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The Beet Sugar Industry.

The beet sugar industry is every day attracting more attention and becoming more important in the United States. Since 1830 this industry has been in existence in certain parts of the United States; never exerting noticeable influence even on local markets, however, until a few years ago. In 1890 only two beet sugar factories existed in this country. Today in several American states beet sugar-making is a source of large revenue, factories in several states employing hundreds of workmen. In Michigan there are 16 of these factories, and farmers in that state are receiving annually about \$6,000,000 for sugar beets. About three months ago a beet sugar factory costing \$1,000,000 was built in Kansas, and the raising of sugar beets in that state, already a widely extended vocation, bids fair in the near future to reach enormous dimensions.

Sugar beets, it is stated, usually bring from \$50 to \$60 profit per acre. They are easily raised, grow well on a great variety of soils, and are but little, if at all, affected by frost, affording more certain crops than most other agricultural products.

About 6,720,000,000 pounds of sugar is annually consumed in America, of which amount only 10 per cent. is produced at home, the remaining 90 per cent. costing about \$135,000,000 annually.

Sugar beets grow well in many parts of Texas. In this industry let the farmers of the state fall in line. If it pays in Michigan and Kansas it will pay in Texas.—Dallas News.

Don't Want a Bailey Speech.

The Houston Chronicle publishes a sensational protest from D. C. Jones, of Cameron, a member of Hood's brigade, against Senator Bailey addressing the brigade reunion at Navasota June 27. Mr. Jones declares that if the junior senator speaks there will not be half the membership in attendance at the reunion. He suggests that Bishop Ward be selected, but if the members desire a public man that Senator Culberson be invited.

Failed to Kill the Referendum.

The judicial committee of the lower house in Illinois by an almost unanimous vote has refused to recommend the repeal of the Public Opinion law under which the people of Chicago have been voting direct on the question of public ownership and operation of the street railway system.

A dispatch from Santiago, Cuba, says the death occurred, there of Antonio Infante, a negro, at the age of 150 years. Despite his great age, the greatest recorded in modern times, the man is said to have retained all his faculties unimpaired to the end. Infante is said to have been born in 1757, 19 years before the beginning of the American revolution.

Miss Anna T. Jeanes, a Quakeress of Philadelphia, has made a gift of \$1,000,000 for the establishment of a fund for rudimentary schools for southern negroes. Booker T. Washington, head of Tuskegee institute, and Hollis Burke Frizzell, president of the Hampton Normal and Industrial institute, are named as trustees. The income of the million dollars is to be used for the sole purpose of assisting in "the southern United States, community, country and rural schools for the great class of negroes to whom the small rural and community schools are alone available." Miss Jeanes is about 80 years old and comes from an old and wealthy family.

Three thousand cars of cattle from Texas are being unloaded in the Osage reservation.

Two Million Cars to Be Kept in More Constant Use.

The number of freight cars owned and controlled by the companies in the American Railway association has now passed the 2,000,000 mark, and from July 1 the handling of these cars in interchange traffic is to be improved and simplified by the adoption of a rate of 50 cents a day for the use of each car when off from its own road, and by the adoption of the rule providing for an increased rate after a car has been away from home 30 days. Fifty cents is to be the uniform rate without regard to dates.

Railway Protests Inincere—Regulation Needed.

"I defy any person to point out a single act of any legislature this year which has done actual harm to the railroads."

So says former Governor Wm. Larabee, once Iowa's executive. He emphasizes his belief that there is no ground for the fears that some railroad officials are expressing of radical and ill-advised anti-railroad legislation at the hands of state legislatures.

Governor Larabee is the pioneer of regulation by states of the railroads in the northwest. Twenty years ago he began the movement in Iowa. His books on the question are standards. He believes that the president is on the right track, and likens the outcry now raised by the railroads to the protests which were made when first the state of Iowa tackled the problem of controlling railroad rates.

TO REGULATE CAPITALIZATION.

"There should be a law to regulate capitalization, and there should be an immediate valuation on which to base this."

"I do not see the slightest danger of any serious conflict between the federal and state governments on this subject. The people of the country, and the people of the various states desire to use the railroads, and they wish them managed and operated to the best possible way."

"They have spent millions of dollars in improving the roads and highways of this country, and they are open on equal terms for the use of all the people. It should be the same with the railroads. They should be subject to the same scrutiny, inspection, examination and regulation as national banks. Their capital should be controlled in the same way, and they should be sharply reprimanded by the government whenever they get lax in their methods."

"Abraham Lincoln trusted the people of this country and the railroads need not be afraid to do the same. They will not suffer. The trouble is that these railroad buccaneers—I will not call them magistrates—are trying to raise scarecrows before the people every time any legislation is attempted in the public interest. They have one set of rules for corporations and one for men, and when they talk for corporations we must take their statements with a grain of salt."

"There is always a conspiracy on the part of these great railroad and financial interests against anything which they believe is against their interest. I have no doubt that there now exists a conspiracy on their part against President Roosevelt. Nevertheless, his popularity with the country is greater than ever, and if he would accept a third term he would be elected almost unanimously."

Fatal Measles.

J. W. Schillings of Bell county has lost five grown children from measles in the past three weeks, two having died in one day, and the last of the five Tuesday of this week. Only the parents survive.

LEGISLATIVE.

Tuesday the senate passed finally Senator Branchfield's bill forcing the telephone and telegraph companies to transmit each other's messages and make connections at common points. This is one of the governor's recommendations. It also passed finally Senator Looney's bill to simplify trials of contentions in the local option elections and of criminal trials, which arise from violation of local option laws.

The senate killed the Glasscock-Harper lesser degree bill, which bill, if passed, would permit a person convicted of a lesser crime to be tried again on a greater degree of a crime, the same as in the indictment.

There is a report that Gov. Campbell is considering the advisability of asking the legislature to pass a bill which will declare it a felony to sell liquor in communities where the sale of it is prohibited. A bill of this kind was introduced during the regular session.

The success of the anti-gambling law is said to have prompted the notion that local option laws can be made effective in like degree by prescribing a heavy penalty for violation.

The governor has signed the bill which provides among other things that the statute of limitation shall not run against the prosecution under this act until the product sold shall have developed and disclosed the fraud, and after that the person defrauded shall have two years in which to sue for damages. Anyone selling nursery stock who shall make a false representation is made subject to a fine of from \$100 to \$500 and imprisonment in the county jail for not less than 30 days nor more than six months.

The text-book bill passed at the regular session of the legislature has been vetoed by the governor and the special session was then advised by him to pass another.

The governor's objection to the other bill was that it limited him in the appointment of a board of 20 teachers, who would be suggested by the president of the University of Texas and the state superintendent of education.

He believes the governor should have a free hand and all the state to select from. Another objection was that the bill provided that no books should be purchased from companies in a trust if books as good and as cheap could be had from other firms.

The governor states in his message that the laws of Texas prohibit the trust doing business in Texas, and that no reason exists for patronizing a trust at all.

Several new text-book bills have been introduced, and one was reported favorably, which gives the governor a free hand in the appointment and the board is to include four teachers and one citizen. The board is not to meet until January, 1908. Just which one of the several bills that have been introduced, will be passed is not known.

The governor has signed the bill prescribing a fine of not less than \$25 nor more than \$200 for any officer who willfully makes out his account for fees in excess of those allowed by law.

The special session cannot last longer than May 13, and it has work enough to keep it busy until then.

If the Standard Oil company is convicted all around, the fines will aggregate \$29,000,000; but what is \$29,000,000 to a concern that boasts one stockholder who hands out to higher education \$32,000,000 in one stack of bills, and that can raise the price on oil 1 cent per gallon and get even in 24 hours?—Dallas News.

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We don't see why the legislature has failed to tax the smell raised in Fort Worth and Dallas over the prohibition question.

According to the highest court in the state railroads must provide freight cars when they are asked for by shippers from one point to another in Texas.

An urgent subscription list is being circulated in Zion City to procure \$500 to pay for Alexander Dowie's funeral. He died penniless and although his widow is reported to have property, she shows no disposition to pay the large expense.

The race horse gamblers already claim that they have found a loophole in the anti-gambling law that will permit them to gamble on horse races and that there is an old law permitting pools at the track, which has not been repealed by the new, as it was a separate and distinct measure from the old laws referring to gambling and therefore it is permissible to have pool selling on the actual grounds of a race meet during the race meet. Any way, they as good as say they will defy the law until clearly shown that they can be prohibited.

To Show Texas by Stereopticon.

S. A. Hughes, general immigration agent of the Rock Island and Frisco systems, who attended the meeting of the Texas Real Estate and Industrial association at Fort Worth, left Tuesday night for St. Louis, where he will be for a few days before going to Kentucky for a series of lectures, illustrated by the stereopticon, on Texas.

Mr. Hughes has 150 slides, illustrating the change of conditions in west Texas, and he has been engaged lately in delivering lectures on this subject with the views east of the Mississippi river.

We can not help envying the Panhandle. West of Chillicothe there are no green bugs and everything looks fresh and fine. The country that heretofore has had the reputation of being exceedingly dry, seems now to be the garden spot of the state.—Wichita Herald.

Reports about Panhandle droughts used to be greatly exaggerated in the east, at a time when farming was in its infancy here, being mainly followed by men who were more cowboys than farmers. Of late years the country has passed into the hands of men who make farming their chief vocation, and the upshot is they are raising better crops here than anywhere else in the state. Also it has been demonstrated that a drought in this country does not hurt crops half as much as they suffer from too much rain in east Texas. There are possibilities and openings here to make money that no old country can offer.—Quannah Tribune.

STATE NEWS.

At Big Springs Wednesday night while assisting the city marshal to raid a joint of negroes, James Burk was shot through the heart, dying instantly. Three negroes are in jail and a meeting is called to expel the negroes from the country.

Mrs. F. R. Lubbock, widow of the late Governor Lubbock, died Wednesday morning at her residence in Austin. Mrs. Lubbock had been ill for some time. The remains were shipped to Abilene, her former home, accompanied by several members of the legislature.

At Amarillo W. C. or "Pat" Murphy was bound over Tuesday on a \$1,000 bond to await the action of the grand jury, charged with stabbing "Doc" Berkey in a difficulty over unionism Monday evening. Berkey is the secretary of the Carpenters' union and Murphy had recently withdrawn. Berkey is a married man.

Sheriff Patman took Mrs. Anderson to the state asylum this week. Her mind has been affected for some time.

LEGISLATIVE.

An amendment to the gross receipts tax bill has been proposed to tax all newspapers in Texas having a circulation of 10,000 or over 3 1/2 per cent. of their gross receipts.

The Robertson bill, which provides that insurance companies must deposit 75 per cent. of their earnings in this state in Texas securities, has been signed by the governor.

In the house a resolution criticizing in a facetious manner members of the house for breaking a quorum by attending ball games each afternoon was read and referred.

Relative to the statement credited to the governor that he had told an insurance man that if the insurance companies could not obey the laws of Texas they could move out, Governor Campbell said that he had talked with Hamilton Cooke, representative of the New York Life, and had put the question to Cooke as to whether the Robertson bill was just, and if that proposed act was just and the insurance companies failed to comply with it they had better move out of the state.

A Word to Our Friends.

We take this method of speaking to you all. We wish to say that since we came here two years ago we have made such a multitude of friends and have received so many kind words of love, encouragement and sympathy, and almost the universal friendship of the public at large, and the confidence of business men in general, that we feel like we owe you all a debt we can never repay. You have found a place in our heart and we shall keep you there.

Many have asked us if we were going away. For the summer our headquarters will be in Clarendon, and possibly, we will establish ourselves among you for a home. We cannot tell. God alone has the destiny of every human being in His own hands, therefore, we must abide His way, and not ours. If anyone has sought to do us injury, they have our pity. We seek vengeance upon no man.

May the blessings of God rest upon the good people of Clarendon.
WILSON C. ROGERS.

At a public meeting this week it was decided to have a rousing July Fourth celebration, beginning the day before; the Woodmen and Confederate Veterans to play leading role. Prominent speakers and other attractions will be provided. We will give the committee next week.

Review of Anti-Bucket Shop Fight

To me, life seems too short to justify the devotion of any considerable time merely to amusing others. I am not writing to amuse. The conviction that the average American citizen knows a little of public affairs and the inside workings of his government machinery, that this lack of knowledge is the cause of his lack of interest, and that his lack of interest is directly responsible for the condition of graft, corruption and lesser evils so prevalent, is my excuse for giving the people upon every opportunity, just as much of the inside facts as possible.

If a review of this anti-bucket shop fight does nothing more than awaken a listless, impersonal interest, it will, in so far as any purpose is concerned, not be in vain. If only one man is made stronger for other conflicts for the right, if he draws therefrom ways and means for better and more intelligent service in the future, who will say that there has been too small a reward?

I feel when I have an audience of farmers that I am in touch with the great motive power of the world. No great reform ever originated far from the soil. They have borne the brunt of every military and civic battle ever fought in the history of this country. In this anti-bucket shop fight, when bankers influenced by the deposits which the bucket shop people kept in their banks, deserted us, and when business men, largely from indifference, signed petitions against our bill, the great honest yeomanry of Texas stood like a stone wall in defense of that which was right. The passage of this Jenkins-Mayfield bill is the

strongest evidence of a great awakening in this country. Two years ago this bill could not have been passed. Two years from now, if we press resolutely to the front, greater things can be done. Greater things must be done. We are not ready to do much yet. Abuses have become so deeply rooted in our governmental system that nothing short of practically universal information, intelligent interest and patriotic concern can eradicate them. These things will be done in time just as you did this thing. True, we led the fight, but I speak the absolute truth when I say that the passage of this Jenkins-Mayfield bill is a direct compliment to the political power of the farmers of Texas, and a tribute to their patriotism.

When I got down to Austin, I found that the bucket-shop people had already gotten in their work. I felt certain that the senate was against us. Farm and Ranch had spent many hundreds of dollars giving publicity to the provisions of our bill. Many people throughout the state thought there would be no serious fight against the bill.

Others despairing of the passage were inactive. We were afraid of a test in the senate committee before which it became evident it would first come. It was at this stage that you came into the fight. Your letters and petitions by the hundreds began to pour in. The bucket-shop lobby redoubled their efforts; senators were listening with one ear to the voice of the farmers at home, and with the other to the voice of the lobbyist. Some heeded one voice, some the other. They began to line up. A few were non-committal. Upon their final decision rested not only the action of the senate committee, but as if then seemed apparent, and afterward developed, the fate of the bill.

The hearing before the senate committee, the first preliminary contest occupied two or three days. Ex-Lieutenant Governor Pendleton, Ex-Congressmen Hutchison and Antony and Mr. Thomas were among those who spoke in opposition to the bill. These gentlemen based their arguments solely upon the injury which such a law would be the farmers—the dear farmers; meanwhile the farmers by the thousands were saying, "give us the law," and the bucket-shop interests with great unselfish zeal, and disinterested concern, were answering back, "don't give it to them, it will hurt them." I dare say that in this committee room where many measures affecting great interests have been considered, where powerful lobbies have gathered, no lobby ever congregated there stronger, more resourceful or more determined than that which practically filled this committee room during this discussion.

Hon. Tom Davenport, president of the District and County Attorneys' association, opened for the bill. At the request of Senator Mayfield, author of the bill, I closed the argument for it. In so far as I know, we were the only friends of the bill who appeared at this hearing. My argument was never concluded. When about half through with what I had intended to say, Mr. Davenport gave my coat a rather vigorous pull, and whispered to me to sit down, that we had a majority of one. That's all we had hoped for. I quit unceremoniously. The vote was taken and the bill reported favorably.

[The above is by H. W. Summers, a special writer for Farm and Ranch.]

Market Report.

The following is the Fort Worth stock market report for Monday:
Steers \$4.15 to \$5.50.
Cows \$2.75 to \$4.15.
Calves \$4.00 to \$5.00.
Hogs \$6.37 to \$6.47.

Our manager is a practical carpenter and house builder, and will take pleasure in making your bills and figuring them for you whether you build or not. Kimberlin Lumber Co. 4-20

Hereford Bulls for Sale.

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M. T. HOWARD.

Sheriff's Sale.

The State of Texas, }
County of Donley. }
By virtue of an order of sale for delinquent taxes, issued out of the honorable district court of Donley county, on 18th day of January, 1907, by C. A. Burton, clerk thereof, in the case of the State of Texas vs. Terre Haute C. and B. Co., and unknown owner, No. 382, and to me as sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for sheriff's sales, on the first Tuesday in May, A. D., 1907, it being the 7th day of said month, before the court house door of said Donley county, in the town of Clarendon, the following described land, situated in Donley county, Texas, to-wit: All of block No. seventeen (17), in Tuft's sub-division in Grant's addition to town of Clarendon, according to the recorded map or plat of said addition, as appears of record in the deed records of said Donley county, Texas, levied on as the property of Terre Haute C. and B. Co., and unknown owner, to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$10.37, in favor of the State of Texas, with interest and costs of suit.

Given under my hand, this 10th day of April, 1907.
J. T. PATMAN, Sheriff,
Donley County, Texas.

Sheriff's Sale.

The State of Texas, }
County of Donley. }
By virtue of an order of sale for delinquent taxes, issued out of the honorable district court of Donley county, on 18th day of January, 1907, by C. A. Burton, clerk thereof, in the case of the State of Texas vs. Unknown Owner, No. 383, and to me as sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for sheriff's sales, on the first Tuesday in May, A. D., 1907, it being the 7th day of said month, before the court house door of said Donley county, in the town of Clarendon, the following described land, situated in Donley county, Texas, to-wit: All of Block No. ten (10), in Tuft's sub-division in Grant's addition to the town of Clarendon, Donley county, Texas, as recorded in plat of said addition, which is of record in the deed records of said Donley county, Texas, levied on as the property of Unknown Owner, to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$9.08, in favor of the State of Texas, with interest and costs of suit.

Given under my hand, this 10th day of April, 1907.
J. T. PATMAN, Sheriff,
Donley County, Texas.

Sheriff's Sale.

The State of Texas, }
County of Donley. }
By virtue of an order of sale for delinquent taxes, issued out of the honorable district court of Donley county, on 18th day of January, 1907, by C. A. Burton, clerk thereof, in the case of the State of Texas vs. Unknown Owner, No. 385, and to me as sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for sheriff's sales, on the first Tuesday in May, A. D., 1907, it being the 7th day of said month, before the court house door of said Donley county, in the town of Clarendon, the following described land, situated in Donley county, Texas, to-wit: All of Block No. nineteen (19), in Tuft's sub-division in Grant's addition to the town of Clarendon, Donley county, Texas, according to the recorded map of said addition, which is of record in the deed records of Donley county, Texas, levied on as the property of Unknown Owner, to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$10.49, in favor of the State of Texas, with interest and costs of suit.

Given under my hand, this 10th day of April, 1907.
J. T. PATMAN, Sheriff,
Donley County, Texas.

Sheriff's Sale.

The State of Texas, }
County of Donley. }
By virtue of an order of sale for delinquent taxes, issued out of the honorable district court of Donley county, on 18th day of January, 1907, by C. A. Burton, clerk thereof, in the case of the State of Texas vs. Unknown Owner, No. 384, and to me as sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for sheriff's sales, on the first Tuesday in May, A. D., 1907, it being the 7th day of said month, before the court house door of said Donley county, in the town of Clarendon, the following described land, situated in Donley county, Texas, to-wit: All of the south one-half of Block No. eleven (11), in Tuft's sub-division in Grant's addition to the town of Clarendon, Donley county, Texas, according to said map of said sub-division, which is of record in the records of the county clerk's office in said county and state, levied on as the property of Unknown Owner, to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$1.93, in favor of the State of Texas, with interest and costs of suit.

Given under my hand, this 10th day of April, 1907.
J. T. PATMAN, Sheriff,
Donley County, Texas.

Sheriff's Sale.

The State of Texas, }
County of Donley. }
By virtue of an order of sale for delinquent taxes, issued out of the honorable district court of Donley county, on 18th day of January, 1907, by C. A. Burton, clerk thereof, in the case of the State of Texas vs. Unknown Owner, No. 381, and to me as sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for sheriff's sales, on the first Tuesday in May, A. D., 1907, it being the 7th day of said month, before the court house door of said Donley county, in the town of Clarendon, the following described land, situated in Donley county, Texas, to-wit: All of lots Nos. three (3) to eighteen (18), inclusive, in Block No. three (3), in Tuft's sub-division in Grant's addition to the town of Clarendon, according to the recorded map or plat of said addition, as the same appears of record in the deed records of Donley county, Texas, levied on as the property of Unknown Owner, to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$6.00, in favor of the State of Texas, with interest and costs of suit.

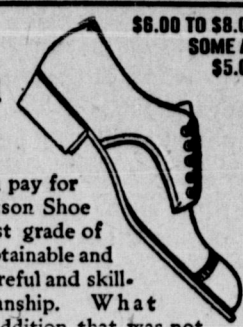
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 No. 1, Mail and Express.....9:46 p. m.
 No. 7, Passenger and Express.....10:19 a. m.
SOUTH BOUND.
 No. 2, Mail and Express.....7:27 a. m.
 No. 8, Passenger and Express.....6:55 p. m.

Business Locals.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

J. H. Myers was in from Rowe yesterday on business.
 Jim McMurtry was at Southard on business yesterday.
 The editor has been nearly disabled, physically, this week.
 Engineer Ewing from Childress spent a day here this week.
 H. Tyree has bought lots in the south part of town and will build a residence.
 Ernest Hott has gone to Panhandle, where he is at work with an uncle.
 Shirley Boydston was in town Wednesday marketing a load of chickens.
 Miss Madora Chandler, the Good-night college music teacher, visited Miss Dodson here this week.
 A. H. Cowsar's brother, who visited here several weeks, left for his home in Tarrant county a few days ago.
 T. Green, one of the Letts ranch hands who has been visiting relatives in Jack county, returned Wednesday night.
 John Caldwell, one of the college students who has slow fever, is improving. His father came from Lubbock yesterday to visit him.
 The weather has been cool and rather raw, threatening snow from Friday to Monday night, ending in a frost and clearing up yesterday.
 R. E. Williams sold 73 hogs on the Fort Worth market Wednesday that averaged 187 pounds at \$6.40. Prices run that day from \$6.15 to \$6.55.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Monroe, of Olmstead, Ky., arrived here Thursday on a visit to their daughter, Mrs. Joe Hardy. They will likely stay a month.
 F. H. Besaw, of Loveland, Col., spent several days here this week. He has bought some town property and may make further investments. He thinks this country has a bright future.
 Albert Gault, a business man of Hedley, spent yesterday in town on business. He says Hedley is making strides towards a good town and business growing.
 A letter from Miss Corda Pemberton at Kerville states that her brother, Bert, stood the trip to that place very well, but they had not been there sufficient time to know whether her brother would be benefited. She says the weather is very warm there.
College Notes.
 Reported for THE CHRONICLE
 Geo. Palmer went home Thursday in response to a telegram that his sister, Leona, was very sick.
 Some time next week the Clarendon College Athletic association will give a play, "Silas, the Chore-boy."
 Friday night Miss Mary Burkhead will give a cantata.
 Mrs. W. E. Betts and her sister, Mrs. Lou Jones, left Friday morning for Eldorado, Ok., where they will visit Mrs. Betts' daughter, Mrs. Daily.
 The Golden Links will give an ice cream supper at A. W. McLean's tonight.

Stocking always has wall paper.

The best variety of optical goods ever brought to Clarendon on sale at Clower's.

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John Woodward has bought the Ewing lots and dwellings at \$1500.

Sol Owens and B. S. Turbeffill Shot to Death.

A shooting affray took place six miles west of Alanreed Thursday just inside the north line of this county about 10 o'clock, in which Sol Owens and B. S. Turbeffill met death, each being pierced by two bullets.

It is said that Turbeffill claimed to have sold some land for Owens in New Mexico on which the latter refused to pay commission, and that Turbeffill had entered suit against Owens and went to Alanreed Wednesday to get up evidence. The next morning he was driving along the highway and was hailed by Owens, who said he wanted to talk to him, but Turbeffill and Mr. Fleming, who was also in the buggy, drove on without stopping, headed towards Clarendon. They saw Owens and his son coming on behind them, and as they passed through a gate, which Fleming was in the act of closing, the Owens drove up, and with very few words, the shooting began. There is a question as to who shot first, but both had their pistols ready when they came in shooting distance. It seems that Owens was shot first, his arm being broken and his pistol dropped after he had shot twice at Turbeffill. The boy then picked up the pistol and shot twice at Turbeffill, who in turn was shooting at him. Young Owens dropped the pistol and picked up a Winchester and Turbeffill attempted to get away, turning and snapping his pistol as he ran, but he fell about 100 yards from where the shooting began, shot through the thigh and through the body. The elder Owens was also shot through the body and was dead when the boy got back to him. A work train ran up about this time, the engine was cut loose, and ran to Alanreed for an officer and doctor, and was back within a half hour. Turbeffill lived about three hours and made a dying statement.

He formerly lived here, but left nearly two years ago and returned Sunday. His family live in Utah, a wife and five children. He was about 40 years old.

Mr. Owens was about 55, leaves a large family, some of his children being married. He lived a number of years just over in Gray county, but moved to New Mexico last year, but returned to Alanreed to live recently. He was buried there today.

Turbeffill's corpse was brought here for burial late yesterday. Sheriff Patman went over and brought young Owens to Clarendon yesterday. The latter and his uncle have employed Madden & Truelove of Amarillo by phone, who told him to make no statement until they arrived, which they did last night. The boy is about 16 years old.

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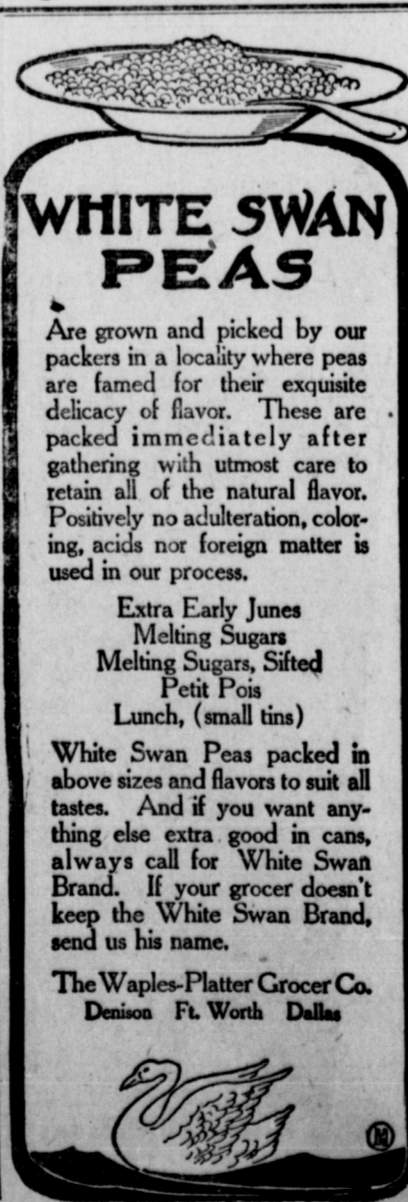
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FACTS IN FEW LINES

Spain is the greatest lead producing country and Germany second. The China Times, published in Peking, is printed in seven different languages. Every Serbian subject may claim five acres from the state, and this cannot be alienated for debt. In a six weeks' run at Drury Lane theater 250,153 men, women and children saw the pantomime "Sindbad the Sailor." Mounted on bicycles twenty Chinese bandits raided a tobacco shop near Peking recently and made off with the contents of the safe. Mrs. E. A. G. Holmes of Manchester, N. H., has an ancient map of London that was printed in 1700. The print is still plainly discernible. It is only domesticated dogs that can bark. If a tame dog runs wild, as it does sometimes in Alaska and elsewhere, it loses after a time its power of barking. The national union of Hungarian bakers is organizing a grand international exposition of bakery, to be held at Budapest from May 15 to June 30 of this year. Since the conquest England has had no fewer than twenty-four separate wars with France. These are calculated to have cost more than 20,000,000 human lives. A London tea merchant recently sold a pound of tea for \$40. It was gold tip, which is much superior to ordinary tea. On every tea bush grow four or five minute gold tips. The ink plant is a native of New Granada, in South America. Its juice is a perfect, ready made ink, and writing in this ink will remain legible after long immersion in water. Among the queer things contained in a tiny directory of Worcester published in 1848 is a statute which forbids the smoking of a cigar or pipe in any of the roads, highways or streets of the town. One of the recent candidates for position as librarian in the New York Public Library wrote on her examination paper in answer to a question regarding the novels of Lew Wallace that his principal work was "Her Ben."

The world now produces 6,800,000 tons of beet sugar yearly, and the total produce of cane sugar in the West Indies has fallen to 228,000 tons. A hundred years ago the West Indies supplied sugar to half the world. The vigilance with which the Japanese guard the approach to the emperor is shown by the fact that the director of the household department was turned away from the gate the other day because he did not have his pass. The earliest example of the use of paper in Europe extant is a letter dated 1216 now preserved in the London Record office. The writer asks for payment of about \$7 for three shiploads of salt sent from France to England. A Leeds (England) policeman, hearing suspicious noises in a dark cellar, sprinkled cayenne pepper on some cotton wool, set fire to the cotton and put it through a grating of the cellar. Two burglars speedily came out and were captured. The highest cultivated land in England is said to be that round the village of Allenheads, in Northumberland, which is 1,400 feet above the sea. Part of the prison farm on Dartmoor is at the same elevation, and excellent crops are grown. Only in America is chewing gum made. Until quite recently it was consumed principally in this country, too, but a dispatch recently stated that whereas a few years ago Scotland was free from the chewing gum habit now a large part of the population chews gum. For the year ended June 30, 1906, the exports of copra (dried coconut meat) from the Philippine Islands amounted to 145,851,913 pounds, of which France took 88,336,350 pounds, or about 61 per cent. The next most important buyers were Spain and Germany. The Peruvian government has appointed its charge d'affaires in London, R. Lembecke, and K. Rolle, honorary chancellor of the Peruvian consulate at New Orleans, to be the delegates of Peru at the conference of the Red Cross to be held during the summer in Geneva. Paper bags are absolutely necessary in certain lines of business and, considering that there is no cash return, constitute probably one of the large items of expense to stores and market stalls. The expenditure for ordinary paper bags, such as are used in grocery stores, during 1906 reached nearly \$9,200,000. Greater New York has during the last five years built 16,158 flat houses, furnishing homes for 585,021 tenants. The cost for construction has been \$390,512,505. When the cost of land is included the total investment has reached \$1,000,000,000. The investment to house each person has been \$1,710. If each tenant has paid on the average 10 per cent a year for housing accommodations the annual rent which such an investment demands from each tenant is \$171. On March 1, 1711, appeared the first number of the Spectator of Steele and Addison. The story of No. 71, which contains "The Epistle of the Enamored Footman in the Country to His Mistress" and signed "James," is interesting. This footman by mistake had given to his master the letter he had written to his sweetheart. Discovering his error, he returned for the letter. The master, who had read it, said: "No, James; you shall be a great man. This letter shall appear in the Spectator." It was given to Sir Richard Steele and published in James' own words, "Dear Betty," etc.

NEW SHORT STORIES

The President as a Cowboy.
A New York business man who was once a ranchman in the west tells this story about President Roosevelt: "Several cowboys, of whom I was one, were camping near the trail one day in the early eighties when we saw a man coming along on horseback. We did not know him, but from his new and elaborate trappings we at once decided that he was a tenderfoot. This being the case, we felt that it would be appropriate and interesting to give him a cowboy reception. "Partly hidden among the bushes, we awaited his coming. Suddenly when he was almost among us on the trail we sprang to our feet and gave vent to wild and blood curdling yells, at the same time emptying our six



HE HELD HIS HORSE DOWN TO A WALK.

shooters. The bullets flew around the young man on the horse. Being rather careless as to where we shot in those days, it was a wonder that at least the horse was not hit. The ordinary tenderfoot would have ridden for his life out of range. But this one sat straight as an arrow and never changed his half amused expression during the fusillade of yells and bullets. More than this, he held his horse down to a walk, and when he got a few paces beyond us he turned in his saddle and made us a low, sarcastic bow. We had no idea who he was, but we at once decided that this particular tenderfoot was all right. The next day at a roundup I saw him in a corral roping calves, a dangerous pastime for any but an old hand.

"Who's that chap with the get up of a stage cowboy, but the nerve of the real rodeo?" I asked. "Why, somebody answered, 'that's young Roosevelt, a New York swell, fresh from college.' " "Well, I replied, 'even with them things against him I reckon he's about as good as anybody in the outfit.' " Success.

National Distinctions.
The late General William R. Shafter developed during his residence in California a dislike of the Chinese. Some time ago at a dinner in San Francisco General Shafter pointed to a fly in a glass and said: "Watch a man when a fly gets in his glass of beer and you can tell his nationality.

"An American will pay, laugh and order a fresh glass. "A Spaniard will pay, but quietly walk off without drinking the beer. "A Frenchman will pay and go, but make a tremendous fuss. "An Englishman will throw away the beer and demand a fresh glass for nothing. "A German will carefully remove the fly with his finger and then drink the beer. "A Russian will toss off fly, beer and all. "A Chinaman will first rescue the fly and eat it and then drink the beer to the last drop."

Senator Bailey's Generosity.
Not long ago a man appeared at the capitol and had his card taken in to Senator Bailey. The senator did not recognize the name, but, in accordance with his usual courtesy, came out to where the stranger was waiting, says the Philadelphia Record.

It took only a few minutes' conversation to develop the fact that the individual simply desired to make a "touch." It was the regulation "Been unfortunate, sah, and desire to get back to my own country, sah." "What is your business, colonel?" the senator inquired. The rusty frock coat and black hat seemed to warrant the title.

"Why, I am a gentleman, senator," the stranger replied pompously. "Oh, I see!" the senator said pleasantly. "Have you instituted bankruptcy proceedings yet?"

One on Wanamaker.
John Wanamaker superintends, as all the world knows, one of the largest Sunday schools in the world—Bethany Sunday school in Philadelphia. It is said of Mr. Wanamaker that one Sunday he delivered before the infant class of Bethany a brief but eloquent address on the lesson. At the end he said:

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A girl of eight or nine years rose. "Well, Martha, what is it?" said the superintendent, smiling on the tot in kindly fashion.

"Please, Mr. Wanamaker," said the little girl, "what is the price of those large wax dolls in your window?"

Vendetta in Algeria.

A determined Arab vendetta has just run its murderous course at Fermania, in Algeria. A man named Fared-ben-Ahmed had determined to kill a fellow resident of one of the mountain villages named Hussein-aliba-Ahmed and never went abroad without his gun. The other day the two men, both carrying loaded guns, met face to face in a quiet spot in the mountains. Instantly Fared drew his weapon to his shoulder and fired. Hussein fell, but, rising, rapidly got his own shot in, Fared in turn falling with a shattered thigh. He managed, however, to nerve himself for a second shot, and Hussein fell dead with his chest shattered. Fared will have to undergo amputation of the leg.

New Mexico Meerschmum.

Because of the discovery of vast deposits of meerschmum in the mountains of New Mexico it is likely that the monopoly of that mineral heretofore held by the Turkish government will be broken, and pipes of that material will be lessened in cost. Until recently all the meerschmum used in the commerce of the world was produced from a mine in the plains of Eskihl-sher, Anatolia, Turkey in Asia. In those mines are employed 10,000 men. The output of the mine is owned by the Turkish government, and it kept the price up. It is said that enough meerschmum has been discovered in Grant county, N. M., to supply the world's needs.—Kansas City Star.

An Inflammable Nose.

A man with an inflammable nose recently created excitement on the Boulevard St. Michel, Paris. He was lighting a cigarette when his nose became suddenly ignited, and it and his beard were soon on fire. The man jumped, about in great pain and was carried through a horrified blaze to a druggist's shop, where the blaze was extinguished. It was then found that he had a celluloid nose. The real nasal organ had gone under in a street fight, and he went to a flesh patcher for an artificial nose. He had been supplied with one of celluloid instead of horn; hence his mishap.

The Manatee is Increasing.

A few years ago the manatee was thought to be near extinction. Now it is often seen and is increasing. I am personally acquainted with about fifty specimens, a fair proportion of which are calves. Their shyness protects them from the rifle of the tourist. A heavy penalty for the wanton destruction of the manatee deters some, and just a germ of public sentiment on the coast restrains others from seeking to kill them.—A. W. Dimock in Century.

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