIEF SURGEON NAMED

HOUSTON, Texas, Jan. 1.—A pistol, \$25 in cash, and \$1,000 worth of diamonds were stolen from the safe in Charles F. Winkler's saloon at 414 Travis street.

REVISION IS SURE

Only One Thing Can Result From Conditions in Russia

DENVER, Col., Jan. 1.—Revolution is the only end in sight for Russia, according to Dr. G. Deutsch, professor of history at Hebrew Union College, Cincinnati, who is here delivering lectures on matters of foreign importance.

A PLOT THAT FAILED

More Shooting in Turbulent Kemper County, Mississippi

MERIDIAN, Miss., Jan. 1.—An attempt to assassinate the Brakeman Dryden Walker of the Mobile and Ohio railroad was made Sunday night about 8 o'clock, near Wabank, the scene of the recent troubles. Six shots were fired from ambush at the trainman, but he escaped injury.

A QUIET FUNERAL

Mr. Cassatt's Remains Laid to Rest Without Ostentation

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Jan. 1.—With few exceptions as simple as the rites of the Protestant Episcopal church would permit, the remains of Alexander J. Cassatt, president of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, who died suddenly last Friday, were Monday laid to rest in the graveyard of the Redeemer at Bryn Mawr.

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WILL VISIT FORT WORTH

Members of National Grocers' Association Coming Here

The National Grocers' Association, which is to meet in Dallas Jan. 21, will spend the last day in Fort Worth. The members will come over from the Dallas meeting on the morning of Jan. 23, the last of the three days' session, and will be entertained here by the local Grocers' and Butchers' Association.

CAR SHORTAGE

Fuel Dealers Find Difficulty in Getting Stove Wood

TEMPLE, Texas, Jan. 1.—Fuel dealers are still handicapped by inability to secure an ample supply of stove wood for domestic consumption, the great difficulty being a shortage in cars.

MANY MARRY IN RAILWAY STATION

Justice Bratton Says They Are Good Pay

The Texas and Pacific Union passenger station is becoming a favorite rendezvous for young people who come from outside towns to Fort Worth to get married. Five couples were united in marriage at the station during 1907, and during 1908, the number was 12.

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SURVEY NEW RAILROAD

Road is Projected from San Saba to Cisco

BROWNWOOD, Texas, Jan. 1.—H. Connell of Fort Worth, in company with two railroad men, has just completed a survey of a proposed road from San Saba to Cisco and back to Brownwood. The road has been surveyed by H. Connell and two railroad men, and Connell will go to New York to first of the year to finance the road.

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No honing, no stropping. Always ready ready mornings of clean, easy shaves, at a cost to you of less than 25c a week. Sold on 30 days' trial. One razor and 12 blades packed in leather case. Price \$5.00.

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H. F. PANGBURN & CO.
Corner Ninth and Houston

HUGHES GOES INTO OFFICE

Abstract of His Inaugural Address at Albany

IS WITH PEOPLE

New Governor of New York Ignores Politicians—Will Advocate Radical Reforms

Special to The Telegram. ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 1.—Charles T. Hughes was inaugurated governor of New York today. Radical reforms of a startling nature are anticipated in his message to the legislature tomorrow.

Synopsis of Address By Associated Press. HUGHES was duly inaugurated today.

Governor Hughes, after a few words of compliment to the administration of Governor Higgins, addressed himself to his fellow citizens, saying in part:

"We have reason to congratulate ourselves that coincident with our prosperity there is an emphatic assertion of public wrongs. There is no panacea in executive action for all the ills of society, which spring from the frailties and defects of human nature. Whether or not we have laws enough, it is considered legislation, and the question is not whether, but as to the quality of our present and proposed enactments. It must be recognized that many of the evils of which we complain have their source in the law itself, in privileges carefully granted, in opportunities for private aggrandizement at the expense of the people, recklessly created in the failure to safeguard our public interests by providing means for the just regulation of those enterprises, which depend on the use of public franchises. Wherever the law gives unjust advantage, wherever it falls by suitable prohibition or regulation, it is the duty of the people, wherever the power derived from the state is turned against the state, there is not only room, but urgent necessity for the assertion of the authority of the state to enforce the common rights. We are a government of laws, not of men. We subordinate individual caprice to definite duty.

"The essentials of our liberties are expressed in constitutional enactments removed from the risk of temporary agitation. But the security of our government, despite its constitutional guarantees, is found in the intelligence and public spirit of its citizens and in its ability to call to the work of the administration men of single minded devotion to public interests, who will unselfishly serve to the state a point of knightly honor. If in administration we make the standard efficiency and not partisan advantage, if in executing the laws we deal impartially, if in making the laws there is fair and intelligent action with reference to each exigency, we shall disarm reckless and selfish agitators and take from the enemies of our peace their vantage ground of attack.

"It is my intention to employ my constitutional powers to this end. I believe in the sincerity and good sense of the people. I believe that they are intent on having a government which recognizes no favored interests and which is not conducted in any part for selfish ends. They will not be able to resist the content with less."

New Territory Railroad

Special to The Telegram. LAWTON, Okla., Jan. 1.—E. R. Hill, general manager of the Kansas City Central & Lawton Railroad Company, will arrive here this week for the purpose of closing a contract with this city for terminal and right of way facilities for the Muskogee and Lawton branch. A proposition has been made for a right of way and bonds at Chickasha and the new line may be built thru that city.

Poison in Tomato Can

DENVER, Col., Jan. 1.—A 4-year-old daughter of Mrs. William Manahan of Laramie, is dead from eating canned tomatoes. A twin brother and the mother are also very near death's door from the same cause.

Fighting Cotton Exchange

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—Forgetting that it was half holiday in the departments, Mr. Livingston got to Postmaster General Cortelyou's office too late yesterday to make formal application for a fraud order against the New York Cotton Exchange. He will be there Wednesday to file the charges upon which the demand is based.

A boy who claims Chicago as his home was caught in the act of helping himself to the contents of a slot machine at the New York vaudeville theater in South Main street at 2 o'clock Tuesday night. The proprietor of the establishment did not consent to prosecute the young man, consequently he was given four hours in which to vacate the city.

THE WEATHER

Temperature at 2:30 p. m., 49 degrees; wind southwesterly, velocity 12 miles an hour. Barometer stationary. Forecast is showers.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 1.—Indicated showers tonight and Wednesday. Arkansas—Tonight and Wednesday. Oklahoma and Indian Territory—Tonight, showers; warmer Wednesday and showers. Texas (South)—Tonight, showers; warmer Wednesday and showers. Texas (North)—Tonight, showers; warmer Wednesday and showers. Louisiana—Tonight, showers; warmer Wednesday and showers.

sheep's operative

POLITICS WARMING UP

Senator Bailey to Make Personal Campaign at Austin Special to The Telegram. AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 1.—Bailey politics are warm in this county, being stimulated by the announcement from the senator that he is coming here to make a personal campaign.

STATE LEGISLATURES

Solons Meet Today at Various State Capitals

LINCOLN, Neb., Jan. 1.—The Nebraska legislature convened this morning. Nettleton of Clay county is speaker. Saunders of Douglas county is president of the senate.

In Pennsylvania Special to The Telegram. HARRISBURG, Pa., Jan. 1.—The Pennsylvania legislature met at noon today.

In Rhode Island Special to The Telegram. PROVIDENCE, R. I., Jan. 1.—Gov. Higgins held a caucus in his office today. The legislature met.

ARIZONA CUTS OUT GAMBLING

Next Legislature Will Pass Knockout Bill

Special to The Telegram. TUCSON, Ariz., Jan. 1.—Gambling in Arizona is to be stopped.

This sounds almost unbelievable, doesn't it? Nevertheless, it is true. The gambler must go—Arizona has said it. A poll of the members of the next legislature shows that the majority favor the repeal of the statute licensing gambling and making it a lawful business.

Three of the principal cities of the territory have adopted prohibitive licenses and succeeded in driving the gambler out. Tucson, Douglas and Phoenix could not make a misdemeanor out of a business recognized by territorial statute, but at special elections they voted to adopt a high license on gaming, gambling and amusements.

DO NOT LIKE MEXICO

Japanese Laborers Anxious to Enter the United States

Special to The Telegram. MEXICO, Jan. 1.—Naotaro Kobayashi, representative of a Japanese colonization company, has been in this city. His company has been in existence four years, during which time colonization has been effected in other countries, but now he has begun the introduction of Japanese into Mexico on a large scale.

A NARROW ESCAPE

Premature Explosion of Signal Bomb Threatened Disaster By Associated Press. HAVANA, Jan. 1.—Three hundred persons, including officers and members of their families, had a narrow escape from a premature explosion of a signal bomb, fired last night to welcome the new year.

DEATH LIST GROWING

The B. and O. Wreck Worse Than First Reported Special to The Telegram. WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—The Baltimore and Ohio wreck at Terra Cotta grows in magnitude as the hours pass. The most conservative estimate of the dead is fifty-three, with three scores of injured in the hospitals or their homes suffering from wounds and fractures sustained in the rear-end collision which completely demolished the two coaches and the smoker attached to the local Fredericksburg, Md., express No. 66.

Lawton Hotel Man Dying

Special to The Telegram. LAWTON, Okla., Jan. 1.—S. L. Keegan, proprietor of the widely known Keegan hotel, is critically ill at the hotel where he was injured and cannot recover. His will has been made and a priest has administered the last sacrament. Keegan came here during the week of his illness from Kiowa-Comanche country from Enid.

Postoffice Robbery

Special to The Telegram. LAWTON, Okla., Jan. 1.—With nitroglycerin burglars blew the postoffice safe at Indianola Sunday night and secured about three hundred dollars in money and stamps. No arrests have been made.

CARRIERS WANT BETTER ROADS

Executive Committee Meets in Fort Worth

ASK MONTHLY REPORTS

Letters Will Be Sent to All Carriers Asking Them to Join the Association and Work for a Common End

Meeting of the executive committee of the Rural Letter Carriers' Association of Texas is being held in Fort Worth on New Year's day. A meeting was held Tuesday morning at the St. Elmo hotel and considerable business of importance handled.

A HIGH OLD TIME IN PHILADELPHIA

New Years Observed on a Larger, Grandeur Scale

By Associated Press. PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Jan. 1.—New Year's day was observed on a larger and grander scale than usual in this city.

Beginning with a midnight reception by the mayor and city officers in the beautiful illumination of the city hall, which was festooned with colored incandescent lights from the sidewalks to the top of the great tower, the celebration was continued until dawn by hundreds of balls and throut the day by receptions and other forms of merriment.

FEARFUL STORM RAGING IN RUSSIA

Two Towns Snowed Under and Many Lives Lost

By Associated Press. ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 1.—The storm that passed over Great Britain as Christmas time has reached Western Russia, where an enormous fall of snow is reported and railroad communication is paralyzed, many of the lines being entirely interrupted.

REFORM IN GEORGIA

Child Labor Prohibited and Bucket-Shops Closed

By Associated Press. ATLANTA, Ga., Jan. 1.—The child labor law became effective today. Five thousand children under 12 years of age were taken from 133 cotton mills and allowed to go to school.

BURGULARS WERE BUSY

San Antonio Thieves Particular About What They Steal

Special to The Telegram. SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Jan. 1.—During the night burglars broke into the big store in the heart of the city, in the heart of the city, and stole over \$400 worth of jewelry.

Operator Released on Bond

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Frame Buildings Burned

BREMONT, Texas, Jan. 1.—Three frame buildings owned by W. A. Walling, J. C. Roberts and A. Marstrand were destroyed by fire. The aggregate loss is \$11,000 on buildings and contents.

THE PENNSYLVANIA

Wall Street Believes Standard Oil Will Control Railway Special to The Telegram. PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Jan. 1.—It is stated on excellent authority that James McRea, first vice president of the Pennsylvania road will today be elected president. Mr. Frick would be chosen if he wanted the position.

USED AS A FOOTBALL

Two Territory Mules Have Fun With a Man

SHAWNEE, Okla., Jan. 1.—Used as a football by two excited mules, Barney Bunch, assistant prisoner guard here, was kicked back and forth by the mules during the day.

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ALL MINISTERS OF the gospel admitted here at the new theater, 1106 Main, on Tuesday and Wednesday, to see the life of Moses illustrated.

DON'T FAIL to see the life of Moses illustrated at the new theater, 1106 Main street.

FURNISHED ROOMS for rent. 1008 1/2 Houston street. Phone 794.

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\$50 Reward! The Telegram will pay a reward of fifty dollars (\$50) to any one who will prove that Piffle Paffle is not the original and only Piffle Paffle, the real canine sleuth.

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THE MOST THOROUGHLY SUBJUGATED PEOPLE ON EARTH

In the January number of Everybody's Magazine is a tremendously forceful article by Charles Edward Russell which ought to be read most thoughtfully by every American citizen.

It is the conclusion, the summary, of his notable series of articles on "Soldiers of the Common Good," and in it he contends that in this land of the free, as we are pleased to call it, the people are subjugated to the rule of privileged interests to a degree known nowhere else on earth.

He points out that in all countries except ours there is being constructed a new economic system the basis of which is the supremacy of the interests of the community over the profits of the individual.

And he illustrates this startling proposition with pregnant facts that come directly home to every city in this country.

He shows us that while we cry out incessantly but impatiently against the exactions and swindlings of the railroads, all the rest of the world is bringing the railroads under public ownership or strict control.

While we stand aghast at our monstrous series of insurance scandals, New Zealand has in operation an insurance scheme that is absolutely safe and honest.

Germany, France, Italy and Australia have beneficent old-age pensions, but we give the example no thought.

We bitterly denounce the powerful corporations, but tamely permit them to dictate our legislation.

We anathematize the political bosses, but meekly vote for the candidates they nominate and the measures they stand for.

We are blind to what is going on in the rest of the world. The general progress in human rights does not touch us. We, of all the peoples of the world, have the least to say in our public affairs and the least benefit from our enormous wealth.

At least, so Mr. Russell forcefully says, and he makes a mighty interesting showing of evidence.

In sharp contrast with the clean, smooth-running, thoroughly adequate street car service of the cities of Europe, he presents the familiar spectacle in the average American city of the weary workers coming from the shops and stores at close of the day's work to stand in crowds on every street corner in all kinds of weather waiting for the infrequent cars, of the almost riotous pushing and pulling and squeezing for a place to stand in them all the way home.

No other people in the world tolerates such conditions as we do, because in no other country are the corporations supreme.

Perhaps some of Mr. Russell's pictures are overdrawn, perhaps some of his truths overheated.

But he makes a thrilling appeal to American manhood which every man will be a better citizen for having read and weighed.

OLD, OLD QUESTION OF RAILWAY DISASTERS

Once more the appalling annual statistics of railway disasters have set railway managers to thinking seriously about precautions for the greater safety of their trains.

The managers of the Burlington think they have found the secret in a limitation of speed. This railroad, in the face of an apparent public demand to be on time regardless of risks, has placed a maximum speed limit of sixty miles an hour upon its passenger trains and has put speed meters in locomotive cabs to detect speed in excess of this limit.

How important this is to the traveling public may be gathered when it is stated that the fast transcontinental mail train, which does not carry passengers, maintains a speed of ninety miles an hour on portions of this road every night. It is also a well-known fact that there is not a single fast train on any of the big lines that does not frequently equal and even exceeds this speed in daily efforts to make up for lost time.

question. The Burlington experiment will be interesting and valuable to the entire railway world.

But the American people, aroused over the long list of dead and injured for the year, will not be content with such mild methods of reform.

There is pending in the national senate a bill offered by Senator LaFollette forbidding the railroads to permit any employe in or connected with the movement of any train to remain on duty more than sixteen hours, except when, by casualty occurring after such employe has started on his trip, he is prevented from reaching his terminal; or to permit any such employe to go on duty without having had at least ten hours for rest.

The railroads offer strenuous opposition to the passage of this bill. And this opposition shows where the shoe pinches.

Many of the accidents of the past have been attributed to overworked trainmen or overworked dispatchers.

The limitation of hours of continuous labor to sixteen is not unreasonable.

All regulating measures must be productive of some incidental hardship. That cannot be helped. But it is better that the railroads should suffer some hardships in the decrease of dividends than that their employes should continue to suffer injustice and the public continue to suffer injuries and loss of life.

New Year's day is interesting for Abilene in that it marks the beginning of a new period in successful newspaper making. The Abilene Reporter, of which George S. Anderson is proprietor, has secured Associated Press privilege and brings the publication of day dispatches with the Tuesday issue. This gives Abilene the only Associated Press paper between Fort Worth and El Paso and the patronage which the Reporter enjoys would indicate that the town has grown large enough to justify the service.

Governor Vardaman buckled on a brace of hosiery pistols and went to the scene of the Mississippi race riots in the interest of peace. However, he cannot get the Nobel prize until next December.

At Washington it is said there's nothing out of the ordinary in Japs taking measurements of fortifications. It is suspected that there is also nothing out of the ordinary about some of the fortifications.

Subsidiary companies of the Standard Oil Company in Ohio have admitted their ownership. It is needless to add that the goods have been found on them.

The tendency to divorce in the theatrical profession indicates that even the greatest entertainers can't entertain each other.

Bryan lays stress on the fact that he hasn't said he would NOT be a candidate. Bless you, William, everybody had noticed that.

A rear admiral has accompanied the Roosevelt family on a hunting trip. Don't know what kind of a landsman he is, but he ought to be all right when it comes to maneuvering a squadron of decoy ducks.

The sultan of Morocco, having finally nerved himself to the decision to discharge Raisuli, may become rash enough to try it on the cook.

Why not start today toward getting twenty more new factory whistles to be blown at midnight, Dec. 31, 1907?

Turkey is so scarce that in a few years scientists will have to build up the piece de resistance for a holiday feast from a wishbone relic.

SOME OF US IS GOOD

BY CYNTHIA GREY.

"Some of us is good!"

This was the assertion made by a timid little factory girl, of Des Moines, Ia. She cried out the words to the evangelist who had just ended a prayer in behalf of the crowd of factory girls whom he had been addressing.

The evangelist was stunned by the factory girl's words, and more stunned as she continued. Those who heard the evangelist and remained to hear the little girl are wondering which preached the better sermon, the girl or the evangelist.

"Go preach to those girls, TOO, then people won't think we're worse than they are."

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"Some of us is good, and you have put it in the papers that you are preaching to the factory girls, and because you have singled us out to preach to, people think we are worse than other girls."

"We're glad you come, ain't we, girls? We like to have you tell us how we can be better, but why don't you talk to the girls on Grand ave. too?"

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At this the little girl stopped, very much frightened at her boldness in talking the straight truth at the great evangelist. And as she turned to her mates with the question, "Ain't we, girls? there was a great nodding of heads, for the rest of them were too timid and afraid to say a word."

Silk or calico covered, sin is sin, and the girl of the factory has found that out.

When the honest factory girl buttons her faded jacket she buttons it over a brave little heart as true and as honorable as the heart that beats under the sealskin.

Neither wealth nor poverty is productive of vice. Girls can be good and work in factories. Girls can be good and belong to the swell set. But so long as it is true that the swell set holds sin, why is it that the factory girls must be again and again singled out and made the object of public prayer while the silk-clad rustle boldly on, unprayed for?

LIGHT FROM DARKEST AFRICA

It now appears that the dying prayer of David Livingstone that "the open sore of the world" might be cured, will be answered.

Since Livingstone opened the way to the heart of Africa and Stanley spied out its wondrous resources, by some strong misadventure the Congo Free State has been given over by the civilized world to the tender mercies of King Leopold of Belgium—the royal rouse of the Paris boulevard, the greediest money grabber of all Europe.

For more than twenty years stories have leaked out, telling of the horrid cruelties of the Congo. But the agents of the syndicate of which Leopold is the head and which has been exploiting the rich region, have been able to contradict these stories on high authority.

Some time ago the English government, stirred by the recital of atrocities, intervened in behalf of the natives and asked for an investigation by the nations responsible for Leopold. But the wily debauchee forestalled the English initiative by himself appointing a commission of inquiry.

This commission went to the Congo and looked up the facts. Altogether friendly to Leopold the indictment of his administration was most severe. All the tales of cruelty were confirmed. For nearly a year Leopold and his agents suppressed the report. When it was finally printed the report was garbled and misleading.

Societies have sprung up all over Europe and in America demanding investigation and reform of the Congo. Literature issued by these societies presents evidence of the maiming and killing of the natives, of gross slavery and cruelty, of exploiting and ruthless methods.

Our government has been appealed to and asked to intervene. Our representatives took part in the international conference which unfortunately placed the destiny of the Congo Free State into the hands of Leopold. But it is our settled policy to put a limit to interference by this government in anything happening across the Atlantic. We remember Washington's injunction to "avoid entangling alliances."

Nevertheless, we have decided to co-operate with England in calling an international conference to bring about reform.

As to the facts of maladministration there can be no doubt. Leopold's own commission convicts him of high crimes of omission and commission. His syndicate has made millions by robbing the natives of the product of their labor. All the natives are able to produce beyond a mere subsistence goes to the crown and to those who have the concessions under it.

The stories of cruelty and blood guiltiness have not been exaggerated. Armed overseers, as hardened in soul as any who ever swung a lash in southern cotton fields (and less restrained) require a certain portion of rubber on penalty. Hands of natives have been cut off, eyes have been put out, children have been impaled—all to secure more rubber. Wives of the natives have been taken from them and subjected to untold disgrace. Men and women and children have been shot down like dogs, beaten, burned, starved. In short, unspeakable horrors have been inflicted by the blood-thirsty task masters.

In the very nature of things the sun of the twentieth century could not much longer look down on the barbarism of the Congo. The blood of a helpless people cries from the ground. The "open sore of the world" revolts humanity. At last the name of Leopold, the lustful, the besotted monarch, is to be a mark for the slow-moving finger of scorn to point at.

A KENTUCKY CALL FOR WATER

After the burning of the teachers' home, the citizens of Hyden well see the need of waterworks.

The general position of the houses in town, especially the business district, is greatly in need of some means that will quickly extinguish a fire. The business men are aware of the fact and are laboring under a deadfall and it wouldn't be no surprise if the trigger be flipped at any time. It would be a very sad thing to see the business district of Hyden lying in ashes, devastating a life's hard earned mite in a moment.

The town board should make some effort to secure an maintain waterworks and be ready.—(Hyden (Ky.) Thousands).

While the new British ambassador cannot play handball, football, baseball, tennis or golf, who knows but that he may be able to put up a hot game of pinocle?

EVERETT TRUE'S TRIP TO NEW YORK--No. 1



WITH THE BOOKS

Gustave Michaud, notes the Chicago Inter-Ocean, seeks in an eastern periodical to construct a sort of intellectual map of the United States on the basis of the reading habits of the people, as shown by the statistics of their public, society and school libraries. The results are curious.

In number of books per 100 population, drawn in 1903 from leading libraries, the American states group as follows:

Two hundred books or more: Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Connecticut and California.

One hundred to two hundred books: Maine, Vermont, Rhode Island, New York, New Jersey, Delaware, Wisconsin, Colorado and Montana.

Fifty to one hundred books: Maryland, Ohio, Michigan, Indiana, Illinois, Minnesota, Wyoming and Washington.

Twenty-five to fifty books: Pennsylvania, Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska, Utah and Oregon.

Less than twenty-five books: The rest of the states and territories.

Some of the peculiarities of the grouping are readily explained. The reading level of the south is pulled down by its large illiterate negro population. That of Pennsylvania is probably kept down by the masses of illiterate immigrants which certain of its industries, notably coal mining, have grouped together.

That New England as a whole should be most conspicuous in reading habits is not surprising. For at least three generations the New Englanders who wanted to do things have been moving west, leaving in the old homes a disproportionate number of those whose chief aim was to know things.

For the rank of California, Colorado and Montana with New England, Mr. Michaud suggests the explanation that these states were settled mainly by people whose imaginations responded readily to the fairy tales of mineral discovery and, later, of irrigation—people dissatisfied with old and slow ways, bent on finding new ways, and therefore book devourers.

On the other hand, the relatively low reading rank of Kansas and Nebraska, which in literacy stand up to or even above the New England average, causes surprise. The explanation may be suggested that there is a difference between voluminous and careful reading, and that public library statistics can hardly give a fair test between urban and rural communities. One has the chance to borrow and read more. The other, having to buy, may read better.

On the basis of the nativity of persons mentioned in "Who's Who in America," Mr. Michaud suggests that there is a relation between the birth rate of talent and the reading habit. The test amounts to little, for the reason that such compilations necessarily mention a number of persons who talk and write about doing things wholly disproportionate to their mentions of persons who really do things. Thus Mr. Michaud's results would seem to be curious rather than important.

Just how to classify "The Chase of the Golden Plate" (Dodd, Mead & Co.) is a problem. It might be described, quite aptly, as a detective story with a romantic flavor; but perhaps it is better merely to say that it is a romance with detective spicing. Call it one or the other, as your fancy may dictate, it still remains one of the most alluring tales of the moment. One would feel really grateful to Jacques Futrelle, who wrote it, if one could repress a regret that the story is not longer.

This fascinating bit of fiction is prettily made. The book is illustrated by Will Grete, decorated by E. A. Foucher, and bound in a dainty design.

Miss Pert—it's a good plan to think twice before you speak. Mr. Saphedde—Yes; but when I do that I forget what it was I wanted to say, don't you know.

VERGET THAT RING

THE DUEL

The gingham dog and the calico cat
 Side by side on the table sat;
 'Twas half-past twelve, and (what do you think!)
 Nor one nor 't'other had slept a wink!
 The old Dutch clock and the Chinese plate
 Appeared to know, as sure as fate,
 There was going to be a terrible spat.
 (I wasn't there; I simply state
 What was told me by the Chinese plate!)

The gingham dog went "bow-wow-wow!"
 And the calico cat replied "mew-ow!"
 The air was littered in an hour or so,
 With bits of gingham and calico,
 While the old Dutch clock in the chimney place
 Up with its hands before its face,
 For it always dreaded a family row!
 (Now mind: I'm only telling you
 What the old Dutch clock declares is true!)

The Chinese plate looked very blue,
 And wailed, "Oh, dear! what shall we do?"
 But the gingham dog and the calico cat
 Wallowed this way and tumbled that,
 Employing every tooth and claw
 In the awfulest way you ever saw—
 And, oh! how the gingham and calico flew!
 (And, don't fancy I exaggerate!
 I got my news from the Chinese plate!)

Next morning where the two had sat,
 They found no trace of dog or cat;
 And some folks think unto this day
 That burglars stole that pair away!
 But the truth about the cat and pup
 Is this: They ate each other up!
 Now, what do you think of that?
 (The old Dutch clock it told me so,
 And that is how I came to know!)

—Eugene Field.

QUAKER REFLECTIONS

Few people are so selfish as to keep their troubles to themselves.

Most of us are well on in years before we are well off in cash.

It is always harder to increase your income than to decrease your expenses.

When you take your best girl skating it is better to have a falling out than a falling in.

Blubs—Betting on the races is a bad habit. Why don't you break yourself of it? Blubs—Well, I've come within a few dollars of breaking myself several times.

Neil—Miss Yellowleaf remains very kittenish in her declining years. Belle—Declining years? Nonsense! Miss Yellowleaf will never have any declining years as long as there is a man about.

"I'm afraid we shall have to keep an eye on our cashier," remarked one bank director to another. "Way, what's the matter—fast horses?" "No; it isn't that." "Speculating in stocks?" "No; worse than that. I understand he has been seen at several church fairs lately."—Philadelphia Record.

RECKLESS TRAINMEN

There will evidently be no such thing as a wreckless railroad until the reckless trainman is abolished.—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

One way to have an enjoyable Christmas is not to have your wife give you a box of cigars.

THAT REMINDS ME

FOR PERSONAL USE

When President Lincoln issued the emancipation proclamation it excited at once a great deal of discussion in the army. On one occasion Henry Clay Trumbull, says his biographer, was going thru the camp of the regiment of which he was chaplain, when he was halted by a sergeant and some men who were arguing the subject, says Yout's Companion.

"Chaplain," asked the sergeant, "do you think President Lincoln had any right to issue that proclamation?"

"I suppose he thought he had," replied Mr. Trumbull.

"Well, I suppose a soldier's got a right to hold his own opinion, hasn't he?"

"Oh, yes, certainly he has," answered the chaplain—"that is, if he'll take care and hold 'em, and not always be slinging them round carelessly before others."

A TRUE ARTIST

How the soul of a true artist was stung is told by a woman who has just returned from Paris. The she brought many beautiful gowns home with her, she had saved out her oldest clothes to wear upon the steamer, says the Philadelphia Evening Telegraph.

In her compartment of the train from Paris to Cherbourg there sat opposite her a middle-aged man. He kept looking at her and especially at her hat, with such marked disapproval that she felt extremely uncomfortable, and wished she had worn some of her good clothes.

On board the steamer she discovered this same man was a passenger, and whenever she met him on deck he made her feel the same discomfort by staring at her hat.

"Pardon me, but I am M. L.," he said, giving the name of a great milliner. "Ever since I saw you I have been distressed by the angle at which the quills on your hat are put on. Would you permit me to arrange them properly?"

The woman's amusement was great as she took off her hat. He gravely adjusted the quills, then said: "Thank you very much. It is such a relief to me not to see that inartistic angle."

And he walked away without a smile.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR

There's no chance for relatives ever to be intimate, for you have no use for your poor ones and your rich ones have no use for you.

When a woman is trying to make her husband take her on a short trip to Europe she says they are planning to retire and live abroad.

There's something about an argument that makes a man get all tangled up even on the thing he knows better than the other fellow.

When a woman grabs her skirts around her knees and begins to double up you can never tell whether she sees a mouse or is going upstairs.—New York Press.

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THE WOMAN IN THE ALCOVE

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By ANNA KATH ARINE GREEN

(Continued from yesterday.)

"You are engaged to him. Well, that makes it difficult, and yet, in some respects, easier for me to ask a certain question." "It must have made it more difficult than easy, for he did not proceed to put this question immediately, but went on: "You know that Mr. Durand visited Mrs. Fairbrother in the alcove a little while before her death?" "He was seen to go in, but I have not yet found any one who saw him come out; consequently we have been unable to fix the exact minute when he did so. In the matter of Miss Van Arsdale? You want to say something?" "No, no," I protested, reconsidering my first impulse. "Then, as a matter of fact, he can probably tell you that himself. I am sure he would not hesitate."

"What shall I ask him later?" was the inspector's response. "Meanwhile, are you ready to assure me that since that time he has not intruded upon your article to keep—No, no, I do not mean the diamond," he broke in, in very evident dismay, as I fell back from my impassioned indignation and alarm. "The diamond—well, we shall look for that later; it is another article we are in search of now, one which Mr. Durand might very well have taken in his hand without realizing just what he was doing. As to this important matter, let us see, then, as it is one he might very naturally have passed over to you when he found himself in the hall with it in his hand, I have ventured to ask you if this surmise is correct." "It is not," I retorted fiercely, glad that I could speak from my very heart. "He has given me nothing to keep for him. He would not—"

"Why that peculiar look in the inspector's eyes, which I have noticed on several occasions, would not give you anything to think which had belonged to another woman?" Miss Van Arsdale, you do not know men. "He has given me nothing to keep for him. He would not—"

"Not Mr. Durand," I maintained stoutly. "Perhaps not; let us hope not." Then, with a quick change of manner, he bent toward me, with a sibilant look at uncle, and, pointing to my gloves, remarked: "You wear gloves. Did you feel the need of two pairs, that you carry another in that pretty bag hanging from your arm?"

I started, looked down, and then slowly drew up into my hand the bag which I mentioned in my speech. A glove was protruding from the top. Any one could see, many probably had. What did this mean? I had brought no extra pair with me. "This is not mine," I began, faltering into silence as I perceived my uncle's eyes and the assurance of the inspector. "The articles we are looking for," pursued the inspector, "is a pair of gloves, white gloves, supposed to have been brought by the woman who when she entered the alcove. Do you mind showing me those, a finger of which I can examine?"

inner self seemed to collapse, dragging my happiness down with it. But my countenance remained unchanged, too much so, it seemed, for when I finally rose to my feet, he found there what made him recoil and turn with something like fierceness on his countenance. "You have been talking to her," he vehemently protested. "Perhaps you have known further than that. What has happened here?" "I think I ought to know. She is so guileless, Inspector Dainzell; so perfectly free from all concealment in this crime. Why have you shut her up here and pined her with question and made her look at me with such an expression, when all you have against me is just what you have against some half-dozen others—that I was weak enough, or unfortunate enough, to spend a few minutes with that unhappy woman in the alcove before she died?"

"It might be well if Miss Van Arsdale herself would answer you," was the inspector's quiet retort. "What you have said may constitute all that we have against you, but it is not all. I regard you no so much at this seeming accusation, the motive of which I believe myself to understand, but at the burning blush with which it is received by Mrs. Durand." "What do you mean?" he demanded, with certain odd breaks in his voice. "What can you have against her?" "A suspicion," returned the inspector, "with a look in my direction that was, I felt, not to be mistaken."

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"Very good." It was the inspector who spoke; I could not have uttered a word to save myself. "Perhaps you will now feel that you owe it to this young lady to add how you came to have these gloves in your possession?" "Mrs. Fairbrother handed them to me." "Handed them to you?" "I don't know," I answered, truthfully, myself. She asked me to take care of them for her. I know that this must strike you as a very peculiar statement. It was my realization of the unfavorable effect it could not fail to produce upon those who heard it which made me dread any further interrogation on the subject. But I assure you as firmly as I say, she put the gloves into my hand while I was talking to her, saying they belonged to her."

"I cannot believe it. I cannot believe it. And his hand flew wildly to his forehead." "Yet it is the truth, Mr. Durand, and one you have now to face. How will you do this? By any further explanation, or by what you may consider a discreet silence?" "I have nothing to explain—the facts are as I have stated." "The inspector regarded him with an earnestness which made my heart sick. You can fix the time of this visit, I hope, tell us, I mean, just when you left the alcove. You must have seen someone who can speak for you."

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SOCIAL SEASON

The Thallians' anniversary dance at the Worth Monday evening was as gay as holiday spirit and youth could desire. The music, beautiful decorations, pretty girls in pretty frocks and gallant beaux gave the dance a delightful distinction. The officers of the Thallians are Fred Honea, president; Edwin Arneson, secretary; Lloyd Parker, general leader; Mr. Parker led the grand march with Miss Masterson. Mr. and Mrs. Calloway and Mr. and Mrs. Barcott were the married friends present. The dancers were: Misses Mabel Long, Marjorie Hosmer, Mary Lou Thompson, Martha Canty, Helen Lassiter, Annie Somborne, Jessie Binyon, Ethel Young, Mae Wilson, Lillian Fuller, Vinita Flato, Melissa Smith, Blanche Connell, Hazel Cuthbert, Nannie Sanguinter, May Vance, Lena Ellis, Jodie Caldwell, Annie Belle Masterson, Edna Lewis, Gladys Grandover, Fannie Perry, Maudie Mabel Spencer, Ethel Rossen, Myra Peacock, Nell Connell, Florence Cuppage, Minnie Williams, Genevieve McCarthy, Irma Hosmer, Rosaline Perry, Gertrude Elliott, Roberta Maddox, Margie

HINTS BY MAY MANTON

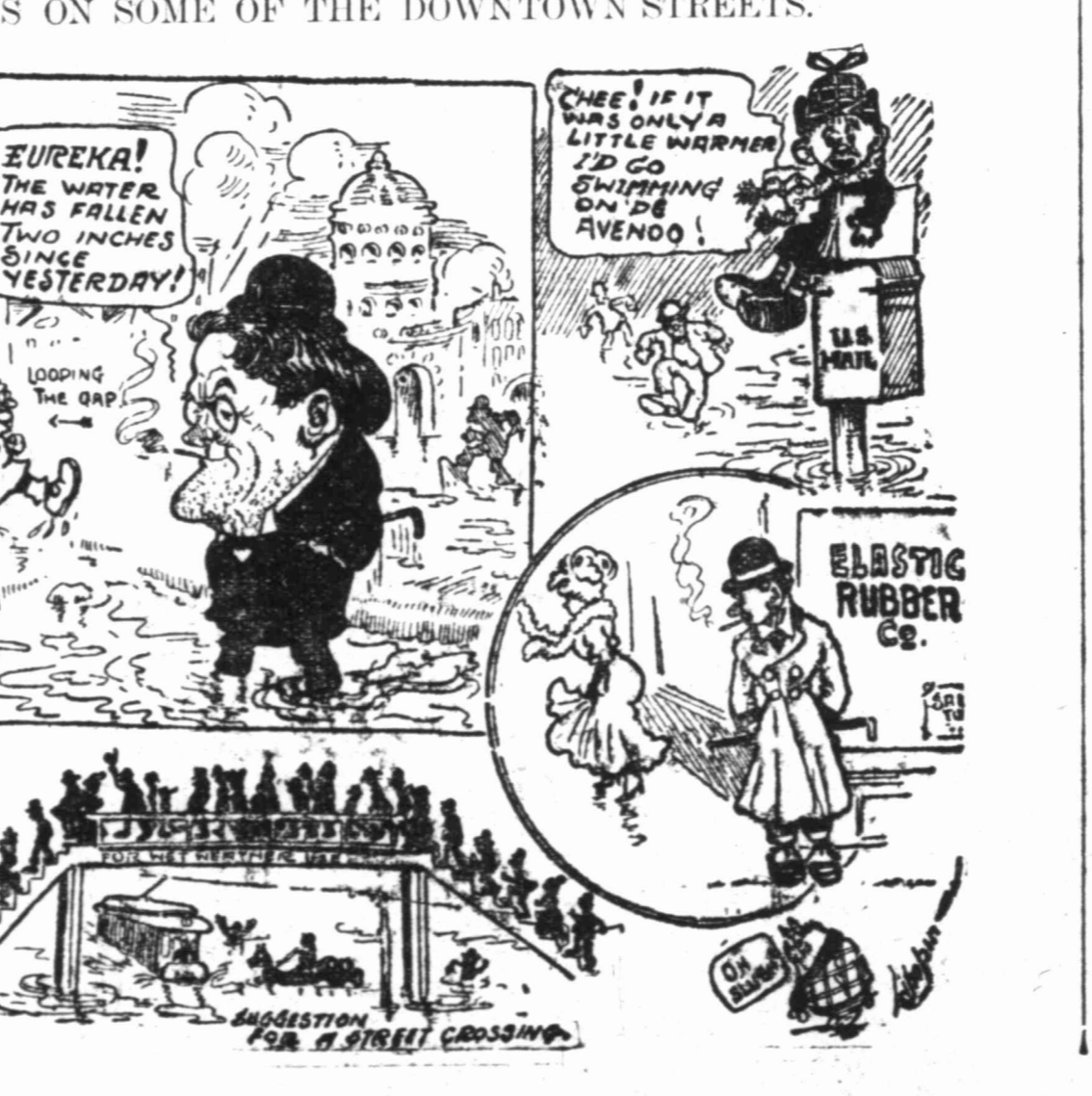


CHILD'S DRESS 5545. Shepherd's checks are being much worn this season for little children's dresses and are exceedingly charming as well as serviceable. Here is a pretty little model that is made in one piece and that is especially to be commended for a number of reasons. It can be slipped on with the greatest possible ease, it does not encumber the young wearer in the least, while it is eminently becoming. Again it suits both boys and girls, the boys up to the age of four, the girls to the age of six, so that it becomes a very useful model indeed. The shepherd's check (light brown) is the color, while there is a black belt is exceedingly smart, but the list of fashionable materials is very nearly endless. Washable materials are, perhaps, the best of all for the tiny children and they include linen and galatea, as well as the long list of chemisettes and like, while there are numberless light weight wools that can be utilized if a warmer dress is needed, serge, cashmere and the like. Again, the collar can be of the material, altho' the separate one of white is always pretty and becoming. The dress is made with fronts and backs closed invisibly under the box plait, at the left side for girls, at the right for boys. The sleeves are comfortably full and are tucked to form

Send May Manton Pattern No. — Name Address Size This pattern will be mailed by filling out the above coupon, including 10 cents, and sending to The Telegram Pattern Department, Fort Worth, Texas.

The Fort Worth Club The most brilliant dance for a long while at the club was danced New Year's eve. Robert Martin led and the figures were pleasing and enjoyable for the dancers. A salad luncheon was served during the intermission and as the old year went out the intermission of wishes for the new year was accompanied by merry music. The gowns were the most elaborate of the season during the holidays. Miss Allison, white net, white ribbon applique. Miss Evans, violet crepe de chine, shirred trimmings. Miss Vada Pankey, pink silk with rosetted trimmings. Mrs. I. G. Thompson, mauve radium, shirred trimmings. Miss Johnson of Dallas, flowered mouseline de soie. Miss Hazel Hall, white net robe, with silver sequins. Mrs. Robert Dunham, point de ventise robe over white silk. Mrs. Paul Bishop, pink chiffon with tucks and shirring. Mrs. Martha Jennings, white radium over yellow peau de soie. Mrs. Florence Cowan, blue chiffon with tucks and shirring. Mrs. Vera Daniels, white crepe de chine, with Irish crochet on bodice. Miss Mary Byers, princess of blue duchesse silk, tucked medallions in-

WHEN IT RAINS ON SOME OF THE DOWNTOWN STREETS.



Today's Mother's Friend... Every woman should know that the danger, pain and horror of childbirth can be entirely avoided by the use of Mother's Friend, a scientific liniment for external use only, which toughens and renders pliable all the parts, and assists nature in its sublime work. By its aid thousands of women have passed this great crisis in perfect safety and without pain.

Colds

It should be borne in mind that every cold weakens the lungs, lowers the vitality and prepares the system for the more serious diseases, among which are the two greatest destroyers of human life, pneumonia and consumption.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

During the Christmas holidays a merry gathering met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Crady, Miss Pearl M. Crady being the hostess. Last, but not least, the refreshments pertaining to Xmas goodies were served. Among the jolly set who enjoyed the evening were: Misses Marjorie Hunt of Dallas, Miss Cole of Denison, Miss Flossie McComas of Denison, Misses Lillian Kuhn, Alma Kuhn, Margie Cooke, Leigh Sheffield, Olga Honea, Lucy Vincent, Jennie Lloyd, Vera Woody, Gladys Laing, Cynthia Sheffield, Frances Hunter, Lois Hinson, Lela Prigmore, Tommie Potts, Emma Molland, Senetta Wiess, Fay and Lillian Tobin, Pearl and Ruby Crady, Messrs. Craver, Harrell, Reed, Hays, George Manning, Willard Bell, Marlan Long, George Johnson, Will Johnson, Charlie Brashear, Fred Newsome, Gus Harnes, Finis Hornes, Harry Brian and Charles C. Crady Jr.

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STOPPED FREE

SOMETHING HAPPENED ON EVERY DAY IN THE YEAR

SOMETHING interesting happened in Fort Worth every day of 1906, the year just closed. The statement may sound commonplace to you...

- January
1-Citizens resolved to push building sidewalks and paving.
2-Lack of sidewalks stopped work of prayer at Cannon Avenue Presbyterian church.

- February
1-Newly appointed Postmaster Barkley announces he will make no changes in postoffice officials.
2-Fort Worth city gets \$20,000 contract for paving Galveston sea wall boulevard with brick.

- March
1-Campaign started for funds for Fort Worth University: \$30,000 needed.
2-Metropolitan Hotel being enlarged to double capacity.

- June
1-Employees of plumbing houses go out on strike.
2-Rufus Martin sentenced to banishment for the murder of Charles Scawachammer.

- April
1-Eagle and Panthers played game of ball.
2-Bishop Garrett visits Fort Worth.
3-Frank Wilson kills a big gray wolf.

- May
1-Factory Club makes a report.
2-J. H. Miller charged with murder of Frank Fore.

- July
1-Board of Trade Plans merchants' trip.
2-Arrangement made for more tracks at Katy yards.
3-Plans received for the additions to St. Joseph's infirmary.

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Railroad Rumbblings

WANTED TO GET PRICES
'I don't like to make arrangements ahead of time, but I am expecting to have to bury my wife any time and I just stopped in to get your prices.'

Distribute Folder
A folder giving complete information regarding 1907 Pacific coast excursions is being distributed by the passenger department of the Denver & Rio Grande Railroad.

Orient to San Angelo
The first proposition of the Orient to build a San Angelo railway has become null for the reason that the time limit is passed and the bonus pledged therefore forfeited.

Frisco Bridge Burned
The Frisco lost a bridge by fire at Bird creek, four miles south of Holdenville. A freight train into the burn and bridge was destroyed.

Major Gileas Resigns
Ending his forty-eight years of service with the Illinois Central, Major Michael Gileas, third vice president of the company, has resigned.

Penn Promoted
DENISON, Texas, Jan. 1.-J. P. Penn, who recently resigned as chief special agent for the Katy, with headquarters in Dallas, to take a position with the Southern railway, has been promoted to be assistant chief special agent for that road.

Big Tie-Up Threatened
NEW ORLEANS, La., Jan. 1.-A general tie-up on the Atlantic division of the Southern Pacific from El Paso to New Orleans is threatened.

From Greenville to Galveston
GREENVILLE, Texas, Jan. 1.-J. E. Johnston, city ticket agent for the Katy at this place for several years, has been transferred to Galveston.

SHE HAS A PERFECT MOUTH



The mouth is the feature that gives expression to the face. The eyes, nose and shape of the head may be perfect, but if the mouth is distorted by sunken or ill-natured lips, the face cannot be considered beautiful.

Gold cream should be used freely on lips that are parched and seamed. Glycerine and rose water in equal parts makes a good salve and should be used several times during the day.

Recovered \$6,000 WORTH OF RADIUM
The Wonderful Properties of Radium Discovered
By Associated Press.

Patent Bulletin Board
Special to The Telegram.
DENVER, Colo., Jan. 1.-Postmaster Harry Beck and B. D. Smith of this city have recently had patented a device which will afford great convenience to the public in all cities and towns having railroads.

Oil Burning Engines Added
Special to The Telegram.
TAYLOR, Texas, Jan. 1.-There have been six new engines added to the Taylor-San Antonio division of the International and Great Northern railway.

Runaway Boy?
Special to The Telegram.
DENISON, Texas, Jan. 1.-Louis Stickey of Fort Worth is here looking for his little boy, who ran away from home a few days ago.

Notes and Personals
The foundation for the first brick building that is being erected by Mr. O'Keefe on Exchange avenue is completed and work on the foundation of the other building here and here commenced Monday.

SENT A PARALYTIC BACK TO WORK

A Victim of Eighteen Strokes of Paralysis Is Sent Back to Work at His Trade

J. A. MARKLAND A CURED MAN

Hot Springs Doctors Cured Him of Paralysis After All Others Had Failed

I. A. Markland of 206 East Twenty-third street, North Fort Worth, is a happy man, a cured man today.

Mr. Markland makes the following statement: 'Before commencing treatment with the Hot Springs Doctors Dec. 4, 1906, I had had eighteen strokes of paralysis, for a while I had a stroke nearly every day.'

Another testimonial comes from a grateful Fort Worth sufferer as follows: 'Fort Worth, Dec. 31.-Before commencing the Hot Springs treatments three weeks ago I was in bed, and now I am feeling better than I have for two years and have only been under Hot Springs treatment for three weeks.'

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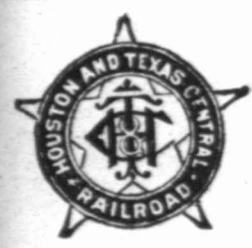
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MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—You are wanted for catalogue of the Practical Business College, 601 Main and Fourteenth, Fort Worth. Geo. W. Harris, manager. Both phones 888. It will convince you that Draughon gives the BEST course, instruction that Draughon SECURES POSITIONS or REFUNDS money, NIGHT and DAY sessions.

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EXCHANGE—Furniture, stoves, carpets, matting, draperies of all kinds, the largest stock in the city where you can exchange your old goods for new. Everything sold on easy payments. Ladd Furniture and Carpet Co., 614 Houston street. Both phones 662.

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IF YOU WANT the highest prices for your second-hand furniture, ring up R. E. Lewis, 212-14 Houston street, Phones 1239.

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\$25 REWARD—Ray mare about 14½ years high, about 15 years old, slightly sway-backed, full blaze face, black mane and tail, foretop clipped, driven without breeding, hitched to open-top rubber-tired black rear Fieg & Miller Co., Address: Bonnie Moseley, Fort Worth, Texas, phone 2507.

LOST—Between Main and Throckmorton on Sixth street, one Masonic lady's emblem, about 2 p. m. Will pay liberal reward if returned to Telegram office, Mrs. E. Garner, 1007½ Houston, Old phone 521.

LOST—Christmas day, Scotch collie dog, 6 months old. Answers to the name "Fido." Color orange and white; white collar, a little more narrow on right side; white streak down face; turns a little to left of nose. Old phone 1831. Suitable reward.

LOST—One pointer dog with black bitten liver spots; tall not docked, and sore neck. Dog about 2 years old. Disappeared Saturday evening. Has small piece of rope around neck. Return to 912 West First street and receive reward.

\$10 REWARD—Strayed from 1100 Adams street, Dec. 21, one solid dark red and black bull, one cream and white cow, thin condition; no marks of brands. W. J. Lewis, phone 4929 or 177.

LOST—A bunch of keys with celluloid tag with Washed Bros' tag on same; also a gold watch, monogram on back, with ribbon fob. Reward if returned to the Telegram.

STRAYED—Dec. 25, one bay horse, 12 years old, has had cut on left hind leg. Finder return to Nash Hardware Co., 1605 Main street, and receive suitable reward.

LOST—Between Main and Throckmorton on Sixth street, blue ribbon fob, open-face plain gold pocket watch. Notify Lightfoot, phone 2706 before 5 p. m. Reward.

LOST—On pavilion car lady's purse containing \$5 bill, two card cases, small change and car tickets. Phone 829 or call at 315 Elm street. Reward.

LOST—Gentleman's signet ring, J. engraved in old English, in box from Haltom's jewelry store. Reward if returned to this office.

STRAYED—Bay mare, white spot on forehead; white hind foot; reward. New phone 664.

THREE stray colts, two sorrels and one grey, in my pasture. L. T. Jones, Heff Place, Stove Foundry road. Reward, white hind foot; reward. New phone 664.

LOST—One white and brown spotted hound dog. Return to 301 Main street and receive reward. Phone 2167.

FOUND at Monnig's, the best pair of Men's Shoes. It's W. L. Douglas.

BUSINESS CHANCES

A BARGAIN—Five-room house on Hemphill street, close in, cement walk, back and front porch; hydrant, coal shed; corner lot 5x100 feet to 20-foot alley; price \$1,800; one-half cash, balance easy. Morris Bros., 1608 Main street, Phone 2452.

ONLY \$250—Nice, clean, easy business, that is actually paying \$200 a month. I am going to southern Texas and am going to sell; have two-year lease on my location. Address 252, care Telegram.

NICE small business for sale that is actually paying \$150 per month, for only \$200 cash, with two years' lease. Address 264, care Telegram.

NICE cash paying business, will net \$200 per month. Price \$500. Address 184, care Telegram.

WANTED MISCELLANEOUS

NOTICE—To Building Contractors: Bids wanted for the erection of twenty-room lumber building. Plans and specifications can be seen at office of The Standard Trust Company, 816 Fort Worth National Bank building.

WANTED—Cheap board in private families for students. Pay monthly in advance. No objections to several in room. Apply Draughon's Practical Business College, Fourteenth and Main. Both phones 868.

WANTED—\$1,000 worth of second-hand furniture and stoves for spot cash. Call on W. P. Lane Furniture & Carpet Co., corner Fourth and Houston streets, or call 2522 old phone or 45 new phone.

WANTED—Two men boarders or man and wife, \$4 week; no objection to baby; close to car line; best neighborhood; with small family. 1815 Wallace street. New phone 1348.

WANTED—Second-hand furniture. Banner Furniture Co., 215 Main. Both phones.

WE pay the highest for your old clothes. A. Wolfe, 1504 Main street. Phone 99, new.

WANTED to know the address of W. W. Handcock. Of interest to him. Address 297, care Telegram.

WE PAY CASH for second-hand furniture, refrigerators and stoves. Hubbard Bros. Both phones 2191.

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ROOMS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Newly furnished rooms. 1106 Lamar street. Old phone 2313.

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FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished large connecting rooms, hot water, electric lights, phone, private family. \$8 each. Call at 609 May street.

A FEW choice outside rooms, neatly furnished, well arranged for light housekeeping, reasonable. 607 Rusk street. New phone 1668.

ONE-HALF of a furnished house, in private family, where there are no children; water; \$11 per month. 1019 East Daggert.

WANTED—To room and board a nice refined couple for company; special attention given. Reference exchanged. 1003 Throckmorton street. Phone 1890.

TWO or three unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping. 409 South Calhoun. Phone 3172.

TWO NICE furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 611 Grove street. Phone 2596 old.

FURNISHED room; one large room for light housekeeping to party with-out children. 300 West Fourth street.

FOR RENT—Two large south rooms, for gentlemen; \$1.50 per week each; close in. 1109 Taylor street.

NICELY furnished rooms, for rent; close in. 221 South Main. New phone 1049.

NEWLY furnished front room in West Fifth street, close in; reference required. Old phone 2223.

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FOR RENT—Two large rooms, closets, both furnished or unfurnished. 401 Lipscomb, corner Broadway.

FURNISHED and unfurnished rooms; also housekeeping suites close in. 501 East Third street.

CHAS. LITTLE, Transfer and Move Wagons, Corner Fifth and Main. New phone 145.

TWO nicely furnished rooms, in private family, pleasant resident district. Address 248, care Telegram.

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS for rent. 212 East Belknap street, one block from courthouse.

TWO CONNECTING ROOMS furnished for housekeeping; all conveniences; references. Phone 3922.

BOARD AND ROOMS

NICELY furnished front room; southern exposure; bath; all conveniences; board if desired. 607 Terry. Old phone 4185.

WANTED—Two boarders at 1100 Samuels avenue, in private family; on car line. For further information, phone 4659 old.

WANTED—Six young men to room and board; hot and cold water bath; electric lights; first-class table; \$5 per week. 1014 Burnett; new phone 344.

WANTED—Man and wife, or two gentlemen boarders; front room, private family. 1511 Lake avenue, North Fort Worth. New phone 608.

ROOMS and board in private family; electric lights, hot bath. Phone 3555. 500 West First.

ROOM and board. Rooms newly furnished, nice table board, \$5 to \$5 per week. 404 Taylor street.

WANTED—Roomers and boarders, gentlemen only preferred. 411 Mississippi avenue. Phone 3621.

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ROOM AND BOARD, \$4 per week, family style. 1113 Taylor street. New phone 1858.

NICELY furnished room with board, arranged for three young men, close in. 609 Taylor street.

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NICE, large rooms, good board; modern conveniences. 300 E. 4th.

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FOR RENT

H. C. JEWELL & SON, The Real Estate Agents of the City. 297 West Tenth street. Phones 63.

FOR RENT—7-room modern house, on Adams street, \$45.
Six-room new modern house on Travis street, \$35.
Six-room modern house on South Central, \$25.
Four-room new house on Bergin street, near Infiltrary, \$12.50. J. E. Head & Co., 806 Houston. Phone 1422.

FOR RENT—New 5-room cottage and 2 lots in Highland addition; also 2-room house near City Park. L. T. Millet, 115 West Eleventh street.

FOR RENT—Completely furnished 8-room house on Pennsylvania avenue; 12 months' lease, possession in 15 days. Phone 8048.

FOR RENT—7-room house, furnished, at 806 E. on Interruption line, with all modern conveniences. P. S. Habazette, 803 East Front street.

FOR RENT—Good store room, Main street entrance; vacant Dec. 1. Apply Fort Worth Cigar Company, 613 Main street.

ELEGANT OFFICE for rent, centrally located. Apply to E. L. S., rooms 7 and 8, Floore building, 909 Houston street.

ROOM AND BOARD, \$4 per week; family style. 1113 Taylor street. New phone 1858.

NICE NEW MODERN house, all conveniences. Apply N. E. Rubin, 305 Houston street.

FOR RENT—Five-room cottage on College car line and street two blocks from car line. Phone 4569.

FOR RENT—A modern five-room cottage in best part of town; all conveniences. 1715 Cooper. Box 26.

NINE-ROOM HOUSE, partly furnished, near T. and P. station. Phone 949.

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FOR SALE—Two incubators and three brooders as good as the best and built as new. Capacity, 400 eggs at a hatch; a bargain. Also pure bred chickens, White and Brown Leghorns, barred Plymouth Rocks, and Red Braunas, at lowest market price. 813 Cherry street; old phone 3921.

STALLIONS—Percheron, shire, coach and standard bred, high-class horses, at reasonable prices. If you are in the market we are the people. Fort Worth Horse and Mule Company, North Fort Worth, Texas.

FOR SALE—The J. W. Mayton move wagon and express stand, 16 years' standing; reason for selling, poor health. Residence and business phone 841. Call 1215 West Hampton or Main and Fourth streets.

FOR SALE—Fresh Jersey cows, full-blood and grades, cash or instalments. Take your dry cow in exchange. Take Rosen Heights car to Grand avenue and Twenty-sixth street. James & Williams.

FOR SALE—Well established, boarding and rooming house (furniture only); house for lease; now doing capacity business. J. J. Langrey, 907 Throckmorton street. Old phone 4610, new 327.

FOR EXCHANGE—14 lots in San Angelo to exchange for a stock of dry goods or hardware. W. A. Patterson Real Estate Co., 1600 1/2 Main. Phone 2327.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE, by owner, a new 9-room house, on Quality Hill. Take part pay in lots or smaller owner. Balance easy terms. Phone 4707.

FOR SALE—A grocery store and meat market running at less cost than any in city; good stand, cheap. Phone 1479 blue.

FOR SALE—Thirteen-room flats; cause for selling, sickness. Call on Morris Brothers, 1606 1/2 Main street. Phone 2453.

LOOK FOR SALE BARGAIN—Furniture three rooms complete; cottage for rent; best offer this week or smaller. 1310 South Henderson street.

FOR SALE—On terms, good second-hand top buggies, phaetons, surreys, etc. Pife & Miller, 812 and 314 Houston street.

FOR SALE—Mammoth White Pekin duck eggs, dozen 50c; Black Minorca and White Leghorn chickens, 2213 Chestnut avenue, Rosen Heights.

FOR SALE—Five-room house; cost \$4,000; if sold at once will take \$2,500; terms on \$1,500. Address 187, care Telegram.

FOR SALE—A accommodations in prominent Kansas City hotel, at reduced rates. Apply 112, care Telegram.

CHICKENS for sale, full blood Cornish Indian game, Plymouth Rock, Wyandotte, 222 Jarvis.

FOR SALE—A good milk cow, second calf, gives 2 1/2 gallons milk a day. \$35. Phone 612.

FOR SALE—From factory to purchaser direct, great saving, easy terms. Phone 1063 new, or call 207 1/2 Main at day.

FOR SALE—Bay mare and runabout, mare perfectly sound, gentle and safe. Price \$125. Phone 876.

SECOND SHEETS for correspondence, \$4x11, in pink, green and white. Call up Business Manager, Telegram.

FOR SALE—Cheap, good pony, driver or riding \$30. Inquire Frank Graham, Morrison-Thompson restaurant.

FOR SALE—High-grade typewriter, Oliver No. 3, Call Western Drug Company, Third and Main streets.

CONFECTIONERY, Cigar and News Stand, 1302 Jennings, between post-office and majestic theater. Cheap.

FOR SALE—A good rubber tire surrty in good repair, and harness. Phone 648.

FOR SALE—Small grocery, good stand—selling on account of other business. P. O. Box 464.

FOR SALE CHEAP—House, lot, horse and buggy. 2218 Rusk, North Fort Worth.

FOR SALE—Cheap, Singer sewing machine; good as new. Call 922 Macon street or phone 2386.

TWO new buggies for sale at wholesale price at Colp's livery stable, 705 Rusk street.

OLD harness taken in exchange for new. Nobby Harness Co.

A BARGAIN—New furniture of three-rooms furnished completely, 1014 Cherry street. Call Dec. 31.

SECOND-HAND lumber for sale. Call 4346 days, or call at premises, foot of Houston.

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LADIES—Call on Mme. Taylor for electric massage, hair dressing or manicuring. 909 Houston street. Phone 5077.

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SPECIAL BARGAINS—For sale, beautiful home on Fifth avenue, near Pennsylvania avenue; 8 rooms, modern, bath, gas, sewerage, cement walk, electric east front lot, 16x200, beautiful shade trees, splendid barn, corner lot. If you want a fine home let us show you this.

Modern 6-room cottage, bath, gas, sewerage, mantel, closets, lot 50x120, cement walk, southwest side; only \$2,500; reasonable terms.

We have some beautiful lots for sale, well located on south side, near three car lines, gravelled street, cement walks, east front, 50x138 to lot 51, 1,009 each.

Two beautiful front corner lots on Hemphill street, 100x190, \$2,000. J. E. Head & Co., 806 Houston St. Ground floor; phone 1422.

FOR SALE—East front home on Cherry street at a bargain. This will be snapped up Monday morning at the price, \$3,300.

Six good homes, south side, \$2,000 to \$4,500; four homes, all modern, \$3,900 to \$2,600; two-story, two-story, all modern, west side residences, good enough for any one, \$8,500 each. Can make terms on any of these. Seven lots in Moody addition, \$75 to \$252. Will accept south side lots or residence property or good work stock in part payment for these. A. T. Baker & Co., 1105 Houston street.

HOLIDAY BARGAINS—Nearly new modern 5-room cottage, bath, hot water, kitchen pantry, lights, cement walk, etc.; good neighborhood, south-west side; two blocks car line; \$2,350; \$490 cash; balance \$29 per month. Polytechnic Heights, 2308 S. W. Southeast side convenient to Evans avenue car, \$275 each.

Good home, close in on west side, \$2,800. BUCHANAN & CO., Hoxie Building.

FOR SALE—Elegant home, moderate price, 7 rooms with large reception hall, two mantels and grates, elegantly finished; large circular porch with chandeliers for either gas or electric lights; good barn and outhouse, cement walks, fronts south, lot 60x140, best of locations in the southwestern portion of the city, near some of the best schools in Fort Worth. For price and terms, see Joe T. Burgher & Co. (exclusive agents), 1105 Houston street. Phone 1037.

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Agent for the L. T. Millet addition, Polytechnic Heights. Lots \$5 down and \$5 per month.

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FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—My equity in a modern four-room new cottage, hard oil finish, gas in house, sewerage, hot water, from White City and shrubbery; in one block of car line. Call 1300 Wallace avenue.

WANTED—To trade 80 acres of good improved land in Union county, Arkansas, on railroad, for a residence lot in Fort Worth or North Fort Worth. H. D. Fleannick, 311 24th street, North Fort Worth, Texas.

FOR SALE—Beautiful lot in North Fort Worth, two blocks from Cathedral school, two blocks from White City; cheap for cash next twenty days. Call or phone W. R. Burnett, at Famous shoe store.

HELLO!
Have you seen George? G. B. Pennock Realty Co., 115 West Eleventh street. Old phone 4100.

FOR SALE—169 acres improved black land five miles from McKinney; bargain if sold immediately; terms easy. Address owner, Box 388, Fort Worth.

WE want you to own your own home. North Fort Worth Townsite Company, Main street and Exchange avenue. Phone 1230.

FIVE-ROOM modern cottage, best neighborhood, small cash payment, balance monthly. Address 321, care Telegram.

GOOD BUSINESS LOT on East Front street, 4 1/2 miles from McKinney. Will sell altogether, at a bargain. Small cash payments. Phone 1211.

A LITTLE NOW, a little each month, buys a nice level lot within ten minutes walk of the courthouse. Only \$27 cash payment. Phone 2168.

REAL ESTATE BARGAINS

FOR SALE—By owner, ten-acre truck farm; has four-room house, water, barn, fruit, berries; four miles from Fort Worth; \$2,000, half cash. W. F. Jackson, 1400 Texas street.

FOR SALE—Lot, 2 houses, corner Daggett and Henderson streets; lot 100x200; fine houses and extraordinary water.

WE SELL WE INSURE WE RENT. ARNERSON-OLIVER CO., 6th & Main.

FOR SALE—Twenty-four furnished room flats, cheap if sold at once, 1608 1/2 Houston street. Old phone 4287, phone 1211.

W. A. DARTER, 711 Main, has special bargains city property, farm ranches.

J. B. STRANG & CO. will sell your property, Wheat Building.

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I'm in love, I'm in love, I'm in love with my wife, But I'm living a lonely old bachelor's life.

All night in my bed here, I tumble and toss, With no one to nag me and no one to boss; No one to sweep up the dust from the floor, Or fasten the bar that hangs loose on the door.

O, I'm lonely and sad in this room, That I'm in, From the husband she vowed she would love and obey? O, where is the woman I loved and adored, O, where is the wife that I promised to board?

O, where she has gone to, and why did she stray From the husband she vowed she would love and obey? O, where is she gone to, and where can she be? Go hunt her, Jim Maddox, go find her for me.

And, Jim, when you find her, pray handle with care, Don't rustle her bustle, or muss up her hair; But lift her up tenderly, Jim, in your arms, With all her laces and graces and charms, And bring her, Jim, bring her, from where she may be, Unspotted, unharmed, unsullied,

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There is an extra pay day ahead for him who saves on pay day, and this comes semi-annually when we add interest at the rate of 4 per cent on your savings account.

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TEXAS ZIONISTS HAVE ADJOURNED

Dallas Selected as Next Meeting Place

Ending the second annual session of the Texas Zionist Association, that body adjourned Monday afternoon to meet in Dallas next year after finishing its labors here and electing officers for the ensuing year.

The resolutions adopted were: Reaffirmation of devotion to Zionism as set forth in the Balfour program. Favoring a committee to systematize the course of instruction in Hebrew schools of the state and to organize Hebrew culture societies.

Endorsing the Hebrew Colonist Association of Waco, which has the object of bringing to the state worthy Hebrew colonists, especially of the farmer class.

Favoring the scheme for the settling of Jews in the south, but encouragement is to be lent only to those who are fitted to take up farming as a livelihood.

The work of Bezal is endorsed. General resolutions of thanks to retiring officers, to those of Fort Worth

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TONIGHT AT 8:15 Harry Bradford (That odd fellow) presenting "THE WOMAN HATER."

Full of fun and laughter. Night prices—Lower floor, \$1; Balcony, 75c, 50c; Gallery, 25c.

Wednesday and Thursday Nights, Jan. 2-3, Matinee Thursday. Triumphant tour of Louis James as "Falstaff" in "THE MERRY WIVES OF WINDSOR" Nellie McHenry, Norman Hackett and Mattie.

Matinee prices, \$1, 75c, 50c.

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Seats on sale for above attractions.

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A nice present for every lady and child attending New Year's matinee. By additional acts we will ring out the old and ring in the new, by a large bell placed in the lobby of the theater.

Night Prices—15c, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c. Matinee—15c and 25c.

Uptown Ticket Offices—Alex's, 911 Main, Fisher's Drug Store, Maid attendant. Holiday prices—Matinee 50c, 35c, 25c and 15c. Night performance, 8:30 o'clock, matinee, 2:30 o'clock.

TONIGHT

Extra Musical Program by Cox's Celebrated Band. Fine Floor. Best Skates.

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FT. WORTH GIRL WRITES OF "BOIS"

Miss Burnie Newlin Sends Interesting Letter from Paris

Miss Burnie Newlin is in Paris visiting her aunt. She writes The Telegram an interesting letter of the great show place of the Paris, the Bois de Boulogne. The letter is as follows: PARIS—Five letters and what a world they mean!

Paris, the mecca for the pleasure-seeker, the goal for the artist who strives for learning and the attainment of wisdom, grandeur, in divinity or the most wicked, the Eldorado of the socially ambitious; withal the most beautiful, maddening and most charmingly artistic city in all the world. The one metropolis where one never lacks amusement and the one place in all the universe of which one never tires. There is no one place that rivals the popularity of the Bois de Boulogne, a superb park in Paris, covering an area of 2,250 acres. The park is left in its natural state, except for the magnificent drives or alleys, bridge paths and tempting walks. Exquisite in the coloring of the trees and vines in the spring, gorgeous in autumn shades with the ground-covered carpet, nature's own weaving of fallen leaves, and in the winter with the moss. At all seasons it holds the same fascination.

The avenues and alleys are always crowded with automobiles and bicycles. The bride paths tempt many well-groomed riders and the walks are never desolate. There are many picturesque lakes, waterfalls, islands and gay cafes, where thousands dine in the evenings and congregate in the afternoon for tea.

The Avenue de Bois Boulogne is the most fashionable residence street in the world today. It is a magnificent, broad avenue, extending from the Arc de Triomphe to the Porte Dauphine, the entrance of the Bois. There are two alleys on each side, with a breadth of turf and beautiful flower beds dividing them from the central drive. Central avenue has a promenade walk on one side and the main promenade walk on the other. The width of the avenue, including the turf, walks, alleys and bridge paths, is 40 yards.

On the side alleys are the apartments or "hotels"—not hotels in our sense of the word, as there are no hotels on the Avenue de Bois. When one family occupies the entire house it is termed a "hotel." The most ambitious woman is content when she has gained a room in the circle of Paris' inner set and is at home to her friends in her own hotel or apartment on the Avenue de Bois. In London, the best of New York is but a miniature Avenue de Bois de Boulogne of Paris.

The Avenue is always a gala sight. All of Paris seems to walk there—men and women of every phase of life. It reminds one somewhat of the energetic passenger of a large steamer, who passes as one passes and repasses the same faces. You walk the full length from the Arc or L'Elodie to the Bois, a distance of three-quarters of a mile, not once but several times. Men and women in smartest attire step from their motors and carriages to walk on the Avenue, their daily habit, not once but several times. They are many nurses wearing white caps and queer long caps. The boys from 8 to 15 wear soft, black bockers and derby hats, impressing one with their decidedly foreign individuality. Nowhere can one see women in such a display of valuable, almost priceless jewelry. There are many people of individual taste who are great connoisseurs of old man, a novel, novelist, who never fails to make his appearance there of a morning, wears a well worn black coat and a soft black felt hat turned well up on one side over his soft white hair. He often has many admiring followers.

The American girl sometimes walks alone, but it is inadvisable. The French girl never! Even with the American girl, when she reaches the entrance of the Bois, she can no more enter there than she can dine alone at the Waldorf or Delmonico.

The many dogs of infinite variety and most interesting features. It would seem as tho the canine appendage is necessary to your walk, and to dog lovers it must be a great temptation to run away with some of them.

The Avenue is never deserted. It is most frequented from 11 to 1 o'clock in the forenoon and from 3 to 6 o'clock in the afternoon. On Sundays it is so crowded that conveyances and motors are very often blocked.

It is a conglomerate mass of people of every strata of life and of every nationality, of counts, princesses, barons, dukes, clerks, clerics, actors, shop girls, beauties, celebrities, splendidly dressed smart attire, turnouts, motors, horsewomen, children, dogs and babies. Could this varied combination be ever than this worldly fascinating, ever-changing show?

BURNIE NEWLIN, 23 Avenue du Bois de Boulogne, Paris, France, Dec. 16, 1906.

MANY EXHIBITS FOR CATTLE SHOW

Captain French Busy With Correspondence

Captain C. C. French, secretary of the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show, was in his office in the Exchange building with a large pile of correspondence before him which indicated that things were beginning to take on a move in the direction of the coming event in March.

"The first two applications for space have been received from the members of the Hereford Registered Association," said the captain, with a pleased smile, "and they were both Texas men and from the same section of the state, W. S. Beard of Henrietta being one and T. M. Hoben of Nacona being the other gentlemen, both of whom are too well known in the cattle world to need an extended explanation as to who they are."

"I have also letters from the American Aberdeen Angus Association, Association of North America, stating that they had appropriated \$300 for special premiums applicable to the show this year. From the early start made by the patrons of the Fat Stock Show this year it is very evident that there is a constant and increasing interest in all that pertains to the benefit of the function, and to my mind there will be a greater number of exhibits than we have ever had in the history of the Fort Worth association."

CATALOGS WILL BE LARGER THIS YEAR

Several Thousand Additional Will Be Printed

Captain C. C. French, secretary of the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show, speaking of the arrangements that were being made preparatory to the work that will be necessary to the success of the show, said:

"I am now preparing the new catalogue for the Fat Stock Show, which will be ready for the city in March next. It will necessarily be larger than the one issued last year and experience has taught me that there will have to be some thousands of additional copies printed compared with the number issued for the last year's Fat Stock Show."

PASSING OF A LAND MARK

Building at Tenth and Main Will Be Torn Down

The old wooden structure on the southeast corner of Tenth and Main streets, just east of the intersection of Western National Bank, was demolished Wednesday by Ben McCollough, who has a saloon there; and as soon as it was vacated the work of tearing it down to make room for a modern three-story brick business building, which will be erected by the Reynolds brothers. The building will front twenty-five feet on Main and have a depth of 100 feet.

The old building, which is to be torn down and thrown into the scrap pile, has never been used for any other than the saloon business. The property has been owned for years by a non-resident who lives in Tyler until purchased about seven months ago by the Reynolds brothers. For twenty years or more Captain H. P. Shiel has been leasing the property from the owner and of late years has been subletting it. Since he first leased the corner from the Tyler owner he has paid for the use of it fully twenty-five times what the owner paid for it; maybe more.

GOING INTO HIS SHELL

A Nussbaum, a resident of Dallas, who has cattle interests out west in Nolan county, came over to see how things were in the yards. "I am going in for a rest now, for cattlemen who have been wrestling with the shipping proposition for some time have earned a rest, so I am going to retire into my shell and wait awhile. There is very little doing in the cattle shipping business just now. It being winter, Christmas time and a season of scarcity of cars to ship in there is actually nothing of interest to relate and no news at all."

A New Year's Gift of \$10

Will be given to every person buying a scholarship during the next fifteen days at the Nelson & Draughon Business College, corner Sixth and Main streets. The year 1906 was the most successful we have ever had in the business college work. We placed every graduate in a good position. Call now for a new catalogue. J. W. Draughon, manager.

THE TEXAS WONDER. Cures all kidney, bladder and rheumatic troubles; sold by all druggists, or two months' treatment by mail for \$1.00. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive street, St. Louis, Mo. Send for Texas testimonials.

BUILDING PERMITS

To A. P. Baker, to build a two-story seven-room frame dwelling on lot 1, block 10, foot of northwest one-fourth of block 10, College Hill addition, to cost \$2,100.

To Colonel Taylor, to make repairs of tile and wood to a saloon on lot 1, block C-8, Daggett's addition, to cost \$1,000.

To H. M. Ash, to build a one-story three-room frame dwelling, northeast corner of block 44, Tucker's addition, to cost \$1,000.

To O. D. Jones, to build a one-story three-room frame dwelling on lot 4, block 15, Emory College addition, to cost \$650.

To C. I. Brown, to build a one-story five-room frame dwelling on lot 27, block 14, Emory College addition, to cost \$1,050.

To W. J. Glavin, to build a one-story five-room frame dwelling on lot 63, block 10, Emory College addition, to cost \$1,250.

To H. S. Perkins, to build two one-story three-room frame dwellings on lot 1, block 12, Watson's addition, to cost \$300 each.

To J. F. Fieddle, to build a one-story five-room dwelling on lot 2, Jennings' south addition, to cost \$1,600.

63 PER CENT GAIN IN TWO YEARS

Bank Clearings Show How Fort Worth Is Growing

Two new records were set by the bank clearings; that of the month and that for the year. Both of these were forecast in the Telegram of Sunday, with figures given showing the totals until Monday.

A new record was set for the year which shows an increase of \$1,871,503 over 1905 and the best previous record. Last year the record showed an increase of \$77,000 over the best existing before that time, showing an increase of \$128,000,000 in two years, or 63 per cent increase in the two years. Total clearings for 1906 were \$37,293,655.56, as against \$29,596,152.56 for 1905.

New record was also set for any one month by December, which surpassed the former record by \$2,000,000. Established record for any one month was \$3,293,702.76 as against \$2,152,225.76 for the corresponding month of 1905, an increase of \$913,477.00, the biggest increase over a month of a year before that the bank clearings have ever shown.

EXANS IN THE CITY

At the Delaware Dallas—W. B. Hughes, S. P. Rice, Mineral Wells—P. E. Bock, Mrs. P. E. Bock, Tyler—John Bonner, Palestine—Mrs. J. W. Cunningham, Jefferson—R. P. Terrell, Groesbeck—M. and Mrs. B. L. Ayres, N. H. Ricker, Waxahachie—Miss McClure, Ringold—D. A. Stephens, Crockett—D. S. Donah, Tyler—O. J. Christian, L. T. Wood, R. A. Tullis, Cuthbert—Ben J. Tillar.

At the Delaware Dallas—J. S. Mason and sister, F. V. Miller, Tyler—S. J. Buckalen, W. T. Eaton, E. Book, D. S. Donah, L. C. Wood, Dunde—S. T. Scaling, Denton—C. H. Smith, Pecos—Ben Harrel and wife, Hereford—R. D. Ledwick, Lampasas—Miss Browning, Hillsboro—O. C. Wood, J. L. Chubb, Amarillo—G. F. Lindsay, De Leon—J. Doss Miller, Brownwood—G. Eiman, Roy B. Wadsworth, Beaumont—W. E. Duran, A. B. Duran, San Antonio—T. H. Brannon, Waco—Shelton Clay.

Texans in New York

NEW YORK, Jan. 1.—The following Texans registered at hotels there yesterday: Texas—Gerard, T. H. Leake, San Antonio—Broadway Central, H. Katz.

Texans in Chicago

CHICAGO, Jan. 1.—Texans registered at hotels here yesterday as follows: Dallas—Auditorium, Bryant Berry, A. M. Porter, Majestic, M. Walker, Grand Northern, H. O. Crawford, Denison—Great Northern, G. A. Sommer, Hillsboro—Great Northern, E. Corbin, El Paso—Auditorium, Miss Gallagher, Mrs. W. R. Anderson, Port Arthur—Great Northern, L. C. Davis.

Texans in St. Louis

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 1.—Texans at St. Louis hotels—Jefferson, W. C. Preston; Belcher, M. R. Wise; Terminal's W. L. Ellsworth, C. S. Sanders, E. B. Bennet, Beaumont—Southern, G. C. Greer; Roster, C. E. Anderson, Dallas—Southern, T. H. Booth; Roster, P. C. Arnold, W. H. Darbar, W. F. Terminal, H. M. Greene, Mrs. H. L. Malmer, Corsicana—Planters, J. A. Thompson, Decatur—Planters, J. W. Lyle, Amarillo—Jefferson, C. B. Pash, Huntsville—Laclede, Mrs. T. Garry, Tyler—Laclede, H. A. Bonham, Wichita Falls—Laclede, J. Carter, J. D. Howard, Houston—Terminal, Mrs. E. H. Stuart, Paris—Terminal, H. D. MacDonald, Denison—New St. James, F. M. Rothner, G. A. Sommer, Texas—New St. James, F. L. Bailey.

NOTICE All creditors of the estate of J. Kidwell, deceased, are hereby notified to present all claims due them not later than 9 o'clock Thursday, Jan. 3, 1907, to W. H. Smith, temporary administrator, 110 West Sixth street, Fort Worth, Texas.

PRICE OF WHISKY TO STAY DOWN

Dealers Anticipate no Advance Under New Law

To just what extent the new pure food law will affect the whisky or liquor business is a matter that dealers are not fully informed, but they claim that in their opinion there will be no radical change in the price list, tho the manner of handling some goods will undergo considerable change. A letter has been received in Fort Worth from Warwick M. Hough, general counsel for the National Wholesale Liquor Dealers, in which he says:

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