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COLD NORTHER BLOWING TODAY.

Storm of Great Violence Sweeps South and Many Lives are Lost - Property Less Millions.

Today a cold Northern is blowing and unless it moderates considerably or the skies become cloudy there will likely be a light frost tomorrow morning. At noon the thermometer was 52 in the sun. All of North Texas was in the grip of the cold Friday night.

Wednesday night a storm of wide area and great force swept the Southern states, wrecking property to the amount of millions and causing the death of nearly a hundred people. Georgia, Tennessee, Alabama and Louisiana suffered most, but considerable damage was done in East Texas. However only one death was reported in this state.

Southwest Texas felt very little effects of this storm. A North wind prevailed nearly all day, beyond the disagreeableness of the dust it raised there was nothing to it.

Mrs. C. B. Jones returned Sunday from Tyler, where she was called to the funeral of her mother.

PEACE PROSPECTS LOOK GLOOMY.

Rebels Swarming in Chihuahua and Forces Rising Against Huerta in Many Places. - Federal Troops Bottled Up

Peace prospects in Mexico are a long ways from bright. The state of Chihuahua is now in an upheaval and insurrecto troops are gathering to wage warfare against the Huerta soldiery.

Francisco Villa, former Madero leader, has been joined in the field by Juan Dozal, who was a second in command of Orozco's forces in the Madero revolution. Villa and Dozal are making for the Guerrero district, west of Chihuahua City, where they expect to recruit a strong force of followers.

General Salazar, who recently announced against Huerta is moving in towards Juarez from Polomas, below the New Mexico border. He has fully five hundred well-armed, mounted men according to Mormon settlers, who have visited his camp.

Below Chihuahua City the Mexican Central railway is almost demolished as far as the Parral division. In Sonora all federal troops are bottled up.

District court adjourned Thursday, which is the shortest session held here in several years.

KATY CONSOLIDATION BILL.



Hon. N. B. Williams

Hon. H. B. Terrell

Austin Texas. - Hon. N. B. Williams, representing the Sixty-first District in the Lower House and Hon. H. B. Terrell, representing the Eighth District in the Senate, piloted the Katy Consolidation Bill through the Legislature over the veto of the Governor.

The contest was as free from partisan politics as it is possible to rid public questions of such influences and the bill rested squarely on its merits. Petitions poured into the Legislature from all over Texas favoring the con-

solidation and none were received opposing it.

The record of this measure in the Legislature proves that the trouble all along has been that those in power have misinterpreted the thought-life of the people. The action of the Legislature now clears the atmosphere of all misunderstandings and those of our public servants, who care to respect the will of the people, can have no further excuse for continuing a warfare on the railroad interests of the State.

ONION GROWERS' DEMANDS.

The demands of the onion growers as expressed in August convention and later expressed in resolutions from Asherton, Big Wells, Cotulla, Brundage and other places have been met by the directions of the Southern Texas Truck Growers Association. A full report of their last meeting appears in the Truck Journal and therein are resolutions showing compliance with the growers demands and specifically a working plan for the sales board.

The main advantages of the sales board are a check on the sales Manager for fair square treatment to all, a daily report to the grower of the actual sales of all onions and a check on the Northern selling agents through inspectors selected by the sales board under the sales board, subject to its order and its alone.

Thus the selling machinery of the Association is to be operated at San Antonio under the scrutiny of the representatives direct from the growers.

The Northern agents in turn do their selling under the eye of Inspectors chosen by the Sales Board. The growers informed daily of what's doing in the ways of sales not only of his onions but every body's. It will be the duty of his sales representative to get this information to him.

Now let all Onion growers set aside any Idea of Temporary advantage, join the Association and force a compliance with our demands. Its idle to say the grow-

BILL TO AMEND CORPORATION LAWS.



Hon. S. B. Cooper, Jr.

Austin, Texas. - Hon. S. B. Cooper, Jr., representing the Thirteenth District in the Lower House, is one the most progressive members in the Legislature. Mr. Cooper has introduced a bill in the House enabling corporation to incur indebtedness in excess of its capital stock. The present law limiting the borrowing power of corporations to their authorized capital stock hampers the corporations, public utility concerns and all corporations whose business requires large and oftentimes temporary indebtedness.

The bill is meeting with no opposition and is one the best development measure before the Legislature.

M. H. McMhan sold two cars of steers on Monday Ft Worth market for \$7.85

question is clearly a delicate one, and fraught with danger of losses beyond the actual growing of the crop. The publicity method of the sales board hopes to keep the grower so in touch with the market conditions that when there is no market the grower will know it, and govern himself accordingly.

J. C. MINUS.

Notes From Artesia Wells.

Mr. J. M. Ramsey is just recovered from quite a spell of sickness. Glad to see him around again.

Mrs. Salmon is some better after battling so long with La-

Panther Appears Again.

The panther seen on numerous occasions last spring has re-appeared. C. E. Neal saw the animal on East Heights one night last week. It was about nine o'clock when he went home-

ing a door the lights flashed on the panther skulking along the fence. He kept the bright lights on it for a minute or more until it trotted out of range.

NEW SODA FOUNTAIN.

Gaddis' Pharmacy has just installed a new and strictly modern soda fountain, and has also re-arranged the refreshment department of store. The fountain is a beauty and none better is found in the smaller towns. The old fountain was sold to a dispenser in the Mexican part of town.

Cotulla defeated Pearsall in the first ball game today 15 to 7.

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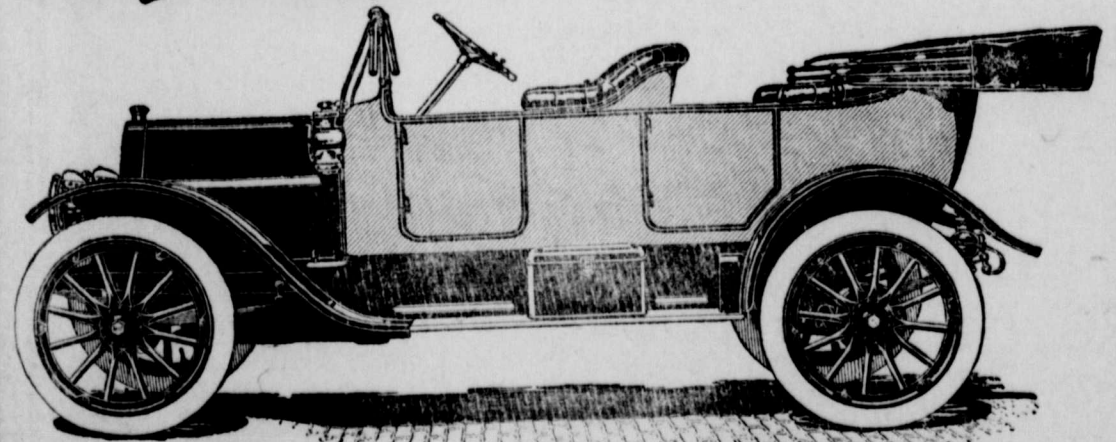
Come one and all to our Sunday school every Sunday at 10:00 o'clock, except the 3rd. Sunday of each month, when it will be held at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, so that all can attend both Baptist and Methodist services.

Shipping fine radishes now. All the farmers, herdsmen, and truck growers wear a broad smile on account of the recent fine rains.

Keep your eyes and ears open for the "Organ Recital."

A few young people went from here to enjoy the debate at Cotulla.

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RETAIL MERCHANTS OF CITY GUESTS OF MANUFACTURERS AT DINNER PARTY.

President Tuttle of Chamber of Commerce Presents Interesting Facts.

Fully 200 retail merchants of San Antonio attended the dinner given in their honor the other night by the local manufacturers, who are interested in the Made-in-San Antonio exhibit that is to open Monday at 117 Main avenue. The tables were spread within this hall and the food served consisted entirely of local products. Following the dinner some 2000 tickets of admission to the home products show were given to the guests of honor, who, in turn, will distribute them among their customers.

The purpose of this dinner was to demonstrate in a concrete way the scope of San Antonio's manufacturing industry as well as to solicit and obtain the co-operation of the retail men in making the show a pronounced success. At least thirty-five manufacturers will make exhibits and nearly a dozen attractive booths had already been placed in the hall and fully decorated before the dinner.

Census Figures Surprise.

Albert Kronosky presided as toastmaster, introducing each of the speakers in an original and witty manner. W. B. Tuttle, the new president of the Chamber of Commerce, was first called on and won instant attention when he announced that while Texas is not deemed a manufacturing state the annual valuation of manufactured products here totals to \$455,000,000. Taking up these census figures in detail, Mr. Tuttle declared that since San Antonio has the population and ample railroad facilities, there is no reason why it should not also rank first in manufactured products.

"I think it is generally conceded that San Antonio has the best climate in America," said J. F. Carter, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, "and on that score we have been able to take care of the growing tourist traffic. What we now must look to is the increase of our manufacturing industry. We must get more factories and no better recommendation can be given a manufacturer in search of a location than local consumption of home-made goods. This spirit can be created here through the co-operation of retailers and manufacturers."

Retailers Pledge Support.

On behalf of the Retail Merchants' Association, Nic Peters, president of that organization, pledged a united support and in a facetious way declared the time is ripe for a trust between retailer and manufacturer which will mean bigger business for both.

Ed. von Me, secretary of the State Retail Merchants' Association; John B. Carrington, Ben M. Hammond, T. M. Dechman, W. M. Morgan, R. T. Prutt, R. H. Wester, E. G. LeSturgeon, Charles Graebner and M. B. Pletz.

The menu and the firms contributing the various articles follows:

- Olives (Price-Booker Mfg. Co.)
- Celery Chow-chow (King-Richter Mfg. Co.)
- Deviled chili meat sandwiches (Gebhardt Chili Powder Co.)
- Schmerlkase (Creamery Dairy Co.)
- Rye bread (Guenther Milling Co.)
- Chili con carne Mexican frijoles (Gebhardt Chili Powder Co.)
- Tamales (Tamales Milling Co.)
- Spaghetti a la Italiana (San Antonio Macaroni Factory.)
- French Fried Potatoes, Co-se-do-Oil (Lange Soap Co.)
- Ice Cream (Creamery Dairy Co.)
- Honey (Southwestern Bee Co.)
- Mints (G. A. Duerler Mfg. Co.)
- Rolls (Pioneer Flour Mills.)
- Cream (Creamery Dairy Co.)
- San a Lac (Creamery Dairy Co.)
- Beer (Degen's.)
- Sodas (Coca-Cola Bottling Co.)
- Cigars

TRADE EXCURSION.

The San Antonio Jobbers and Manufacturers' League will start the first trade excursion of the season about the middle of April and will take in the territory adjacent to the "Franklin" Railroad to the end of the line.

A meeting was held under the management of Chairman C. N. Cain on Tuesday at the Chamber of Commerce, at which preliminary arrangements were made to make the trip a success.

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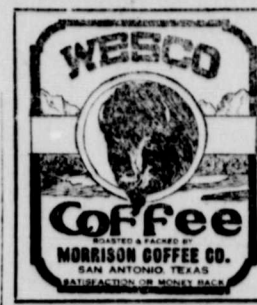
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Those that have been doing business in the San Antonio territory for some time have learned they can depend on the goods sold them by M. Halff & Bro., and these that have come in recently are finding this out. But the Southwest Texas country is filling rapidly with new settlers and many mercantile houses are being established by men from northern and eastern states who, perhaps, long have dealt with houses near their former homes and who have not learned of the advantages to them of buying in San Antonio. It is necessary to call the attention of these to this San Antonio dry goods jobbing house so they may buy their goods to the best advantage for themselves and their customers. Such of these as have not investigated the San Antonio market should do so at once.

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"Way back in the early days of pioneer Texas, San Antonio was the great trading mart and jobbing center of the Southwest and Mexico. Chief among these frontier commercial establishments was the house of M. Halff & Bro., dealers in and wholesalers of dry goods, notions and clothing.

This well-known wholesale house, founded by that redoubtable pioneer Texan, the late Mr. M. Halff, began in a small and modest way to import the cotton and woolen fabrics from the industrial centers of the North and sell them to the settlers, who were at the time engaged in bringing civilization to these wild regions.

During the many years since then this great wholesale house has built up a trade that extends beyond the confines of this state far into Mexico. To do business on this large scale, they buy in large quantities and, purchasing direct from the big mills of the country and having ample capital to take advantage of all discounts, they are able to secure the lowest prices. Their customers get the advantage of these low prices.

Sometimes a merchant in the San Antonio territory tries the experiment of buying his goods from the New York, Chicago, St. Louis or Kansas City jobbers, thinking that he will have the advantage of better prices and greater selection away from home. But here he makes his mistake. The house of M. Halff & Bro., with their years of experience and accumulated resources, are able to sell just as cheaply as the biggest dry goods and notion jobbers of the North.

San Antonio has the advantage of exceptionally low freight rates, and the house of M. Halff & Bro. can and does operate under less expense than the northern jobbers ever dream of doing. Also when crops have gone to the bad and collections are slow, the small merchant is more easily granted extensions and accommodations from this San Antonio house than they would ever think of expecting from those in the North.

So dependable have become the goods of this house in the Southwest that an ever-increasing volume of trade has compelled the erection of two new modern buildings on East Commerce street. The one located at the intersection of East Commerce and Rusk streets will be devoted to wholesale dry goods, notions and clothing.

This building is one of the finest examples of modern construction to be found in San Antonio. It is built of reinforced steel and concrete, even the great pillars supporting the ceilings are thus constructed. The building is four stories in height, thoroughly fire-proof, and with its four floors of merchandise easily ranks as the foremost wholesale establishment in these parts.

Directly across the street at 345 to 353 East Commerce street, they operate a factory for the manufacture of their celebrated "RANGER BRAND" overalls, pants and jumpers. This factory stands today as a monument to Mr. Alex. Halff, president of the firm, through whose untiring efforts it was made one of the most sanitary and up-to-date plants in the State. It is a "Daylight Factory," where the sunshine of balmy San Antonio is ever present. Here, trained employes of this firm work under ideal conditions and turn out yearly over 10,000 dozen pair of overalls, pants and jumpers that defy comparison for quality, workmanship and price. These goods are honest and are made under honest working conditions, and the firm of M. Halff & Bro. can justly be proud of that fact, for they are "Made in Texas, Fit and Wear, You Need a Pair."

M. Halff & Bro.'s army of commercial missionaries (the drummers) are to be found everywhere throughout the state, extending the business of the firm and establishing the demand for the "Ranger Brand."

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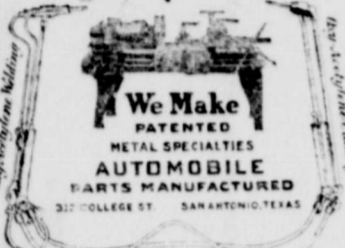
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Supreme Court of Georgia Decides Youth Must Serve Out Sentence.

ATLANTA, Ga., March 11.—Convicted on the charge of stealing a five-cent bottle of coca-cola and given eleven years in the Fulton County Reformatory as punishment, Ollie Taylor, 13 years old, must serve out his time.
 Appeal was made to the Supreme Court that the time given the boy was out of all proportion to the offense, but the court decided that while the nature of the offense should be considered by the trial judge, the length of the term imposed would not invalidate the sentence.
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TEXAS NEWS NOTES

FLORESVILLE WILL CLEAN UP.

Prizes Will Be Awarded for the Neatest Premises.
 Floresville, Tex.—At a meeting of the executive committee of the Civic League, arrangements were completed for clean-up week in Floresville, which will begin next Monday. K. Lux was named general superintendent. The town was divided as follows: Mrs. J. G. Springer, superintendent of Ward 1; Mrs. L. B. Knox, Ward 2; Mrs. White, Ward 3; Mrs. S. V. Houston, Ward 4.
 Wednesday, Thursday and Friday the town will visit every house in the town and haul off trash. At the end of the week, Saturday, three cash prizes will be given to the three cleanest premises in the town. The judges will be J. E. Dewees, Thornton Stevens and R. P. McCracken, well-known farmers and stockmen living near Floresville. A blue ribbon appropriately printed will be awarded the business house that has the best cleaned alley.

BEEVILLE GETS A HOSPITAL.

New Institution Opened and Inspected by Citizens.
 Beeville, Tex.—Tuesday marked in Beeville a new epoch in local medical science when the town's first hospital was opened and the general public of Beeville and the surrounding communities inspected it.
 Everything was arranged in perfect order for the inspection of the building. Mrs. J. S. Davis, as chairman of the reception committee, had assisting her Mesdames T. J. Jackson of San Antonio, Mrs. W. J. Dobbs of Groesbeck, W. R. Marsh, J. W. Brown, F. E. Perkins, W. A. Geffert, E. Blakestad and C. L. Kimbrough. The guests were served with punch by Misses Fannie Ray, Vernon Keelinz, Jewel Malone and Jewel Partain.

L. & G. N. INTERESTS COTULLA.

Cotulla, Tex.—The International & Great Northern Railway's demonstration train stopped at Cotulla two hours and was met by several hundred people, who heard the lectures and went through the exhibit cars, and the Newfoundland fishermen, mottored ramblings of strife in Santo Domingo, Haiti, Salvador and Honduras, besides the dispute with Brazil over coffee importations.
 Immediately confronting President Wilson is the great question of patronage and the program for the extraordinary session of Congress. Revision of the tariff and possibly banking and currency reform are urged for special, immediate action.

HONOLULU TO BE RAT PROOF.

Port to Be Made Practically Immune From Plague.
 Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands, March 11.—Under the joint auspices of the Government and health officials of the city a movement is being made to rat-proof Honolulu within the commercial and adjacent district and to render the port practically immune to plague and beyond the danger of Federal quarantine.
 The inevitable necessity for a rat-proof port by the demand of the commercial ports in trade with us, is being anticipated by the health officers by asking the community's intelligent assistance now.
 One of the items in this general scheme is a municipal ordinance amending the present building laws, making it compulsory for all buildings hereafter erected in the certain district of the city to be rat-proof. This district will include all that section of the city lying within a radius of one mile from the harbor light-house.

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ONE FOUR FLOCKS IN CROCKETT COUNTY.
 Affected by Scabs.
 Ozona, Tex.—Joe Statton, county sheep scab inspector, reports there are only four flocks of sheep in Crockett county at all affected with scab and that these will be dipped in the near future. He gave it as his opinion that the present Legislature will make appropriation to be used in the eradication of this worst of all pests in the sheep business. Among other things, he said there is only one county in the State that has opposed this appropriation. In Schleicher county the inspector receives a salary of \$600 a year, and since the total tax paid by sheepmen is only about \$300, there has been some opposition.

BIG TRADE EXCURSION.
 Many San Antonians Will Make Trip Over the Franklin Railroad.
 All is in readiness for the annual trade excursion to be given by Manufacturers and Jobbers' Association of the Chamber of Commerce, which will be held on March 25.
 At a meeting of the association held yesterday afternoon, it was decided to make stops at the following towns, located on the San Antonio, Verde & Gulf railroad: Leaning, Pleasanton, Jordanston, Charlotto, Fowlerston, Big Wells, Carrizo Springs, Crystal City, La Pryor and Uvalde.
 It is expected that at least 150 San Antonio business men will make the trip. A special train consisting of six coaches has been engaged and people along the route will be entertained by a brass band, which will occupy a special coach.
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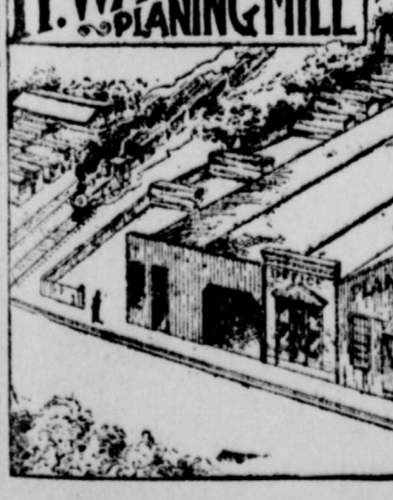
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C E MANLY, Editor and Proprietor.

WE NEED THE WATER.

The striking of good water in the Jos. Cotulla well just West of the town limits is good news to our townspeople. Now that we know that good water can be had, and that too, at a depth of several hundred feet shallower than we had expected, we should lose no time in deciding on some means of financing a waterworks proposition. We cannot go further in town building without water. We have gone the limit, and anyone that can see fifty feet ahead of the present hour will not deny that.

There is two ways that we can go ahead at once and secure what we consider is needed the most of all things. One way is the organization of a stock company and another is a city bond issue. There is nothing wrong with either method, but we would prefer to see the city own the water plant, and then the people would get water at near cost. If a plant is put in by a stock company naturally the rates would be higher, for stockholders like to see substantial dividends.

We understand that there is one man in the town who is willing to start a stock company subscription with \$2000. Why put this thing off longer. The sooner we get water the quicker we will see the benefits. Lets get busy TODAY.

OUR DUTY TOWARD MEXICO.

What is the prudent, the statesmanlike, the patriotic course for our government to pursue toward Mexico? Surley there is no great mystery about it. If the Mexicans can, even along bloody paths, proceed to set up a reasonably stable government of their

own, we must aid them in every way open to us to do it—aid them by forbearance, but also by friendly counsels. Our government and our ambassador in Mexico City can, as it were, make themselves the mouthpiece of civilization. They can apply a quiet moral pressure to the rulers of Mexico. Those men must be given to understand that there is such a thing as the public opinion of the world and that they are answerable to it; that Mexico cannot be permitted to lurch back into the barbarous governmental methods of 70 years ago, as if nothing had happened since. All this of course, lends immense importance to the selection of the next ambassador to Mexico. Mr. Wilson should seek the best man attainable—known for his love of peace, for his tact, for his ability to see the right thing to do and the just thing to say. Only by such a choice and by the most patient and sagacious course in determining the attitude of his administration in this vexed and highly complicated matter, can the new president surmount what might easily be a crisis or even a calamity confronting him from the first hour of his taking office.—New York Post.

If this man Huerta is to be accepted as a fair specimen of Mexican military genius and statesmanship, the future of Mexico looks dark indeed. Treachery is one trait most difficult to condone, and Huerta betrayed his friend, ally and official superior with a deliberate meanness for which modern history affords no precedent, and then murdered him, under the stupid pretense of inability to protect his prisoners. If to live by the sword is to perish by the sword, the days of the Huerta regime will be short.—Los Angeles Tribune.

FARM LIFE FACTS.

By S. A. Lindsay.

The plow is mightier than the sword.

Those who till the soil are the chosen people of God.

Farming is as old as the hu-

man race and is yet in its infancy.

Success is bound to come to the farmer who plans while he plows.

The tenant farmer beats the bush while the landlord holds the bag.

No civilization has ever advanced beyond its agricultural development.

Upon a proper tilling of the soil rests every institution of civilization.

Co-operative thinking is the biggest problem that confronts the Texas farmer today.

We may do away with most any class of labor, but we cannot do away with the farmer.

Farming is a business proposition and the farmer is the biggest man in business.

Fraud Paint

The worst mistake one is likely to make in painting is wrong paint; it is easy to make.

We all say "Ours is the best," and there are 1000 of us. One is best; but a dozen are so near on a level that no one knows, for sure, that his is the one.

The worst paints are worst liars; they know what they are, put-on a bold face, and brazen it out.

Their one true argument is low price; but low-price paint is always, must be, a fraud; it is made to cheat cheatable people.

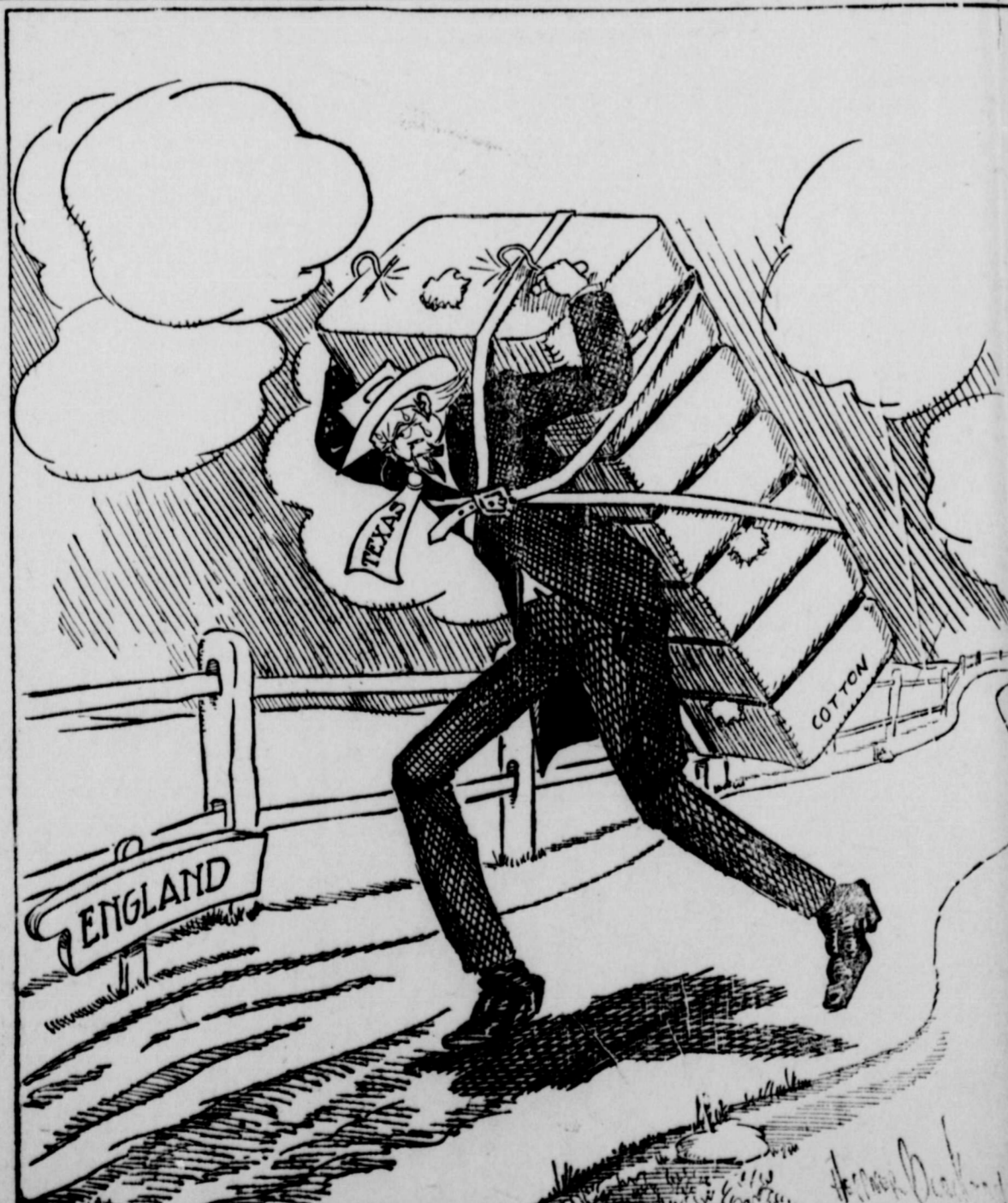
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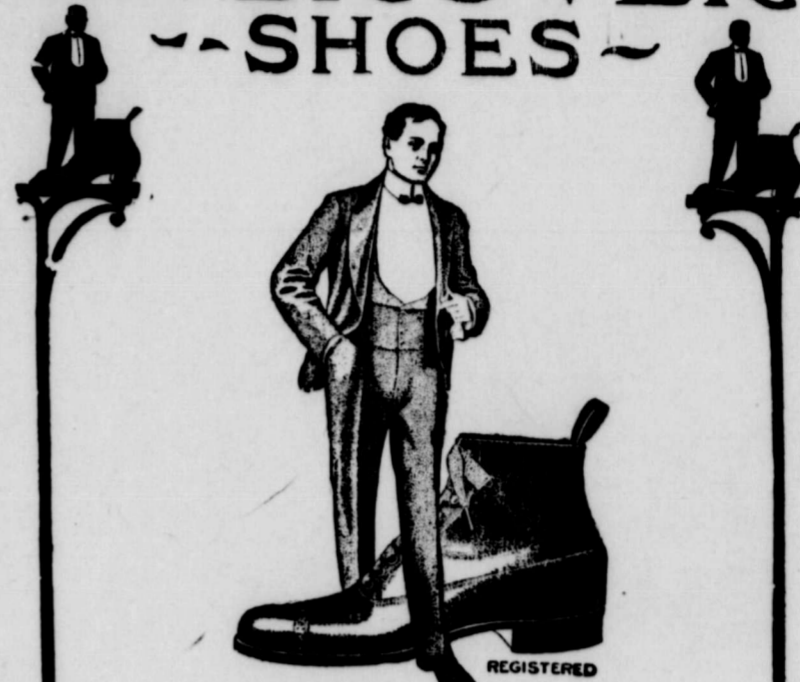
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The cotton crop last year in Texas was 4,297,000 bales and of this enormous crop, the Texas cotton mills manufactured less than 40,000 bales.—Texas Welfare Commission.

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I.O.O.F.—Lodge No 724 meets in Woodmen Hall first and third Wednesday nights in each month. Cordial invitation to visiting brethren.
Carl Wildenthal, N. G.
D. L. Neeley, Sec'y.

Royal Arch Chapter No 323, meets in Masonic Hall second Monday nights in each month.
D. N. Cushing, H. P.
W. A. Cox, Sec'y.

Eastern Star Chapter No. 328 meets first Monday night in each month in Masonic Hall.
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Local and Personal.

Jack Neal is back from an absence of several weeks down on the Rio Grande.

Rev. J. P. Black of Karnes City preached at the Presbyterian church here last Sunday.

C. W. Wheeler came in from Big Wells Sunday. He reported splendid rains up that way.

Mrs. C. F. Binkley and daughter, Miss Lauretta went up to San Antonio Monday to spend a week with friends.

M. D. Cox was down from Big Wells this week. He expects to build another house on the Seefeld land.

Mrs. F. B. Earnest went to Millett last Saturday to attend the funeral of her brother-in-law, W. P. Shields.

Help a good cause and encourage the little girls by giving them your order for Easter Cards and novelties.

Court has been in session this week and many citizens from other portions of the county have been in town.

C. E. Manly left Monday for Dallas to attend the Head Camp Woodmen of the World representing La Salle Camp No. 125.

C. W. Huchason of Kansas City is here for a few weeks. Mr. Huchason owns a 200-acre Nueces valley farm and comes down about twice a year and spends awhile.

J. M. Dobie shipped out several cars of cows last week that he had been feeding at the Startz ranch. He also loaded out 12 cars of steers from New Braunsfels. These steers weighed over 1100 and sold for \$6.90.

Spring is here and there is plenty of work for the civic league. Clean up campaign should be started at once in order to have conditions right when warm weather comes.

Explosion Causes Some Excitement.

One morning last week the town was startled by an explosion that brought everyone to their feet, and no doubt some wondered if the revolutionist hadn't gotten across the border.

The tank of the acetylene light plant at Simon Cotulla's market was blown to Kingdom come through some undetermined cause. Glass windows in the building were shattered and the occupants given a good scare. Mr. Cotulla had been cleaning the tank which was located in the rear of the building, but no one was near it when the explosion occurred. The top of the shed covering the tank was blown completely off, parts of planks falling on top of the building.

Retired Ranchman Meets With Accident.

J. W. McInnis, a retired ranchman of La Salle county, now living in San Antonio, fell in front of the Southwestern Telephone Co., office last Saturday night and broke his right leg just above the knee.

Mr. McInnis had just telephoned his wife that he would be home on the night train and stepped out of the door of the office, which is located in the second story of the Barlow building, on the gallery outside. The night was dark and a drizzling rain was falling, and it was said that there was no light outside to guide those who might have business within the office, up and down the two flights of stairs. As Mr. McInnis started down the first step he lost his footing and in falling the bone in his right leg snapped about five inches above the knee.

Although it was a bad night a number of people on the street below heard his cries for assistance, and went to him as did the operators in the telephone office. A cot was secured and he was placed on it and carried to the Gilmer Hotel where Dr. Whitehead set the broken bone.

M. H. Baine of Artesia, came up on the midnight train and accompanied him to San Antonio.

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Curiosity Aroused Mexicans' Suspicion.

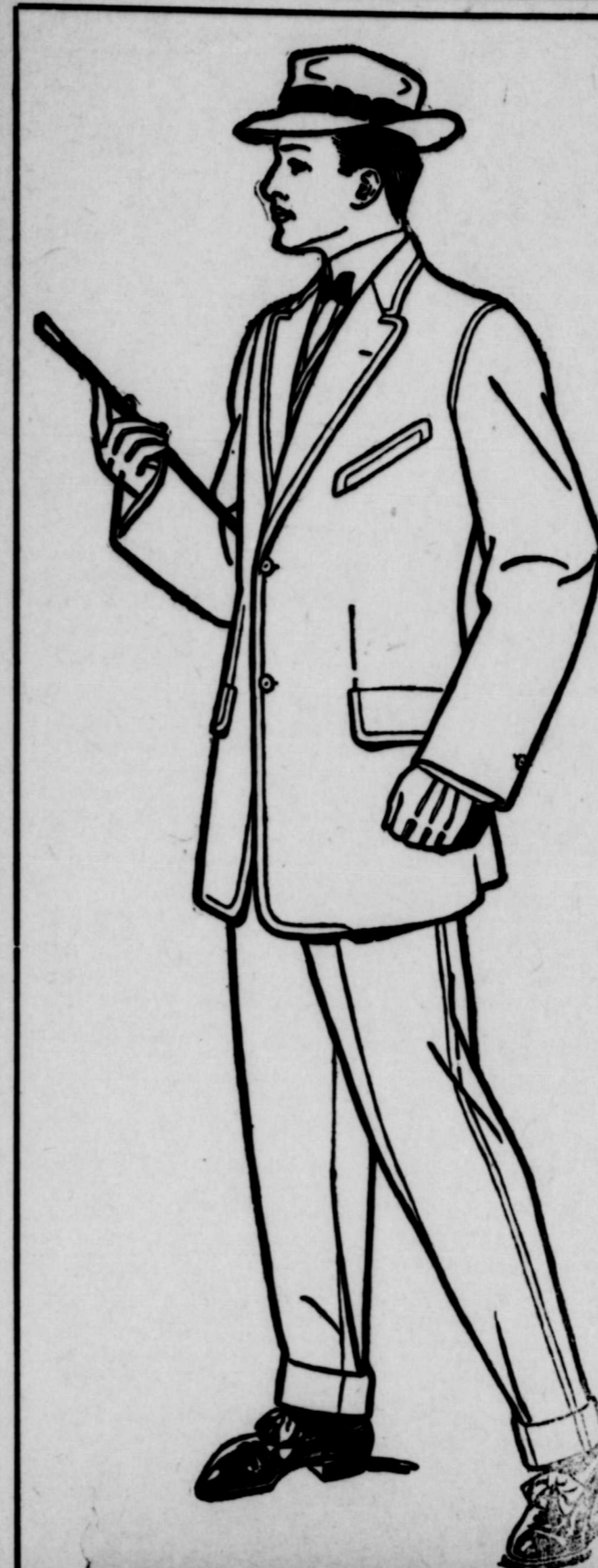
Mayor Roland A. Gouger returned Saturday from the lower Rio Grande country where he had been for several weeks. He had quite an experience one day last week at the old town of Mier, across the Rio Grande, and his curiosity to view places of historical prominence came near bringing on trouble.

Mr. Gouger and Glenn Smith accompanied Henry Eads, a ranchman of Hebbornville, and a Mexican ranchman across the Rio Grande. Mr. Eads going for the purpose of looking at a bunch of steers. They went to the river in an automobile, and took a hack on the other side for the town of Mier. Mr. Eads and the Mexican ranchman secured horses and went to the ranch where the steers were. Gouger and Smith remained in town and in order to pass away the time started out to find some of the old buildings and prisons that are prominent in history in connection with the war between Texas and Mexico. They asked the whereabouts of the old prison in which the band of Texans were confined that afterwards drew beans for their lives, and were directed to it. At the place however, they were promptly refused admittance, and the soldiers declined to answer but few of their questions. Not getting much consolation here they took a stroll about the old town and took particular squints at some of the buildings that looked like they might have been built a hundred years or more ago. Pretty soon they noticed a considerable number of soldiers moving about, but thought nothing of it, and finally sat down on a bench in a little park to rest.

An Englishman came up to the boys here, introduced himself and asked their business. He was told that they were passing away the time until the return of the ranchmen.

"Well," said the Englishman "you fellows have asked so many questions and wanted to see so much that these soldiers have got you sized up as American spies. They think that the United States is about ready to invade Mexico anyway, and my advice is for you to get a permit and get away from here as soon as possible, or you are liable to be put to considerable trouble."

This was like a thunderbolt out from a clear sky, and visions of dungeons and sunrise execution loomed up promptly before the two Texans. The Englishman volunteered to use his influence in trying to square up things with jefe politica, and after about an hours absence, which seemed like a week (in the meantime it became evident that they were under the surveillance of a detail of soldiers) he returned with a permit to return to God's side of the Rio Grande. The ranchmen returned and were told what a predicament they had gotten into, and it was agreed to eat supper and at once "beat it" for Texas soil. All the while they were followed closely by two soldiers and when they went to supper a guard watched each door. It was about dark when they departed and they had gotten but a mile out of town when suddenly about fifty Mexican soldiers confronted them. The Texans thought the time of reckoning had come, but after some parleying with the captain and showing him the permit from the alcalde, they were permitted to pass on. At the river they were held up by soldiers who seemed to think the passport not genuine but finally gave permission to pass on. When they were safely landed on this side, they were thankful and taking one long last look at the land where anarchy and savagery now ruled solemnly swore, "never again!"



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If the wound is cleansed and the liniment applied promptly, the healing process begins at once and the wound heals from the inside outwardly, thus performing a perfect cure that leaves no scar. If the wound heals on the outside too quickly, pus forms under the surface and breaks out into a running sore that is hard to cure and inevitably leaves a bad scar.

Owners of blooded stock prefer this liniment to all others for that reason, and they use it not only on fine animals, but on human flesh, as it does its work quickly and thoroughly.

Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00. James F. Ballard, Prop. St. Louis, Mo. Stephens Eye Salve is a healing ointment for sore eyes.

Lost—Ladies Gold hunting case watch, size 0, small diamond center of back, 17 jewel Waltham. Attached was chain that had been broken. Return to this office for reward.

Phone your orders in to 408 or come and select your wants in chickens.—Mrs. W. N. Guinn.

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Woman Near Death When He Reminds Her of Written Agreement and Demands Payment.

St. Louis, Mo., March 11.—As security for a \$22 loan, Mrs. Esther Graham, 21 years old, pledged in writing her "body, soul and whole life" to C. H. Aulabaugh, 55. The money was due and Aulabaugh called at the young woman's boarding house to see about collecting it. She did not have the money and the man then reminded her of the terms of the note she had signed.

Her sister, Mrs. Hazel Driscoll, in another room, heard the conversation, in which the man's protestations of love were strangely mingled with his demand for his money.

Then Mrs. Graham, looking pale and worried holding her hand against her body, entered the sister's room and said: "Where is my wedding ring?"

She did not find the ring, and in a moment she ceased her search and went into the hallway, where she spoke to Aulabaugh again. Then she cried out that he had stabbed her and the sister found her on the floor, a knife wound in her abdomen, while she heard the man slamming the front door.

Aulabaugh, arrested more than an hour later, slashed his throat as he stood in the police station after having shaved off his mustache to hide his identity.

Mrs. Driscoll told of the strange shyness like compact and how he had tried to enforce it.

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HARD LUCK PURSUES HIM

Workman Is Arrested After Finding Needed Employment.

LANSING, Mich., March 11.—After being out of work for several days, Charles Miller procured employment as an ice Sawyer and worked all day. The circumstances of the family, on account of the husband's idleness and his wife's serious illness, were such that Miller went without dinner.

When he arrived home at night he found an officer waiting for him with a warrant, charging him with obtaining money under false pretenses. Miller procured groceries, it is alleged, on the ground that he had a job before he was actually employed and the grocer caused his arrest. The justice took the case under advisement.

FATE OF THE TAFT CABINET

Most of Its Members to Resume Practice of Law.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 11.—This is what has become of the Taft Cabinet:

Ex-Secretary of State Knox, bound for California.

Ex-Secretary of the Treasury MacVeagh, back to Chicago to live on the income of a wholesale grocery business.

Ex-Secretary of War Simmon, back to New York, to resume law practice.

Ex-Secretary of the Navy Meyer, back to Boston, to build up his brokerage business.

Ex-Attorney General Wickersham, plans trip around the world.

Ex-Secretary of the Interior Fisher, back to Chicago to practice law.

Ex-Secretary of Agriculture Wilson, back to his farm in Iowa.

Ex-Secretary of Commerce and Labor Nagel, back to St. Louis to practice law.

Ex-Postmaster General Hitchcock, to New York to enter business.

THINK MODELS DEAD WOMEN.

Crowd in Frenzy When Clothing Dummies Are Carried From Fire.

NEW YORK, March 11.—A crowd of excited persons were fooled into thinking a lot of lay figures were dead women when they saw a dozen clothing models carried out from the burning premises. Police reserves had a hard time restraining the excited throng.

So sure were those who caught sight of the lay figures stretched along the sidewalk that several lives had been lost that they carried word to the entire neighborhood, which soon was in a frenzy until explanations were made.

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New Executive Reviews Greatest Parade Ever Assembled in Washington.

Washington, D. C., March 7.—A tall, slender, scholarly looking man, his face wreathed in smiles, stood in a carriage bowing and waving to a mile of densely-packed humanity on historic Pennsylvania avenue Tuesday. From a sea of waving flags and bunting, cheering swept in a mighty volume to honor this man, Woodrow Wilson of New Jersey, who had just become twenty-eighth president of the United States. The greatest crowd that ever greeted an incoming executive shouted itself hoarse.

Pomp and pageantry, in spite of promises of "Jeffersonian simplicity," signaled the inauguration of President Wilson and the swearing-in of Thomas R. Marshall of Indiana as vice-president. The new president was the central figure of the greatest inaugural parade ever assembled. Impressive ceremonies, brilliant decorations and record-breaking crowds were features of the arrival of the nation—the passing of republican rule, which had maintained for sixteen years, and the beginning of democratic rule.

Parade the Big Event.

From the spectator's viewpoint, the parade was the big event of the inauguration. From the steps of the inaugural stand at the capitol, President Wilson, amid tumultuous applause, led the procession of more than 40,000 soldiers, sailors and civilians to the White House and there reviewed them. In length, numbers and novel features the parade was unique. For nearly three hours it wended its way through Pennsylvania avenue.

From East and West, North and South, thousands had come to Washington to witness the change in administration. Crowds along Pennsylvania avenue packed every bit of room and filled every seat in capacious grandstands. The broad avenue, swept clean and carefully roped off, was bordered by two walls of a cheering multitude that filled every inch of space and every available balcony and window. Fakers did a thriving business selling big packing boxes to crowds afoot. These were pushed near the curb and afforded the owner a private grandstand of his own.

BEEKEEPERS IN SESSION

Nueces Valley Association Holds Meeting at Beeville and Discusses Are Heard.

BEEVILLE, Tex., March 11.—The Nueces Valley Beekeepers met in the Bee County courthouse in this city. There were some thirty beekeepers of note from Bexar and Atascosa counties.

One of the subjects first treated was the report from some of the members of the legislative committee appointed by the State convention who have been laboring with the present Legislature in order to get a more effective law and appropriation in order to eradicate the disease among bees known as foul brood, which in some parts of the State has caused much loss among the beekeepers.

A very favorable report was heard from E. G. LeSturgeon of San Antonio, W. H. Laws of Beeville, Prof. Wilmon Newell, State Entomologist, and a communication from H. P. Hornby, a member of the Legislature from Travis.

A report from the local inspector, Will Atchley, stated that in Bee County he had inspected 1367 colonies of bees, none infected. In Live Oak county he had inspected 872 colonies and none were infected. The preceding year 1912 he had found only two infected colonies in Live Oak County. The State Entomologist, acting foul brood inspector, has issued to the beekeepers of these counties a quarantine against the State from shipping any bees into this limit without first obtaining a clean bill of health from the proper authority.

Some complaints were made that there were still some honey thieves abroad in the land, and steps were taken looking to greater protection from these depredateurs.

MENACE WHITMAN'S CHILD

Warn Wife of New York's District Attorney That He Must Cease Prosecuting Them.

NEW YORK, March 11.—Grafters against whom District Attorney Whitman is gathering evidence have begun making threats against the life of his only child, Olive, 2 1/2 years old. Mrs. Whitman admitted that she received several letters and telephone messages threatening to "cut up that kid of yours" unless he induces her husband to cease his activity in the graft prosecution.

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FOUR STATES ASKED TO JOIN ILLINOIS IN FIGHT.

Illinois Points to an Organized Traffic, With Headquarters in Chicago.

Four states—Indiana, Iowa, Wisconsin and Michigan—will be asked to join with Illinois in the war on the white slave traffic in the middle west. Lieutenant-Governor Barrett O'Hara, head of the Illinois Senate commission investigating trafficking in young girls, has sent letters to the governors of each of these states, asking their co-operation.

Evidence already in the hands of the Senate commission tends to prove the existence of an organized traffic centering about Chicago, with agents and panders in each of these four states. The Lieutenant-Governor, who is acting governor of Illinois during Governor Dunne's absence at Washington, believes that probing committees, similar in purpose to the one in Illinois, might be created in each of these States.

He asks that the governor of each State recommend to the Legislatures the creation of investigating committees to work in harmony with probing bodies of the other States in a view to recommending uniform laws.

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Social and Religious

AT THE CHURCH.

The Baptist Aid met Tuesday afternoon at the church for their weekly meeting. The meeting was opened with song. Mrs. Will Tarver read for the scripture lesson II. Peter, a part of the third chapter followed by chain of prayers. The Bible lesson was led by Mrs. Rowland instructively. Those present found it a profitable hour spent. Mrs. Cohenour will entertain next week.

THE MISSES BURWELL HOSTESS.

The Philiatha class held their first social meeting with the Misses Burwell, Monday evening. A full attendance displayed the interest at a high level, and giving the presiding officers and teacher, Mrs. Wichmann, unlimited encouragement. These young ladies are just getting well organized and as a matter of business several committees were formed. For the social committee, Mrs. Clara Johns, Mrs. Long and Miss Fisher. The visiting committee appointed were Misses Willie Johns, Georgia Jay, Alma Coleman. For the lookout committee Misses Armintie Lestergett, Mae Sullivan, Alma Mendal. The class color which is used by the Philiatha, is Blue and White. Their class pin has been ordered so they can be readily identified in a short time. The next meeting will be with Mrs. and Miss Johns. Light refreshments were passed and a delightfully pleasant evening was the culmination.

THE PRESBYTERIAN UNION.

Within the hospitable home of Mrs. A. F. Childs the Presbyterian Union met for their weekly session. Mrs. Childs, assisted by her daughters Mrs. Whitehead and Miss Ethel Childs gave a most cordial welcome. The meeting was opened by repeating the Lord's Prayer in unison. Twenty-one members responded to roll call. Two new members were enrolled, Misses Danie Jay and Pearl Guinn.

The election of officers was the first item of business, and are as follows: Miss Kate Burwell, president, Mrs. A. D. Riddle, vice president, Miss Jessie Copp, secretary, Miss Gilmer, treasury. For the different departments of the work secretaries have been appointed as follows: Secretary of Literature, Foreign Missions, Assembly Home and Local Home Missions, Young Peoples Work, Christian Education and Ministerial Relief, Mims, T. H. Poole, N. C. Windrow, Henry Fullerton

J. C. Poole, C. B. Jones.

Mrs. Henry Fullerton will be hostess for next week. The watchword will be "Resurrection." A review of the book of Exodus will be the lesson taught by Mrs. A. D. Riddle. The business being ended the devotional period opened with song, "Count Your Blessings." Miss Childs read for the scripture lesson six chapters of John, after which Mrs. Fullerton read the Bible lesson bringing to a close the book of Exodus.

The social hour was filled with music rare and sweet, Mrs. Whitehead and Miss Childs rendering several duets and Miss Jessie Copp singing several numbers. The serving of a salad course with coffee and chocolate brought the final of a most enjoyable and profitable afternoon spent.

MRS. J. M. WILLIAMS (OF TYLER TEXAS) DECEASED.

"Blessed are those who die in the Lord." Like the lily folding itself to sleep embalmed in its sweet incense, so Mrs. Williams closed her life, to moral sense, after the sweet result of a life lived in christain service. Mr. and Mrs. Williams are well known, and have many friends in this section it having been their custom for years to spend their winters in Laredo and Cotulla. She is survived by her aged husband and six children. Three of her children are well known here; (Mrs. J. H. Davis, Laredo,) Mrs. Chas. Bryan (nee Leo Williams) and Mrs. C. B. Jones who returned Sunday from Tyler where she attended the funeral of her mother, Mrs. Leonora Boynton Williams, wife of J. M. Williams [who has resided in Tyler for 35 years.] Mrs. Williams died March 2nd and was buried March 3rd. She was only ill a few days, though she had been a semi-invalid for years.

At the age of twelve years she enlisted under the banner of Christ, being always an active and ardent worker, keeping in the front ranks, until the summons came. "Come up higher," her interest was always left in educational and charitable institutions. She was a member of the M. E. Church South and her influence in her home church will be greatly missed, she was a charter member and her joys were realized as she shared in a good part in the time and events when the congregation moved into the present elegant church. From the altars of her church, [she loved so well made into a bower of floral emblems] the beautiful white casket, that held the body of the

mother in Laredo was carried to its last resting place, followed by a host of friends and heart stricken husband and children. A beautiful tribute is in a manner said; "Her friends and neighbors said one of God's noble women has entered rest." Her walk with God is an encouragement to those who follow on, and as they lift the veil the echo is softly heard "Peace be still."

METHODIST CHURCH.

There will be services at 11:00 a. m. and at night. Sermons by the pastor. The Sunday school meets at 9:45 a. m. Comes early to get benefit of the splendid music. The Woman's Missionary Society meets with Mrs. R. A. Taylor Monday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock.

Prayer meeting at the Methodist Church Wednesday night. Join us in all these services. You are welcome.

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All Onion Growers are requested to be on hand Saturday the 22nd. Important business. Captain Minus will address the growers on important matters. J. H. Gallman, Secy.

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ANNOUNCEMENT

Rev. W. H. Hamilton will preach at eleven tomorrow morning but will be absent at the evening service hour, filling his monthly appointment at the Rockwood church.

FURNISHED ROOM, Southeast front, to let to lady or couple. — Ed Walker.

Local and Personal.

E. E. Scoggins, jeweler at Gaddis' Pharmacy, was in San Antonio Wednesday on business.

During the absence of the editor this week the paper was gotten out by devils. Otto Jay is now learning to stick type in the Record office.

Sam J. Jordan of Encinal was in Dallas on business this week, and attended the sessions of the Head Camp of the Woodmen of the World.

O. N. Johnson, former ranchman of La Salle, now living in the Metropolis is here today. He is accompanied by H. W. Earlest of Millett.

Mr. and Mrs. Swisher of Saline county, Mo., are here on a visit to their son, M. J. Swisher. They expect to be here several weeks.

Don't forget the little girls Easter Sale to be pulled off at N. C. Windrow's Drugstore next Saturday. Business hours with them will be from 9 a. m. to 6 p. m.

The Ladies of the Aid Society of Millett are going to have an oyster supper on the night of March 21st. There will also be an Easter booth with Easter novelties for sale.

FOR SALE—A number of work and saddle horses all young, for sale. Also several pair of good mules. Nothing over seven years old.—W. N. Lane, Millett, Texas.

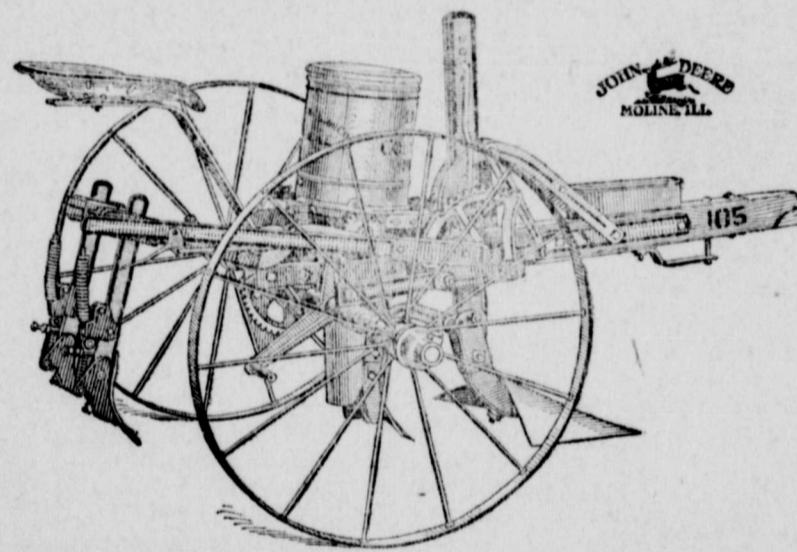
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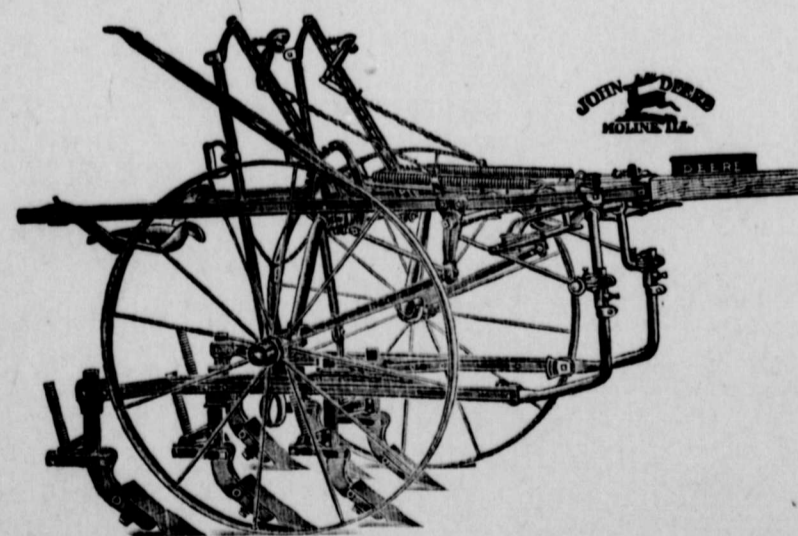
The little girls of the Presbyterian Missionary Society will have a booth at N. C. Windrow's drugstore next Saturday where they will sell Easter Novelties and dyed eggs. They will also have some baked cakes and ferns grown in miniature pots among their wares. People desiring to make orders in advance may phone Mrs. J. H. Gallmanor K. Burwell.

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