

AT MUKDEN

General Kuropatkin Wins the Race to Northern Base of the Russian Army in Time to Avoid Attack

ROADS IN BAD SHAPE

Retreating Russians and Kuroki's Forces Travel in Parallel Columns to the North, Russians Having Open Flat Country, Japs in Mountains

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 7, 1:45 p. m.—General Kuropatkin has arrived at Mukden.

From the latest advices received by the war office authorities it is now believed the danger of Field Marshal Oyama cutting off General Kuropatkin has practically passed, according to their calculations the whole Russian army will reach Mukden tomorrow night. General Kuroki and Kuropatkin have been marching northward along parallel lines, both armies being hampered by heavy roads, the Japanese in rough region and the Russians along a flat country.

As the Russian newspapers begin to realize more fully the catastrophe which General Kuropatkin avoided at Liao Yang and the skillful manner in which he upset Field Marshal Oyama's plans to surround the Russian army, they take a more cheerful view of the result and are beginning to bestow upon Kuropatkin great praise. It is now apparent Oyama's purpose, by pressing the Russian position in front of Liao Yang was to have Kuropatkin's attention while the Japanese right wing was thrust around the Russian rear to block the Russian line of retreat. But Kuropatkin, at the very inception had his eyes upon the flanking movement and countered by an early withdrawal of his main army to the right bank of Taitse river, changing his front to meet and hold Kuroki in check while General Zaroubaieff's corps at Liao Yang crossed, burning the bridges behind and placing the river between him and General Okuma. Both Russian and Japanese seem to agree in saying until the withdrawal of the main Russian army from Liao Yang began Kuropatkin had beaten off the Japanese assaults in front of Liao Yang and the Russian commander-in-chief's first movement against Kuroki was also measurably successful.

THE PRESS COMMENTS

While not undervaluing the difficulties attending the task of retirement of the army northward and the continued threat from Oyama's right, the Novoe Vremya evidently considers that has already practically been successfully accomplished.

The Novosti says "In England, France and Germany the serious nature of the consequence of defeat of the Russian army is fully appreciated and as the views of their military critics is by no means unfavorable there exists no reasons why we should give way to despair over a defeat which never took place."

The Invalid Russ organ also continues to maintain that the army met with strategical defeat but expresses the opinion Oyama has not yet given up the hope of flanking Kuropatkin, for which he is reorganizing Kuroki and diminishing the pressure against the Russian rear.

The Novoe Vremya, reviewing the situation, declares emphatically neither mediation nor peace is now even thought of.

No further details of losses suffered by the Russians during the ten days fighting have been received. How long the roll of casualties will be ultimately can not be estimated by the official report of the number of officers killed or wounded between August 25 and August 31 in a single division. This division, that of General Kondratyevich, which was under General Zaroubaieff and which formed a part of the Russian right below Liao Yang, lost twenty officers killed, thirty-five wounded and one missing.

There has been constant fighting at the Russian rear and along the eastern wing but so far as known by the war office nothing of importance has occurred since the retreat began. The general staff is naturally reticent about Kuropatkin's plans, especially whether he intends to stop at Mukden. The decision will probably depend upon the intentions of the Japanese. Contingent preparations will probably be made to evacuate Mukden and then if it considered expedient, Kuropatkin is compelled to go north, to make a stand at Tieling, where the Russians wintered last year. Tieling is forty miles north of Mukden. At this point there is a narrow defile with the Liao river on one side and the mountains running almost down to the railroad on the other.

The report that the sailing of the Baltic squadron has been postponed until November is officially denied. The squadron will sail for Tsingtao Sunday. Exactly where it will sail thence is not known.

JAPS ARE CELEBRATING

TOKIO, Sept. 7, 8 p. m.—The general staff has not yet made public any details of the battle of Liao Yang. The people are still celebrating the victory but there is considerable speculation over official silence regarding General Kuropatkin's movements since Sunday. It is reported the Japanese, notwithstanding the ravages of fire, captured a vast accumulation of Russian stores and

ammunition at Liao Yang. The report that Lieutenant Terauchi, son of Lieutenant Terauchi, war minister, was killed in the fighting before Liao Yang is denied today.

ARRIVING AT MUKDEN

MUKDEN, Tuesday, Sept. 6.—(Delayed.)—A part of the Russian army which is coming to Mukden by the wagon road is in danger of being cut off. All day and night Monday the Japanese in the hills east of the road between the Russian troops. In one instance the Japanese infantry attacked a large force of Russian infantry and artillery, which was taken to the hills running parallel to the Japanese in protecting the flank of the retreating army. The troops, guns and cannons are steadily moving by the train and road. Considerable transports were left behind. The roads are in a frightful state owing to the heavy rain Monday. The main Russian army pushing northward is evacuating Mukden.

SUCCESSOR TO VON PLEHVE

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 7, 5:33 p. m.—The Associated Press learns on high authority that Prince Sviatopolk Mirsky has been selected to succeed the late M. Von Plehve, minister of interior, who was recently assassinated.

OYAMA ONE OF THE GREAT GENERALS OF MODERN WARFARE

"Another name has been chiseled on the tablets of the history of the world—the name of Oyama of Japan." Oyama has torn up the text books on anthropology. The statistics with regard to the cranial structure and the cerebral convolutions of Mongolians were against him. He has revised them. The superiority of the Caucasian had been proved by diagrams of the bumps of his head and by pictures of the paths of the brain and picture with blood. Anthropology can now take a fresh start.

It is true that the Japanese are the most enlightened of yellow men. It is true that the Russian is the least enlightened of white men. But the bumps of the head and the paths of the brain



FIELD MARSHAL OYAMA

In the case of the Japanese were Mongolian and in the case of the Russian were Caucasian. The western world would not make up its mind that this fundamental difference could be overcome. It persisted, even after the Russian fleet had been destroyed, in regarding the feats of the Japanese much as it might have regarded the tricks of an exceptional clever dog.

OYAMA, FIGHTER BY FATE, NOT CHOICE.

Iwawo Oyama was born in 1841, a samurai or noble of the Kuroshima clan headed by his grandfather. He was brought up as a soldier. At 4 years of age he was separated from his mother and began to learn the lessons of hardihood. He was never allowed to wince for pain or complain of hunger. He was combed and washed in the snow in the winter to toughen him. In wintry winds he wore but the thinnest clothes to keep his skin from being tender. His days were spent in the practices of arms and physical exercise; his nights in studying the bushido, or old Japanese code of life was nothing as compared with the glory of his daimio or leader. Little Oyama was of sturdy stuff and could stand the training which killed many who are devoted to it.

IN THE SIXTIES.

After the period of the civil war in the '60s when the new regime was firmly established, the young Oyama was sent to France as military attaché to study the organization of modern armies, and had the opportunity of observing modern warfare during the Franco-German conflict of 1870.

He remained abroad three years and on his return home was appointed a general in the imperial army.

At the outbreak of the Satsuma rebellion headed by his cousin Saigo, and in which his own brother took a leading part, Oyama found himself in a painful dilemma; his loyalty to the central government and to the person of the emperor triumphed, however, and he took the field against his cousin, and as commander of the "flying brigade" fought bravely and successfully until Saigo's fall.

During the ensuing ten years of reconstruction, which Marquis Yamagata devoted to establishing and perfecting the standing army and to fortifying the whole country, General Oyama was his right hand man. Without him the task could hardly have been accomplished, for, after Saigo's death, Oyama had come to be regarded as the representative of their in-Satsuma clan and he used all his influence to secure the co-operation of the still powerful Satsuma element.

PROMOTION BY MERIT.

To his credit it must be said that he never took advantage of his position to obtain political power. In the army he was steadily promoted, and he has, alternately with Yamagata, occupied all the important posts. Twice—from 1885-89 and from 1891-92 he has been minister

of war. During the war with China he was ordered to Manchuria as commander in chief of the second army. In 1895, at the end of the war, the title of marquis was conferred on him, and in 1898 he was made a marshal and the following year succeeded the late Prince Komatsu as chief of the general staff.

LEAVES HIS BRIDE.

There is a more terrible story told of Oyama. When he set to flight with the rebel forces against his cousin, Saigo, the rebel, he left behind him a beautiful young bride. It was the custom in those days—a custom now modified—for a Japanese woman, and especially a noble woman, to keep herself in seclusion. This duty became more imperative during her husband's absence. She must not then, except for the gravest reasons, go abroad.

Many stories came to Oyama on the battle field that his wife was disregarding of the custom of her caste. She was bringing disgrace not only upon herself but upon his name. She smirched the bushido. Oyama heard the stories but did nothing. He was considered a clugger, a Samurai, thus to let his erring wife go unpunished. At one time a chance of war brought him near their home. It seemed a good opportunity for him to pay it a visit. He could leave camp and be back again within twenty-four hours. He got nothing could move him from his duty to the emperor, even his own disgrace. He staid in camp.

Finally the war was over, the rebels were crushed, the imperial authority was established—and then Oyama went home. His wife met him at the door in the way which from time immemorial, faithful Japanese wives have met their husbands on their return. She prostrated herself before him on the lintel. The victorious soldier bade her rise. Together they entered the house; and from that day to this nobody has ever heard of her who was Oyama's first wife.

THE NEW JAPAN.

But Oyama now is of the new Japan—not only in public, but in private life. He has married a woman of his own class, and he has adopted the ways of the West in European clothes, and possesses to the fullest extent the liberties which are enjoyed by the women in most of the European countries. The present Marchioness Oyama was born Stenzel, a daughter of a daimio. She was born in 1859.

When she was 12 years old the government suddenly decided to send twenty-one young girls to the west to study. She was one of those selected. She was visiting her brother, a short distance from her home, when the edict reached her. She was given no choice in the matter. She was not even permitted to go back to her own home, but was taken from her brother's house and sent to America. She reached New England, where she was given a place in the home of the Rev. Dr. Leonard Bacon of the First Congregational church of New Haven. Here she staid for eight years, and attended the English language. In 1878 she entered Vassar college, from which she graduated in 1882. Her commencement oration was a remarkable essay on "British Policy Toward Japan."

She returned to her native land and shortly afterwards married Lieutenant General Oyama. From this marriage there resulted three children, two boys and one girl. The boys, as is natural, are to follow a military career.

KIND AND AMIABLE.

Far from being a hard eyed, shaggy browed general, as one might imagine, the hero of so many difficult campaigns is the kindest, most amiable old gentleman it would be possible to meet. He himself declares that he has no liking whatever for war, and that it is irony of fate, not personal inclination, which has made him the soldier he is today. Like most of Japan's great men, he is not rich in his world's good. He is far too liberal to amass a fortune. He has no property, but the Chinese war he bought provisions for his men and horses out of his own pocket rather than pillage the wretched homes along the route.

HELPS A MERCHANT.

One day, sitting in front of a cafe, he noticed a Japanese offering some beautiful fans at exceedingly low prices, lower even than the same article could be purchased in Japan. Beckoning the man to him, he asked how he could do it. He told him he was owing to illness, business had dropped off. He was unable to pay the rent, which would come due on the following day, so he and his wife, rather than lose all their stock, had decided to sell their goods. He was selling what articles he had on hand. The merchant had several important engagements on hand that afternoon, but he postponed all and hurried off with the unfortunate merchant. After thoroughly examining into matters he paid the rent, suggested the merchant to return to a business of the capital, and during the rest of his stay there did what he could to work up a clientele among his friends. From that day the merchant's affairs flourished and two years ago he died worth a nice round sum. By his will he left 6,000 of it to his benefactor.

General Kodama, Oyama's chief of staff, has been called the "brains of the Japanese army." He was chosen to his important position at Oyama's earnest request. Like his superior, the general also received much of his military education in Europe. In 1890 he made an extended tour through England, Germany, France and Switzerland, studying the different military systems. When peace was signed with China, Kodama was sent as governor general to Formosa, the new-acquired possession. Later events made his presence necessary at the ministry of war. Though he returned to take up his new post at Tokio, he did not relinquish the governorship, but worked day and night, supervising from afar the putting in a state of defense Japan's cumbersome colony.

CONFER WITH COMMISSION.

AUSTIN, Texas, Sept. 7.—Assistant General Superintendent Daniel G. St. Louis, and State Superintendent Russ, of the Pacific Express and G. A. Taft of Wells-Fargo, were here this morning conferring with the railway commission in reference to a trial of the cases against these companies filed by the state and now pending in the federal court.

St. Petersburg authorities today express themselves confident the critical stage of the Russian retreat is past and Kuropatkin is no longer in danger of losing any of his forces to the pursuing Japanese. It is also given out in St. Petersburg the bulk of Kuropatkin's army is now near Mukden, where it is taking up prepared positions, but a dispatch to the Associated Press from Mukden, filed yesterday, says the main Russian army was then pushing northward and evacuating Mukden.

JEWISH YEAR BOOK HAS BEEN ISSUED

NEW YORK, Sept. 7.—A Jewish year book just issued for the period from September 10, 1904 to September 23, 1905, the Jewish year 5665, contains statistics showing that the Hebrew population of the world is now 10,932,777. Of this number Russia has 5,189,401; Austria-Hungary 2,075,378, and the United States, 1,253,218. Germany comes next with 586,948 and then Turkey with 466,351. Of the 600,000 Jews credited to the state of New York about 500,000 are residents of New York city.

OPENING SESSION KNIGHTS TEMPLARS

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 7.—The preliminary meeting of the grand encampment of the Knights Templars was held today. The opening address of welcome was delivered by Governor Pardee of California on behalf of the Knights of the state. He was followed by Mayor Schmitz on behalf of the city of San Francisco. Routine of the first meeting consisted of appointing committees to handle many questions which will come before the grand lodge of officers on its current evening of the week and also upon the work of the last three years and referred to committees.

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We found a manufacturers' jobber in a tight place—where he was compelled to close out at a loss. These Gloves are the result of our purchase—don't wait—if you come early you can find any shade you want in a glove.

LIVELY—MILLINERY

New Hats, even before these new street hats were opened the demand started. Now the interest every day increases, and sees our millinery room crowded with women.

Perhaps the new Chenille Hiawatha shapes will interest you; \$2.75 to \$5.00 And an array of Silk and Chenille, also some in taffeta have many admirers among the neat dressers that don't care for extremes and style, \$3.50 to \$5.00

NEW VEILS

New Circular Veils—no matter what shade or color, if it is not here, we will make it from our immense stock of veiling, \$1.00 and \$1.25

HOUSEKEEPERS! WHITE QUILTS

A dollar Quilt—better dollar quilts than you usually get for a dollar, but good quilts, without any artificial starch or filling to give them false weight. The demand was so great that we could not keep a supply on hand before. Come and get your supply at a dollar apiece before they are all gone.

NOVELTY HANDKERCHIEFS—Something New

For sofa pillows, dusting caps, kimonos, aprons, wall pockets, lamp shades, laundry bags and a thousand and one other uses for home ornamentation, 8c or 2 for 15¢

DRESS GOODS—New

New Crepon in invisible plaids, 45 inches wide, rich, and its beautiful colorings, surely the most exacting should be pleased with this at \$2.00 per yard.

Scotch Plaids, in blues, greens and grays, with occasional dainty splashes of brilliant colors, just enough to relieve the rich plainness and give the snap to them that is so charming, for \$1.25

Zibeline has not lost a friend, and here they are in blues, greens and browns, \$1.25 values for \$1.15 New Mohair, figured or plain, and they are going to be worn just as much and perhaps more—shades of green, grays or black, 50c and 75c

NEW TAILORED SUITS AND SKIRTS

Today we open hundreds of New Wraps, New Suits, New Skirts, Peau de Soie Silks, Taffetas, Cheviots, Worsteds and other new mannish cloths. Now you can satisfy yourself as to the new styles. Suits for fall—they are on exhibition. Skirts, \$5.00 to \$7.50

Peau de Soie Skirts, \$7.50, \$10.00 and \$20.00 Taffeta Silk Skirts, \$5.00, \$8.00 and \$15.00 Street Skirts, \$3.50, \$5.00 to \$7.50

NEW SILK COATS

Made of Peau de Soie, in the short and three-quarter lengths, with the stole effect and strap backs, \$6.50 and \$11.00

10c Muslin, bleached 7 1/2c 10c Chambray 5c Standard C 4c

LARGE NUMBER OF PUPILS ARE EXPECTED

It Is Believed There Will Be Five Hundred in the State Deaf and Dumb Institute This Year

AUSTIN, Texas, Sept. 7.—Superintendent B. F. McNulty of the deaf and dumb institute stated last evening that the institution would open for the fall term on September 21. Last scholastic year there were 450 pupils in the institution, but Superintendent McNulty stated that the indications this session point to a much larger attendance, in fact he declared that it would be a hard matter to accommodate the number who are applying for admission.

He expects at least 500 for this session. The pupils are still at their respective homes. They will be mobilized at Houston, Fort Worth, Dallas, and other points and brought to Austin a day or two before the time for the opening of the institution. They will be brought here on special cars.

NEW CHARTERS FILED.

The following charters, amendments to charters and permits of corporations to do business in Texas have been approved and filed for record in the state department:

H. L. M. Oil company, of Houston, capital stock, \$25,000. Purpose, to prospect for and develop oil and other mineral lands. The incorporators are T. W. House, John Lovejoy and Harry Master-son of Houston.

Lohn Oil company of Beaumont, capital stock, \$10,000. Purpose, producing petroleum, gas and other minerals. The incorporators are J. D. Crawford, Marshall, Ed. Bremer, Dallas; W. T. Campbell, Lompas.

The Port Arthur Rice and Milling company of Port Arthur, filed an amendment to its charter increasing its capital stock from \$100,000 to \$200,000.

The Burial League of the United States, Camden, New Jersey, has been granted a permit to do business in Texas with its headquarters in Austin. The object of the league is to make contracts with individuals for defraying all expense and

labor of interment or cremation of deceased persons. The Southern Furniture company was also granted a permit to do business in this state. This company is located at Pine Bluff, Ark., has a capital stock of \$25,000. Houston is its Texas headquarters.

COUNTY TAX ROLLS.

The comptroller has received the tax rolls of the following counties for the year 1904. A comparison of the taxable values for the past two years shows increase or decrease as per the following figures:

Cochran county values for 1903, \$332,232-1904, \$241,522; decrease, \$90,710. Lubbock county values for 1903, \$1,146,629; 1904, \$1,351,894; increase, \$205,265. Hockley county values for 1903, \$196,245; 1904, \$382,740; increase, \$186,495. Uppur county values for 1903, \$2,743,300; 1904, \$2,857,170; increase, \$113,870. Freestone county values for 1903, \$3,662,855; 1904, \$3,352,650; decrease, \$310,195.

A TRAGEDY AT THE CONFEDERATE HOME

One of the Veterans Endeavored to Act as Peacemaker and a Blow With a Chair Causes His Death

AUSTIN, Texas, Sept. 7.—While acting in the capacity of peacemaker, C. H. Lyster, a Confederate veteran, and an inmate of the Confederate home, was struck with a chair on the head and face yesterday afternoon which resulted in his death last evening about 8 o'clock. John Rotley, also a Confederate veteran and inmate of the home, is in jail charged with the murder of Lyster.

It appears that Rotley and another old soldier named Eb became involved in a quarrel about a door at the home which was closed and one word led to another until a personal encounter seemed inevitable. It was at that time that Lyster attempted to separate the men. He went between them and tried to keep them apart. This seemed to anger Rotley and he grabbed a chair which was near at hand and struck Lyster a fierce blow on the face, cutting a deep gash on the cheek under the eye. This blow was followed by another, however, which punctured the skull. Lyster fell to the floor unconscious. He was picked up and carried to his room where he was given medical attention.

It was not thought that his injuries would prove fatal. As he was not a physician at the home in the absence of Dr. Joe Gilbert, was summoned, as was also Dr. T. J. Bennett. They gave the old man all the attention possible, but they pronounced the wounds very serious. All this time Lyster had not regained consciousness, but continually grew worse. At 6:30 o'clock he was in a dying condition and never rallied, with the exception that a short time prior to his death, he seemed to recognize those about him. But it was only for a brief period.

Immediately after the tragedy the police department was notified and officers hurried to the home. As he was not thought that the injuries of old man Lyster were serious, the officer hesitated about arresting Rotley, but after ascertaining that the condition of Lyster was serious, it was decided to place Rotley under arrest. He had, however, left the home and came to town. He was soon found and taken to Justice Johnson's court where a charge of assault was placed against him. He was then locked in the county jail.

As soon as Lyster died, the charge was changed from a simple assault to that of murder. Lyster was 65 years of age and came to the Confederate home about two years ago from Galveston. He had no relatives. Inquiry at the home developed that he was one of the quietest and most inoffensive inmates of the home. He was well liked by all his old comrades.

Rotley is 78 years of age, although very active and vigorous for a man of his years. He was a new comer to the home, having been there only about two or three weeks. Little is known of him. The coroner, John Johnson, acting in the capacity of coroner, held an inquest over the body of Lyster last night, which is not as yet completed, but Judge Johnson stated that it will be in accordance with the facts in the case; that the deceased came to his death as the result of a blow on the head and on the cheek bone with a chair in the hands of the accused.

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WEATHER FORECAST

Varying cloudy and clear weather prevailed all over the state yesterday. Rainfall in general was light except along the coast, 1.24 inches falling at Galveston and 1.54 inches at Corpus Christi. Reports this morning state that the rain still continues along the coast.

Showers are also reported as falling yesterday at Abilene, Ballinger, Beeville, Blanco, Brownwood, Kerrville, Longview. A precipitation of .18 inches also occurred at San Antonio. The temperature throughout the state has been generally lower as a rule. At Amarillo the mercury went as low as 54 and at Paris a minimum temperature of 61 is reported.

FORECAST The forecast for Texas east of the one hundredth meridian, issued at New Orleans, is as follows: East Texas—Tonight and Thursday, fair, except probably showers on the coast.

WEATHER CONDITIONS D. S. Landis issued the following statement of weather conditions this morning: High pressure areas are noted over the middle Atlantic states, and over the upper Mississippi valley, generally clear weather and cool conditions. Low pressure is over the upper Missouri and over the extreme southwest.

Cloudy conditions prevail over the lakes, and along the immediate gulf coast. Rain is falling this morning at Corpus Christi and Galveston and Corpus Christi since last report. Foggy

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conditions prevail about the great lakes. The cotton belt is generally clear except on the gulf coast and in portions of Alabama and Georgia. Rainfall has been slight during the past 24 hours. Temperatures have increased but little. Texas is partly cloudy to clear, and a few showers are reported from several points.

WEATHER RECORD Following is the weather record for the last twenty-four hours—minimum and maximum temperature, wind in miles per hour at 3 a. m. and rain in inches:

Table with columns: Stations, Min. Max. Wind. Rain. Rows include Atlanta, Chicago, Denver, Memphis, New Orleans, Omaha, Dallas, Phoenix, Pittsburgh, St. Louis, Santa Fe.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN

Following is the weather record for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 a. m., seventy-fifth meridian time, Wednesday, September 7, 1904:

Table with columns: Stations, Max. Min. Rain. State. Rows include Abilene, Ballinger, Beeville, Blanco, Brenham, Brownwood, Corpus Christi, Corsicana, Dallas, Houston, Dublin, Fort Worth, Galveston, Greenville, Hearne, Houston, Huntsville, Kerrville, Lampasas, Longview, Memphis, Palestine, Paris, San Antonio, San Marcos, Sherman, Tyler, Waco, Waxahatchie, Weatherford, Wharton.

REMARKS

Texas is partly cloudy to clear with temperatures a little below normal, though increasing over yesterday. Rainfall during the past twenty-four hours has been slight except along the coast, where rains were heavy and still falling.

Official in Charge. FOREST FIRES BURN PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 7.—A forest fire of threatening proportions is burning in the timber within one mile of Holbrook Station, a settlement on Northern railroad, fourteen miles north of Portland. The residents of that place have been fighting the fire since Monday morning but the flames have not been checked.

INVEST TEN CENTS IN A CAN OF WALKER'S RED HOT CHILE CON CARNE. There is nothing equal to it on the face of the globe. For sale by all grocers.

DR. COTTON IN A DISCUSSION OF SOCIALISM

He Commends the Magnificent Address of Col. Wynne, But Makes a Suggestion or Two at Variance

To the Editor of The Telegram. I am afraid your readers will say that I am "fat again"; but when there is something to say and nobody to say it, "la' sakes o' me" (as Mrs. Grundy used to say) what is a man to do?

Our public spirited fellow citizen, Colonel R. M. Wynne in his masterly address (for it was masterly one) to the labor people last Monday perpetrated (as it seems to me) a faux pas, when he called socialism an "impracticable dream."

Now, there are a great many objections to socialism, I know. It may be an unjust attack on the very "holy and sacred" rights of private property. It may be the most expensive way in the world of righting its wrongs. It may be inconsistent with the principles of American liberty. It may be made impracticable as a reality by the necessity of public office seekers and office holders. It may be a premium on individual lack of energy, and hinder that individual strife after excellence which competition is said to be the best way of promoting. It may be all this—and something worse.

But how it can be called "an impracticable dream," I fail to see. When we call to mind the fact that we have it here in the midst of us, as a practically and successfully working reality, and that in some other countries this is more truly the case than in our own, where is "the impracticable dreaminess" of it? Every day of our lives the mail man comes to our doors as a reminder of its existence in the socialistic management of the postoffice, and considering the fact that it is not a "holy and sacred" right of private property, it is wonderful how little "kicking" there is. The government management of the telegraphs in England is to my knowledge (and this is practical) infinitely more satisfactory both to the public and the telegraphists than the management of the telegraphs in this country at the hands of the Western Union and the Postal. It would be interesting to your readers if they could find time to study the two systems comparatively.

The management of the railroads in Germany is said to be, notwithstanding much against it, satisfactory on the whole. Let me say that I am not writing in the interests of any political party. The socialists did not condemn me to invite them to their meeting last week, nor do I think I should have appeared on their platform if they had. Probably a minister of religion had better let politics alone. But as the minister of a religion which holds a socialistic conception of its supreme object of worship, and also a socialistic theory of the great gospel facts of atonement and redemption, I feel naturally taken aback when I find one of our most thoughtful citizens setting his face against the divine principle as an "impracticable dream."

However to come down again to reality. We are living in a city that is socially supplied with water, and that all praise given to Mayor Powell and his co-workers for the way in which this has been managed. One of our principal streets during the past year was socially paved, and though there has been some complaining about asking the question whether it had been done individually or competitively it would have been better done. Socialistic provision has been made for the people's literary education in the form of the Carnegie public library, and there does not seem to be anything "impracticable" or "dreamy" in the working of that.

Nor can we forget that we live in a state whose founders, with sublime sagacity made one of the most splendid socialistic provision in the world for the education of her sons and daughters in the public schools and University of Texas; in which the path from the most remote rural school in the country district to our well-equipped state university, and Austin and Galveston is uninterrupted and complete, giving a chance to the children of rich and poor alike of making of themselves individually all that the grace of the good Lord Almighty has made possible. No impracticable dream there surely, brethren; but practically proved—and to be found more so as the years roll on!

An impracticable dream! No, sir. The more I think of it, the more I feel that "Colonel Wynne for the moment forgot himself."

That a gentleman of this caliber, whose excellent wife invoked the aid of the socialistic principle this summer to provide the people with music in our public (or socialistic) park; should stand before a company of workers who have successfully applied the socialistic principle in the form of trades unions, and have reason to inquire whether a further extension (and perhaps a universalization) of the principle which has done so much for their material salvation—and tell them that "socialism is an impracticable dream," seems, to say the least of it, rather funny.

Hoping that I am not taking advantage of your good nature, I am, Faithfully yours, ROBERT HAMMOND COTTON, Rector of Trinity, Fort Worth, September 7.

A CONVERSATION BY THE WIRELESS

The wireless telegraph instruments in Fort Worth and Dallas had a little private conversation through about 22 miles of air yesterday evening between 8:30 and 9 o'clock. Several messages were sent from Fort Worth to the receiving station at 352 Main street, Dallas. The test yesterday was only a preliminary one to prepare for the formal opening of the system which will be held shortly. H. E. Atheam is the wireless operator at Dallas. Atheam only recently returned from China, where he was connected with a wireless outfit employed in sending news of the struggle in the Far East. Captain Mary Becker Greene is the only woman steamboat master plying the waters of the Mississippi and Ohio. She's the only woman pilot.

A CLEAN SWEEP AT THE Daylight Store

A small lot of Men's Shirts, well made shirts, good fitting shirts; shirts that won't fade; shirts we have sold all the season for 60c and 68c, now 49¢. In each department many new things are arriving daily from our Eastern buyer and are marked at the lowest possible price. Call and keep yourselves posted.

G.Y. SMITH EIGHTH & HOUSTON

EIGHTH AVENUE EXTENSION IS BUILDING SEARCH FOR A LADY WHO IS MISSING

General Manager Haines Says the New Line Will Be Finished According to the Ordinance Is Believed She Has Met With an Accident or Foul Play, and Relatives Are Trying to Find a Clew

General Manager Haines of the Northern Texas Traction Company stated to The Telegram this morning that work was progressing nicely on the Eighth avenue extension, and that the poles are being put in position. Asked when the company intended to begin construction of the extension Manager Haines said he could not say. "The line must be completed and in operation within six months from the passage of the ordinance by the city council granting the company a franchise to build the line," said Mr. Haines. "This being the case the extension will not long be delayed as there is only about time between this date and the expiration of the six months."

The Eighth avenue line will begin at Seventh street and Summit avenue and will be two miles long when completed. Mr. Haines said six new cars were shipped from the factory on September 1 and should be here by now. There has been delay in their arrival from some unknown cause. "You can say that the Northern Texas Traction Company does not now contemplate building a line to Mineral Wells," said Mr. Haines when apprised of the rumor that his company was expected to make this extension. The husband, Hamp Conner, came to Fort Worth to meet the wife, but did not find her. He then went to Hillsboro and Taylor, where the woman has relatives, thinking perhaps she had decided to go to one of these two places, but found that she had been at neither place. Friends at Alvarado, Hillsboro, Quannah and Files Valley have started out in a systematic search for the lady over the territory between Quannah and Alvarado, but have so far found no clew. The lady is described as being a more than ordinarily pretty woman of 19 years of age, but not looking over 17, wearing when last seen a white street hat, black walking skirt and white waist. She has black hair, black eyes and fair complexion and weighs about 125 pounds. F. M. Ivy of Keene is in the city today and has asked Chief Rea to assist him in finding the missing woman. He stated the woman's husband is at Files Valley after a trip over the entire route the woman would have traveled, if she had completed the trip, disheartened and almost frantic with grief. There is a supposition that she has either met with foul play or an accident.

THE COACH EXCURSIONS It is confidently expected by local passenger and ticket agents that the sale of tickets for the next coach excursions September 10 and 11 will be a record-breaker, as many people are now arranging for the trip. These tickets are to be sold to Kansas City as well as to St. Louis. In the past these excursions have been well patronized from Texas, but the coming excursions bid fair to be the largest of their kind out of the state.

WATERMELON FESTIVAL. The people of Dalhart are making elaborate preparations for the coming watermelon festival and barbecue to be held September 14 and 15. For this event the Rock Island will sell tickets at the rate of one fare for the round trip. These tickets will be on sale September 13 and 14, limited to September 16. The Denver Road has also authorized a low rate for this occasion.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR CONVENTION The Fort Worth Christian Endeavor district convention will be held this year at Mineral Wells September 20 to October 2, inclusive. There will be quite a large number of Fort Worth members attending the meeting. The railroads have authorized a round trip rate on the convention plan. The Rock Island will sell tickets for this event September 23 and 30, limited to October 4.

TIME IS CHANGED The passenger schedule of the International and Great Northern has been changed. Train No. 2 now arrives in Fort Worth at 9:10 instead of 8:55. Train No. 8 reaches here at 11:35 instead of 12:45. Train No. 1 will in the future be known as No. 11 and No. 2 as No. 12.

BULL FIGHTERS IN ST. LOUIS ARRESTED

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 7.—Acting under the express orders of Attorney General Crow, representing the state of Missouri, Sheriff Hencken of St. Louis county, has arrested three of the toradors who have been participating in a series of bull fights, inaugurated last Sunday, in an arena near the World's Fair grounds. The arrests were made in the arena just before the finish of an exhibition. The men, Felix Roberts, Enrique Acuna and Lonto Gordita, were admitted to bail.

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SPECIAL FOR THURSDAY! Sale of White Crocheted Quilts

Thursday and longer, if the lot lasts, there will be a sale on at this store of crocheted and real Marseilles Quilts, white and some colored.

The comparative prices herein tabulated tell their own story of economy, as the greater in every instance is the lowest price at which that particular quilt has heretofore sold for.

Of every number advertised, we have a reasonable quantity, but it is in your interest that we suggest that you come early—disappointments may thereby be avoided.

- The Best 80c White Quilt For 59c
The Best 90c White Quilt For 75c
The Best 1.25 White Quilt For 1.00
The Best 2.00 Colored Quilt For 1.50
The Best 2.25 White Quilt For 1.75

Not Over Three to a Buyer

19c for Cotton Waistworth up to \$1.00
98c for Silk Waists worth up to \$4.00

Of the first lot there are nearly all sizes in white and colored Wash Waists. This is a final clean-up of the summer stock.

The Silk Waists at 98c are of taffeta silk, in black and colors, nearly every size. They are also carried over styles, but not one of them worth less than twice the price we will sell them for Thursday.

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Market Quotations

NORTH FORT WORTH, Sept. 7.—Supplies of cattle were only moderate today. Receipts, with about thirty-five cars in the pens and but few drive-ins, figured close around 1,400 head.

TODAY'S RECEIPTS
Cattle 1,400
Hogs 500
TOP PRICES TODAY
Steers \$3.50
Cows 2.50
Calves 4.50
Hogs 5.50

TODAY'S SHIPPERS
CATTLE
Smith & McCaughey, Lindsay 27
J. W. Scott, Rhome 71
O. E. McEath, Peaty 61
C. B. Connor, Jacksboro 26
J. D. R. Denton 36
L. H. Clannish, San Antonio 195
W. J. Slaughter, Pearsall 69
D. B. Little, Pearsall 23
M. Taylor, Pearsall 28
J. W. Freeland, Godley 28
Maston & McD., Penelope 68
M. Lewis, Novina 33
J. M. Lewis, St. Joe 26
Huggins, Ringgold 66
W. L. Wray, Terrell 24
W. C. Barlow, Adlington 27
R. Morton, Ryan 37
F. Lindsay, Adlington 49
J. T. Chelp, Comanche 32
O. Calvert, Duncan 34
Chism & Graham, Marlow 26
Greenland Bros., Clinton 28
J. M. Moorhouse, Kaufman 21
J. M. Pollard, Ardmore 32
W. L. Clark, Gainesville 40
J. R. Crouch, Granite 67
C. Hart, Granite 33
HOGS
W. Moore, Money Grove 79
Robb & Ford, Ennis 28
H. A. Langdon, Leonard 61
W. C. Pool, Blum 74
W. J. Ward, Richland 57
C. Akers, Dawson 84
J. J. Beaham, Medina 74
O. Colbert, Duncan, I. T. 70

REPRESENTATIVE SALES
STEERS
No. Ave. Price. No. Ave. Price.
22.....1,165 \$3.50 22.....1,165 \$3.50
23.....1,165 3.50 1.....620 1.50
49.....1,063 3.00 23.....1,003 2.65
23.....1,003 2.65 23.....930 2.49
37.....979 2.85 31.....851 2.65
27.....981 2.80
COWS
No. Ave. Price. No. Ave. Price.
30.....778 \$1.90 2.....819 \$2.65
5.....745 2.00 1.....260 3.75
9.....691 1.65 7.....807 1.90
27.....840 1.65 24.....807 1.95
7.....861 1.75 1.....1,100 2.50
28.....706 2.00 13.....718 1.50
3.....776 1.90 28.....734 1.65
10.....887 2.35 12.....746 1.65
17.....770 1.60 18.....787 2.20
3.....696 1.75 32.....771 1.70
4.....760 1.85 34.....765 2.00
4.....737 1.35 3.....640 2.25
30.....728 1.60 1.....760 1.50
HEIFERS
No. Ave. Price. No. Ave. Price.
1.....620 \$1.40 1.....620 \$1.00
1.....1,130 \$1.75 8.....1,062 \$1.90
28.....1,003 2.35
CALVES
No. Ave. Price. No. Ave. Price.
2.....175 \$4.25 2.....286 \$3.00
1.....300 3.75 1.....260 3.75
7.....180 4.25 1.....208 3.25
1.....220 4.25 45.....232 3.50
65.....313 1.10 2.....250 3.00
1.....320 4.35 5.....184 2.50
52.....287 2.35 12.....746 1.65
25.....214 3.50 4.....258 2.5
5.....350 1.50 2.....230 2.75
1.....210 4.00 61.....207 4.25
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SPECIAL STOCK TRAIN
The special stock trains which were so successfully run by the Denver road from Amarillo to Fort Worth last year, will again be inaugurated, beginning Sunday, September 11, the first train arriving here for the early market Monday morning.

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receipts of the same time last year. Today. Last yr.
Galveston 9,704 1,441
New Orleans 1,304 808
Mobile 286
Savannah 6,038
Charles 1,224
Wilmington 250
Total 19,053 8,091
Houston 7,890 936

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS Tomorrow. Last Year.
New Orleans 700 to 1,000 824
Galveston 10,500 to 11,500 1,880
Houston 9,500 to 10,500 2,690

NEW YORK FUTURES (By Private Wire to M. H. Thomas & Co.)
NEW YORK, Sept. 7.—The market in cotton today was quiet.
Following is the range in quotations:
Open High Low Close
September 10.22 10.45 10.22 10.34-36
October 10.18 10.25 10.17 10.25-26
November 10.23 10.32 10.22 10.29-31
January 10.40 10.54 10.35 10.49-50
March 10.43 10.60 10.41 10.56-58
May 10.61 10.65 10.47 10.60-62

NEW YORK SPOTS (By Private Wire to M. H. Thomas & Co.)
NEW YORK, Sept. 7.—The spot cotton market was quiet.
Prices and receipts were as follows:
Today Yesterday
Middling 11.25 11.10
Sales 780 411

NEW ORLEANS FUTURES (By Private Wire to M. H. Thomas & Co.)
NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 7.—The market was steady.
Following is the range in quotations:
Open High Low Close
September 10.22 10.45 10.22 10.34-36
October 10.18 10.25 10.17 10.25-26
November 10.23 10.32 10.22 10.29-31
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NEW ORLEANS SPOTS (By Private Wire to M. H. Thomas & Co.)
NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 7.—The spot cotton market today was quiet.
Prices and receipts were as follows:
Today Yesterday
Middling 10.11-16 10.13-16
F. o. b. 1.106 500
Sales 1,050 299
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GRAIN
CHICAGO, Sept. 7.—Wheat—Market 1/4 to 3/8 higher. The close was a little easy and the market did not hold more than half the day's advance.

CHICAGO, Sept. 7.—Cattle—Receipts, 12,000; market strong; beefs, \$3.75@4.15; cows and heifers, \$1.50@1.75; stockers and feeders, \$2@3.50.

FOREIGN MARKETS
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CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS
CHICAGO, Sept. 7.—The grain and provision markets ranged in prices today as follows:

ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK
ST. LOUIS, Sept. 7.—Cattle—Receipts, 5,000; half Texans; market strong; steers, \$1.45@1.90; stockers and feeders, \$2.25@3.65; cows and heifers, \$1.75@2.75.

COTTON
LIVERPOOL SPOTS (By Private Wire to M. H. Thomas & Co.)
LIVERPOOL, Sept. 7.—The cotton market opened with a quiet tone today.

STOCKS
NEW YORK STOCKS (By Private Wire to M. H. Thomas & Co.)
NEW YORK, Sept. 7.—Stocks opened and closed as follows on the New York Stock Exchange today:

PORT RECEIPTS (By Private Wire to M. H. Thomas & Co.)
Receipts at cotton at the leading accumulative centers, compared with the

IT SAVED HIS LEG
P. A. Danforth of LaGrange, Ga., suffered for six months with a frightful running sore on his leg; but writes that Buckley's Arnica Salve wholly cured it in five days.

CITY BRIEFS
Nash Hardware Company. Queen Quality Starch. Picture frames at Brown & Vera's. Cut flowers at Drumm's. Phone 101.

Dr. F. D. Thompson has moved into his new offices in the Fort Worth Nat. Bank building, Fifth and Main.
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Attend Prof. Foot's Academy Grand Opening Ball, Wednesday night, Sept. 7.
Miss Elizabeth McLean has returned home after visiting in the north.

Mrs. W. I. Richards of Quanah is the guest of Mrs. H. E. Gray.
J. W. Manning of Albany was in the city yesterday.

C. L. Waggoner, a cattleman of Vernon, is in Fort Worth.
C. H. Bencie, a cattle feeder of Brownwood, is in town.

A. B. Bush of Colorado, Texas, is in Fort Worth.
C. H. White, a real estate man of Vernon, was in the city yesterday.

F. P. Neville of Henrietta was in the city yesterday.
R. B. Pyron of Amarillo was in town yesterday.

L. M. Mann and wife have returned from St. Louis.
T. H. Friedly, a Bowie merchant, was in the city yesterday on business.

J. C. Simmons of Osceola, Texas, was in the city yesterday.
J. A. Beckell of Keller, Texas, was in Fort Worth on business yesterday.

Dr. A. F. Scott of Euless, Texas, was a visitor in town yesterday.
J. H. Williams of Oak Grove was a visitor in Fort Worth yesterday.

G. W. Hodges of Drop, Texas, was in the city yesterday.
L. G. Gilbert is a business caller in Dallas today.

P. C. Preston of Denison was a caller in the city this morning.
N. L. King of Weatherford is in the city.

Mrs. E. C. Perry and children of Mineral Wells, are visiting in the city.
Miss Lena Rosenstein is a social visitor in Dallas today.

James Towne of Cleburne was a caller here last night.
H. O. Dawson of Sherman was a business caller in the city last evening.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tucker, 723 Allen avenue, a girl, on September 3.
Go to Boaz for your new and second-hand school books and supplies.

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Prices that have a ring of economy to every careful buyer. Come to the store if you would have the story in full.

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Our entire line of Lawns that sold for 25c a yard; none sold for less than 20c are in this lot. Fancy Lawns in light grounds, with the newest printings of the season and Lace Lawns in solid colors; all have been reduced to..... 7 1/2c

Just Get The Delineator For October
the lake and the World's Fair.
J. J. Northington, the operator at the joint track yard office of the Texas and Pacific, has gone to Galveston with his wife for a two weeks' vacation.

The revival meetings being conducted by Rev. Mr. Whitehurst for the Missouri Avenue Methodist church will be closed Sunday night.
Charles Decker Watson, son of Mr. Watson of the Delaware, has gone to Arlington, where he enters the Carlisle military school for the winter.

The meeting to arrange for the proposed banquet of the Frat. men at City Engineer Hawley's office has been postponed until Friday night, owing to his absence from the city.
The first big shipment of Colorado "spuds" reached the city over the Denver last evening from Colorado. Eighteen cars came in over that road for Texas points.

Workmen have started on the superstructure of the Missouri Avenue church. The building is to have a veneer of yellow brick and will present a handsome appearance when completed.
Jasper T. Moses of Indianapolis, who is to be the missionary of the Christian church in Monterey, Mex., was here yesterday, the guest of Rev. E. G. Inman of the Tabernacle.

Miss Mary B. Hill, secretary of the Young Women's Christian Association of Madras, India, is visiting relatives in the city. Miss Hill has lived in India for the past seven years.
The Ladies' Aid Society of the Christian Tabernacle is to give a reception Thursday afternoon from 3 to 6, in the church parlors. It is to be a monthly tea.

Raymond Reimers left last evening for a visit at Rock Island, Ill., and nearby towns from where he will go to Princeton, N. J., where he is to finish his university course this season.
Mrs. W. T. Camp and Miss Bessie Wombwell will go from St. Louis to Baltimore, where she will enter the Woman's College.

Former Lieutenant Governor J. N. Browning of Amarillo, was in town yesterday at the World's Fair.
W. J. Spillman, agrostologist, United States department of agriculture, is registered at the World's Fair.
A. B. Taylor, a merchant of Johnson Station, was in the city yesterday on business.

John E. Homan has returned from a visit to Colorado, where Mrs. Homan is spending the summer.
W. R. Brodbery of Benbrook, a merchant, was in town yesterday on business.
Gentry Browne has returned from a visit with Bruce Hendricks on the ranch near San Angelo.

A. P. Bush, Jr., former president of the Texas Cattle Raisers' association, is stopping at the Delaware.
The Summer Dancng Season being over, Professor Foote will give dances every Wednesday and Saturday nights.
Judge T. H. Conner, accompanied by his daughters, Miss Annie and Frances, arrived home today after a fortnight's stay in St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Newell, at 1625 Hemphill street. Both the bride and groom are well known young people in Fort Worth social circles. They will leave on the Rock Island this evening for an extended trip in the north, returning by way of St. Louis, where they will spend a few days at the fair.

Abner Cobb, who joined the Albert Taylor Stock Company in this city, is getting nice press notices on his moving picture specialties. The company, which is showing at Galveston this week, has received some very favorable comment, and young Cobb has been given his share. Last Sunday, Albert Taylor, head of the stock company, took his company for a talky ride about Galveston, showing them all the points of interest.

The movement of produce such as potatoes, cabbage and other vegetables from Colorado to Texas is quite heavy. The shipments all come over the Denver road. This morning there were received in the yards of the Denver, thirty-five cars of this freight destined for some twenty-five different points in the state. The shipments were carried by fast freight, making the run from Texline, 452 miles, in thirty hours. During the last forty-eight hours the Denver has hauled to Texas from Colorado sixty cars of this character of freight. Thirty days ago Texas was shipping her produce to Colorado just as Colorado is doing to Texas.

COMMITTEE REPORT ON MEMBERSHIP
The investigating committee of Lee camp, Confederate Veterans, has completed its work after months of toil, and at a meeting held this morning a completed roster of those who will constitute the active members of the camp was passed upon.

The committee devoted itself to the out of the grand total membership, 504 men were shown to have given in their proper descriptive lists.
A member of the committee stated today that he was confident many others are eligible for membership in Lee camp, but on account of their neglect in filing a properly filled out list are not reported on favorably by the committee.

Colonel R. M. Wynne is chairman of the committee.
The report of the committee will be submitted to the camp at next Sunday's meeting for approval.

DEMOCRATIC EDITORS.
ESOPUS, N. Y., Sept. 7.—Judge Parker today devoted himself to the preparation of his reply to the speech to be delivered here Thursday on behalf of the Democratic editors who are expected to arrive shortly before noon tomorrow.

NEW YORK, Sept. 7.—Editors from all over the United States are here today, to be present at a national conference of democratic editors. They were provided with tickets for a banquet tonight and a trip to Esopus tomorrow. Each editor is also given a souvenir button, elegant pictures of Parker and Davis, and an old-fashioned quill pen. About one-third of the visitors were accompanied by their wives, who were also given tickets to Judge Parker's home.

DAMAGE TO COTTON.
TEMPLE, Texas, Sept. 7.—The rain here last night, while strictly local, turned out to be heavier and of more severity than at first supposed. In the eastern portion of the county reports are of great damage to cotton by a terrific hail storm that visited a zone of that country, completely prostrating cotton and beating it out where it passed.

A London firm advertises for mummies, which they use in the manufacture of paint.
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COLONEL WYNNE'S SPEECH

The speech delivered by Colonel Richard M. Wynne in this city on Labor Day has attracted much attention, and has been the subject of much favorable comment. Colonel Wynne is known throughout Texas as a broad-minded, patriotic citizen, with the courage of his honest convictions, and a deep thinker. He is always in line with the march of progress, and his sympathies are at all times with the masses. A study of the address made by him to organized labor Monday will serve to shed some light on the leading issues that will dominate the next state campaign, for the speaker is clearly in line with that element of the democratic party which believes the greatest menace confronting the people of Texas today is that of the steady and insidious encroachment of the corporate influence, as best depicted or represented by the railroads. He says openly and above board that the next great political fight that will be waged in Texas will be an effort to drive the railroads from the control of Texas politics.

Colonel Wynne began his address by giving organized labor his hearty endorsement, and advised the workmen of the country to stand together, not by deeds of violence and blood, but by organization and the intelligent use of an unpurchasable ballot. That advice is the kind that fits the present condition of affairs all over the country. As capital is organized and combined for the furtherance of its own interest, so should labor be organized and combined for legitimate purposes. In unity there is strength, and in discord and division there is weakness of the most pronounced kind. The hope for the future so far as this republic is concerned lies in the masses of its people. We all know what capital will do, for we see every day the most ample evidences of its workings. Then, it must be clear that the way to meet organization is through organization, and when Colonel Wynne told the representatives of organized labor in Fort Worth that they should continue to

stand together in an indissoluble union, he gave them advice that they should wear next their hearts. But he crowned it all when he said there must be no deeds of violence on the part of organized labor. Incidents of that kind in connection with the great packing house strike have served to alienate the sympathy of hundreds of thousands of good American citizens, who would otherwise have been in sympathy with the men who believe they were contending for their rights. The celebrated humorist, Josh Billings, once remarked that he would rather have a ragged one-dollar bill than the sympathy of the entire American people, but that sentiment is not a safe one under certain conditions.

The speaker pointed out that under the constitution the power of accomplishing needed reforms is placed in the hands of the masses, and when they fail to exercise that power they are to blame for the consequences. The ballot, in its purity, is the great power referred to. While some men show their indifference by remaining away from the polls when questions and issues of moment are to be determined, others permit themselves to be persuaded from their plain duty by the insidious plea of the spellbinder, who seeks to confuse them as well as convince them that his particular theory is the plan of salvation. He admonished his hearers to stand true to those leaders who are known to be true to the cause of the masses.

The remainder of Colonel Wynne's speech was pitched along political lines and is in line with the effort delivered by Governor Hogg at La Porte on Labor Day. It serves to show that the lines of battle two years hence are already being pitched, and one of the heaviest scraps in Texas political history is in prospect. The feeling among the men who are in touch with the situation is that the railroads have already set up the issue, and their reply is that they will welcome the opportunity to scourge them back from the commanding eminence they have seemingly attained. It was a great speech and a timely speech. It was as full of facts as an egg is of meat, and was clothed in such precise language that it could not be misunderstood. The deep earnestness of the speaker was well reflected in its delivery, and he was given rapt attention throughout.

There is going to be something done in Texas politics two years hence for the old guard is again to the front. The boys from the forks of the creek will also be in evidence, and it is a combination that never fails to win. Colonel Wynne has sounded the keynote of the campaign.

The tendency to drift into personalities in modern politics is so great that it is becoming manifest in the national campaign, and this is unfortunate, to say the least of it. Of course, it is all right to criticize the public actions of any public man, but the fact should be borne in mind that the democratic party is fighting measures and not men. So far as the personality of President Roosevelt has become merged into that of his party it is proper to fight Roosevelt. But the private life and character of the man are not issues in the campaign. Besides, The Telegram believes there is not a more honest man in America than Theodore Roosevelt, and there is certainly not a more courageous one. He is not the issue in this campaign and will not be. It is the Roosevelt policy that is the bane of the country today, and that fact should not be lost sight of.

The sultan of Turkey only escaped assassination a few days ago through the kindly offices of the coat of mail worn under his shirt. The attack on

the sick man was made by a Bosnian, who fired a pistol at close range. The commander of the faithful took refuge in hasty flight and his would-be slayer made his escape.

That educated Dallas negro Pullman car porter who wrote a note to a young white lady asking her to marry him, was no doubt influenced by the republican idea of social equality. The answer to that note will no doubt be a full-grown load of buckshot as soon as the sender is located.

According to late reports from Chicago, the packing house strikers are returning to their jobs on almost any kind of terms that can be arranged. The strikers killed their cause when they permitted those deeds of violence, many of which were inflicted upon helpless women.

The message of President Diaz to the Mexican congress, which is to be delivered on the sixteenth of the present month, will contain no reference to monetary reform. This is accepted in business circles as indicating that the adoption of the gold standard in Mexico has been indefinitely postponed.

The hope of reducing the democratic vote in Arkansas, indulged in by the republicans, seems to have been successful through the intemperate campaign utterances of Governor Davis. The falling off in the democratic vote is said to be about 10,000.

There is no question but that the less David B. Hill has to do with national politics this year the better will be the chances for the triumph of democracy. Hill methods are too much of the peanut order to find favor with the better element of his party.

Senator Fairbanks says that all laws have been enforced since Roosevelt has been president. And the fact that all the big trusts of the country are still doing business at the old stand, is a complete answer to the Fairbanks line of argument.

If the packing house people at the big market centers are short on "expert killers," why do they not import a few from Japan? The czar of all the Russias can furnish testimonials as to Japanese efficiency.

The retention of James K. Jones of Arkansas in an advisory capacity by the democratic national committee, is one of the strangest incidents of the campaign. Senator Jones was at the head of the party management during two of the most disastrous national campaigns in which it ever participated, and it is not safe to expect to gather eggs out of a last year's bird nest.

A citizen of Washington City has just been declared insane for the reason that he has persisted in the declaration that the federal government owes him a position. If every man in Texas who thinks he has a good job coming was jerked up on suspicion of the same sort it would result in a considerable thinning out of the population.

Jupiter Pluvius has resumed business at the old stand in Texas, and these early September rains mean much for the general prosperity of the state. The cotton crop will be benefited, the ground put in condition for fall ploughing, and winter grass assured for the cattle on the West Texas ranges.

Mrs. Federsen, the wife of a Gotham sausage maker, is suing for divorce on the ground that her husband beats her with bologna sausage. The court has the matter under advisement, and admits that it never before sausage a case.

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TEXAS NEWS BRIEFS

The municipal engineers of the state are in session at Houston.

The St. Mary's convent at Ennis opened yesterday.

Ex-Governor Hogg has gone to St. Louis to attend the World's Fair.

The State Association of Photographers are in session at Galveston.

The two Temple oil mills made their first runs yesterday.

Rev. A. C. Graves, one of the oldest ministers in Texas, died at his home at Gatesville yesterday.

A brakeman has been arrested at Smithville on a charge of maiming a conductor by biting off his nose.

Senator J. W. Bailey will deliver an address at Kaufman Thursday of this week.

The two Catholic schools at Marshall have opened for the year with splendid attendance.

Senator J. W. Bailey addressed a large number of people at Brownwood yesterday on the issues of the day.

Elder Jack of Commerce is to open a protracted meeting at Mount Vernon on September 11, under the auspices of the Christian church.

Tom O'Brien, a spectator at a game of ball at Greenville, had his leg broken by being caught under a platform which fell during the game.

The Kaufman County Bankers' Association was in session at Kaufman yesterday. They elected officers for the ensuing year.

The strike of the machinists of the International and Great Northern has been called off, the matter in dispute having been settled to the satisfaction of all.

Doc Adams, charged with the murder

of Hazelton at Batson, a week ago, has been given a preliminary trial and allowed half in the sum of \$5,000.

The North Texas Female College at Sherman opened yesterday with the largest matriculation in the history of the school.

Arthur Butler, aged 18, was thrown from a horse near Canton yesterday and died a short time afterward from his injuries.

Sheriff T. M. Beverly of McKinney has brought back from California J. E. McCallum, who was indicted by the last grand jury on a charge of bigamy.

The public schools at Cameron were opened yesterday with a faculty of fourteen white and three colored persons as teachers.

Bids have been received and the contract let for the erection of a handsome new depot at El Paso, to be built by all the roads entering the city.

The members of the Waco Humane Society are making preparations to prosecute all persons killing game for the markets this fall.

A royal welcome was extended to the new president of the Trinity University at Waco yesterday, when the college opened with appropriate ceremonies.

The revival which has been in session for the past two weeks at Brownwood, under the Methodists, has closed with over sixty converts made during the meetings.

At Mart Tuesday, while playing with some little children, Johnnie, the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Campbell, was instantly killed by falling on the blade of a knife, which pierced the heart.

The plant of the Central Asphalt and Refining Company of Fort Nechez was sold at Beaumont yesterday by Special Master D. A. Bliss to General S. T. Carces of Memphis, for \$50,000.

The Texas State Builders' Exchange is to meet at Waco on the 12th instant, for the purpose of considering the price of material and other things of interest to

the association.

Miss May Ellen Goods, the daughter of an industrious farmer near Marlin, was assaulted near there Monday evening and a posse has captured a negro supposed to have been the one who committed the crime.

The carmen employed by the Houston and Texas Central at Denison are about to declare a strike on account of a number of grievances which they have against the company and which the company will not remedy.

Walter Earle, charged with the killing of Policeman Maddox at Corsicana, yesterday waived examination before a justice of the peace and was remanded to the county jail to await the action of the grand jury.

In order to encourage farmers living in the vicinity of Belton to bring their cotton to Belton to have it ginned and sold on the market, the ginners have united to give the farmers prizes as inducements for bringing it long distances to this market.

A negro, Henry Mosely, was put in jail at Bryan Tuesday evening, charged with the murder of another negro near there.

Burkeon College opened at Greenville Tuesday with an excellent program of music and speaking and a fine attendance.

Professor E. McBay of Chillicothe, one of the most prominent men of that community, was accidentally shot by the discharge of his own gun, while on the lookout for chicken thieves on Monday evening, the entire top of his head being blown away.

Three district Labor Day celebrations were held at San Antonio yesterday. Celebrations were also held at Houston, where Governor Hogg spoke, Denton, Smithville, Sherman, Tyler, Denison, Greenville, Terrell, Weatherford, Marshall and Waco. The celebration planned at El Paso was stopped by the heavy rain at that place.

WEATHERFORD SCHOOLS

WEATHERFORD, Texas, Sept. 6.—The public schools opened yesterday. Professor Thomas W. Stanley, principal of the high school, is attending to the superintendent's duties during the illness of Superintendent Henry G. Reed.

The enrollment at the different buildings are as follows: Central building, 352; First ward, 168; Second ward, 170; Fourth ward, 201; total, 889. At the colored school, with Professor G. P. Lewis as principal, the enrollment shows 45.

The Texas Female Seminary opened this morning. Professor Logan, the newly elected president, was installed into his office. All the faculty were present. Misses Adams and English entertained the patrons and students with a piano and reading selections, respectively. The day train brought in several new students and tomorrow several more are expected to arrive.

The Hughey & Turner school will open some time in the near future.

NEW GOVERNOR INAUGURATED ARMORE, I. T., Sept. 7.—In the presence of both houses of the Chickasaw legislature, D. H. Johnston was inaugurated governor of the Chickasaw nation. The oath of office was administered by County Judge R. L. Boyd.

The Chickasaw senate perfected organization by the election of Martin Cheadle of Tishomingo, president; Oscar White of Tishomingo, secretary; George Colbert of Stoneville, interpreter; Robert Humes of Woodville, sergeant at arms.

The legislature will remain in session indefinitely.

WORKING OVERTIME Eight hour laws are ignored by those tireless, little workers—Dr. King's New Life Pills. Millions are always at work, night and day, curing indigestion, biliousness, constipation, Sick Headache and all Stomach, Prer and Bowel troubles. Easy, pleasant, safe, sure. Only 25c at Matt S. Blanton's, Reeves' Pharmacy, W. J. Fisher's, drug stores.

THE PRINCESS ROBERTS EVELYN

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Roger sat watching the woman he had come to Woodbourne to see. She was the center of a group of young people who were discussing the details of a euchre party at the other end of the piazza. As Roger's glance wandered past them and across low, fertile fields to the blue hills beyond there swept over him a realization of the absurdity of coming to the country to play cards.

Roger sighed. He had thought that perhaps away from the town and its artificial life he would sometimes be able to get more than a word or a dance with the woman he loved; he had even hoped they might become comrades, companions. But she had told other men beside him that she was coming to Woodbourne, it seemed; Roger could count at least half a dozen of her admirers in the group over which she was holding court. They had the card party arranged now and were planning a climb up the nearest mountain next day to watch the sunset. When one of the men came over to Roger and invited him to join the party, his refusal was courteous but decided. To watch the sun go down with a chosen companion was something to be remembered, but to flock to see a sunset as if it were a parade or a play.

From outside the house came the music of a piano and the sound of dancing. Roger rose and crossing the lawn sat down on a rustic bench out of earshot of the two-step.

While the after-glow of the sunset faded into twilight he fell into a reverie from which he was roused by a slight movement. Looking up, he saw a little girl standing near him. As he raised his eyes she moved a trifle farther away, and man and child regarded each other gravely.

There was something about her that pleased Roger. In her faded gingham dress, with her yellow hair in hard little braids, she was a decided contrast to the pert youngsters with curled locks and fluted skirts who pranced about the lawn, shrieking shrilly.

Presently, with a hesitating movement, the child separated a single flower from the bunch of daisies she was carrying and held it toward Roger, who found himself feeling honored by this overture to friendship.

He took the flower and put it in his coat. "Thank you," he said; "won't you sit down?"

The child considered a moment before she took a seat beside him. Roger debated in his mind as to whether he dare put his arm around her, finally deciding not to venture on so great a liberty.

"Will you tell me your name?" he asked.

"It's Winifred. What's yours?"

"Roger—Roger King. That's not a pretty name, is it?"

The child thought a moment. "King is," she said, at last.

"Whose little girl are you?" was Roger's next question.

"Mamma's and papa's. I live here always; in the winter, too."

A silence followed, during which the dusk deepened. Presently Roger felt the touch of small fingers in his and roused himself from his abstraction.

"What do you do with yourself all day?" he inquired, feeling a desire to know how this odd, old-fashioned little girl spent her time.

"I play," Winifred answered, "and help mamma bake and sometimes I ride to the depot with papa. After the boarders are all gone he's going to take me for lots of walks, down to the river and up to the top of that

hill." She pointed to the towering black mountain behind them.

"I'm going down to the river tomorrow morning," said Roger. "Would you like to go, too?"

"Will you let me throw stones in the water?"

"We will see who can throw them farthest."

"And we'll sit down under the trees?"

"Of course."

"And stay as long as we like?"

"As long as you like."

"Oh, won't we have a good time?" cried Winifred, softly. "Won't it be awful nice?"

During the ensuing week the house was in a whirl of gaiety; dances, card parties and golf and tennis tournaments succeeded each other in quick succession, and Miss Hartly continued to hold court in a series of bewildering gowns. Roger did not join the train of her admirers, but he was not altogether lonely, for he had found a comrade.

After each meal two figures would leave the house together; sometimes to climb a mountain, sometimes they walked to the river bank, where they rested while Roger told stories to Winifred, and the child and the beauty of nature soothed the dull, never-ceasing ache that tugged away at his heart.

Gradually his awe of the child lessened, thought it never quite left him. She was a quiet little thing, perfectly healthy, but with none of the restlessness common to children. Sometimes she would sit or trot along beside him with her hand in his for an hour without speaking and then suddenly begin asking questions that Roger would have needed to be wise, indeed, to answer.

Sometimes they lay in the grass on the river bank and counted the

cloud-boats as they sailed across a sea of blue, and when there were no clouds in the sky, as happened often in that perfect weather, they watched countless yellow butterflies or closed their eyes and tried to name the bird-calls.

For the most part they met few people in their walks, and had their favorite spot by the river to themselves; when they did chance to hear voices in the vicinity they escaped down some leafy way as noiselessly as poachers.

On the first day it rained a very disconsolate and woe-begone little girl looked out the farmhouse kitchen window, but when Roger appeared in the doorway and asked permission to take Winifred to the barn, smiles chased away the tears.

Roger borrowed a blanket, and when he had made a throne of hay he spread the blanket upon it. Winifred settled back with a sigh of contentment. "Ain't this awful nice?" she whispered, happily.

At first they were content to listen in silence to the patter of the rain, but soon Roger began to repeat all the Mother Goose rhymes he knew, feeling ashamed because he could not remember more. He wove Winifred a crown of straw flowers and then they lay back and looked at the firmament in the rafters, where a window was the moon and each tiny hole that let in the light a shining star.

"Seems as if we were way off from the people in the house, don't it?" breathed the child.

"Yes," answered Roger with a sigh. Once, upon a day while Roger and Winifred rested by the river after a long walk, there came across the field behind them footsteps that made no sound in the stubby grass, and so it happened that they were surprised in their retreat by a young lady with

a book in her hand, who started at sight of them and would have slipped away again had not the child seen her and ran to her side.

"Please stay, Miss Hartly," she begged. "Roger's going to tell me a story."

Roger had risen to his feet. "Yes, please stay, Miss Hartly," he said, courteously.

The young woman hesitated, and finally seated herself on the grass with her back against a tree and one arm around Winifred, who nestled close to the slender figure.

She was very beautiful (Roger told himself this every time he saw her), with a fresh healthy beauty that seemed of a piece with the green-and-gold world around them.

"Now you can begin the story," commanded Winifred, with what was for her unusual boldness. "Please tell the one about the Princess Evelyn."

Roger stirred impatiently. "Miss Hartly may not care to hear a story, your majesty," he said, "and as she is our guest, we must please her. Winifred and I are king and queen and this is our castle," he explained to the newcomer.

Miss Hartly smiled. "The Princess Evelyn?" she repeated; "it is a pretty title for a story. I should like to hear about the Princess Evelyn."

"It is not a pretty story," said Roger; "it ends badly. No child but Winifred would care for it."

"Nevertheless I should like to hear it," insisted Miss Hartly.

A short silence followed, during which Winifred looked from one to the other of the pair in a puzzled way; there was something of constraint in the situation and the child felt it.

"I know the story," she ventured, hesitatingly.

Miss Hartly drew the little girl closer. "Tell it to me, dear," she said.

"Once upon a time," began Winifred, "there was a princess whose name was Evelyn. She was the most beautiful princess in the whole world and many men loved her."

Winifred's hands were folded in her lap and her eyes looked at the shining water of the river. She had heard the story so often that unconsciously she fell into Roger's way of telling it.

"Now there was a shepherd who loved the princess and he was sad at heart because he knew he could never marry her. Once the queen went to the country, taking the court with her, and the shepherd said to himself: 'Now my princess will walk in the fields near the palace and maybe she will speak to me. I know that I can never marry her, because she is so far above me—the world is full of shepherds, but where is there another woman like the Princess Evelyn? But perhaps we shall be friends,' I know this part by heart," interpolated Winifred.

"But princesses don't care to walk in the fields," continued the child; "they like to be gay and have the gentlemen of the court hate each other, because they love them. So the princess hardly noticed the shepherd, who lived and died a lonely man and never stopped loving the princess or wishing they could have been comrades. That's what Roger says he and I are. Isn't that a pretty story and wasn't it nice of the shepherd to love the princess always and never marry another lady?"

Miss Hartly's lips smiled. "Yes," she replied, "it is only a pretty story but you have told only a part of it—the man's side."

The girl paused and glanced at Roger, but his eyes were on the

ground. "It may be," she paused again, to choose her words, "that the princess did not care for the glitter and gaiety of the court; perhaps, she, too, preferred the fields and a simple, sensible life. But princesses may not do as they like," the words were coming fast and vehemently now; "they are hedged about and—how do you know that though this princess danced at court, the girl drew a quick breath as if bracing herself for something difficult, 'her heart was not with the shepherd all the while'?"

This time it was Roger who looked up, but Miss Hartly's head was bent. They had forgotten Winifred, who, with a child's wonderful wisdom, kept still.

"The princess would not have left the court to be the shepherd's wife," declared Roger, bitterly.

"The girl's eyes looked straight into his. 'He could not be sure of that since he never told her he loved her,' she said. 'It seems a pity, does it not,' here her glance fell, 'that she had to live all her life—without knowing?'"

Roger crossed to where Miss Hartly was and bent down so that he could look into her face.

"Ah, but he was so poor, not in money, perhaps, but in everything else beside her," he exclaimed, passionately. A hint of wondering gladness had crept into his voice.

Miss Hartly smiled faintly. "Perhaps he did not seem poor to her," she said, slowly. "Perhaps to her he was—the richest man she had ever known."

If the sky and the sunshine and the river with its bordering of willows were beautiful before, they were glorified now.

"Evelyn," Roger said, softly, "when he had kissed her, 'Evelyn.'"

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Misses' black ribbed Hose, acid test, real Maco; special for Thursday, per pair 19¢

Boys' special School Hose, fast black, perfect fit and finish; special for Thursday 11¢

Wild Boys' Monarch Hose, extra heavy—a splendid wearer—just the thing for your school boys; special for Thursday, per pair 19¢

The Gypsy Hose, for ladies—high grade—with white feet; special for Thursday, per pair 10¢

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A big lot of Ladies' and Men's Slippers, French Vici's, \$2.00 to \$5.00 values; special for Thursday, per pair HALF PRICE.

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READY-TO-WEAR DEPARTMENT

A new shipment of Ladies' ready-made Skirts, brown, blue, grays and black. Some are trimmed with buttons and some are trimmed with many tucks. We marked them the very low price of \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00 and \$7.00 each.

BOOK CHANGES

Forecast of New Books to Be Used as Published in The Telegram Last Saturday Proves Correct

TRUSTEE CAPPS QUERIES

When He Asked How So Many Books Could Be Provided for in the Limited Time He Is Informed Arrangements Have Been Made

At the postponed meeting of the school board held yesterday afternoon in the mayor's office the school books for this term were chosen as named in The Telegram of last Saturday and although no prices were mentioned in the report, it was adopted by the board without comment, save by Trustee Capps.

"Are the books for this term or next term?" inquired Trustee Capps. "For this term," said President Van Zandt, who presided in the absence of the mayor. "Arrangements have been made to get them here in time," he hastily assured Trustee Capps, bearing out the statement in last Saturday's Telegram that although the chosen volumes were withheld from the public who must buy them and the book men who must order them, the publishers were given in fact a positive assurance at least a sufficient assurance to justify them in arranging to supply the books.

Trustee Capps' next question was as to the cost of the new books, and if they were the same books as adopted by the state. He was informed that they were not the same books, but that there was no difference in cost. A change from the present chemistry book was explained as due to the fact that the volumes now in use are thirty years old and the report of the committee was then adopted as follows: We, your committee, recommend that we purchase the following books for the year 1904-5: The Remsen Chemistry book, the new edition of the Remsen Chemistry, the new edition of the Remsen Chemistry, the new edition of the Remsen Chemistry.

This report was signed by the members of the committee, Trustees Thompson, Van Zandt and Armstrong. The report of the teachers committee was next submitted to the board, making the following recommendations, which were adopted: For assistant principal school No. 5, C. S. Kirk; for vacancy in high school, Miss G. M. Noble, for vacancy in school No. 1, Mrs. M. P. Ritchie; for vacancy in school No. 6, Miss Ethel Steere and Miss Joana Gardner; for vacancies in school No. 7, Miss Tennie Owen and Miss Maud Sawyer; for vacancy in school No. 8, Miss Mattie Abston; for vacancy in school No. 9, Miss Mabel Jones.

The committee also recommended that there be elected a supernumerary teacher each for schools Nos. 5 and 6, and that Miss Jennie Snyder and Miss Maggie Morrow be elected to the position of substitutes the committee recommended Miss Lois Yeates, Miss Maud Foster, Miss Sophie Baer and Miss Hermellan Tucker. For the vacancy in the colored school Miss Arabella Kennedy was recommended. The committee also recommended that Miss Ethel Potts be transferred from school 7 to school No. 1 and Miss Marie Frost from No. 1 to No. 7. A petition was received from people living in the neighborhood of Fort Worth but not within the corporate limits asking that their children be allowed to attend the city schools as usual without tuition as long as the schools were run on the spot appropriation, they transferring their appropriation. This time is about one third of the term. The secretary was instructed to answer the communication, stating that the usual custom would be followed.

A committee of salaries reported in favor of increasing the salaries of the following teachers in the high school from \$850 to \$1,000: Ernest Parker, S. E. Frost, W. W. Daffron and C. F. Webb \$1,000 per year for the scholastic year instead of \$850, as heretofore, to be paid in monthly installments. The report was adopted. Another question was brought up by the committee in reference to the salaries of principals and the present rule modified so as to make increases for experience rather than for increase in number of rooms. This fixes the maximum salary for principals at \$125, while the minimum is \$100. A communication from Miss Lillie Greer asking an increase in salary as a holder of a state permanent certificate was referred to the committee. The committee on school property was authorized to investigate the feasibility of improvements in the fixtures of the various buildings.

BOOKS ARE IN DALLAS Part of the books adopted by the school board yesterday afternoon are in Dallas, this explaining the statement made before the board by Trustee Van Zandt that arrangements had been made to get the books here in time for the coming term. This information was finally elicited from Trustee Van Zandt this morning, and is supported by previous information given by The Telegram that the agent of the successful eastern firm had assured a local dealer that the books would be here in time if he had to ship his sample cases over the interurban. The other book adopted, which is put in use at the beginning of the term, comes from Austin, while the remaining book is not used until later in the term.

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instance, Berts Science, as one of the dealers stated this morning, comes from Philadelphia, and will require at least sixteen days for shipment. Appleton's Commercial Geography comes from New York and will require twelve to fourteen days, according to steamer sailings, and Herrick & Damon's Rhetoric must be sent from Chicago, requiring an equal length of time.

Even should the dealers have renewed their orders last night, the books would not be here until about September 22, thus depriving the teachers of the new volumes during their opening sessions, commencing on the 12th, the children from their study, while the schools are being organized from September 15 to 19, and for some time after the schools are supposed to be in regular operation. One dealer, evidently not being favored with the knowledge that the books were in Dallas, stated to The Telegram this morning that his books would be on hand, because he had risked ordering them last week. Whether in view of the late action of the board in getting together on the matter, the fact that the "Mother Tongue" books were already in Dallas was instrumental in their adoption can not be learned.

PROF. HOGG'S STATEMENT. Professor Hogg this morning gave The Telegram the prices of the books selected by the committee and adopted by the board yesterday, as follows: The Mother Tongue No. 1, exchange price, 20 cents. The Mother Tongue No. 2, exchange price, 30 cents. The Elementary Lyte and Elementary Harvey and other grammars of like grade can be exchanged. A year, or till next June, is allowed for this exchange. These two books contain over 700 pages, more than twice as much as the Lyte and Harvey book, and fill up the language composition and grammar courses in the primary and grammar school departments. The list price, as it is termed, for the volumes, will be 45 and 60 cents each, to be 60 cents. This will not be used until later in the session. The Remsen Chemistry is to be 50 cents without any exchange. The Williams chemistry, a smaller book, used heretofore, is a dollar. The Remsen contains all the new discoveries in chemistry and is a down to date book. The adoption of the Makers of Texas History, he stated, he had urged because he believed they would be of the greatest service in teaching the school children patriotism.

Industry at the stores elicits the information that the books will be sold to the public here at list prices.

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\$13.50 Corpus Christi and return; on sale daily; 60-day return limit. \$11.80 Llano and return; on sale daily; 60-day return limit. \$11.00 Kingsland and return; on sale daily; 60-day return limit.

ELLIS & GREENE, Real Estate, 708 Main St. Phone 1922.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS J. F. Isham et al to J. M. George, undivided 4-15 interest in part of the William Anderson 230-acre survey, \$215.

William Hish et al to J. M. George, undivided interest in 120 acres in the William Anderson 230-acre survey, \$5.

Jeff D. White et al to N. E. Gambrell, lot 6, block 33 of Jennings' West addition, \$175.

B. A. Rose et al to B. E. Ramage, 200x240 feet of the J. P. Montgomery survey.

M. A. Spoons to W. W. Sloane Jr., 5-8 acre out of the R. Gillespie 64-acre survey.

H. J. Wilson to Oluff Carson, lot 4, and west 25 feet of lot 5, block 5, Riverside addition, \$600.

A. T. Baker to W. J. Gilvin and W. B. Martel, lot 2, block 10, Union Depot addition, \$200.

C. D. West and wife to S. B. Borchert, lot 1, block 1, Moodie & Evans' subdivision of Block 20, F. and W. addition, \$300.

A. B. Scott to Bettele Scott, 50x100 feet out of block 4, Nances' addition, \$1 and other consideration.

J. C. McQuerry to T. M. Brooks, lots 8, 9 and 10, block 26, Rosen Heights; also lots 11 and 12, block 60, \$1,500.

J. C. McQuerry et al to T. M. Brooks, lot 4 and 5, block 31, Rosen Heights, \$500.

Mary E. Hass to Frank Lindsey, part of Tucker addition, \$650.

Sam Rosen to L. L. Zinn, lots 1, 2 and 3, block 20, Rosen Heights, \$375.

Charles Shams to Lee Moore, block 10, east addition of Fort Worth, \$100.

Walter De Witt to John E. Ellis, lot 2, block 3, Union Depot addition, \$800.

MANY SIR KNIGHTS GO TO THE CONCLAVE

CHICAGO, Sept. 7.—Officers of the interested railroads estimate that by the end of the week, when the \$50 rate ends, at least 40,000 persons will have been ticketed from Chicago to California. It has been the largest movement ever recorded for a Knights Templars conclave. From Chicago alone more than 300 sleepers have been sent, which, averaging seven cars to the train, figures about 43 special trains.

This number has been for the exclusive use of the Knights, no account being taken of cars attached to regular trains for the accommodation of the general public.

MIDWEEK SPECIALS At the New Store

Have you seen the stacks of New Goods come to this store the past few days—LOTS OF THEM—PILES OF THEM—more to come—we must make room. For Thursday, a lot of Plain and Fancy Ribbons at about half others' prices. In the next window a lot of 300 Pillow Tops—the 50c kind, very new, different from anything ever shown here; Thursday, only 25¢. Buy your school dresses now. We are making special prices on a lot—dark colors, look like 50c wool goods, at 15¢ yard. Big lot of 15c Cheviot Waistings and Shirtings, 10¢ yd. Many specials—Table Linen sale all the week. A lot of Lawns to clean up at 10 yards for 25¢.

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NORTH SIDE AND ROSEN HEIGHTS

Nash Furniture Company. The culmination of a romantic courtship occurred at the Rosen Inn of North Fort Worth yesterday noon in the marriage of F. Buchanan, a wealthy cattle raiser and stockman of Anadarko, O. T., to Miss Lizzie Adams of Houston, Tex. Rev. Walter F. Hillsman of the Baptist church of Marine, before a large number of witnesses.

The bride and groom have been acquainted for a number of years, but on several occasions when they arranged to be married parental objection of a very strong nature was presented and kept them from it. A year ago the two had completed plans to wed at Houston, but the girl's father forbade the man from paying further courtship to the girl or to see her.

Letters at various times were sent to the girl by the man, but were never answered and at last the man despaired of ever winning. A brother-in-law, an oil well driller at Henrietta, who knew of the impediments in his relative's love affair, suggested a plan.

This man who also knew the girl, went to Houston on Sunday and by arrangement with the girl met her near the father's farm in the country, five miles from Houston. The girl and man walked to Houston, the girl bareheaded, and both took the train for Fort Worth. Arriving here yesterday they were met by the ardent lover and the bride was taken to a store in this city where she was fitted out with as lovely a trousseau as ever a Texas bride could have.

After this was done the party repaired to North Fort Worth and the Rosen Inn, where Rev. Hillsman tied the knot and made them man and wife. The bride presented a charming appearance in her costume.

After a dinner at the hotel the two left for the territory amid the best wishes for a happy journey through life after the successful ending of a match concluded under such strenuous circumstances.

NORTH FORT WORTH AND ROSEN HEIGHTS.

Mrs. G. W. Eastham and Miss Norma Moody are visiting at Roanoke. Alex Spear has returned from a Pleasant trip to St. Louis.

Mrs. J. D. McCutchan is visiting in St. Louis. Miss Ethel McGaffin is now at the fair.

Miss Mamie Williams has returned from a visit to her sister at Roanoke. Miss Lenore Parker has resumed her position as stenographer for the Fort Worth Cotton Oil company.

Mr. Southern has been entertaining his sister this week. Mr. McNeill is quite ill at his home on Lake avenue.

Mrs. E. W. Yates and daughters, Misses Nina and Ruth, and son, Wood, visited Mrs. J. F. Williams this week.

Misses Minnie and Jeannette Farmer are home from St. Louis and report a fine time at the fair.

C. Holmberg, the jeweler, has sold out his business to R. B. Ustick of Merkel, who has taken charge. Mr. Holmberg will continue to make this place his home and will travel out of here for a wholesale optical company.

Mr. and Mrs. Outlaw and family have returned from a summer's visit at Galveston and Houston.

Miss Lizzie Kiper has returned home from a two weeks' visit spent at Dallas with friends.

The Woodmen of the World are to give an ice cream social in Collier's grove tonight.

Rev. O. G. Reed, of Petty, Texas, is visiting at the home of J. W. Moore and family for several days.

R. W. Vatter, of Pecos City, has taken a position at the Haddaway drug store, as drug clerk.

Mrs. R. Wells and family have moved to the corner of Lake street and Central avenue from North Eusk street.

W. D. Douglas last evening had the misfortune to have a nail run into the hoof of his saddle horse and then to clip the climate ran one into his own foot. Neither of the injuries are very serious.

Miss Ethel Reed, of Riverside, is visiting at the home of J. W. Moore.

The protracted meetings at the Marine Methodist church are to commence on next Friday evening. The pastor of the church, Rev. J. J. Creed, is to be assisted in the meetings by Rev. N. B. Read of Fort Worth and a series of successful meetings are expected to be held.

The public schools will open here on next Monday. The books adopted by the state will be used up to the eighth grade and those in the higher grades will be the same as those used in the high school of Fort Worth. The attendance this year will be exceptionally large, as many families have moved here during the summer months and it is doubtful if all can be accommodated.

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\$17.75 MONTEREY and Return.

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A NEW LINE OUT A YOUNG MAN IS OF DALLAS IS ILL AT UNION PROPOSED STATION

It Is to Extend Five Hundred Miles and Will Not Touch in This City, if Present Plan Is Followed He Was Down With Muscular Rheumatism at Burleson and the Citizens Made Up Purse to Send Him Here

A Dallas railroad man was in Fort Worth today and from him The Telegram understands that a company was organized some time ago to build a line from Dallas via Archer and Rhomo in Wise county. From this latter point the road is to diverge to the south and will be built to Albuquerque, N. M., its western terminus. The line will be about 500 miles long and will penetrate a virgin country through the greatest part of the way after leaving Rhomo. It will be built through an expanse of country now devoid of railroad facilities. A Mr. Speer of Dallas is at the head of the enterprise, and it is understood a contract has already been closed for construction of the first stretch of road. It is further learned there is plenty of money behind the proposition. If the road is constructed it will open up a great country to the west of Fort Worth, and while the line will not be built through Fort Worth, it will be of considerable benefit to this city, in that a branch may be built tapping the road to the northeast of Fort Worth. By this plan this city would receive as much benefit from the road as Dallas.

A Vermont hen which has never been able to raise any chicks of her own has mothered the eggs of bantams, geese, ducks and even pigeons. Her latest exploit was to discover and hatch a nest of bald eagles.

MORE RIOTS Disturbances of strikers are not nearly as grave as an individual disorder of the system. Overwork, loss of sleep, nervous tension will be followed by utter collapse, unless a reliable remedy is immediately employed. There's nothing so efficient to cure disorders of the Liver or Kidneys as Electric Bitters. It's a wonderful tonic, and effective for run down systems. It dispels Nervousness, Rheumatism and Neuralgia and expels Malarial germs. Only 50c, and satisfaction guaranteed by Matt S. Blanton, Reeves' Pharmacy, W. J. Fisher, druggists.

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REPUBLICANS GET A BIG VOTE IN VERMONT

Result of State Election Was Far Beyond Most Sanguine Hopes of the Successful Party

WHITE RIVER JUNCTION, Vt., Sept. 7.—The republicans won a sweeping victory in the state elections yesterday. Charles J. Bell, their candidate for governor, will have practically complete returns, a plurality greater than that returned for a governor since 1896, and which will prove to be not far from 33,200.

Returns from all but eleven smaller towns show the total: Bell, 47,816; Porter (dem.), 14,979; plurality for the republican candidate, 32,836.

The eleven missing towns represent a total vote of about 1,224. Four years ago they gave Stikney, republican, 953, a senator, democrat, 236. If they show a falling off in the vote in the ratio as was disclosed in other places they will still add something over 400 votes to Bell's plurality.

The rest of the state ticket, congressional and legislative candidates, ran well with the head of the state ticket. The result is a general surprise to the leaders of both parties, not having been claimed as possible by the republicans or conceded to be within the bounds of possibility by the democrats.

RAILROAD NEWS

From the general offices of the Fort Worth and Denver City railroad it is learned that the cotton acreage in the country west of Childress is in very fine condition and that the acreage is at least two-thirds greater than last season.

When this year's crop is picked the results will no doubt startle the country. There has been some little damage done by the boll worm in isolated sections, but the damage will not aggregate any great amount. Take the whole yield in the Panhandle the crop is very fine and with each recurring year it is understood that the acreage is to be enlarged. Time was when cotton was not grown in this country, but it has been thoroughly demonstrated that the staple can be grown very successfully in the Panhandle country.

It has been shown that the crop is free from the ravages of the boll weevil, which, according to experts, can not thrive in that high altitude. On this account the farmers have no dread of loss from this source, which makes that section of the state the coming cotton belt of Texas.

The yield this season will average half a bale to the acre as a general proposition. However, in some sections more cotton than this will be raised, while in a very few sections the yield per acre will be some less. On the whole, however, the yield is very satisfactory.

During the past few days good rains have fallen, which insures the crop beyond a doubt.

The farmers are now scouring the southwest for pickers. To induce them to come to Texas the Denver road has given an \$8.50 rate from the Memphis crossing to the Texas Panhandle to pickers who wish to change from their present locations and come to Texas. More than 1,500 pickers can find employment in the Panhandle cotton district this season at 60 to 75 cents per hundred pounds. The Denver road has sent representatives to Louisiana to encourage the cotton-picker movement.

The Denver road has information that the citizens of Hereford are interesting themselves in the establishment of a cotton gin in that place. This is made necessary on account of the great amount of cotton that has been planted this season in the vicinity of Hereford. The yield there has been very large and the quantity of the staple is reported to be very good. Over \$700 have already been subscribed and work of raising the balance needed is being pushed. It is expected to build the gin at once.

Gins are being built in a large number of the Panhandle towns in order to treat the large crop of cotton that has been raised in that part of the state.

The freight department of the Denver road also notes the fact that active preparations are being made in the Panhandle along that road to plant trees. General Freight Agent Sterley has interested himself in this work for several years until it is being carried out by many of the best people in that part of Texas. It is expected that the fall planting of trees along the Denver road will be very large. It is estimated that the growth of trees will figure very largely in the future prosperity of that section of the state. Authorities, after making scientific investigations and experiments of the influence of the growth of trees over the climatic conditions, say that the results are satisfactory. Authorities further agree that the planting of trees will materially increase the volume of rainfall and cause it to be more evenly distributed over the country, thereby making farming the safest proposition for the people.

The idea is to induce the great Panhandle ranchers to plant trees and many of them are already doing so. Colonel

BIG HOMOSEEKERS' RECEIPTS

The Southwestern railroads running out of St. Louis did a large business during the month of May, according to reports just compiled. The number that left St. Louis during that month for Texas, Oklahoma and Indian Territory was \$20,000, and in July \$15,000. It is estimated that the amount of money to be paid to southwestern railroads by homeseekers during the present month will reach \$175,000.

Of the number of persons who visit the southwest on this class of tickets about 35 per cent remain. They buy lands or town property and engage in some line of business and become factors in the building of a new empire. The average investment, it is estimated, is about \$2,500.

During the past year, according to the judgment of expert immigration agents, about \$300,000,000 have been invested in the southwest—that is, Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Indian Territory, Arizona and New Mexico.

The value of one settler to the railroad is figured at \$100, and the traffic on one southwestern road in July was 1,500, of whom 525 were located. This railroad sold tickets to the entire 1,500 at \$18,000, while the value of the 525 located amounted to \$157,000, or a total income to the railroad company for one month's business in homeseekers' traffic of \$175,000.

The value of homeseekers' traffic on one southwestern railroad for the past fiscal year is given at \$20,000. Three years ago this same business on this road in question was only \$15,000.

There are six railroads in St. Louis and five in Chicago pushing this homeseekers' traffic and if the total income is equal to the one mentioned the combined earnings for the year amounted to \$5,580,000, or about 6 per cent of the total investment of those who have been located in southwest.

POLK'S NEW ROAD

Colonel L. J. Polk, who is promoting a new line to run from San Antonio to the Mexican border, reports that the people along the proposed route are showing much encouragement in the enterprise. The road is to be known as the San Antonio and Rio Grande. The agents who have been sent out along the route report that great interest in the project is being taken by all those interested in the building of the road.

THE QUESTION OF TIES

One of the most important questions to be discussed at the coming convention of the International railway congress to be held at Washington, D. C., is the supply of railway ties, a subject of extreme importance to railroads and to the public at large from its indirect influence on agricultural and climatic conditions.

In Europe the metal ties has been substituted for wood, and in recent years has come into greater use, but in this country wood is almost wholly depended upon, though many roads have experimented with metal.

The United States bureau of forestry has urged the adoption of a change in the form of the tie, in the interest of economy, and the use of cheaper and more common kinds of timber. Through a preservative treatment it is believed many woods could be made available for ties.

The annual consumption of railroad ties in the country is 114,000,000, and each year a large forest of trees is sacrificed.

WANT CHEAP RATES

SAN ANGELO, Sept. 6.—Notwithstanding that the railroad commission refused the petition to grant San Angelo and Colorado City the advantage of common point freight rates, the San Angelo business men and business club are working strenuously to attain that advantage. A committee of five business men sent by the Business club left yesterday for Galveston to argue the matter with the Santa Fe railway high officials.

Rheumatism, more painful in this climate than any other affliction, cured by Prescription No. 2551, by Elmer & Amend.

Houston, Texas, Schmitt, Agent.

Miss Edith Blake,
1619 Addison Ave.,
Chicago, Ill.

REVOLUTIONISTS DRIVE BACK THE GOVERNMENT

The Minister of War of Uruguay Leads His Troops to Hopeless Defeat Against Forces of the Revolutionists in That Country

NEW YORK, Sept. 7.—Two thousand men were killed and four thousand wounded in the recent battle between the Uruguayan government forces and the revolutionists, according to a Herald dispatch from Buenos Ayres, Argentine.

General Vasquez, minister of war, who led the government troops, is asserted to have been defeated and driven back, abandoning arms and munitions.

In a previous battle the revolutionists were driven back and General Vasquez while pressing his victory was suddenly met by stubborn resistance. The rebels reassembled their scattered forces and engaged the government troops. For three days the battle raged, with terrible losses to both sides.

Gradually the rebels drove Vasquez back and, according to last reports, the minister of war was in full retreat.

Reports from Paraguay state that the revolutionists there are holding their own.

THE CROPS IN TEXAS

A cotton mill is to be established at Marble Falls. It is proposed to establish a mill to take care of all the cotton in the vicinity of the mill, and to be heavily interested in the project.

Cotton pickers are still in demand all over the state. Planters are having hard times to secure the men necessary to get in the crops and are considerably worried as to the ultimate outcome of the scarcity of the pickers.

At Menardville the cotton crop while good has suffered greatly in the past three weeks on account of the dropping of squares from some unknown cause. No boll weevils have yet bothered the farmer there, but the damage to the cotton will be as great, if not greater on account of this unknown trouble. Corn is showing an average yield of about forty bushels to the acre.

Rain fell at Temple on Monday and did little damage to the cotton, as there was no wind with the rainfall. The work of picking the cotton is being rushed for fear of more rain.

The rain in Grayson county has put the land in fine shape for the fall planting of wheat and the cotton crop is looking much better as a result of the downpour of last week.

Plenty of rain has fallen in Wise county during the last few days and the ground is now in fine shape for the fall wheat planting.

Cotton at Marshall is bringing from 10 to 11 cents per pound. The recent rains have not damaged the cotton to any considerable extent and the prospects of a fair crop are yet good.

The first shipment of cotton seed reached Sherman yesterday. The oil mill is to start in about ten days.

A stalk of corn nineteen feet high is on exhibition at Temple. It was raised in the country near that place. The gin at Hills Prairie has turned out so far this year 164 bales of cotton against two at this time last year.

T. Z. Forman, the champion cotton picker of Pursley, picked 317 pounds of cotton in three hours on last Friday. He says he can pick 1,250 pounds in a day.

FRIEDMAN
THE LICENSED AND BONDED PAWN-BROKER—Loans money on all articles of value at low rates of interest. Buys gains in unclaimed pawned watches, in ladies' and gent's sizes, from 7 up to 24 jewels, gold and gold filled cases. Every watch guaranteed. 912 Main Street, opposite Metropolitan Hotel.

SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES

The Peacock Military School—West End, San Antonio, Texas. 100 Cadets. Educate your boy in this dry and elevated atmosphere. A thorough military school. Lieutenant C. C. Todd detailed by secretary of war as professor of military science and tactics. Six university graduates, four thorough military instructors in the faculty. Elegant material, equipment, commodious buildings, spacious campus, athletics, gymnasium. Two cadets to room on single iron bed. Three miles from city by lake of 70 acres. Boating, swimming, fishing, shooting. Cigarette smokers not admitted. Character qualification for admission. Write for catalogue. WESLEY PEACOCK, Ph. B. (University of Ga.), Principal.

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A Boarding and Day School for the moral, physical and military training for boys. Prepares carefully and thoroughly for business life, for college or university, or for West Point—Government Commandant. Subject to government inspection. Strict discipline. Sanitary conditions perfect. Terms reasonable. Next term begins September 15, 1904. Send for illustrated catalogue.

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GOOD RAINS FALL.
SAN ANGELO, Sept. 6.—Splendid rains have fallen all over the whole Concho country yesterday and today. A good, soaking rain has been badly needed and this splendid downpour will be worth thousands of dollars to the farmers and ranchmen through this whole section as long distance telephone reports state that the rain has been general. The range has been in need of rain and this downpour will also furnish abundant stock water.

IN HALL COUNTY
MEMPHIS, Texas, Sept. 6.—Your correspondent has just returned from a trip through the central and western parts of this country, where we found the finest

crops we have ever seen anywhere. Early corn is fully made and will easily yield forty bushels to the acre, while June corn is in roasting ear. Kaffir corn, milo maize and sorghum is simply immense, and the question now bothering the farmers of this section is to get hands to gather the immense crop.

Cotton is magnificent, being from three to five feet high, and as full of bolls as it can possibly support. No pests of any consequence have yet appeared to molest the cotton and if the weather will be dry during the fall so that all of what is now matured will open a bale to the acre in Hall county will be common. Cotton is now beginning to open, but picking will not begin actively for about fifteen days yet.

Cotton pickers will be very scarce and hard to get in this section. Several farmers have been trying to engage pickers during the last few days offering \$1 per hundred. A movement is on foot to import pickers from the lower country as there is by no means pickers enough here to take care of the crop.

AN EASY WAY TO GET ROOMS IN ST. LOUIS

For the benefit of its patrons the Passenger Department of the Missouri, Kansas & Texas Ry. has arranged to provide rooming quarters at St. Louis for

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TIME TABLE
*ROCK ISLAND SYSTEM

Depart	8:30 am...Omaha and Mo. River	Arrive	7:15 pm
Depart	9:00 pm...Kansas City, Chicago, Denver, Colorado Springs and Pueblo	Arrive	7:10 am
Depart	7:40 am...Mail and Express	Arrive	8:35 pm

*HOUSTON AND TEXAS CENTRAL

Depart	8:10 am...Houston and Galveston Mail and Express	Arrive	8:23 pm
Depart	7:35 pm...Houston and Galveston Mail and Express	Arrive	8:05 am
Depart	11:15 am...*Ennis Mixed	Arrive	11:10 am
Depart	*Daily except Sunday	Arrive	

*FRISCO SYSTEM

Depart	Red River, Texas and Southern	Arrive	From North
Depart	11:15 am...Mail and Express	Arrive	2:55 pm
Depart	Fort Worth and Rio Grande	Arrive	
Depart	3:15 pm...Brownwood Mail and Express	Arrive	10:55 am
Depart	2:00 am...Mixed	Arrive	*6:00 am

*FORT WORTH AND DENVER CITY

Depart	9:45 am...Amarillo, Pueblo, Colorado Springs and Denver Mail and Ex.	Arrive	6:10 pm
Depart	8:30 pm...Amarillo, Pueblo, Colorado Springs and Denver Mail and Ex.	Arrive	7:25 am

*GULF, COLORADO AND SANTA FE

Depart	8:05 am...Mail and Express	Arrive	9:00 pm
Depart	8:30 pm...Mail and Express	Arrive	7:40 am
Depart	7:45 pm...Fair Special	Arrive	8:35 am
Depart	7:55 am...Houston and Galveston Mail and Express	Arrive	8:20 pm
Depart	9:10 pm...Houston, San Antonio Galv. Mail & Express	Arrive	7:55 am

*MISSOURI, KANSAS AND TEXAS

Depart	8:35 am...Katy Flyer	Arrive	North
Depart	11:20 am...Mail and Express	Arrive	7:45 pm
Depart	9:00 pm...Mail and Express	Arrive	4:15 pm
Depart	7:45 pm...Fair Special	Arrive	8:35 am
Depart	8:15 pm...Houston, Galveston and San An. Flyer	Arrive	8:10 am
Depart	8:20 am...Houston Mail & Ex.	Arrive	10:55 am
Depart	9:05 pm...Houston Mail & Ex.	Arrive	8:15 pm
Depart	9:00 am...Fair Special	Arrive	7:20 pm

*COTTON BELT ROUTE

Depart	7:20 am...Mail and Express	Arrive	5:50 pm
Depart	10:30 am...Mail and Express	Arrive	5:30 pm
Depart	9:15 pm...Mail and Express	Arrive	6:50 am

*TEXAS AND PACIFIC

Depart	7:45 am...Cannon Falls	Arrive	East
Depart	11:00 am...Mail and Express	Arrive	4:45 pm
Depart	8:30 am...Dallas Local	Arrive	5:15 am
Depart	10:00 am...Dallas & Weatherford	Arrive	3:25 pm
Depart	2:05 pm...Dallas Local	Arrive	1:50 pm
Depart	8:00 pm...Dallas Local	Arrive	6:10 pm
Depart	3:45 pm...Wills Point Local	Arrive	11:30 am
Depart	6:30 pm...Mail and Express	Arrive	9:00 am

*INTERNATIONAL AND GREAT NORTHERN

Depart	7:30 am...Waco, Marlin, Houston, Austin and San Antonio Express	Arrive	8:55 pm
Depart	8:40 pm...Waco, Marlin, Austin, San Antonio Express	Arrive	12:45 pm

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Miss Blake's headache was an important symptom of the female trouble she suffered. If you have periodical headache you should give it immediate attention, as it is a positive warning of the suffering that is to come. Wine of Cardui will not only cure female weakness, but it will prevent disordered menstruation, bearing down pains and nervousness.

Do not wait until suffering overtakes you. Why not prevent all female diseases before the trouble begins.


Wine of Cardui never fails as a preventive if taken promptly when the first symptoms appear. It never fails to cure uncomplicated female troubles. It never fails to benefit the worst complications to which it is applied. All druggists sell \$1.00 bottles of Wine of Cardui.

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1619 Addison Ave., CHICAGO, ILL., Oct. 23, 1903.

For three and a half years I suffered with headache, backache and most distressing bearing down pains. My physician seemed to do his best to help me, but without satisfactory results. He said that it was female trouble and a general breaking down of my system. This winter the pain became intolerable, was in every all the time. I finally decided to make a change, and as one of the "Ladies' Birthday Almanacs" came to my notice and I read of the cures of Wine of Cardui, I decided to try it. Five bottles changed me from a confirmed invalid to a healthy, happy woman. I am indeed most grateful to you for your splendid medicine.

Edith Blake
VICE-PRESIDENT, BIRTHDAY CLUB.



MAKE MONEY MAKE MONEY

Money which is hoarded is as unproductive as seed which is not planted—as a house without a tenant. Keep close to the Business Opportunity ads.

FOR SALE
ONE OF THE FINEST ranches in the state for sale by W. H. Graham, Cuero, Texas.

\$200 for 375 upright piano, used three months. \$6.00 monthly. Alex Hirschfeld.

FOR SALE—A brand new differential chain hoist, one and one-half tons capacity; thirty-three feet of chain. Cost \$30. A bargain if taken now. Can be seen at Telegram office.

ICE 25c PER 100 at car back of Stewart Binyon. Phone 753. J. A. GOODWIN, wood yard.

FOR SALE—Fine cigar show case, bevel plate glass, cherry wood work, cost \$30; will sell for \$40; good as new. The J. J. Langver Co., opp. City Hall.

FOR SALE—National cash register, cost \$200; will sell for \$75 if taken this week. The J. J. Langver Co., opp. City Hall.

WOOD AND COAL RANGE and office desk for sale. Apply 605 East Weatherford.

FOR SALE—A snap, two new modern cottages on Fifth avenue, East Front lots, 50x103 1/2 feet. Five large rooms, reception hall, butler's pantry, bath room and store room. Apply to J. A. Starling, 709 Main street.

MISCELLANEOUS
MADAMS ROXIE AND LENORA, the great palmists and clairvoyants, now at 310 Houston st., can tell all the affairs of your life—talents, hopes, joys, sorrows, successes, failures. They reveal past, present and future. They will guide you aright in all the affairs of life, business, love, marriage, speculation and divorce. Readings within reach of all. 310 Houston st.

FOR LEASE—Typewriting machine. We have in our possession a Simplex typewriting machine formerly used on the West Texas Stockman at Colorado, Texas, for which we have no use. This machine is complete with all necessary type, leads, etc., and is the very thing for an up-to-date country office. It can be obtained on very favorable terms. Stockman Publishing Co., Fort Worth, Texas.

FOR ALL KINDS of scavenger work, phone 918. Lee Taylor.

EXCHANGE—Furniture, stoves, carpets, matings, draperies of all kinds; the largest stock in the city where you can exchange your old goods for new. Everything sold on easy payment. Ladd Furniture and Carpet Co., 704 1/2 Houston street. Both phones 552.

FOR RENT
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TYPEWRITERS for rent; any make. Lyerly & Smith, 504 Main St.

FOR RENT—Furnished four-room house in exchange for board. See Mrs. Francis at Turner & Dinger's.

FOR RENT—Two furnished or three unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping. Vacant September 5. 419 East First street.

FOR RENT—A 10-room flat cheap, over grocery store. Also one new 4-room house on North Side, 113 1/2 North Houston street.

FOR RENT—Two new two and three-room houses, below orphans' home, midway between packing houses and court house, walking distance of either; \$1.50 to \$2 per week; barn, east front, high location; for whites. Also one house for colored. B. B. Getzenander, Phone 2943.

FOR RENT—Brick store room on Main street, Fort Worth. Apply, S. L. Larimer, 1299 1/2 Main street, Fort Worth.

ROOMS furnished or unfurnished. 311 North Harding.

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REAL ESTATE
A BARGAIN—Five-room house, hall, porch, shade, barn, lot 56x140, corner half block from pavilion car line, worth \$1,500; will take \$1,000. A good house and terms for the balance. Address J. O. care Telegram, or phone 1370, new phone.

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FOR SALE—Four-room frame house, corner lot, 50x125 feet, southeast front in South Suburb. Price \$700, \$100 cash, \$15 monthly.

Rental bargain for two houses close to business part of \$1,200; rents at \$15 monthly.

5-room frame house on South Side, hall, closets, porches, hydrants, sink, sewerage, porcelain bath, east front, near car line. Price \$2,250, \$350 cash, \$30 monthly.

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FORT WORTH, Texas, Sept. 6, 1904.—Notice is hereby given that the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Chicago, Rock Island and Gulf Railway Company will be held at the general office of said company, in the city of Fort Worth, county of Tarrant, state of Texas, at 10 o'clock a. m., on Thursday, the 8th day of October, 1904, for the purpose of electing a board of seven directors, to serve for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting. On the same day and at the same place, immediately after the adjournment of said stockholders meeting, the regular annual meeting of the board of directors of said company will be held for the purpose of electing a president, vice president, secretary, treasurer and such other officers as is provided by law, and by the by-laws of said company, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting. The stock books of said company will be and remain closed from this date until after the adjournment of said annual meeting. W. B. LEEDS, President of the Chicago, Rock Island and Gulf Railway Company. Attest: F. E. Mitchell, Secretary.

HELP WANTED—MALE
WANTED—Your cuffs and collars, 1 1/2c each; shirts, 5c. The Penny Steam Laundry, 403 Main street.

WANTED—700 men to buy a pair of Sels Rova; Blue \$3.50 shoes. Apply at Monnig's.

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MAN—Under 45 to prepare for position as letter carrier in Fort Worth. Salary good. Position permanent. Entrance examination soon. Address immediately, box 570, Cedar Rapids, Ia.

WANTED—A boy to learn a trade; must be steady and willing to work; would prefer parents call at Model Bakery and Meat Market, 609 Houston.

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RELIABLE DENTIST—Dr. McCormick, southeast corner Third and Main sts.

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You ask the reason for this: It is because a street railway is being now built on Eighth avenue, the whole eastern length of the Dissel Addition, by the N. T. T. Co., and if you doubt our word, make inquiries.

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It is in the southwestern part of Fort Worth, within three blocks of Pennsylvania avenue, in the best part of the city; and has now some seven or eight choice residences already built.

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We cannot help you to build, but we can and will be glad to sell you any of these lots on the easiest kind of terms. In fact, you pick your lot and tell us how you want to pay for it; do not talk trade—if you do not want us to take you up, as we are sure to do so.

SIZE OF THE LOTS
The smallest lots are 60x107 feet to a good alley. The largest lots 92x200 feet. Think of it, one-half acre. This addition adjoins the city limits on the east, so purchasers get all the advantages of the city and no city taxes to pay.

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In conclusion, will say, please call early and insure a good choice. Do not phone, but come to the office. Phoning is never satisfactory.

Remember, our office is in the Victoria Building, opposite Hotel Worth.

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Handles all of the state and city adopted school books; also a first-class stock of school furnishings.

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UMBRELLAS
WANTED—1,000 umbrellas to recover and repair. Corner Second and Main streets. Chas. Baggett.

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DR. HARRIS, Osteopath, fourth floor, Fort Worth National bank building. Telephones 723 and 1651.

Good Ones

Three beautiful lots in Glenwood, for \$50 down and \$2.50 per month. We will build you a new four-room house. Bring your plans. Remember you get all the benefits of the city and don't have to pay the city tax.

Nice little four-room house, hall, etc., plenty of shade, nice lawn, cement walk, one-half block of car line; \$1,250. See us for terms.

Beautiful little home on South Jennings avenue. A bargain. Let us show you the property.

Six-room house on Wood street; \$1,050; terms easy. See us. Lot 51x150.

Beautiful five-room house, plastered, hall, bath, sewerage, gas, etc. in best of locality; \$2,100; terms very reasonable. See us.

Four beautiful lots on Quality Hill for sale; \$2,250. These are bargains. Two east fronts and two west fronts. Don't fail to see these lots.

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FOR SALE—House and lot. Apply at 611 Florence street.

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WANTED TO BUY
WANTED TO BUY—Clean rags. At Telegram office.

TOBACCO TAGS bought at Sam Gilbert's, 1311 Main st.

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W. H. WILLE—Fire, tornado and plate glass insurance, 109 West Sixth street, Fort Worth, Texas. Telephone 1800.

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International Association Fire Engineers
Chattanooga, Tenn., Sept. 13-16, 1904

Account meeting International Association of Fire Engineers at Chattanooga, Tenn., Sept. 13-16, the Southern Railway

will sell tickets from all points on its line at the very low rate of one fare plus 25 cents for the round trip, minimum rate 50 cents. Tickets will be sold Sept. 11-12 with final limit Sept. 20, 1904.

Original purchasers of tickets may secure an extension of limit until Sept. 30, 1904, upon payment of 50 cents deposit fee, provided deposit is made not later than Sept. 20, and not earlier than Sept. 11. Write any agent of the Southern Railway for full particulars.

C. A. BENSCHOTER, Asst. General Passenger Agent.

WOODMEN!
St. Louis, Sept. 14th

For the accommodation of Woodmen going to St. Louis arrangements have been made with the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railway Company, "The Katy Route," for a special Woodmen's train from Denison, to leave Denison as a section of the famous "Katy Flyer" at 12:10 noon, Saturday, Sept. 10. All Woodmen should make their arrangements to reach Denison in time to take this train, securing information from the ticket agent at your home station as how best to do this.

The train will arrive at St. Louis on Sunday morning at 7:27 a. m., giving every one a chance to get located on Sunday, the fair not being open on Sunday, and then have Monday and Tuesday to visit and view the grounds and prepare for Woodman Day, Sept. 14. The Woodman train will be decorated with banners, and we urge the importance of all joining together that we make a showing for Texas.

If you are unable to arrive in time to join the party at Denison and take the special Woodman train, "The Katy Route" has three other passenger trains for St. Louis each day besides "The Katy Flyer": "The Katy Pair Special" being a night train and making the run to St. Louis in practically the same time as "The Katy Flyer."

Special Rates, Special Sleepers, Special Accommodations. Address W. A. FRASER, Head Consul, Dallas, Texas.

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Special Rate—75c per day for Woodmen at Grandview Hotel, right at entrance of fair grounds.

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HELP WANTED—FEMALE
WHAT you want and what you will get are two things which grow to resemble each other after you have used these want ads.

WANTED—A good settled colored woman to take care of eight months old baby and to do light housework. Apply at once, 1409 Hemphill street, or 112 West Ninth street.

WANTED—For millinery department, two experienced salesladies, two trimmers and one apprentice girl. Apply at once, Burton-Peel Dry Goods Company.

WANTED—A good colored girl for general house work. Apply 122 Galveston avenue.

SITUATIONS WANTED
WANTED—By kindergarten teacher, middle age, position as governess in family of refinement. Will be very kind and gentle with the little ones. What salary will you give? Address, Miss J. Holmes, Kosse, Limestone county, Texas.

INFANT'S NURSE—Wanted, in Texas, situation by woman 33 years old, competent to take entire care of infant, or would care for motherless children; \$20 per month. Miss S. Barnum, 1995 Kenmore avenue, Chicago.

WANTED—A position as office girl. K. L. care of Telegram.

WANTED
THE want ads are "the busy little bees of publicity"—and they may be harnessed at your service when you use this page.

WANTED—500 overcoats; will loan money or buy them. Simon's Loan Office, 1503 Main street.

WANTED—To borrow \$2,700 on one, two, three and four years' time. Low rate of interest, from an individual direct. Address "Financial," care Telegram.

WANTED—A number of tenants for good rental cottages. Give me your names to rent. Walter Maddox, real estate and rental agent, phone 1545-2 rings, 408 Wheat building.

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FIRST-CLASS DRIVING RIGS OF ALL KINDS. BURNS' STABLE, PHONE 49.

LOST—Route book. Please leave at Telegram office, or phone 2329. J. H. Strathorn.

LOST OR STOLEN—Gold-headed umbrella marked, "M. L. Hargrove, Dallas." Return to Telegram office for reward.

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LOST—A large pocketbook containing over \$50 in cash, scholarship to the S. M. N. L., one postal addressed to L. H. Nix, one poll tax receipt, \$10 reward if returned to office of tax collector.

HAIRDRESSING
Miss L. Pratt, hairdressing, shampooing, facial and electrical massage, manicuring, chiropody and electrolysis. Residence calls a specialty. Am a late graduate of Chicago. 810 Calhoun, telephone, 2428.

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FURNISH your houses at \$1.00 per week. I have a number of houses full of goods. E. Lewis Furniture Co., west of court house, on Houston street, and I. X. L. store, corner of First and Houston. Phone 1239 1r.



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MAJOR HENRY SETON DIES IN BALTIMORE

BALTIMORE, Sept. 7.—Major Henry Seton of New York, a veteran of the United States army in the civil and Spanish-American wars, a noted Indian fighter with General Crook, a brother of Archbishop Seton of Rome and a grandson of Mother Elizabeth Ann, Bailey Seton, founder of the Sisters of Charity in the United States, is dead here.

Major Seton was 66 years of age, about a year ago he contracted pneumonia while stationed in Arizona, and coming east, fell a victim to tuberculosis. His last active service was with the Twelfth infantry in the Philippines.

Blythe's Confectionery Fort Worth Chocolate Sale For Three Days Only

400 POUNDS of the highest grade Chocolate for our opening, de-layed on the road. On account of their delicacy we put them in cold storage, which was not severe, and chilled the coating, turning it slightly gray. These goods are as choice as they were in leaving the factory. The off color makes us cut the price in half for these three days. WORTH 60c PER POUND, NOW 30c

AN ADVISOR TO THE KING OF KOREA

Durham White Stevens Is to Act in That Capacity for Empire, Awaiting Peace and Independence

NEW YORK, Sept. 7.—Durham White Stevens, who is to assume shortly the position of legal advisor to the Korean empire, has visited this city to prepare for his departure to the Far East. "It is a mistake," said Mr. Stevens, "to speak of me as a dictator. My position is simply that of an advisor and as such I have no official rank. As a foreigner it would be impossible for me to have any designation. It must not be understood that I have any power, for I merely give the minister of foreign affairs in Korea my advice with regard to the relations of the empire with the outside world. He may do as he likes about accepting the advice. "Once the independence of Korea is assured nothing will stay her development. The country is rich in natural resources. There are deposits of gold and other valuable metals. Japan would see all nations have an equal chance in competing for the trade of Korea, and it is believed that in this way the great resources of the country will be developed. Already American capital has been invested there, and once the peace of the country is assured there will be many opportunities for American enterprise. "Mr. Stevens will leave Vancouver on October 2 for Japan, spending a few days in Tokio, and then proceeding by way of Nagasaki to his new post. He expects to reach Seoul early in November.

IN THE COURTS

MARRIAGE LICENSES T. F. Hall and Mrs. H. M. Adkins; Edward H. Crosshaw and Miss Alice Reynolds; Willie Young and Miss Nellie Hillard.

VITAL STATISTICS Births—To Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Wright of Fort Worth, a boy; to Mr. and Mrs. C. Hollberg of Fort Worth, a boy; to Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Phillips of Fort Worth, a boy; to Mr. and Mrs.

ADWICK AN ARROW QUARTER SIZE 15 CTS EACH; 2 FOR 25 CTS. CLUETT, PEABODY & CO. MAKERS OF 'LUETT AND MONARCH SHIRTS

Jesse L. Johnson of Fort Worth, a girl; to Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Smith of Fort Worth, a boy; to Mr. and Mrs. Lige Admire of Azle, a boy; to Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Yancy of North Fort Worth, a girl.

Deaths—Patrick Noonan, aged 52 years, of Fort Worth, August 26; J. G. Rowman, aged 23 years, of Fort Worth, August 20.

COUNTY COURT In the county court this morning the following cases were disposed of: Will McDuff, pistol, fined \$25; Ben Newell, theft, thirty days in jail; Hub Talfair, aggravated assault, fined \$25; Charles Fournier, theft, fined \$10 and ten days in jail; Hugh McCarskill, theft, fined \$1 and one day in jail; Paul Stripling, appeal from city court, fined \$25.

SUITS FILED E. M. Baker against Northern Texas Tractor Company, personal injuries; Burrill Banks against Novella Banks, divorce; Maud May against William May, divorce.

THREE THOUSAND IS THE BOND FIXED FOR PETERS

Attorney Jeff McLean of Fort Worth Is Representing the Man Arrested in This City Monday

WACO, Texas, Sept. 7.—An examining trial was held today of Melvin Peters, alias Frank McIntyre, who stands accused of securing money as damages from several railroads on the plea that he sustained personal injuries while working for them. He was represented by Jeff D. McLean of Fort Worth, and the examination was before Justice N. B. Williams. Peters' counsel will not deny that he worked for the International and Great Northern and the Katy or that he secured money from them, but says that Peters was hurt just as he claimed and was entitled to the money. The physician who examined Peters when he claimed to have been injured by the International and Great Northern says Peters claimed to be paralyzed and that according to most tests applied he was, but unwittingly allowed himself to cross his knees or bend his legs one time, and this placed him under suspicion, resulting in later developments in the way of his arrest. Peters' wife was also present. The examining trial was not concluded until 12 o'clock today. His bond was fixed at \$3,000 and is not yet given.

A WORKMAN FALLS FROM BRIDGE INTO RIVER

His Accident Injures Him, and to Make It More Serious, a Fellow Workman Falls Upon Him

NEW YORK, Sept. 7.—Andrew Baunach of Catskill, N. Y., is dying in Fordham hospital from injuries received in falling 85 feet from a railroad bridge over the Croton Creek, where he was at work.

Baunach landed on his back and formed a cushion for the body of John Costello. A fellow workman, who fell from the same spot, Costello, absolutely is uninjured. Baunach, Costello and another workman had shouldered a steel beam and started for the middle of the structure.

Baunach slipped, and the heavy burden he was carrying fell on his back, regaining his balance. He tottered back several feet and fell. Costello's end of the beam bore him down, and he, too, fell. The third man was pinned to the structure and saved from falling. Baunach fell probably ten feet ahead of Costello. He turned over several times and landed 85 feet below on his back, becoming unconscious immediately. Costello fell on the prostrate man's side way. The shock stunned him momentarily but he quickly recovered and helped remove Baunach to the hospital.

SEVENTY-TWO JUDGMENTS. AUSTIN, Texas, Sept. 7.—Judgment was taken in seventy-two cases of summary parties in the Fifty-third district court this morning against the supreme council American Legion of Honor on penalties aggregating \$100,000.

Paris, like London, is deserting the theater for the music hall.

DOMESTIC SCIENCE TO BE TAUGHT IN CHICAGO

System of Public Education in That City Proposes to Educate Housekeepers

CHICAGO, Sept. 7.—Perfect housekeepers will be graduated from the Chicago public schools soon if the aims of the board of education are attained. The expectations of the board members are based on a course of study in cooking and sewing just completed by R. M. Smith, supervisor of the manual training and household arts department, after a year's work, and which has been given out to the teachers in the different branches. Cooking and physiology will be taught together by the new system. House sanitation, including the chemistry of house cleaning also will be taken up. The classes in sewing will be taught how to patch, to make button holes, to sew on buttons, to darn and to hemstitch. Then they will be given instruction in cutting and making garments.

Finally they will be told how to shop—how to select suitable material and how to calculate the amounts necessary.

KIRWIN AGAINST SOCIALISM. WACO, Texas, Sept. 7.—Father Kirwin of Galveston, who delivered an impressive Labor Day address here, talking plainly to the working people and impressing them with the idea that he was their friend and anxious to tell them the thing to do to advance their cause, even though what he said might at first appear almost a criticism, spoke strongly of the evils of socialism and said that many unions had been deluded into allowing this propaganda to get into their papers. He thought that socialism sought to accomplish an impossibility while humanity remained with even a small portion of its present imperfections, and that the conditions which the average socialist declared would result from the institution of this form were simply an Utopian dream. The address throughout was thoughtful and impressive, and created a splendid impression upon laboring men, capitalists and all who heard it. Consideration and justice and a due regard for the rights of others were the keynotes.

FIGHT IS POSTPONED. BUTTE, Mont., Sept. 7.—The Atell-Goodman fight has been postponed until September 25. The mill was originally planned for September 15.

CITIZENS' ALLIANCE QUILTS. DENISON, Texas, Sept. 7.—The Citizens' Alliance, the storm center of the recent labor troubles here, has gone to pieces. No more meetings are held.

HELPED CORN CROP

Very general benefit is predicted for growing corn in many parts of the country from the soaking rains of last Friday and Sunday. Some of the dry parts of Kansas are locally reported to have been blessed with half an inch of water and in the Ohio valley, which need moisture badly, the fall extended to an inch and a half. Central Indiana, likewise very dry, got from one-half an inch to an inch and in Nebraska 1.63 inches of rain fell.

NO SYMPATHY FOR EITHER

M. E. Milner, who went to St. Paul with other prominent Western stockmen to confer with railroad officials upon transportation matters, returned Saturday morning, says the Fort Benton River Press. He reports that several concessions affecting stock shipments were secured, the most important being the routing of trains by shippers, which will cause competition among the various railroads, and probably reduce the running time between St. Paul and Chicago to twenty hours.

Little Mavericks

HIDE SUPPLY DECREASING The decrease in the hide supply is attracting much attention and is exerting some influence on the cattle market, or at least would under normal conditions. It is due to the phenomenal increase in the exportation of hides and skins and the decline in the imports. During last year the exportation of hides and skins from this country has increased over 200 per cent, the gain being from 11,743,168 pounds during the year ending May 31, 1903, to 39,394,831 pounds during the year ending May 31, 1904, while the exports for the same period May 31, 1902, amounted to only 8,597,473 pounds. The decrease in the imports is also very heavy, the falling off during last year amounting to over 44,000,000 pounds and during the year preceding the decline was 58,000,000 pounds.

DIPPING IN COLORADO

The live stock sanitary board of Colorado is making a vigorous effort to enforce the cattle dipping law, which is one of the most rigid in existence. In order to carry out the law in this matter, State Veterinarian Lamb has caused a half dozen cattlemen to be arrested and arraigned for hearing for refusing to obey the law. The state board is behind the officers in this matter, and more arrests are looked for.

MAKING RANGE CONTRACTS

The rumor that extensive contracts have been made by slaughterers in several markets with owners of range beefs will not result in still greater losses and injury to producers and consumers. Mr. Milner thinks neither of the parties to the present labor trouble deserves the sympathy of the public, but the packers have shown a disposition to meet the difficulty in a business-like manner, while the labor trust—being an irresponsible body—is not bound by any sense of honor, and breaks one agreement after the other, according to the caprice of hot heads within its ranks or at the instance of fanatical leaders. After a survey of the situation, Mr. Milner concludes the packers feel that they are suffering from an accumulation of grievances at the hands of the labor trust and have decided to make no further concessions. They have apparently determined to improve the opportunity to reach a basis upon which they can carry on business without dictation. As many impediments will be thrown in their way, no amicable adjustment is likely to be reached, and the strike may continue all through the range shipping season.

CHICAGO SHEEP MARKET

Shipments of sheep from the Chicago market last week totaled 47,811, half as many again as went out during the same week a year ago when the total was 31,531. For the same week of 1902 shipments were only 19,217. Receipts for the week were very nearly up to the normal.

Rheumatism

Does not let go of you when you apply lotions or liniments. It simply loosens its hold for a while. Why? Because to get rid of it you must correct the acid condition of the blood on which it depends. Hood's Sarsaparilla has cured thousands.

FURNITURE of two flats for rent or for sale. See Nix Furniture Co.

WANTED—Electrician or machinist, some capital, take interest in repair shop and novelty works. Must be good mechanic. Telegram 274.

FOUND—Small black leather hand-bag containing some cash, card case on inside. Owner can have same by calling at this office and paying for this ad.

WANTED—Six young men 18-24 years of canvass for staple article in town. Ask for Mr. Sanders, 7 to 8 p. m., Worth Hotel.

more than one-half going out again alive to slaughterers and feeders about equally.

LIGHT CATTLE RUN A. A. Hogan of Tulsa, Texas, was in the native division yesterday with three carloads of cows. This was Mr. Hogan's first shipment this season. It will be followed later on by one other shipment from his ranch which is located in Swisher county. "The run of cattle from that section," said Mr. Hogan, "will be lighter this year than it has been for several years. This shows that there are fewer cattle in the country than usual. There are a good many yearling steers there, but I think that will come to market will be largely cows and mixed stock."—Drovers' Telegram.

SHIPPING TO COLORADO

The Lyons-Campbell Cattle Company of Grant county, N. M., shipped from its big ranch last week a string of 5,000 head of steers to Ordway, Col. The company has a big pasture at the latter place where feed and grass are plentiful.

MONTANA SHEEPMEN PROPEROUS

A Montana sheepman in the Merrill district not far from Big Timber says his wool brought him this season \$1.50 per pound averaging between nine and ten pounds and selling for 17 cents per pound. Other flockmasters did as well in same locality.

THE CANADIAN NORTHWEST

Reports from the Canadian Northwest ranching country indicate that cattle are putting on a very good quality of beef rapidly, but that the prairie hay crop is lighter than for some seasons past, necessitating the covering of more territory with the mowder.

BREEDING EWES EASIER

Breeding ewes are somewhat easier than they were last week, the class that sold then at \$4 closing about \$3.75. A somewhat shortened demand and a more liberal supply furnish the reason for the retrogression in price.

AN IRRIGATION POSSIBILITY

An irrigating possibility which promises to affect Texas largely is the well system. Elwood C. Mead of the irrigation section of the department of agriculture has, according to report, just completed a tour of the Lone Star State. He says that near El Paso he found wells being used exclusively for irrigating with complete success and that for this reason the system is perfectly practical, contrary to the claims hitherto made. He is of the opinion that the area of producing land may be doubled in Texas by the proper use of water in this way.

MAY INVADE GERMANY

There has been some talk of late in shipping circles, says the National Provisioner, of sending live grass-fed steers to Germany, where prices are quite high enough to insure a profit on the shipment. However, it is alleged that the ante and post-mortem examinations would be made so exacting and cause so much delay that the scheme would be killed in its birth. German agrarians seem to have one desire and one purpose which is the total exclusion of American meat from their country. Any such invasion of the Fatherland would be most strenuously resisted.

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AMUSEMENTS

The Fort Worth opera house will now be dark until September 17, when the regular season will open. Last night there was a performance by the Georgia Minstrels, which was largely attended. This minstrel organization is a regular

visitor here. It comes every season, and Manager Rusco stated last night that since the visit of last season the company has not closed—in fact has missed but two performances all summer. The company made a trip into the cold northwest, visiting Canadian points, where an attraction of the kind was a novelty. The trip proved quite a money making proposition.

The company has several of the well-known colored minstrels, Clarence Powell being the chief one of the fun makers, while "Billy" Young made a decided hit as interlocutor. Young gives a reading based on lines from Shakespeare, his reading of the lines of "Richard" and those of "Richard" being very good. There is quite a bit of dancing during the action of the play, and much singing. The first part is of a military form, all the members of the company being attired in khaki uniforms, while the hangings are of a patriotic nature, showing the Stars and Stripes.

The afterpiece is based on the Pike at St. Louis, and is rather laughable. The scenery shows a fine representation of the Pike.

TAX BOARD MAKES HEAVY ADDITIONS At the close of the secret session of the board of equalization of Texas yesterday afternoon, it was announced that \$100,000 had been added to the city's tax rolls as a result of the day's work. Fifty thousand dollars of this, it was stated, had been secured as an increase in the taxes of one citizen alone.

As announced in The Telegram of last week, the sale of property for delinquent taxes began yesterday afternoon, a single piece being sold and bought in by the city. Many of the owners are paying their delinquent taxes and the list sold will be considerably less than the number advertised.

TEACHERS MEET NEXT SATURDAY Superintendent Hogg requests the principals of the various schools to meet him Saturday, Sept. 10, at the high school building to arrange a program for the preliminary normal or instructions to the various teachers as to the work of another session. This preliminary meeting of the teachers will be held Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 12, 13 and 14, at 9 a. m., in the rooms of the high school. As heretofore given out on Sept. 15 and 16 the pupils will report to the respective buildings in their districts for classification. Parents are requested not to purchase school books until the list is given by the teachers. On Monday, Sept. 19, the schools will open regularly for work.

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New Fall Woolens

THE ARRIVAL is announced of the seasons new importations of fall and winter woolens for mens wear.

WASHER BROTHERS Century Building Main and Eighth Merchant Tailors

COUPLE REPORTED TO BE WORKING METHODISTS

Chief Rea Receives Letter Stating That Man and Woman Are Operating in This County—Not Heard From Yet

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AMUSEMENTS The Fort Worth opera house will now be dark until September 17, when the regular season will open. Last night there was a performance by the Georgia Minstrels, which was largely attended. This minstrel organization is a regular

visitor here. It comes every season, and Manager Rusco stated last night that since the visit of last season the company has not closed—in fact has missed but two performances all summer. The company made a trip into the cold northwest, visiting Canadian points, where an attraction of the kind was a novelty. The trip proved quite a money making proposition.

The company has several of the well-known colored minstrels, Clarence Powell being the chief one of the fun makers, while "Billy" Young made a decided hit as interlocutor. Young gives a reading based on lines from Shakespeare, his reading of the lines of "Richard" and those of "Richard" being very good. There is quite a bit of dancing during the action of the play, and much singing. The first part is of a military form, all the members of the company being attired in khaki uniforms, while the hangings are of a patriotic nature, showing the Stars and Stripes.

The afterpiece is based on the Pike at St. Louis, and is rather laughable. The scenery shows a fine representation of the Pike.

TAX BOARD MAKES HEAVY ADDITIONS At the close of the secret session of the board of equalization of Texas yesterday afternoon, it was announced that \$100,000 had been added to the city's tax rolls as a result of the day's work. Fifty thousand dollars of this, it was stated, had been secured as an increase in the taxes of one citizen alone.

As announced in The Telegram of last week, the sale of property for delinquent taxes began yesterday afternoon, a single piece being sold and bought in by the city. Many of the owners are paying their delinquent taxes and the list sold will be considerably less than the number advertised.

TEACHERS MEET NEXT SATURDAY Superintendent Hogg requests the principals of the various schools to meet him Saturday, Sept. 10, at the high school building to arrange a program for the preliminary normal or instructions to the various teachers as to the work of another session. This preliminary meeting of the teachers will be held Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 12, 13 and 14, at 9 a. m., in the rooms of the high school. As heretofore given out on Sept. 15 and 16 the pupils will report to the respective buildings in their districts for classification. Parents are requested not to purchase school books until the list is given by the teachers. On Monday, Sept. 19, the schools will open regularly for work.

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Will Be Closed Saturday ACCOUNT OF HOLIDAY! In order to do Saturday business during the next two days we will sell goods at about half price—5c Handkerchiefs at 2 1/2c 10c hemstitched Handkerchiefs at 5c 5c Boys' washable 25c Knee Pants at 10c 100 dozen sample Hose, Men's, Ladies' and Children's from \$2.00 a dozen to \$3.60 will be sold from 5c to, a pair 50c \$1.50 Hat for \$1.00 \$2.50 Hat for \$1.45 \$3.00 and \$3.50 Hat for \$1.95 All this season's styles and shapes. 50c and 75c Shirts with or without cuffs or collars

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