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Pensioners in the South.
Washington, Oct. 30.—It may be interesting to note that all of the money which the government turns loose for pensions annually is not paid out in the north. In eleven southern states, most of them rock-ribbed constituents of the old south, there resides 100,216 federal pensioners who drew a total of \$12,644,270 in pensions annually. Texas has 8,850 pensioners whose annual stipend is \$1,147,027.27. The roll for eleven southern states is as follows:

Alabama, 3,824; Arkansas, 10,760; Florida, 3,789; Kentucky, 26,695; Louisiana, 6,519; Mississippi, 4,813; North Carolina, 4,133; South 898; Texas, 8,850; Virginia, 8,894.

Between July 1, 1790, and June 1, 1865, the government paid a grand total of \$96,445,444.43 in pensions. Since the civil war, however, over \$3,500,000,000 has been the cost of the pension system of the country.

The last annual report of Pension Commissioner Warner shows that there are still living and drawing pensions, three daughters of soldiers who fought in the revolutionary war, and that last year there was one widow, who, however, has now passed into the great beyond. There are still 558 widows of soldiers who fought in the war of 1812, a loss of 102 since the previous annual report. Of the Indian wars, are 2,007 survivors and 3,201 widows. Of the war with Mexico there are 3,485 survivors and 3,201 widows. Of the vast army that participated in the civil war, there are but 660,338 survivors on the pension rolls, 31,201 having been stricken off by the grim reaper.

On January 31, 1905, there were 1,004,196 names on the pension roll which was the highest water mark in the history of pension distribution, but since that time there has been a steady decrease of about 18,000 per year.

The amount paid in pensions for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1907, was \$4,613,131 more than was paid in the fiscal year ending in 1906. This was because of the increase in the pension rates. It is now stated that in the next year increase will be wiped out and the amount paid will be less than that paid in 1906, on account of the death of pensioners. On the rolls on June 30 of this year there were 18,600 fewer names than on the same date in 1906.—Dallas News.

It appears from the commission's statement of the case that the politicians did more free riding last year than the newspaper men. That is probably due to the fact that the newspaper men were made to pay for their "free passes."—Dallas News.

To Boost LaFollette for President.

A committee was organized at Madison, Wis., Tuesday to promote the candidacy of Senator Robert M. LaFollette for the Republican nomination for president. The conference at which the committee was appointed was attended by thirteen republican leaders of the state. An executive committee to direct the work was also chosen.

LaFollette is one of the most pronounced reform statesmen in the republican party and perhaps the best man for the office that could be selected from that party.

Oklahoma White and Negro Teachers Meet Together.

The race line was drawn in the public schools in Oklahoma City this week when one of the teachers in the seventh grade, Miss Lucy Duke, refused to attend a teachers' meeting where colored teachers were present. She refused to enter the room when she saw the colored teachers there and stated that she would resign her position at once. It has been customary for the teachers of the various schools in the city to hold a meeting each month. These meetings are attended by all the teachers in the city, including those of the colored schools. In the room where the meetings are held provision is made for the colored teachers to occupy one side of the room, which they do. Miss Duke objected to being in the same room with the colored teachers.

Wireless Phones.

It is claimed that the British Admiralty has made all arrangements for installing wireless telephones in some of the vessels of the fleet, and the work is being carried out by the Radio Telegraph company. It is claimed that by these wireless telephones conversation can be carried on between two vessels that are 30 miles apart.

The voices heard on these wireless telephones are clear and distinct, and telephoning is in many respects easier at sea than on land. The wireless telephone may be of great use to vessels in foggy weather. They can speak to each other at considerable distance and the admiral of the squadron might, from his cabin, talk to every vessel of his fleet.

Birmingham, Ala., went prohibitive Monday by 1,657 majority in the county. The effect of the election will be to close 110 saloons in Birmingham Jan. 1 next, 24 in Bessemer and about 20 in Ensley and Pratt City.

Turkeys are said to be scarce down the state and the Thanksgiving fowl will be higher in price.

Minnesota Judge Favors the Unwritten Law.

"If more men were killed for invading the sanctity of the home this might be a better world. A man who does this deserves to be killed," replied Judge C. L. Smith of the Minneapolis municipal court to Prof. Charles Zueblin of Chicago University, who declared in a lecture before the University of Minnesota students that the unwritten law was a barbarism. Judge Smith further said:

"In my estimation this man is absolutely wrong. I do not think there is any crime worse than the ruin of a home and I do not think there is any punishment too severe. It is my belief that in 99 cases out of 100 the decisions which have been based on the so-called unwritten law have been thoroughly just. There is no doubt this law will be eventually incorporated in the laws of the country."

Galveston Storm.

Galveston was visited early Wednesday morning by an electrical and cyclonic storm, which caused \$500,000 damage to buildings in the business and residence sections.

Mrs. Elizabeth Naudscher's body was found beneath the wreckage of her home. It is reported that two men are buried under the wreckage of a grain elevator which collapsed. The roof of the elevator was carried away. Many smokestacks are down.

The Mallory docks suffered the most damage. Fully half the sheds at piers 23 and 24 were demolished, with a loss of about \$10,000 and an estimated damage of \$3,000 to the freight stored.

On Strand, the building occupied by the Galveston Dry Goods company, was partially unroofed, the damage to the building amounts to \$4,000 and to goods by rain, \$5,000.

The new terminal of the Rock Island was partially wrecked. One story was carried away at a loss of \$8,000.

About 30 residences in the west end of the city were destroyed.

Driving Cattle to Kansas.

Old time cattle days before the invention of stock cars, are being revived in the Panhandle, where H. E. Siders is now driving a bunch of 1,300 steers across country 250 miles to Ashland, Kan. He reached Amarillo with the steers several days ago and held them there in the hope of getting cars. Being unable to do this he decided not to risk a wait and started across the country with them. Cattlemen believe he is taking great risks with the bunch as a blizzard may be expected at any time.—Livestock Journal.

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STATE NEWS.

Fred Dittman, a German T. & P. flagman, aged 67, suicided at Dallas Monday by hanging.

At Knox City Tuesday Foster Winn, a well known farmer, dropped dead on the street from heart failure. A wife and four children survive him.

At Orange this week Mrs. W. H. Patterson was carrying a lighted lamp when it exploded, covering her with the burning fluid, and her clothing was burned completely off. She died in a short time. The residence was also burned.

During the storm of Sunday night last lightning struck the barn belonging to a farmer named Seaberry at Poolville. The barn and contents of hay and feed stuff were destroyed and a lot of livestock was cremated. The loss was about \$500.

The following pleas of guilty were entered in court at Greenville Tuesday: John Hawkins, burglary, two years in the penitentiary; Jim Davenport, horse theft, two years; Henry Moss, horse theft, two years; Edward Longard, burglary, two years.

The Mallory line steamer Denver reached Galveston Sunday morning from New York with one of the largest cargoes of merchandise of the season. The cargo consists of 2,350 tons, mostly canned goods. It is equal to nearly 500 car loads.

John K. Gocher fell from a windmill tower on his place about twelve miles southwest of Memphis late Saturday evening and was instantly killed. Mr. Gocher was a primitive Baptist minister and well known by nearly all members of that faith, having held meetings in all parts of the state.

Mrs. Roger Q. Mills, wife of the former United States senator, died Monday, surrounded by the members of her family. In her time Mrs. Mills was one of the best known women in Texas. She manifested great interest in all her husband's affairs, and had a wide acquaintance. Mrs. Mills had been married nearly half a century—49 years, to be exact—she having become the wife of Hon. Roger Q. Mills on Jan. 7, 1858. She was Miss Caroline R. Jones, daughter of Henry Jones of Navarro county. Three children survive her—Chas. H. Mills and Mrs. Woods of Corsicana, and Mrs. Richards of Washington, all of whom were with her when the end came. Her health had been bad for many months.

The cashier of the Dollar Savings Bank, of Akron, O., suicided last week. A \$25,000 deficit was discovered and the bank was closed.

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Correspondence Engagement to a Negro.

Believing that she had found her affinity through the medium of a matrimonial agency and after exchanging many perfumed missives with the Rev. J. J. Roberts of Lake Park, a comely and apparently well educated woman, who gave her name as Miss Middleton, traveled 2,000 miles from a town in Vermont and arrived at Valdosta, Ga., over the Georgia, Florida & Southern railroad to meet her future husband. Fond anticipation turned to mortification when she found that the Rev. J. J. Roberts was a negro preacher and known in the town as "Burnt Eye Jake," who got his name from the fact that he had lost one eye in a fire.

The startling discovery came as a shock to the young woman, who had barely enough funds to pay her transportation back to Vermont. She declined to give her address or speak of her family connections, but boarded a train for her home. She had one look at "Burnt-Eye Jake."

When the Bureau of Animal Industry at Washington reports that it has inspected 444,868 pounds of horse meat and passed it as "fit for export to foreign countries," we would like to know whether the low grade horse meat, rejected by a paternal Government as unfit for foreigners, went into domestic soap or sausage.—Ex.

Memphis.

Bad weather continues and prevents picking cotton.

H. G. Stephens and daughter, Miss Neva, are attending the Dallas fair this week.

Miss Clara Arnold has resumed her position with T. R. Garrett & Co.

The 2-year-old child of Mr. Christy is quite sick with fever.

The contract for the erection of the Christian church, on the corner of Main and Tenth streets, was let to Johnsey & Weaver for \$3,000. The seating and grounds come extra.

The Second ward schoolhouse is nearly completed. This is a neat, comfortable building.

Miss Emma Spence, aunt of Judge Phillips, is still quite sick with typhoid fever.

New York's 540 Skyscrapers.

If all the skyscrapers in New York were piled one atop of the other a building of 6,553 stories would rear itself toward heaven. Compared to such a structure the Tower of Babel would look like a mushroom.

The building department finished counting the lofty buildings in the city; 540 of them have been erected since 1890, when the Pulitzer building was the first of its class. Including the Metropolitan Life building, which is not finished, the census of high buildings is as follows: One of 48 stories, one of 41 stories, two of 26, three of 25, two of 23, four of 22, nine of 20, two of 19, nine of 18, two of 17, nineteen of 15, eighteen of 14, thirteen of 13, 169 of 12, 101 of 11 and 164 of 10. —New York Sun.

The Russian government continues to wreak bloody vengeance on the revolutionists of 1905. During the past month over 50 death sentences have been carried out for offenses committed during the height of the revolutionary fever. Of 26 men condemned to death by the Mitau court-martial, the only charge against seven was that they sent telegrams for the revolutionists or cut the telegraph wires.

Eiler's Big Show.

W. A. Eiler presents Ralph R. Richardson in a new sensational five act western play, written expressly for him by the well known author, Hal Reid, entitled "King of the Cattle Ring." It is a charming story of love and adventure. The scenes are laid in the mining regions of the golden west, the play is rich in pathos and fairly bubbling over with fun, mirth and merriment. The members of the supporting company have been selected from the very best material which the dramatic market affords, and during the action of the play a number of pleasing specialties will be introduced. The scenery and all accessories are appropriate and abundant, and nothing has been neglected which may have a tendency to insure the success of the play. The "King of the Cattle Ring" will be presented at Clarendon on Wednesday, Nov. 6, under a big tent.

Engine for Sale.

One horse engine with two-horse boiler at a bargain price, at this office.

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Texas has become competitor of Kentucky, Missouri and Tennessee in the raising of fine horses and mules.

The pistol law is doing some good anyhow. Clarksville dealers report that not a single pistol sale has been made since the enforcement of the new law providing for an additional tax of 50 per cent. Other varieties of firearms are sold as formerly but all stock of pistols were closed out before the new law became effective.

Comptroller of the Currency Ridgely, after consulting with Cortelyou, has proposed to the national banks of the country that they substitute other securities for government bonds on deposit in the treasury and use the bonds thus released for taking out additional circulation. It is stated from \$15,000,000 to \$20,000,000 additional circulation may thus be obtained immediately which notes are now actually in the treasury vaults.

According to a bulletin by the agricultural department at Washington, in the state of New York there are 12,000 abandoned farms, representing an area of 12,000,000 acres and capable of caring for a population of 250,000. It is stated that farm lands in that state have decreased \$170,000,000 in value in the last 20 years. One cause of this is perhaps the desire to try the "get-rich-quick" schemes and the moving to cities. Another is that the actual farmers are moving to the more productive lands of the west and south. The man who does not secure a good home now is missing an opportunity he will regret more and more as time passes and the home-seekers become more numerous.

Texans Won.

At Fayetteville, Ark., Wednesday in a fierce football contest the University of Texas defeated the University of Arkansas by the score of 26 to 6. Despite the fact that they had made a long journey the Longhorns were in fine form and put up a good game. The locals were unable to hold the Texans successfully, although playing a good game.

One hundred and ten feet is the width which the navy department has finally fixed as desirable for locks for the Panama canal. This is an increase of 10 feet.

The Rock Island railroad system laid off 2,500 men from construction and track work in the western states extending from Illinois to Texas Wednesday.

A woman in St. Petersburg killed an officer Monday. She was tried and convicted Tuesday and hanged Wednesday. No technicality had any weight in her case.

A report from Elida, N. M., says Ben Johnson, 18 years old, ran his horse into a barbed wire fence. In plunging through the wire, the boy's foot was completely severed but carrying the severed member in his hand he rode into town, a mile away, for treatment, and did not faint.

Before a trust can be convicted it must be proven that it controls prices. If it controls prices there is nothing to prevent it taxing consumers to pay a fine. The logic of this is, stripes, not fines, for trust law violators. We have tried fines in Texas without tangible results of benefits to the consumer. Now, let's try the other remedy.—Dallas Democrat.

Reduction Sale.

Smith & Thornton have put on a special sale of shoes, hats, gents' furnishing goods and boys' clothing. From 10 to 25 per cent. off. Call and see their stock.

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Two four-roomed residences, favorably located. Well shaded by the finest shade trees in the city. For price and terms enquire of Dr. J. D. Stocking.

Will Probe Treasury Favoritism.

Washington, Oct. 30.—Representative Burleson was closeted for an hour today with Secretary of the Treasury Cortelyou. In that conference every phase of the financial situation in the south was discussed and Mr. Burleson again urged his request that the treasury place on deposit in the banks of the cotton country \$10,000,000 to ease the situation. When seen upon leaving the treasury Mr. Burleson declined to make a statement further than to admit that he had discussed the situation at length with Secretary Cortelyou.

A resolution inquiring on what authority Secretary Cortelyou went to the aid of the eastern banks with the government's money and whether it is advisable that such a policy be pursued in the future, will be introduced in congress by Representative Simms of Tennessee as soon as congress meets.

Mr. Simms is one of the southerners upon whom Mr. Cortelyou's actions have made an unfavorable impression. He cannot see that there is authority for aiding the banks of the east and failing to help those of the south.

STATE NEWS.

G. W. Clay, a drayman, was killed by being stuck by an engine at Rosebud Wednesday. He leaves a wife and six children.

At Floydada a horse fell upon and seriously injured Jim McPeak Sunday. After falling the horse rolled over and caught McPeak under the saddle horn.

Lucian Slade, aged 21, employed in the cotton oil mill at Cumby, was killed Wednesday by being caught in a belt. His neck was broken when his body was thrown to the ceiling.

At El Paso Tuesday night a crowd dynamited a house occupied by a number of negroes, demolishing the building and seriously injuring one woman. Negro residents of the community have been notified to move and are hurrying away as fast as they can gather up their belongings.

Waste of War.

The gigantic military establishments of the world not only keep millions of men from productive pursuits while the hard-working people are taxed to support them, but they use up thousands of animals for their cavalry mounts, artillery horses and transportation mules. France spends enormous sums of money on establishments for breeding horses to be used for military purposes, England subsidizes a certain number of animals annually, and Germany has an option on most of the horses in her empire. If all these creatures were hitched to plows and wagons or used on other industrial pursuits, think how much they would add to the wealth and comfort of the people. But no; they must be sacrificed to the Moloch of war, be wasted in worse than useless display against imaginary enemies, as none of these three nations has had a real war in nearly 40 years. "Go forth, my son," said an old Swedish chancellor to his boy, starting on a tour to Europe. "Go forth and see with how little wisdom this world is governed." That was over three centuries ago, and the rulers of the world still shows the same fondness for military display, with all its costly pomp and empty vanity.—American Farmer.

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Having the utmost confidence in the Eiler's Shows the people of Giddings and vicinity went through mud, rain, snow and sleet to see the "King of the Cattle Ring" presented in a tent. The entire seating capacity was taken up despite the bad night and everyone that saw the play were well pleased. Beside the interesting and exciting play which portrays life on the frontier and has a pleasing ending, the company has a magnificent band of 15 pieces. Eiler's show can always get a "good house" in Giddings.—Giddings News.

Kill the Rats.

It is estimated that the rat does \$50,000,000 worth of damage a year in England, and the figures are much greater for this country. In fact, the rat may be classed as the farmer's most destructive enemy. In a slaughter-house near Paris, rats in a single night picked to the bone carcasses of 35 horses. There is very little they will not eat. Eggs, young birds and animals are among the dainties which they snap up in the ordinary course of business. But when pressed by hunger they will eat anything through which they can drive their terrible teeth. Rat will eat rat. The idea that a trapped rat will bite off an imprisoned leg and so escape is now said to be wrong. It is the other rats which do the biting; they eat the captive. As we now have no Pied Piper of Hamelin to charm the rats away, as in the old nursery story, it behooves every farmer to find or invent means to get rid of these expensive pests.—Ex.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Don't forget Eiler's show next Wednesday night.

F. B. Record and Miss Myrtle Wheeler were married at Meade, Kan., Monday morning.—Dalhart Texas.

DeRoos Horn, of Bray, visited his sister, Mrs. Frank Dunaway, a few days this week.

Miss May Moore, who has been with Miss Sarah Porter for two months, has returned to Silvertown, her home.

W. F. White was here Wednesday, having come from Paris, Tex., several days before. He says Mrs. White and the new daughter are getting along fine.

The trust fallures are having their effect throughout the country. The price of cattle dropped in consequence and there seems to be a squeeze on ready cash.

Mrs. Earl Ballew, who lived four miles east of town, died Wednesday evening and was buried yesterday. She had been ill for some time and contracted pneumonia.

There has been no very large attendance from this section of the country at the Dallas fair this year. Country papers have ceased to give it the free advertising they formerly did.

The cotton movement is at a standstill here. The weather has been too bad for picking, the merchants are afraid to buy and the farmers don't care to sell at the present price.

Sheriff Patman has appointed J. J. Stanton as office deputy during the tax collecting season now on hand. Mr. Stanton is a careful office man and the selection of him was timely.

After a week of rainy, foggy, drizzly weather a norther blew up yesterday and dried off the streets. Unless a very cold spell follows farmers, who have been anxiously waiting, can now continue gathering their crops.

John Farris of Floyd county, who has been here with cattle for the past ten days awaiting shipment, has succeeded in getting the last of them off to Kansas City after disposing of nearly 200 head to local dealers.

A. T. Cole, his mother, his sister in law, Miss Lizzie McMillin, and several others have returned from LaLande, N. M., where they all filed on land. Mr. Cole says homesteaders are pouring into the Territory at a rapid rate. He is of the opinion, however, that the Santa Fe reservation near Clovis is not subject to homestead entry.

Mrs. W. J. Adams mysteriously lost her hand bag with a ticket to Dallas and purse containing over twenty dollars last Saturday when she got on the train. She left the train to look for it but failed to find it, the train leaving in the meantime. Next day a message from Wichita Falls gave the information that it had been left at the depot there, still containing the ticket, purse and cash. It is supposed that it was picked up here by mistake, or stolen and the thief became afraid of detection and left it there. In either case she was lucky to obtain it again.

Tailor Skips.
H. E. Clarke, or a tailor who gave that as his name, and dubbed himself as "Harry the Tailor," left after dark Wednesday night. He came here last July and had cultivated such a friendship for those whom he had dealings with that he could not endure telling them goodbye.

Majestic Range for Sale.
Perfect condition, six eyes, full set of harness. A bargain. Mrs. Ross and Horn, at Mrs. Mann's.
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A feeding experiment at the New Jersey experiment station showed that the protein in alfalfa hay could be successfully and profitably substituted in a ration for dairy cows for that contained in wheat bran and dried brewer's grains and for this purpose is worth \$11.16 per ton, when compared with the wheat bran and dried brewer's grain at \$17 per ton.

It is the cow that is up in good flesh that does her best. When she is thin and hungry all the time, she will surely put the biggest part of what you give her to eat on her back. That means less for you in the pail and in the butter tub.

The Eiler "King of the Cattle Ring" carries 30 people, two special cars, band and orchestra. Absolutely the largest and best dramatic show that will exhibit here this season. Under canvass, Nov. 6.

To the Grocery Trade of Clarendon.

Finding it necessary to make some kind of rule regarding the hours for accepting afternoon orders for prompt delivery, we have decided that we can not deliver any goods ordered after 5:30 p. m., until the following morning. Our customers will please bear this in mind and let us have their afternoon orders by or before 5:30. We do this on account of our drivers and teams, as the days grow shorter and colder. This rule will be in force from Monday, Nov. 4, to April 15. We ask the co-operation of all in this.
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The woman who has periodical headaches, backache, sees imaginary dark spots or specks floating or dancing before her eyes, has gnawing distress or heavy full feeling in stomach, faint spells, dragging-down feeling in lower abdominal or pelvic region, easily startled or excited, irregular or painful periods, with or without pelvic catarrh, is suffering from weaknesses and derangements that should have early attention. Not all of above symptoms are likely to be present in any case at one time.

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With the unusual interest manifested in the Globe's Premium Contest during the last week. You will find some changes in the standing of the candidates at the close of the count today, Wednesday, Oct. 30, 1907.

Miss Minnie Thorp	3236
Miss Bessie Caraway	2873
Miss Marion Barnett	2693
Miss Ethel Heistler	2551
Mrs. Chas. McMurtry	1908
Miss Ruth Atteberry	1406
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Miss Tugwell	805
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Miss Fay Dodson	545
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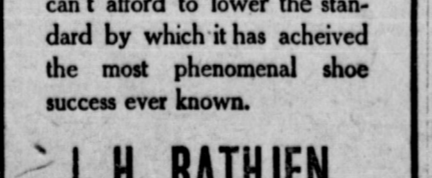
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Our stock of Dress Goods, Gingham, Percalés, Flannelettes and Calicoes have been replenished with New Goods this week, and you get anything you want. We employ an expert window dresser, and invite you to watch our window displays.

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Clarendon Mercantile Co.

CLARENDON TEXAS

The Store That LEADS

The Game Law.

The "open season" set in yesterday and the authorities at Austin say that the deputy game wardens over the state are expected to keep a close watch on hunters who are supposed to be game hogs. The law says the limit is 25 birds of all kinds, ducks included, for one day's sport for one man. A person killing over 25 is liable to prosecution. Game birds can be hunted from Nov. 1 to Feb. 1. Deer, during the months of November and December, and only the bucks can be killed, with a limit of three for any one hunter for the entire season. Does and fawns must not be shot. Wild turkeys may be hunted during December, January and February and a hunter is limited to killing three during the season.

To forestall the market hunter, the law prohibits the transportation of game by railroads and express companies, except where the hunter who killed them makes affidavit to the effect he is taking not more than 25 birds home on the same train on which he travels. The one exception is that 65 ducks may be shipped, but they must be on the same train with the man who killed them, and he must make affidavit that he killed them in three consecutive days and not more than 25 on each of the three days.

Another provision against the border market or professional hunter is the provision which reads: "Whenever in this act the profession of any bird is prohibited, said prohibition shall apply equally to a bird coming from outside the state as to one within the state." This prevents killing game in Texas and claiming it was shipped from Mexico or other outside points.

Cattle Feed Short in Oklahoma.

"In my judgment too many Texas cattle are being shipped into Oklahoma for wintering purposes in proportion to the amount of feed in the country, is the comment made by Inspector F. M. Canton in his weekly report to Secretary H. E. Crowley of the Cattle Raisers' Association of Texas. Mr. Canton has charge of almost the entire Oklahoma district, and has been an inspector in a position to know whereof he speaks. He says that a great many Texas cattle are now being shipped into Oklahoma. There seems to be a great scarcity of feed stuff in every section this year and although Oklahoma is probably better off than many other states, it is generally believed that the cattlemen of that section will not have much feed to spare after taking care of stock now on hand.

Just what effect Mr. Canton's statement will have will be watched with interest, as all Texas cattlemen are anticipating an unusually heavy movement of stock to Oklahoma before winter sets in. It is argued that there is no feed to speak of in Texas, and that it will be just about as cheap to ship to Oklahoma and take the chances of a shortage as it will be to hold cattle here where it is known that feed will be hard to get and will command prices much higher than heretofore.

Owing to the fact that there is a shortage of cars everywhere many cattlemen who had intended to ship elsewhere will be compelled to change their plans.—Fort Worth Record.

At Pueblo, Col., last week the demand that Colorado go into the mining business was made at a mass meeting. The speakers charged the trust dominated by the Gould railroads has raised the price until the burden is too great for the householder to meet. The state owns undeveloped coal land. Those making the demand contended that coal would be cheaper and labor would be better and more constantly employed.

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New Uses of Cotton Oil.

Nearly everybody these days knows the usefulness of cotton oil as an edible in place of olive oil, and as a cooking fat in place of lards and compounds, and as a high grade butter fat, but few, indeed, know its value as a household remedy.

In a booklet recently sent out by the Texas Seed Crushers' association the following "home remedies" are given, and an authority for each and every one of them:

Burns, scalds, cuts and wounds of all kinds are soothed and benefited, and rapid healing is induced by binding with bandages soaked with cotton oil.

The most painful earache is frequently relieved by dropping cotton oil in the ear, and if from cold or catarrh the nose is raw and sore, drop some warm cotton oil into the nostrils, holding the head back to allow it to penetrate the nasal passage.

Delicate and sick babies and larger children are rapidly nourished and fattened by frequent rubbing with cotton oil, and a baby so thin at birth as to be almost despaired of will rapidly take on flesh and health with no other treatment than frequent cotton oil massages gently administered.

For stiff joints, either from cold, fatigue, or strain, or incipient rheumatism, or for sore throat a rubbing with cotton oil offers a quick and pleasant remedy and for bad colds, coughs or sore chest, a few doses of cotton oil will give relief, and indeed, has even been recommended and found effective in tuberculosis troubles.

Nearly every one would be benefited by taking two or three tablespoonfuls of cotton oil a day, for it is not only a food but medicine. It adds nutrition without distress or repletion, and is a gentle and grateful lubricant to the intestines.

If you are troubled with constipation the juice of one orange and two tablespoonfuls of cotton oil taken just before retiring will relieve any but a very obstinate case, and at the same time furnish healthful nutrition.—Ex.

A press dispatch Wednesday says the whole town of Karatagh, in Bokohara, Turkestan, has been destroyed and the entire population, numbering 15,000, is buried by a mountain slide, following a recent earthquake there.

When the Texas State Banking commissioner reports a third more cash visible and available in Texas than there was a year ago, it is a suggestion of general conditions in this part of the country. This is the cash some disturbed people in other parts of the world haven't got, but as we are anxious for them to get as much of it as they can earn, they have nothing to do but resume work.—Republic.

"Must Endure the Polishing."

In speaking of God's plan for us and His methods of dealing with us, His children, Rev. F. B. Meyer says:

"None of us can tell for what God is educating us. We fret and murmur at the narrow round and daily task of ordinary life, not realizing that it is only thus that we can be prepared for the high and holy office which awaits us. We must descend before we can ascend. We must take the via crucis (way of the cross) submissively and patiently if we would tread the via lucis (way of light). We must endure the polishing if we would be shafts in the quiver of Emmanuel. God's will comes to thee and me in the daily circumstances, in little things equally as in great; meet them bravely; be at your best always, though the occasion be one of the very least; dignify the smallest summons by the greatness of your response."

Special Notice.

The Eiler "King of the Cattle Ring" will show at night only on account of our calcium effects. Will show here on Wednesday night, Nov. 6, under a big tent.

Old newspapers for sale at this office.

HOME CIRCLE DEPARTMENT

Thoughts and pleasant evening reveries for the fireside by

UNCLE GEORGE

FLOWERS TEACH NEATNESS.

We hope all who read this column will endeavor to keep a few flowers in the home. In addition to their beauty and fragrance, they teach neatness and order. The wife and children like to have a clean room, so that the flower, in its purity and grace, may not shame them. And then, too, a poor man likes to feel that he has an ornament in his dwelling similar to that which a rich man chooses as the best embellishment of his drawing room. The cottage and the mansion differ very much in furniture, but a pretty flower, carefully watered and tended, blooms as well in a cottage as in a palace window. Then the flower speaks to the inmates of the home and tells them of the wisdom and love of God; how He sent these beautiful flowers into the world to please the eye of man.

THREE IMPORTANT THINGS.

Three things to love: courage, gentleness, affection. Three things to admire: intellectual power, dignity and gratefulness. Three things to hate: cruelty, vengeance, ingratitude. Three things to delight in: beauty, frankness, freedom. Three things to wish for: health, friends and a cheerful spirit. Three things to pray for: faith, peace, purity of heart. Three things to like: good humor, mirthfulness and the Home Circle department. Three things to avoid: idleness, loquacity, flippancy. Three things to cultivate: good books, good friends, good humor. Three things to contend for: honor, country, friends. Three things to govern: temper, tongue, conduct. Three things to think about: life, death and eternity.

MATRIMONIAL MANIA.

We have just been shown a matrimonial journal in which men advertise for wives the same as they would for a horse. The way in which the majority of men marry, is nothing short of a burlesque upon the "sacred institution." They set about looking for a wife as they would for a horse. They make an inventory of her "good points," ascertain the quickness of her movements, the state of her digestion, her capacity for economy, the yielding quality of her disposition; if she "suits" they propose partnership, and women are such fools, if we must say it, fools for the force of circumstances and custom, as to say "yes," when with all the thunder of their soul they should say "no." Such offers of marriage are insults to the women who receive them, a shame and disgrace to the men who make them, and rank dishonor to the Lord who created them.

There is nothing in the moral, spiritual or physical universe that makes marriage respectable, but love. Without it there can be no marriage, only a wretched, miserable form, that rapidly degenerates into a loathsome demoralizing burden. The time to marry is when love demands it, and not simply because the kitchen needs a cook, the dining table a figure-head in muslin or silk, or the cucumber vines somebody to kill the bugs on them. The one to marry is the woman you love and no other one. That, and that alone should decide. Riches may take wings and flee away; beauty may fade; good health is a very excellent and desirable thing in man or woman, but the circumstance of an hour or moment may ruin the best of health. A man who marries from "marriage considerations," usually gets what he deserves—its full equivalent in unhappiness. A man who marries for beauty, learns, as no other man can learn, how hideous and loathsome it may become. So, young men, take love for your guidance in this matter, remembering that it demands the best and noblest in you—that it is sacred and holy, and divine, for it is of God.

Bailey's Evidence Not of His Own Knowledge.

HAS NO PERSONAL PROOF.

The senator says that he has no personal proof to furnish that the oil trust does business in this state, but that it is simply a manner of court record. Mr. Bailey then refers to proceedings 13 months ago, in Missouri, involving the Waters-Pierce Oil Company, in which it was said that company bought oil in Texas, meaning the Corsicana Refining Company of Corsicana, an alleged branch of the Standard Oil Company. Again Mr. Bailey recalls the federal suit in New York seeking to break up the Standard in which it was again declared the Corsicana company of Texas was controlled by Standard money.

The letter scores Attorney General Davidson and many terms ring with sarcasm. Bailey refers to Davidson's remark that he so far has not had time to push suits against the Standard, then asserts it is strange because there are several assistants in his department in Austin.

Bailey declares the attorney general's reasons are ridiculous for delaying the anti-trust suits, but the senator is personal throughout the letter to a great extent and reiterates many of the same charges made on different occasions.

It is expected the attorney general will reply to Bailey's letter. It is also thought Mr. Davidson will institute proceedings to oust any oil trust subsidiary concerns in Texas within a few days and that he will try to put Senator Bailey on the witness stand.—Ft. Worth Telegram.

There is a growing tendency among the Jew men to refuse to marry, as well as the American. This leads the Jewish Chronicle to say: "There is, I fear, a growing reluctance on the part of some of our young men to take upon themselves the duties and responsibilities of matrimony. I, surely, would not advocate improvident, and therefore imprudent unions. But does not this reluctance often spring from the fact that they are not content to begin life in the simple fashion that their fathers did, but desire forthwith to live the luxurious? Or are they so strongly imbued with selfishness that they refuse to labor for others besides themselves? This reluctance leads to many evils, not the least of which is intermarriage."

Transmuting to Higher Forms.

A gentleman on one occasion noticing the peculiarly unpleasant mud of the streets of London, exclaimed: "What dirty, dreadful, disgusting stuff!"

John Ruskin, overhearing this exclamation on the part of his friend, said: "Hold, my friend, not so dreadful after all. What are the elements of this mud? First, there is sand, but when its particles are crystalized according to the law of its nature, what is nicer than clean, white sand? And when that which enters into it is arranged according to a still higher law, we have the matchless opal. What else have we in this mud? Clay. And the materials of clay, when the particles are arranged according to their higher laws, make the brilliant sapphire. What other ingredients enter into London mud? Soot. And soot in its crystalized perfection forms the perfect diamond. There is but one other—water. And water, when distilled according to the higher law of its nature, forms the dew-drop resting in exquisite perfection in the heart of the rose.

"So, in the muddy, lost soul of man is hidden the image of his Creator; and God will do his best to find his opals, his sapphires, his diamonds and dew-drops."

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