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Yankee Capitalist Threat.

We take the following timely article from the Bridgeport Index, written by "Uncle Zekiel."

It seems that at least one of the large eastern insurance companies announced its intention to get out of Texas as soon as Gov. Campbell put his signature to the insurance bill passed recently by our legislature, requiring them to keep a part of their surplus from Texas business in the state. Several others of these large eastern concerns have for years been robbing Texas and other southern and western states of excessive premiums, so that they could make millions of their eastern stockholders and managers, building up eastern industries with cheap capital and contributing millions of dollars to corrupt campaigns and place their tools in positions in the higher courts, in the United States senate and in some important state positions, instead of managing their affairs honestly and returning to their policy holders the surplus after paying all legitimate losses and expenses and providing the necessary sinking fund, and it would be a blessing to our people to have them scot out also.

The truth is that mutual or stock insurance can be operated as well in our own and other southern states as in New York, New Jersey, Connecticut or any other state in the Union, though it is very hard for people to see that this is true, they have been so long accustomed to think of the cute Yankee financier as the only kind of an animal on earth with brains enough to manage a business enterprise, and especially insurance or banking, when in truth both of these have been reduced to almost such a perfect system for many years that either can be run successfully with a minimum of brain, but require plenty of push and gall.

It is very fashionable to talk about the "eastern capitalists and money centers," when in fact without the money made and transferred from the south and west to these "financial centers," they would be bankrupt in 12 months, for it is the south and west and middle states that produce the things that are converted into money, and if the raw material thus produced were manufactured into finished product at home as it should be, it would be but a short time until the centers of material production would be also the "money centers."

Another truth not generally known is that in these eastern "money centers" of which we speak so often and glibly when discussing business affairs, and where even a greenback dollar for which every resource of the whole United States is responsible, is denounced for political and selfish purposes as "worthless rag money," the principal capital upon which their immense business affairs are based, is nothing but cheek.

The immense sums of gold popularly supposed in the west and south to be resting quietly in the vaults of these "great financial institutions of New York" and other eastern cities, is but a figment of the imagination, while in truth a sight draft draft legally drawn and pursued to immediate collection for an amount equal to 25 per cent. of the money supposed to be on hand by the clearing house reports published daily, would bankrupt every bank in New York City any day in the year, for these immense amounts represented as capital are simply made up of a small amount actual money, the balance, which is the great bulk, being only so many figures made on paper to fool the general public and hide the fact that the business of our country, instead of being done on a moneyed basis, is really being done principally on

the leading asset of the so called "moneyed institutions of the country," which is nothing more or less than confidence.

Your "Uncle" is decidedly in favor of treating every business man of a legitimate character that may originate in or come from any other source to Texas, in a spirit of perfect fairness, giving all honest enterprises an equal showing and protection before our laws, whether domestic or foreign, but he thinks it time for our people to be learning that they are not in slightest degree dependent on eastern or any foreign capital to run any legitimate business enterprise that is good for our people, and that it is altogether unnecessary to toady to any capitalistic concern in the east or any other geographic section of our country, in order for our Texas people to be independent, prosperous, happy and free.

Let every eastern, or any other kind of capitalists or corporations who want special privileges or favors as an inducement to take "pot luck" with our people in Texas as an inducement to stay with us, just pick up their traps and skite out as quick as they please, when it is likely our self-respecting and intelligent people will set about managing their own business affairs and dividing the dividends of their business among themselves.

Killed and Injured for Three Months Aggregate 20,914.

Like a battle report reads the Interstate Commerce Commission accident bulletin for October, November and December, 1906, so great is the list of killed and injured in railroad wrecks.

The total number of collisions and derailments in the three months was 3,865, of which 501 affected passenger trains. The number of passengers and employes killed was 474, an increase of 207 over the number reported for the quarter immediately preceding. Of these 180 were passengers, the largest on record for any quarter except that ending with September, 1904.

Because the statute under which accident statistics are gathered specifies that neither in whole nor in part shall they be used as evidence in suits for damages, the commission usually omits the names of railroads on which accidents occur, but accidents on the Baltimore and Ohio and the Southern Railroad were publicly investigated, the roads are mentioned in these two cases.

The total number of casualties to passengers and employes on duty in the quarter was 20,914 an increase of 1,904 over the preceding quarter.

There is a startling significance in the compilation of causes of 40 noteworthy train accidents. In 21 the cause was traced directly to carelessness, error of judgment or negligence by railroad employes. In a surprisingly large number of cases the men responsible for these lapses were either new to their duties or had been worked for a continued period until they were presumably too exhausted to efficiently perform their work.

Contractor Shortall arrived here Thursday with a big force of men, a steam shovel, two big engines and 25 dump cars and went east of town to the twin lakes where he has the contract to raise the grades, deepen the cuts and put in a spur. From there he will bring his outfit one mile west of town and commence active work on the Amarillo cut-off. Work on the new road house will not commence until the cut-off is completed.—Panhandle Herald.

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Three-fourths of Graduates Incompetent.

"There are on an average 4,000 doctors graduated every year by the medical colleges of the country and about three-fourths of these are utterly incompetent and should never be permitted to practice medicine. Certain medical colleges are lacking in proper equipment, the instructors are wanting in the necessary ability for their task and their examination methods are useless."

These startling statements were made in Chicago at a meeting of the medical association last week. State ownership of medical institutions was the only remedy which was suggested for an evil which, it was asserted, had reached the great proportions and struck at the health and lives of millions. The consensus of opinion, however, was that this remedy was not feasible.

Money on Small Farm.

Some one has said that the man who has one cow, two dozen chickens and enough land to support them, is not a poor man. It is surprising the returns which can be received from a farm large enough to support one cow and a few dozen chickens. The writer was talking with a small farmer not long ago who had sold over \$600 worth of products from one cow and four dozen chickens in a year. This man owns four acres of land near St. Louis. Milk sells for 10 cents per quart in the section of the city near which he resides and from the one cow he sold in a year \$210 worth of milk; for a fat calf he received \$11; eggs, \$185; broilers, \$110; fruit \$91. Total \$607. He figures that \$100 will cover the cost of all the feed given the cow and chickens during the year.

Four or five acres of ground near a good market, two or three good cows and several dozen of chickens will yield as large an income as some farms of 80 to 120 acres.—Ex.

Another Law Badly Needed.

Texas has banished the card sharps and the cotton gamblers, and that of itself is glory enough for a while, but we must keep the rascals out.—Belleville Times.

The legislature showed that it knew how to banish the men complained of. The results demonstrated the effectiveness of the labors expended in trying to cure the evil. Yet the crime which brings more tears and heart-breakings to the people of the state, the pistol-carrying crime, is hardly interfered with by the law. If gambling can be stopped by making it a felony, why can not the criminal with a pistol be forced to cease his crime? Why does the legislature correct one thing and refuse to correct another? Why does the legislature prevent the small crime of gambling and permit the awful crime of pistol-carrying, which brings death to a man every day in Texas, taking the year in and out.—Dallas News.

H. E. Crowley, secretary of the Texas Cattle Raisers' association, is preparing to recover for the members of his association \$600,000 overcharges on freight under the recent decision of the interstate commerce commission. Members of the association have been asked to turn their claims over to him.

Neither Mr. Rockefeller nor Mr. Carnegie is college-bred; and they are determined that no other unfortunates shall ever fail for want of college training as they have failed.—Dallas News.

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Grinding Out Doctors.

The state board of medical examiners completed their three days' examination at Austin Thursday when they had 116 applicants who took the examination to obtain license to practice medicine and surgery in the state of Texas. Of this number there were four lady physicians. There were also five negro applicants. One applicant took the examination to obtain license to practice mid-wifery in Texas. It will be some days before the members of the board have completed their grades, when they will be tabulated and the results announced. The board transacted much business during this session.

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About the only time some people have something nice said of them is when they die.

The cases against the Waters-Pierce Oil Company will be called in the district court in Austin May 12. Now we shall see again how much the Texas antitrust laws are worth and how faithfully Texas officials and courts will carry them out. The people are wanting a little evidence of good faith.

On the first day of May, ten trans-Atlantic liners brought more than 15,000 aliens to New York. This is the highest number to ever arrive in any one day. The story of American prosperity is being noised around the world and as a consequence foreigners by the thousand are pouring in from every direction. Sunday morning the North German Lloyd steamer Cassoek, landed at Galveston from Bremen with 1,425 passengers, the largest list ever crossing the Atlantic to Galveston on a single vessel.

Clarksville is spending \$100.00 per month in her leading newspaper advertising the town and surrounding country. This plan can be taken up by other towns with profit. Another town in eastern Texas made up a purse of \$500 and furnished the editor in their town with a list of 500 names of persons in the trade reach of the town who were not taking the paper with their order to send it to them a year. Now they can reach them for a whole year with their ads cheaper than postage on circulars and letters will amount to. They are live merchants who fully appreciate the worth of advertising.

The Fort Worth University turned out 21 M. Ds. at their graduating exercises Monday.

June 1 This is to vote on an issue of \$15,000 in bonds to erect a school building.

LEGISLATIVE.

At noon Thursday, the time in which the governor had to act on measures passed by the regular session of the Thirtieth legislature, ended. Of the seventy-five or eighty left with him April 2 only six were disposed of.

The discovery has been made that the mining inspection bill and the bill providing for a codification of the laws carries no appropriation and are therefore probably inoperative.

Monday, the house refused to concur in the senate amendments to the franchise tax bill and asked for a conference committee, which was appointed.

On same day the house passed finally the bill providing for the emasculation penalty for criminal assault.

STATE NEWS.

Twenty-five per cent of cotton acreage in Grayson county will have to be replanted.

Five stone buildings are under contract at Snyder, the value of which aggregates \$20,000.

The grand jury has been convened at Waco to investigate fraudulent voting during the prohibition election. One man, Frank Solon, has a complaint filed against him.

In the preliminary trial at Portales, N. M., of Byron B. Parish on the charge of killing Deputy Sheriff William Tipton, at Texico. He was bound over to the action of the Grand Jury in the sum of \$10,000. The bond was made promptly.

Tuesday of last week E. J. Terry of Plainview was killed while oiling a traction engine attached to a gang plow. The scene of the accident was in the Callahan pasture, the engine by some means starting up while Terry was underneath.

Mrs. Clara Thomason, widow of Bill Thomason, who shot and killed Jeff McLean at Fort Worth six weeks ago, died in Ballinger Friday night. She was operated on for appendicitis, and the shock seemed to have been too great for her. Her remains were taken to Fort Worth for burial.

Charley Seaman, foreman of the Faisco yards, at Lawton, is at the point of death from injuries received by being caught between two freight cars.

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TIME TABLE.

Fort Worth & Denver City Railway.
NORTH BOUND.
 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. 3, Passenger and Express.....6:55 p. m.

Business Locals.

New goods at Dubbs'.
 Garden seed at Stocking's store.
 Stocking has sold Hammar paint for ten years. None better sold.
 Get your plow harness from Rutherford & Davis.
 A full line of optical goods at Stocking's store.
 Rathjen has just received a new line of seasonal shoes. Be sure and see them.
 E. Dubbs & Sons have discontinued the profit sharing plan. All who have tickets can cash them in at their pleasure.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Otus Reeves is spending a few days in Plainview, this week.
 Mrs. Chas. Eyley, of Amarillo, spent Friday and Saturday here.
 Dr. Carroll is attending a meeting of M. Ds. at mineral Wells this week.
 Up to yesterday there had been, all told, 35 cases of smallpox in Amarillo.
 Dr. Stocking went to Giles Monday, to see a new smallpox patient, at the section house.
 Mrs. Dr. Anderson, of Brady, Tex., arrived Tuesday on a visit to her brother, Dr. P. F. Gould.
 R. M. Stephens, one of the J. A. boys, has decided to quit ranch work and return to his home in Kansas.
 The Pythian Sisters installed a lot of new members Monday night, and had a most interesting meeting.
 We note in the Texico Democrat that John Shahan, formerly of Clarendon, has been appointed deputy sheriff at that place.
 Mrs. Jno. McDonald, the daughter of J. F. Porter, who formerly lived south of Clarendon, died in Fort Worth Sunday night. The remains were buried at Amarillo.
 About seventeen Colorado people came in this morning at the instance of the Western Realty Co. Some of these have already bought and the others are prospecting.
 Rev. C. C. Bearden preached at the Christin church Sunday at 11 and at night. The sermons were on missions and a liberal contribution was made for that purpose.
 The school trustee election Saturday was about the tamest affair in the way of an election ever held in Clarendon. Thos. Bugbee, J. H. Rutherford and W. P. Powell were re-elected and Ed Bromley was elected as a new member.
 Mrs. P. J. Leithauser and family arrived here Saturday from Ohio, where they have been some time and will again make this their home. Ed Leithauser says his father, who is still in British Columbia, will return in a month or two.
 The coal shortage that prevailed last year will be partly obviated this season by the railroads, which are now giving heavy orders to store thousands of tons for use next winter. The Colorado Southern alone is preparing to store 75,000 tons. Other western roads are taking similar action. It is said the roads will make no reduction in freight on coal this summer.

Stormed By Jolly Girls.

Our office was visited Tuesday by Pres. J. P. Reynolds, of Goodnight college and over twenty fine looking, nicely behaved girls, chaperoned by Miss Madoro Chandler, music teacher at the college. They were all down for the purpose of having Homer Mulkey make photographs from which cuts will be made to adorn the next college catalogue. Those who called at our office and saw us grinding out Chronicles were:

Prof. J. P. Reynolds, Miss Madora Chandler and Misses Edwards, Reid, Godfrey, Harrington, Beard, Dye, Finley, Storm, Johnson, Foster, Williams, Hoffman, Harris, Cofer, Dees, Roberts, Reynolds, Louis and Monta Marshall, Ethel and Maude Chalk.

Miss Marion Barnett visited in Memphis this week.

Mrs. J. M. Donaldson, sister of Hon. Jno. H. Stephens, congressman from this district, died at Amarillo Saturday.

J. J. Greenwade has bought the three lots from Rogt. Sawyer just across the bridge and to the right at \$850.

E. B. Watson, of the Cicero Smith lumber Co., at Alanreed, and Miss May Cooke of McLean, were married Sunday.

Rev. J. C. Mason, of Dallas, will preach Sunday and Sunday night at Christian church at the usual hours. He is a good preacher and you are invited out to hear him.

Mules and Bull For Sale.
 Team of mules and a yearling bull. For particulars see J. D. Jefferies.

Tax Sale.
 Sheriff Patman, tax collector, sold three blocks and two half blocks in Tufts addition yesterday for taxes. Blocks 10 and 19 and south half of 11 were sold to C. A. Burton at \$42, \$25, and \$33 respectively. South half of 3 was sold to W. M. Montgomery at \$40 and block 17 to C. Risley at \$45.

College Notes.

The play at the opera house Friday night was said to be very excellent. There was some talk of taking it to Claude, but we believe it is about given out.

Friday afternoon Mrs. Gabie Betts Burton and a Miss Cole visited the Sappho society. "Miss Gabie" finds it hard to stay away from her boys and girls and we are always glad to have her with us. She favored the society with a story.

Dr. Burkhead preached a sermon to the ex-confederate soldiers at the Methodist church Sunday morning.

A ball game took place yesterday afternoon between the teams of Goodnight and Clarendon colleges.

Wall street credits the report that Thomas Ryan has come to the rescue of the Jamestown exposition with a loan of \$400,000. Ryan has protected himself, according to the story, by securing mortgages on exposition grounds and buildings, which virtually makes him owner of the exposition.

Goodnight College News.

Our school closes May 28. The new \$12,000 administration building is nearing completion and will be used during commencement. We expect a great many visitors to be present. Following the close of the regular session there will be held a summer normal of eight weeks. All the academic courses will be offered, as well as German and music, by a strong faculty. Dr. Frederic Ely of Baylor University will be dean of the summer session. A teachers' normal will be held in connection with the school with Prof. Otis, of Dalhart, as director. We hope for a large and enthusiastic attendance of teachers as well as all others who are striving for a better education. W. T. H.

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Pythian Sisters—Panhandle Temple, No. 58. Meets each 1st Monday night and 2d Friday afternoon. Mrs. H. C. BRUSLEY, M. E. C. Mrs. JOHN M. CLOVER, M. of R. & C.

Market Report.

The following is the Fort Worth stock market report for Monday:
 Steers \$3.80 to \$4.40.
 Cows \$2.65 to \$4.00.
 Calves \$3.50 to \$4.25.
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Circulation Statement Shows \$509,913,840 Increase.

The monthly circulation statement issued by the Controller of the Currency shows that at the close of business April 30 the amount of National bank notes outstanding was \$599,913,840, an increase for the year of \$43,267,550 and for the month of \$2,701,777. The amount of circulation based on bonds was \$550,204,771, which is an increase for the year of \$45,781,272 and for the month of \$2,571,708.

The amount of circulation secured by lawful money was \$49,709,069, an increase for the year of \$7,486,306 and for the month of \$1,300,069.

The amount of bonds on deposit to secure circulating notes was \$553,199,050 and to secure public deposits \$192,682,425.

The monthly comparative statement of the government receipts and expenditures shows that for the month of April the total receipts were \$23,260,591 and the expenditures \$48,071,134, leaving a surplus for the month of \$5,189,457 and for the ten months of the present fiscal year a surplus of \$56,475,751.

The monthly statement of the public debt shows that at the close of business April 30, 1907, the debt, less cash in the treasury, amounted to \$903,337,617, which is a decrease for the month of \$5,768,949. This decrease is accounted for by the redemption of 4 per cent. bonds of 1907 which aggregate practically the amount of the decrease.

Several Lamar county farmers will plant peanuts on a large scale.

Physicians report quite a number of serious cases of measles of a dangerous type existing in Taylor and vicinity.

Contract has been signed for the Henrietta and Southwestern railroad, from Henrietta to Archer City, thence south to a point not yet agreed upon.

At Dallas Saturday night Marion Wilson, a blind man, was stabbed nearly to death by an assailant who has not been captured or identified. Eight wounds were inflicted.

Jesse P. Luton, of Bonham, won the intercollegiate oratorical medal at Columbia, S. C. He is a Vanderbilt university student, and his fellow-students and faculty celebrated his victory.

While playing "Wild West" at Comanche Saturday with what he thought was an unloaded pistol, the 12-year-old son of J. C. Evans sent a 45-caliber bullet through his leg, the ball entering above the knee and coming out below.

At Pottsboro Saturday H. H. Delay shot and seriously, if not fatally wounded, Jim and Ben Mathis, brothers. Only one shot was fired, that taking effect in both of the wounded men. All parties connected with the difficulty are married men and the Mathis brothers were renters of Delay and live on the same farm.

The second meeting of the general convention of the Baptists of North America is to be held in the convention hall of the Jamestown exposition on May 22 and 23. Matters that are likely to come before the general Baptist convention include the proposed meeting of the Baptist World Alliance in 1910, the Baptist Brotherhood, church federation, a National Christian temperance movement, arbitration and divorce legislation.

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If America were as densely populated as Europe, it would contain as many people as there are in the world at the present time.

W. F. Gray, aged 25, of Irton, Tex., was picked up in Fort Worth Thursday night stabbed in the side, and taken to the police station, where he died next morning.

THE WORST CLIMATES.

Three Places Where Weather Conditions Are Unbearable.

"Speaking of rank climates," said a globe trotter, "I have experienced the three worst."

"Of these three unspeakable climates I give the palm to the strait of Magellan. There is rain on an average 250 days in the year. The wind blows a hurricane from January to December. The thermometer never rises much above the freezing point—a year round of raw, bitter days of rain and snow."

"Next comes Sierra Leone, on the African west coast. That low lying marshy region has an average temperature of 81 degrees, and the annual rainfall is 180 inches—enormous! There are, too, the 'mists.' These are mists, smelling like oyster mud, that rise continually from the marshes, giving marsh fever to nine out of ten of the white men that breathe them—a year round of hot and sticky days, with vile smelling clouds of mist and whirring clouds of mosquitoes."

"Last come the high tablelands of central Asia, where the lack of moisture in the air makes the days Saharan and the nights arctic—days like a red hot furnace, nights like a January blizzard. Before this range of temperature no human constitution can stand up."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

THE ZOO CATERER.

Special Knowledge Required to Run a Wild Animals' Hotel.

"To run a wild animals' hotel—for what is a zoo but that?—requires a lot of special knowledge," said an animal keeper. "How would you, for instance, know how to provide for a rhinoceros or a tapir? If you don't cater right for your animal guests, if you don't give them what they want, they pack up and quit the hotel, you know—that is to say, they die. It amounts to the same thing."

"Yes, it takes special knowledge to feed a zoo. You wouldn't know, would you, that an elephant requires 150 pounds daily—no more, no less—of rice, hay, straw, roots, bread and biscuit?"

"A hippo wants more. Give him roots, hay and grass, 200 pounds of them, and he won't register a single kick."

"A giraffe with its dainty appetite, asks only for fifty pounds a day of chaff, salad, grain and clover."

"But don't offer vegetables to lions and tigers. Eight pounds apiece of raw horseflesh, with plenty of bone and gristle, is their ration, year in and year out."

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Marie Antoinette's Books.
The unhappy Queen Marie Antoinette possessed an important library of 4,712 volumes, consisting of plays and romances, little books a la mode, the works of Pascal, Bossuet, Fenelon, Bourdaloue, Massillon, Boileau, Cousineau, Cornelle, Moliere, Voltaire and many others. She loved music passionately and had a large collection of operas in eighty-nine numbers. The bindings were by Blaizot and were uniform in red morocco, with the arms of France and Austria stamped upon them. The execution of the work was poor and the decadence in the art of binding evident. The glories of the art of Padeloup and the Deromes had passed away, and the revolution effectually killed whatever knowledge remained of the ancient skill of the bookbinders. Half a century later saw its revival in France, and the art has since flourished both there and on English soil.—London Spectator.

How Beetles Defend Themselves.
Beetles have other defenses than their cuirass, such as nauseous or caustic liquids, which they expel on provocation, and, strange to say, certain beetles actually exude their blood, charged with noxious products. The practice is confined to the chrysomelidae, some of the timarchae and adamonia, the coecelidae and the meloidae. The blood of the coecelidae has a strong, disagreeable odor like that of the whole insect. That of the timarchae is odorless, but has an astringent flavor, and in the case of the Timarchae primides is venomous. The blood of the meloidae contains much cantharidine.

A Problem in Golf.
Two young ladies were making their first essay at golf. "Dear me," said the first young lady, "what shall I do now? My ball is in a hole." The second young lady took out a book of instructions. "Let me see," she said, turning the pages. "I presume you must now take a stick of the right shape and get it out." "Oh, yes, of course," said the first young woman. "See if you can find me a stick shaped like a dustpan and brush."

He Stuck to It.
Her Husband—If a man steals—no matter what it is—he will live to regret it. His Wife—During our courtship you used to steal kisses from me. Her Husband—Well, you heard what I said.—Chicago News.

Obliging.
Prisoner—I'll reform, Judge, if you'll give me time. Judge—All right. I'll give you thirty days.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Philosophy is a good horse in the stable, but an arrant jade on a journey.—Goldsmith.

Quarantine.
The Lombardians were the first people to use effectual quarantine methods against the plague and other infectious diseases, and mention of a quarantine is made in Lombardy and Milan in the years 1374, 1383 and 1390. Prior to that time the Christian communities resigned to the visitation of the plague, regarding the dread disease as a divine punishment.—Westminster Gazette.

If the sun had nothing else to do but shine on the righteous, it would be hardly worth while for him to rise as early as he does.

There is a difference worth studying when a man affectionately speaks of the "little woman at home" and the woman little at home.—Baltimore American.

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