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Steel Cars to Balk Robbers.

Steel cars are to be constructed for the use of the railways in the west and south to protect the mail and express cars from robbers. The first experiment with the new cars is to be made by the Rock Island, which has ordered five and will operate them in the southwest. If they are found to be all that is promised for them other railroads in Texas will use them on all lines where robberies have occurred in the past few years and over territory considered dangerous.

The cars to be made for the Rock Island will be supplied with port holes like an armored vessel and it will go hard with any train robber who attempts a raid on Uncle Sam's mail or express carried by the company.

The sheet steel will be three-eighths of an inch on the sides and roof of the cars, while the floors will be a little more than half an inch thick. The doors will be swung on extremely heavy hinges and will be reinforced by steel bars on the inside, so that it will be almost an impossibility to blow one open.

The car will be a little smaller than the regulation express car, but will accommodate nearly as many shipments as the regular cars. A vault will be built in one end of the car and all money and valuable parcels will be locked in. The vaults will have time locks on them and it will be impossible for any one to open them between stations unless they are dynamited. The use of the steel cars lessens such a probability, as the heavy steel door or the steel walls would have to give way first.

There have been no train robbers of any magnitude in Texas for some time, but New Mexico and other adjacent states have been adding a few to the list and the companies operating here want to be prepared when an attempt is made and want to be able to take away the occupation of the few remaining desperadoes.

Watson's Notification.

VINCENNES, Ind., Aug. 6.—Judge S. L. Williams of Vincennes, chairman of the Peoples Party notification committee, appointed at the convention at Springfield, Ill., tonight named Aug. 28 as the date to notify Thomas E. Watson of Georgia, of his nomination for president. The notification will take place at Cooper Union Hall, New York city.

One of the first things Parker is pledged to do, in the event of his election, is to convert four hundred million silver dollars into subsidiary coin, by calling them in and melting them down. After he has done that, there are three hundred million greenbacks to be called in, retired and substituted by an asset currency. Yet Bryan will support Parker to more firmly establish the rule of the money trust which he says is the mother of all other trusts. Honest men find it hard to credit Mr. Bryan with the sincerity his friends claim for him—Mercury.

No Strike Settlement.

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 7.—After a fight which has lasted nearly four weeks a settlement of the stock yards strike seems tonight to be as remote as at any time since the struggle for supremacy began. Neither side to the conflict during all this time has shown any signs of weakening.

The packers while claiming that they will soon have their affairs in normal condition again still admit that so far they have been able to get but 550 of their old employes back and that the majority of their men are unskilled workers.

According to the strikers every animal that has been slaughtered since the strike was called has been at a financial loss to the packers, as in the majority of cases a lack of skilled workmen has made it impossible to operate the by-products department and this source of revenue, which, under normal conditions is a clear profit to the packers, has been allowed to go to waste.

Last week the packers figured on a break in the ranks of the strikers when work is resumed tomorrow morning, but there was nothing tonight that would indicate that the men were even considering such a step or that they had any idea of surrendering tomorrow or at any future time. According to Michael J. Donnelly, president of the Butchers' Union, the organization which precipitated the strike, the strikers are in a better condition today than they were on July 12, the day the strike was called.

Cloudburst In Colorado.

TRINIDAD, Colo., Aug. 7.—A cloudburst in Fisher Canyon, three miles north of here, tonight caused the loss of two lives and flooded mines and other property in and adjacent to the canyon.

William Haigh, general manager of the Trinidad Coal Company, which owns several mines in Fisher Canyon, and an employe, William Richardson, while driving up the canyon were caught in the flood and drowned.

Two bridges on the Santa Fe road near Elmore were washed out.

It is reported that bridges and roadbeds of the Colorado and Southern have been damaged also.

A Missouri Pacific flyer plunged into a raging creek eight miles from Pueblo, Colo., Sunday night and 75 persons were killed and drowned. The train was made up of six cars, express, smoker, diner, chair car and two sleepers. Nearly every coach was well filled when the train pulled out of Denver at 5 o'clock. The train was whirling along through a storm to make fast time when it dropped into the stream.

The last week was the best in point of attendance up to the present time at the World's Fair. For the first time the 600,000 mark was passed, the total for the week being 601,411. The total attendance to date is 6,258,988.

RUSSO-JAPAN WAR NEWS.

Closing in Near Port Arthur.

LONDON, Aug. 8.—The Times correspondent at Tokio under date of Aug. 7. says that there are unofficial reports there that the Japanese have captured commanding positions north and northeast of Port Arthur at a distance of 2,750 yards from the main line of Russian defenses.

After Bear's Base of Supplies.

The Japanese are advancing on Mukden and it is probable that a simultaneous attack will be made on Mukden and Liao Yang, in which case a decisive battle is assured.

Loss Said To Be 13,000.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 6.—A telegram from Liao Yang says the Japanese lost 13,000 wounded and killed in an attack on the Russian center.

This apparently confirms the Mukden rumor of an unsuccessful attack on Anshan Shan. If true this means the Japanese attack not only failed but that they were driven back. Otherwise the Russians could not furnish an estimate of the Japanese casualties.

New Cattle Disease.

The Dallas News stock reporter says:

"Cattlemen in Hale and some of the adjoining counties on the plains have been quite uneasy over the appearance of a new cattle disease in that section, which affected the feet and mouth of the animal, and which was feared to be the real foot and mouth disease that has caused considerable trouble at various times in different portions of the United States. The situation was referred to the Bureau of Animal Industry at Washington and an investigation requested. The bureau delegated the work of investigation to Inspector Imes, whose station is at Roswell, N. M. That gentleman has just finished his work and finds that two districts are infected, one in and around Hale county, and the other in the vicinity of Hansford. His diagnosis of the trouble is that it is mycotic apothous fever, which, in plain English, is noninfectious foot and mouth disease.

"While the disease is alleged to be noninfectious, the inspector found in some instances that whole herds were affected with it, but none of the animals have died. It is stated that the manner in which the disease is acquired is through the eating of forage that is infected with the poison, and it is not capable of being transmitted from one animal to another through the medium of microbe or bacillus. The Washington authorities have agreed that the diagnosis of the disease is correct. In the meantime cattlemen in the infected districts are greatly relieved to find that the disease is not what it was generally feared to be."

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- \$7.50 " " " 5.50
- \$8.50 " " " 6.50

Blue Linen Coats and Pants at 1.00 each.

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CLARENDON, TEX., AUG. 10, 1904.

JUDGE PARKER will today deliver to the democrats their platform for the next four years.

THE Populists meet in state convention in Fort Worth today and Tom Watson opens the national campaign in Lincoln, Neb., at the same time.

SEVERAL wheat farmers around Prosper have purchased steam plowing outfits and are plowing thirty of forty acres per day. The name of their community should not be a misnomer.

THE Tarrant county populists instructed for E. L. Dohoney, of Paris, for governor. A more moral, upright and better qualified man could not be found. It would be an honor to Texas to have such a man in the executive mansion.

OVER at Roswell, N. M., Sunday, Professor J. M. Newman, a magnetic healer, was found guilty by a jury of practicing medicine without a license and was fined \$100 and sentenced to jail for thirty days. "I never broke a law in my life; I heal by the laying on of the hands," he declared when the verdict was read to him. That jury must have considered the fellow's hands "bad medicine."

A Plains Railroad.

LUBBOCK, Texas, Aug. 7.—A corps of railway engineers under charge of Captain Key have just completed a preliminary survey from Wilbarger, a station on the Pecos Valley and Northeastern railway, about ten miles southeast of Canyon City, to a point about three miles west of Lubbock.

It is thought here that the Santa Fe people are considering a connection at some point in New Mexico on their transcontinental line with Coleman or San Angelo, thus making their own through road to Galveston. The gap being surveyed would present a plains route to North Concho draw, and a road down that draw to San Angelo would have almost no engineering difficulties.

Some of the reform Democrats who are bolting Parker are going over to Roosevelt. They will likely reconsider when they learn that Tom Watson will make the race. From Parker to Roosevelt is not going to cause Wall Street any loss of sleep.—Ex.

Parker stands for a single money (gold) of redemption, and he is the Democratic nominee. Roosevelt stands for single money (gold) redemption, and he is the Republican nominee. Watson stands for full legal tender money without coin redemption, and he is the People's nominee. Swallow stands for any old kind of money, provided none of it is spent for liquor, and he is the Prohibition nominee. Debs is for no money at all. He would abolish money and let the government dole out the dry goods, groceries, etc., without money and without price, salvation and living both to be free, and he is the Socialist nominee. Bryan is for two monies (gold and silver) of redemption, but he is not a nominee. He is now a man without a party.—Indiana National.

Do not wait until tomorrow. The seeds of death are busy in our bodies and we may pass out at any time.—Baptist Standard.

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The Money Circulation.

Missouri World.

Editor World:—What have you to say about Root's pretense that we have \$2,800,000 circulation, 48 per cent. of which is gold?—SAMUEL A. BLACKSTONE, Chester, N. H.

The official statement issued by the Secretary of the Treasury shows that there is that much money in the United States and that nearly one half of it is gold. The gold on July 1, 1904, was stated as amounting to \$1,326,726,701. Silver dollars, \$560,083,544. National bank currency, \$449,533,095. Greenbacks, \$346,681,016. Fractional silver, \$106,164,848. Treasury notes of 1890 (silver purchase notes) \$12,978,000. Of the above amount \$150,000,000 gold is held as a reserve fund for the redemption of greenbacks and treasury notes. About 130 million dollars more of the above amount is held in the treasury. Deducting these amounts and there is left \$2,521,151,627, or \$30.80 per capita in the banks and among the people. The per capita of money is now \$6.30 more than it was in 1892 when the Populists declared that the money volume should be speedily increased to not less than fifty dollars per capita. The increase has come from four sources: The coinage of gold; the profit in coining silver dollars; the increase in national bank currency; and the coinage of fractional silver.

During Cleveland's second term the per capita of money decreased to less than \$22, so that there is now over nine dollars per capita more than there was then. There is unlimited coinage of gold and has been for over one hundred years. Senator Clark and others who are mining gold, may take their metal to the mint and there have the government place upon it the official stamp of legal tender.

On a little less than an ounce of this metal the government stamps a certificate which in effect entitles the bearer to release from debt and taxes to the amount of twenty dollars. The gold metal has in itself but little value, but because the United States and other great commercial nations will put the stamp of legal tender on all that is presented at their mints the uncoined metal sells at practically the same amount that is stamped on the gold coins. The holder of gold can have it coined into money free of charge and of course will take no less for it than it will be worth after coined.

It is no credit to the statesmanship of our congressmen that half our money consists of gold. The government could have made just as good money by stamping it upon paper. Had it done so, it would not have had to deliver the money over to some private individual, but could have required value for it. In the coinage of silver the government has made a profit of many millions of dollars, because it bought the silver at market value, which was below its value when coined, for the reason that the government would not coin it free and would not buy all of it. But stamping money on silver is no less unstatesmanlike than stamping it on gold. Whatever the government paid for silver was a dead loss.

The amount of money lost by the government in coining gold and silver would build and equip about fifty thousand miles of railroad.

But of gold, silver and paper, there is not near enough money. There is not enough money to pay a year's interest or a year's taxes.

A hundred dollars per capita would not be too much. Just think of it, one person cannot have more than thirty dollars and eighty cents without some one having less. How can the people prosper when there isn't enough money to pay interest and taxes? How can they ever get out of debt, or even reduce their debts? The day of barter is gone. There must be more money, if the people are to prosper. It ought to be possible for the masses of people to get out of debt, but they must go deeper and deeper into debt unless there is more money. The government should issue more money, and not through banking corporations. Why should the government issue money and loan it to the national banks at one-half of one per cent. when the people would gladly pay two per cent. for it? The money question is still the greatest question.

Dr. Stocking Seeing The Sights.

CHRONICLE Correspondence.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 4.

Well, here we are, waiting a few minutes for others to join us to go out to the great sight seeing of the present age, and as we wait we remember we were to write if we had time, so here goes. We can't enter into details and statistics, which can be gotten out of any old world's fair guide book, which can be had for twenty-five cents, but from us you must be content at this time with just a few generalities. As you land at the union depot in St. Louis you join a rushing crowd which seems to grow greater during the entire day, and as to be expected everybody is here for the fair. About 480 passenger trains arrive at this depot every 24 hours, about a train for every three minutes, and you can comprehend something of the rush and whirl that is continually going on. You struggle through the mob of drummers for the different boarding and lodging houses, chateaux and hotels and take a street car for the fair and are probably able to stand up which requires but little strength, as you are lined up on all sides so you could not well fall down, even if you should faint. The impropriety of fainting under such unfavorable conditions must be very apparent to everybody so we did not faint, although we never remember being "impressed" with so much youth and beauty before arriving at the fair grounds covering 1250 acres. You are turned loose, as the Texans say, and everybody goes in a mad rush. You are bewildered by the task before you. There is so much to see on every hand and you are so beset at every turn by the man or the concession which is to profit by your visit that you scarcely know which way to turn. Finally you conclude that it will be impossible to turn every way at one and the same time and settle down to business, and it matters little which way you turn you will see much of interest, much to instruct. Yesterday, besides visiting the transportation building, and palace of varied industries, we visited the glass works, where they make all kinds of articles, including dresses and ladies' furnishing goods, beautiful neckties and all kinds of tapestry out of glass. The goods looked and felt much like silk and yet were all of glass.

We also witnessed a very interesting exercise given by Prof. Geo. Andrew Lewis in the Palace of Education, where he illustrated his method of curing the stammering habit; Prof. Lewis is largely the inventor of this method and has a large and successful school for stammerers in Detroit, Michigan, where he has taught his method for six or eight years. Lewis

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Speak of Colorado, and the chances are someone will say: "Oh! yes, Colorado is all right, but if you want to see real mountains you must go to Switzerland."

Must you?

Here are the facts: In the Alps are two peaks more than 14,000 feet high. Colorado has thirty-five. The highest village in Europe is Avers Platz, 7,500 feet. Leadville, with a population of 15,000, is over 10,000 feet above sea level. The highest wagon road in Switzerland is the Stelvio; altitude, 9,170 feet. At four points in Colorado railroads cross the continental divide at a height of more than 10,000 feet.

So much for Switzerland; so much more for Colorado.

Will you not give us an opportunity of placing before you additional information about Colorado—its climate, its resorts, its hotels, its outdoor life—and the way to get there? Also about our low rate excursions to California and Oregon, August 15 to September 10? PHIL A. AUER, G. P. A., Fort Worth Tex.

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NORTH BOUND.	
No. 1, Mail and Express.....	8:47 p. m.
No. 7, Passenger and Express.....	6:25 a. m.
SOUTH BOUND.	
No. 2, Mail and Express.....	7:15 a. m.
No. 8, Passenger and Express.....	9:30 p. m.
J. W. KENNEDY, Local gt.	

Business locals five cents per line for first insertion and 3 cents for subsequent insertions. All locals run and are charged for until ordered out. Transient notices and job work are cash, other bills on first of month.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Editor Cooke spent Monday in Dallas.
Walker Lane, of Alanreed, spent Saturday in town.
R. M. Cornett will teach the school at Groom this year.
Miss Emma Harding will teach the old town school next term.
Mr. Kimball of the Matador Maverick was in town yesterday.
W. M. Greenwood and wife, of Alanreed, were in town yesterday.
County clerk Oakes, of Silverton, has been in town several days this week.
We are pleased to note that R. Y. Mangum has again taken charge of the Alanreed Eagle.
J. W. Talbot of Vernon, is spending this week here. He is thinking of going into business.
The county commissioners are in session this week. They have put in most of the time going over the reports.
Dr. Carroll returned from Alanreed Saturday, where he had been called to see Mrs. J. T. Pollard, who was very sick.
Mrs. B. Ralls, of Corsicana, arrived here Saturday on a visit to her cousins, Mrs. D. L. McClellan and Mrs. Calvery.
Mr. Gracy and wife, of Lisbon, Dallas county, arrived here Saturday night on a visit to their daughter, Mrs. J. W. Morrison. They are old-time Texans and can relate many incidents of past history.
James and Henry Pirtle, of Bradley county, Ark., are here on a visit to their uncle, J. H. Pirtle. They visited Hot Springs, the Fair at St. Louis and several other places before reaching here. They will visit here about a week.
W. L. Smith, and wife, of Lockney, came in Friday night on a visit to their brother, B. F. Smith. They returned home Monday. Mr. Smith's mother, Mrs. Sarah Smith, of Blooming Grove, Tex., is also here for a month's visit.
Mr. A. B. Spencer has been appointed as successor to James Myers, the late division freight and passenger agent of the Rock Island, headquarters at Amarillo, effective August 8. Mr. Spencer was formerly connected with the Fort Worth & Denver, is well up on railroad affairs and his ability has won him many friends.

No display ads will be changed in this paper later than noon the day before publication. And to insure insertion new ones should be handed in fully that early.

Visit the Studio and see some late styles in all the very latest finishes. H. MULKEY.

Buy Bed-Bug-Beater at Stocking's store.

Cooked meat at Cold Storage Market every morning and evening.

See Mulkey's Samples and give him a trial order. Everything up to date.

Mrs. Adams came in yesterday morning on a visit.

The bridge near Rutherford Bros. is being refloored.

Capt. Carhart and John Alexander have completed the tax rolls for this year and the total for state, county and school is \$25,253.79. Assessed values are \$2,454,360, or about \$26,000 more than last year. On land the increased values amount to \$192,000, while the value of cattle have decreased considerably. We will give a tabulated statement Saturday.

We invite your attention to the ad of the Clarendon Cotton gin run by the Water, Light & Power Co. They will have experience hands this year, improved machinery and will be able to care for all the customers that come. No matter what has been your experience in the past, they will strive to satisfy you. With their electric lights they can run at night as safely as in the day. They also promise the best of sample and yield.

W. H. Thomas has bought the confectionery and racket store of Ed Posey and has taken charge. Mr. Posey will go to Alabama as soon as he can shape up his business. He is a moral, upright, unassuming gentleman, whom we regret to lose, and our good wishes are extended to him in his old home to which he returns. Mr. Thompson is a wide awake, young business man who will work to increase the business, which already has a large patronage. Mr. Patman, whose name has been connected with Mr. Posey's, will be engaged by Mr. Thompson for a time to help carry on the business.

Miss Norma Skinner, who taught a term of school at this place, visited friends in the country and city.—Graham Leader.

Lightning killed three registered Hereford bulls out of John Hutson's herd in the pasture north of town Wednesday night.—Canyon City News.

Fort Worth Market.
Top prices Monday were: steers \$3.85; cows \$2.30; calves \$3.00; hogs \$5.50.

Use floor paint and quit so much scrubbing. You'll find the best at Stockings store.

Never fear to bring the sublimest motive to the smallest duty, and the most infinite comfort to the smallest troubles.—Phillips Brooks.

Place For Sale.
My home place in Southwest Clarendon, consisting of three residence lots, good well of water, shade and fruit trees, grape vines, four room house with three large closets, cow lot and out houses. Willing to take acceptable stock cattle at right prices in part payment. For particulars see J. N. Eddins.

The dispatches have something to say about Russia's supply of gold and the amount of paper money it can issue thereon. Russia will probably not pay much attention to the amount of gold it has when considering the question of issues of paper money. From 1857 to 1897, a period of forty years of marvelous development and government construction of railroads, Russia had nothing but irredeemable paper money, except something less than one dollar per capita of silver for small change.—Ex.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For County Treasurer:
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R. W. TALLEY.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
J. T. PATMAN,
L. C. BEVERLY.

For Tax Assessor:
F. A. DUBBS,
G. W. BAKER.

Memphis.

Rev. Ben Hardy and family have been at Clarendon most of the week.

It is now freely predicted that 6000 bales of cotton will be shipped out from this station this year.

Nellie Thompson is very low as we go to press. She has typhoid fever and her death is apparently very near.

It was a girl that was born to Jimmie Willborn and wife Tuesday night. All are reported getting along nicely, even Jimmie bids fair to recover in time.

The revival meeting at the Baptist church will begin Sunday, Aug. 14. Rev. R. E. Bell of Mart, Texas, will be here to assist the pastor in conducting the meeting.

Childress.

Engineer Hartzell is suffering with a case of sore eyes.

A number of the farmers tell us they are still planting feed stuff.

Engineer Hampton, who has been sick for some time, is reported much better.

The county officers have sown the court yard in turnips. Free turnips next fall.

The car force has been busy for two weeks slatting stock cars, to be used for shipping melons.

Last Saturday evening Charlie McDonald shot at a cow, with an air gun, but missed the cow, and Fred Tepe, who was on the other side, is now the possessor of a black eye.—Canadian Record.

Amarillo postmaster, J. M. Kindred, has received a letter from the Postoffice Department stating that free delivery will be established in this city Nov. 1, with two carriers and one substitute carrier.

Mulkey can please when it comes to photographs, having just finished a course in the Illinois College of Photography.

House to rent.—Dr. Stocking.

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Baptist Every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.—Rev. W. L. Skinner, pastor. Sunday school 10 a. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday night.

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Methodist Elder W. B. Parks, pastor. Services every 3rd and 4th Sunday. Prayer meeting Wednesday nights. Sunday school Sunday 10 a. m.

Catholic St. Mary's Church—Rev. D. H. Dunne, pastor. Sunday services: Mass at 10 a. m.; Sunday School after mass. Evening services at 7:30. Services every Sunday except 2nd.

Episcopal St. John the Baptist—Rev. H. C. Goodrich, Rector. Morning service every Sunday at 11, evening, 8:30, 1st and 3rd Sundays (only). Announcement made of extra services. S. S. and Bible Class, 10 a. m.

SOCIETIES.

O. F.—Clarendon Lodge No. 381, meet every Thursday night in Donahue building. Visiting brothers made welcome.

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F. & A. M.—Clarendon Lodge No. 700, meets 2nd and Friday night in each month over Bank of Clarendon. JAMES TRENT, W. M. H. A. CHAMBERLAIN, Sec.

CLARENDON CHAPTER, No. 216 B. A. M.—Meets 1st and 3rd Friday night in each month at 8:30 p. m. in Masonic Hall over Bank of Clarendon. Visiting companions cordially invited. W. H. MEADOR, H. P.

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FRIAR'S POINT, Miss., Aug. 5. —Another Indianola case is threatened by the appointment of a negro woman as postmistress at Erald, located on a plantation several miles from this place.

The news of the appointment leaked out to-day when the woman, whose name is Mitchell, came in to give bond. Many citizens favored summary action, but it is thought that nothing will be done until investigation reveals the number of whites who receive their mail at the Erald Post Office.

STATE NEWS.

A new enterprise in Dallas is an automobile livery.

An eight weeks drouth at Weatherford was broken Saturday by a fine rain.

T. F. Gammage was shot and fatally wounded by T. S. Jenkins near Yarellton last week.

H. S. Miller, a bridge contractor, at Dallas, was shot, fatally last week by Wm. Niess, a sign painter who had married Miller's divorced wife.

M. J. Eubank, arrested on a charge of assault with intent to murder for shooting M. C. Hedrick Saturday, July 30, has been released on bond in the sum of \$500 at Weatherford.

T. M. Wiley, living near Colorado, died Friday morning at 1 o'clock from the effects of a pistol shot received last Monday from a 38-caliber revolver. Ed. McCoy is in jail charged with the shooting.

A four year old daughter of Lum Furr, who lives at McKinney, dropped her baby brother, two years old, in a kettle of boiling water, against which she stumbled, and the child was scalded to death Saturday.

John Cartwright of Fort Worth drew a quarter section in the land lottery of the Rosebud reservation land in South Dakota. He has claim No. 729, which means that after 728 others have made their selections he can make his. There was 2,400 winning tickets.

Ernest and Forest Smith were drowned in Big Creek, a few miles south of Houston Friday. With their wives they were seining. Forest was in a deep hole, alone, and was drawn into deep water. Ernest went in to rescue him, and both were drowned.

A party of men of Ennis, Sunday, went out to the lake to take a boat ride. The boat was capsized and T. M. Tanner, a member of the party, being unable to swim, was drowned before his companions could rescue him. He is about thirty years of age and was a railroad man.

The first new bale of cotton for the season for Dallas was marketed Friday. It was raised by W. D. Caldwell of Cedar Hill, weighed 405 pounds, classified middling, was bought by M. H. Thomas at 10 cents a pound and was rewarded \$42 premium by the Dallas Commercial Club. First bales are also reported at Corsicana, Mount Calm, Frost, Granger and Hubbard City, with prices ranging from ten to eleven cents.

A terrible tragedy was enacted at Rockwall Sunday which resulted in the death of J. T. McCain and the serious injury of his wife. Several days ago Mrs. McCain swore out a complaint against her husband charging him with insanity. He was arrested and tried on the charge last Wednesday, at which trial he was acquitted and released. Sunday he severely stabbed his wife and then shot and killed himself.

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As time runs along, however, things change, and now at the instance of "The Denver Road" those previously deprived of opportunity may visit that "Land of Glories," the grandeur of which it is impossible to exaggerate or even to adequately describe, at such small expense as to be hardly worthy of consideration. Mr. A. A. Glisson, General Passenger Agent of "The Denver" announces for August 15th (one day only) a rate of One Cent per mile traveled for round-trip tickets from Texas points to Colorado Springs, (Manitou) Denver and Boulder with return limit of fifteen days and the privilege of stop-overs at all points north of and including Trinidad, Colorado. As this is perhaps the most inviting proposition offered either the traveling public or the "Stay-at-Homes" during the present season and as it is well known that Colorado affords in ten days rejuvenation, inspiration and physical-upbuilding more than equalling what is possible in twice that period of time spent in any other portion of the country, it goes without saying that the trains of "The Denver Road" will be unusually popular on the 15th inst.

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By reason of special arrangements which have been perfected it is practically conceded in many quarters that to and from California either one or both ways via "The Denver Road" will be the choice of those attending both the Triennial Conclave of the Knights-Templar and the Sovereign Grand Lodge I. O. O. F. to be held in San Francisco during September on account of which round-trip tickets will be on sale August 15th to September 10th, inclusive, at the rate of \$45.00 from nearly all points in Texas and the Southwest.

The choice of the route mentioned for these trips is largely attributable to the fact that it is the only line reaching that territory from Texas directly through Panoramic New Mexico and "Cool Colorado" passing enroute and allowing stop-overs at any of the numerous magnificent and popular priced resorts of the northwest, including those of California as well as Ogden and Salt Lake City, Utah, in addition to such as Denver (for Boulder), Colorado Springs, Pueblo and Trinidad, Colorado. It is understood that tickets for this occasion may be secured to go via one route and return another, and in view of the superior attractiveness of the routes via the several Colorado tourist gateways, it may be fair to presume that approximately ninety per cent of those living in the southwest will traverse the rails of "The Denver Road" through the great and fast developing "Panhandle of Texas" in at least one direction.

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The following rates have been authorized from Clarendon to St. Louis and return, account World's Fair: rates apply via Fort Worth & Denver R'y to Ft. Worth, thence any direct route to St. Louis:

Season Ticket rate..... \$36.20
60 day rate..... 30.15
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7 day rate..... 15.85

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	Ret. limit Oct. 31.	60 das
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Denver.....	23 35	19 50
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