

TWENTY ESCAPE ON RAFT FROM WRECKED VALENCIA

Sole Survivors Out of 150 Men, Women and Children

WERE ALMOST DEAD

Rescue Ship, City of Topeka, Tries to Find Other Raft But Fails to Do So

By Associated Press. SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 25.—A special representative of the Post-Intelligencer wired from Port Angeles at 2:30 a. m. that the rescue ship City of Topeka, picked up a life raft at 1 o'clock yesterday, six miles off Cape Beale, with twenty survivors of the Valencia on board. The men were in a pitiable condition and almost dead from exposure. The rescued are: G. D. Harden, passenger; M. Tarpey, quartermaster; P. O'Brien, waiter; W. Raymond, messman; D. Johnson, coal passer; J. E. Agles, fireman; C. Fleming, baker; Frank Lehn, freight clerk; Joseph McCaffrey, passenger; J. Welsch, waiter; A. Hawkins, passenger; P. Peterson, second officer; C. L. Allison, passenger, from St. Paul.

Conditions Pitiable

The condition of the survivors is pitiable. They were half frozen and practically unconscious from exposure. The raft was sighted about 12 o'clock. A terrible sea was running. One minute the raft was on the top of a wave and the next it would be lost from view in the gully formed by the mountainous breakers.

The eighteen men huddled together on the frail support and battled bravely with a pair of oars to reach the City of Topeka, which, owing to the dangerous coast, could not run any closer to them. A boat was lowered from the City of Topeka, in charge of Second Mate Burke, who, with much difficulty, raised the raft and its occupants. The City of Topeka watched the struggle of the frail support and the men who were clinging to it with the greatest interest. The raft was high in the air and the next lost to sight.

At last they succeeded in bringing the raft to the side of the steamer and the sight of the poor creatures on the raft brought tears to the eyes of the sailors on the vessel. In the stern of the raft sat an old man, his snow-white hair and pallid features creased and torn by the flying spray, but the instinct of life was strong in him and he held on bravely to his place. Three others were lying in a senseless heap in the rear, washed by every swell and held so tightly by the bodies of other men who were closely packed.

The work of rescuing them was dangerous.

Boatswain's Story

VICTORIA, B. C., Jan. 25.—In an interview at Bamfield Creek last night, Boatswain McCarthy told the first detailed story of the Valencia wreck. He said the steamer had been going by dead reckoning and overran her distance. Soundings had been made three and four times at night. The steamer struck at 1:45 p. m. Monday night, about midnight, the first officer, quartermaster and a seaman engaged in middling having ten minutes before, got thirty fatalities.

Was Going at Half Speed

Shortly before the steamer struck she was going at half speed. Captain Johnson immediately shouted, "Hull to starboard!" to the quartermaster and gave orders to sound the bilges, which was done, did not appear to be making much water. The captain that called to the engineer and asked if the steamer was making much water. Before the officer replied, firemen began clambering up, telling the engineers on the companion way she was sinking.

The captain rang for full speed astern and made for the beach. The propeller had only made a few revolutions when the vessel struck and later to port. Captain Johnson was on the bridge when the vessel struck with the second officer. He ran down the companion way to see what was happening.

A ROCKEFELLER DEFIES THE LAW

By Frank Rockefeller. One of John D.'s Family

By Associated Press. CLEVELAND, Ohio, Jan. 25.—Frank Rockefeller, one of the owners of the steamer Valencia, was arrested today in the home in connection with the wreck of the steamer. The steamer was on the coast of British Columbia when it was wrecked. Rockefeller is the son of John D. Rockefeller.

HADLEY IN OHIO

By Associated Press. CLEVELAND, Ohio, Jan. 25.—Hadley, General Appers in the Valencia, was arrested today in the home in connection with the wreck of the steamer.

RAILROAD INQUIRY UP

Approvers Made Before Court of Civil Appeals Today

By Associated Press. SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Jan. 25.—The railroad inquiry was continued today in the court of civil appeals. The court today sustained the verdict of the jury in the case of the Valencia wreck.

JOINT STATEHOOD BILL PASSES IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Cannon's Ironclad Machine Crushes Its Way to Victory Over Demoralized Opposition of Scattered Insurgents—Vote of Today But Emphasizes Yesterday's Rout

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25, 3:30 p. m.—The Hamilton joint statehood bill, known as the omnibus bill, passed the house this afternoon by a vote of 194 to 150, as forecast in these dispatches yesterday afternoon. The crack of Speaker Cannon's whip and the fear of punishment at the hands of the administration again won the victory this afternoon in the passage of the bill which proposes to admit Oklahoma and the Indian Territory as one state and Arizona and New Mexico as the other state.

NO HOPE FOR MRS. TOLLA

Governor Stokes Answers Appeal From Texas

THE CASE IS REVIEWED

Declares There Is No Evidence of an Assault Being Made by Prisoner

That there is little hope for Mrs. Tolla is shown in a letter received by Governor Stokes of New Jersey from Herman Plangman and other railroad men of this city in response to an appeal in her behalf. "The explosion was caused by fire damp. Three of the fourteen bodies have been recovered, but it is impossible to enter the mine because of the gas to attempt to recover the other bodies."

FOURTEEN DIE MINE HORROR

Fatal Explosion Caused by Fire Damp

ONLY TWO MEN ESCAPE

Accident Occurs Near Entrance of Mine—Bodies of Dead Are Beyond Reach

Special to The Telegram. PORTLAND, Me., Jan. 25.—Fourteen lives were lost in an explosion yesterday in Slope No. 4 of the Whitteville mine.

The explosion was caused by fire damp. Three of the fourteen bodies have been recovered, but it is impossible to enter the mine because of the gas to attempt to recover the other bodies.

WHEELER HAS LITTLE CHANCE

Cavalry Leader of Two Wars on His Deathbed

ALL HIS DAUGHTERS SURROUND DYING HERO—CONSCIOUS AND BRAVE TO LAST

By Associated Press. NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—Brigadier General Joseph Wheeler, U. S. A. (retired), soldier, statesman and author, is dying at the home of his sister in this city. This morning the physicians said that the end could not long be delayed. The members of the family who remain within easy call of the sick chamber refused to abandon hope, but realize the gravity of the veteran's condition.

TWO SLAIN IN A KNIFE DUEL

Game of Pool Starts Ferocious Combat at Verdun

Special to The Telegram. LAWTON, Okla., Jan. 25.—Two young men, Edward Rathburn and Ed Lane, of Verdun, Okla., are fatally injured as a result of a duel fought in that town yesterday afternoon. Lane is severely cut about the head and Rathburn has stabs in his body. The fight began in a pool room over a game of pool.

RAIDS CONTINUED

More Officers of Alleged Anarchistic Society Arrested

By Associated Press. MONROVIA, Pa., Jan. 25.—Constantine Levi and Petro Forcaldi, alleged secretaries of anarchistic organizations whose headquarters at Baird, Pa., were raided early Tuesday morning, where the president and members of the band were captured, together with much literature.

AUDITOR SUSTAINED

Texas Supreme Court Takes Side of County Auditor of Galveston

By Associated Press. AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 25.—The supreme court today sustained the auditor of Galveston county, in answer to a writ of certiorari from the district court of civil appeals in the case of Sheriff A. B. Anderson of Harris county against John B. Ashe, county auditor of that county.

REMEMBER THE MAINE

Monuments to Be Erected on Sites of Battles in Cuba

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—Arrangements are being made for a trip of a party of American army and navy officers who are going to Santiago, Cuba, to participate in the dedication of the monuments erected in commemoration of the historic battles fought on Cuban soil during the Spanish-American war. Monuments have been erected at El Caney, at the blockhouse of San Juan Ridge, at "Surrender Tree" and at Las Guasimas.

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BONUS OFFER FOR CAR LINE

South Side Wants the Rosen Heights Line

PROPOSITION IS MADE

Officers of Company Have the Matter Under Consideration at Present

A committee of six citizens of the south side has waited upon Sam Rosen and the officers of the Rosen Heights Traction Company, offering to raise a bonus from south side citizens for a street car line to the south side. The members of the committee declared that they could get up a list of at least 700 names of those who would guarantee to subscribe from \$50 to \$150 each toward a bonus for the line.

REBELS HAVE PARTLY FAILED

Revolutionists of Ecuador Not Wholly Successful

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SWEETWATER NAMED FROM A BITTER CREEK

Hardy Citizens of Nolan County Seek to Prove That TEXAS IS GREAT STATE

As Result of Their Independence the City Thrives With Steady Growth

By Associated Press. ANNAPOLIS, Jan. 25.—The trial of Michigan Richard R. Mann, presidential appointee, was continued today. Several witnesses for the defense were examined. There is not the slightest indication that the end of the hearing cases is in sight.

RAILROADS IN DEAL

Santa Fe and Cotton Belt Carrying on Negotiations Around Waco

By Associated Press. WACO, Texas, Jan. 25.—It is understood that negotiations between the Santa Fe and the Cotton Belt railroads regarding the running of trains of the former road into Waco from McGregor, twenty miles west on the Cotton Belt, are nearing consummation, and a definite announcement of the date of the first Santa Fe train is awaited with interest here. The Santa Fe is desirous to have a regular fixed charge of 50 much per month for the privilege of using the Cotton Belt terminals here, while the Cotton Belt wanted the arrangement to be on the tonnage basis, and pay by each ton handled.

FELL THIRTY FEET

Telephone Lineman Has Miraculous Escape From Death

By Associated Press. WACO, Texas, Jan. 25.—Falling thirty feet from a telegraph pole to the sidewalk, E. S. Smith, a lineman of the Southwestern Telegraph and Telephone Company, was partially paralyzed. Not a bone in his body was broken, and he has almost recovered.

WONDER WHAT THEY'LL THINK?

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—The members of the imperial Chinese commission left this morning for Annapolis, where they will inspect the United States naval academy.

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GENERALY FAIR WEATHER COMING

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East Texas south: Tonight fair and slightly warmer; Friday generally fair. Light variable winds on coast.

Arkansas, Oklahoma and Indian Territory: Tonight and Friday generally fair.

Fort Worth and vicinity may expect fair weather tonight and Friday and warmer conditions tonight.

Temperature at 2:30 66 degrees; wind 12 miles an hour. Barometer stationary.

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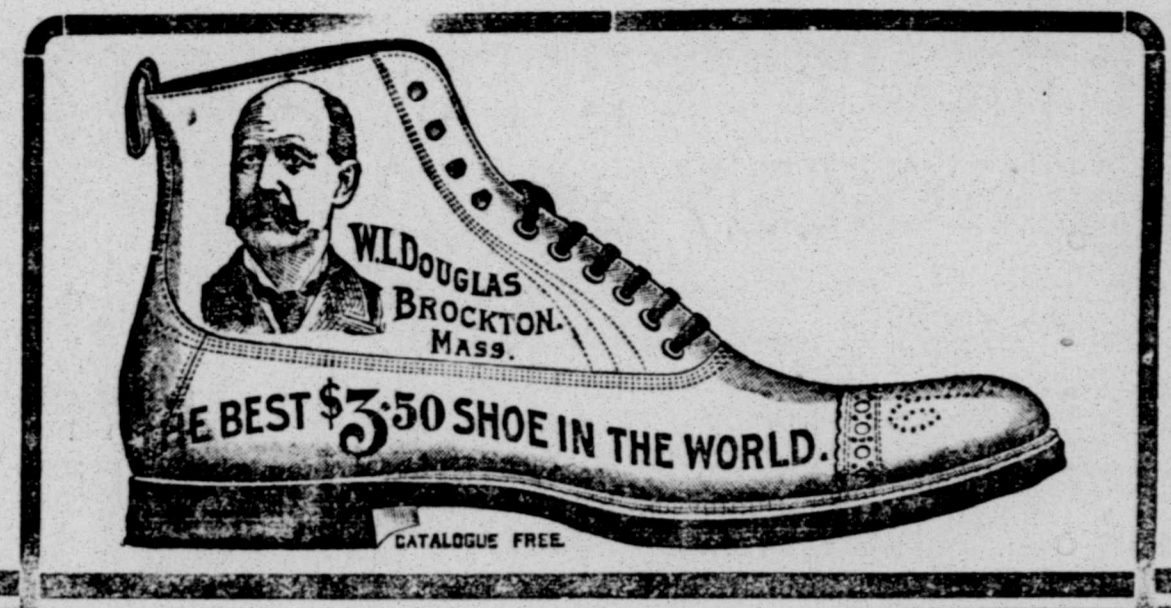
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COLLIER'S TRIAL IS SENSATIONAL
Tells of Mann's Slam at Miss Alice Roosevelt

By Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—When the proceedings were opened again today in the trial of Norman Haggood, editor of Collier's Weekly, on the charge of criminal libel, a statement was put into court record in behalf of Mrs. Clement C. Moore.
E. M. Shepard, counsel for the defense, said that Charles E. Wayne, formerly managing editor of Town Topics, had testified that Coleman, editor of that publication, told him that he had written Mrs. Moore for photographs and autographs of society people, and that she had refused to furnish them. A statement was made as follows:
"It is absolutely untrue that Mrs. Moore was a contributor to Town Topics. Coleman sent to her and wrote to her for autographs of various prominent society people for Fads and Fancies, but she refused to give them. Her husband became a subscriber to the magazine, and she refused to give them. Robert J. Collier, manager and publisher of Collier's Weekly, was the first to write to her for autographs of Fads and Fancies, and she refused to give them. I told him I thought it the wisest article ever printed in any newspaper and suggested he write something about it."
"He did, and so an editorial headed

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MYSTERY IN CLAY COUNTY DEATH

Further Particulars in Death of G. W. Thornton

Special to The Telegram.
HENRIETTA, Texas, Jan. 25.—G. W. Thornton, whose body was found on the banks of the river four miles south of Charlie, this county, was 51 years of age. He was born in Virginia and came to Clay county from Kentucky eleven years ago. For four years he resided on the Widow Young farm. He was well liked and so far as known had no particular enemies.
Thornton left the house about 11 o'clock in the forenoon, saying that he was going to the timber to kill a moose of squirrels and the dinner should not be waited for him, saying that he would be home some time in the afternoon.
The family became alarmed at dusk when he did not return, and the oldest son went in search of him. Two hunting dogs that had been with Mr. Thornton came back to the house alone, and this fact gave further alarm to the family. Some neighbors were notified to be in a position indicated by the hunting party to the spot where the body was found in a patch of green briars. The entire upper part of the body was not away. His pipe was lying at his feet. His gun, with both barrels empty, was standing up against a tree a few yards distant, and seemed to be in a position indicating careful placing. The entire affair is wrapped in mystery, some friends believing that Thornton's death was accidental, while others believe it was murder. The dead man's clothing was burned entirely off the left arm, breast and neck, indicating that the shot was fired at very close range. How Thornton could have accidentally killed himself is hard to explain in the light of the position of the gun.
There is absolutely no reason why Thornton should have committed suicide, which idea is scouted, anyway.

WAS HE WORTH IT?
Iowa Girl Must Pay \$2,000 for Winning Another Woman's Husband
Special to The Telegram.
CLINTON, Ia., Jan. 24.—Mrs. Elizabeth Hartman of Dixon, Ill., has been awarded judgment for \$2,000 damages against Miss Mary Young, a young woman of Clinton, Mrs. Hartman is the wife of a Chicago and Northwestern engineer, whom she married in 1894.
The husband and wife lived together until February, 1904, when, according to her story in court today, the wife was induced to live with her mother in Youngstown, Ohio, taking her two children with her. Later, she says, Mrs. Hartman learned that her husband had fallen in love with her, she returning the affection.
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GROOM JAILED; ON WENT WEDDING
One-half of Double Wedding Is Stopped
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NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—One-half of a double wedding was postponed because of the awkward fact that the groom was thrown into jail by his bride's brother, but the other wedding, that of the other sister, went merrily on.
Two sets of bridesmaids, a double set of flower girls, and everything else that goes to make a double wedding, were in readiness for the ceremony at the home of Mrs. Helena Fitzhenry, No. 111 Chestnut street, Jersey City, when it all the injured man, apparently frail, lay by wonderful vitality snatched himself from the jaws of death.
IRVING'S BUCHU WAFERS
cure Scalding Urine, Backache, Rheumatism, Nervousness, Loss of Flesh, Scurvy, Hemorrhoids, Catarrh of the Bladder, Diabetes, and all Kidney troubles, including Bright's Disease. They are purely a vegetable compound and act directly on the weakened tissues and blood vessels of the kidneys and urinary organs. Sold at 50c a box by H. T. Pangburn & Co., Ninth and Houston Streets, Fort Worth, Texas.

JIMMY COLLINS SIGNS
Boston Baseball Leader Makes Three-Year Contract
Special to The Telegram.
BOSTON, Jan. 25.—Captain Jimmy Collins has arrived in town and his first act after reaching American League headquarters was to sign a three-year contract with the Boston club. The terms were not given out. Collins gave out quite a bit of information among other things, that he had signed contracts of Criger, Young, Gibson, Tammelin, Parent, and Murch. Stahl is as good as signed.

LITTLE POCKET PHYSICIAN
Hvomei Inhaler That Is Guaranteed by R. A. Anderson to Cure Catarrh
Thousands who have been cured by Hyomei call the inhaler that comes with every outfit "The little pocket physician," as it is so small that it can be carried in the pocket or purse.
Prior to the discovery of Hyomei, it was known that at least 37,000,000 of every 100 persons in this state were suffering from catarrh in some form. The remarkable results following the use of Hyomei are shown by the fact that smaller percentage today of people suffering from catarrh.
There is really no excuse whatever for anyone suffering from catarrh. Hyomei is so readily obtainable. If you have any doubts about its value, R. A. Anderson will let you have a complete outfit with the understanding that unless it cures catarrh, it will not cost you a cent.
A complete Hyomei outfit consists of "The little pocket physician," a medicine dropper and a bottle of Hyomei, and costs only \$1, while additional bottles of Hyomei can be procured for 50 cents, making it the most economical, as well as the most reliable treatment for the cure of catarrh.
Do not delay longer the use of Hyomei if you have catarrh. This is a purely local disease, and Hyomei goes right to the spot where the catarrhal germs are present, destroys them, soothes and heals all inflammation and makes a permanent and lasting cure.

FIRE AT BIG SANDY
Express and Freight Houses of Two Railroads
Special to The Telegram.
DALLAS, Texas, Jan. 25.—Reports to Texas and Pacific headquarters in Dallas today made a clear sweep of the joint Texas and Pacific and Cotton Belt railroad station at Big Sandy, Texas, including the express and freight houses. The extent of the loss is not known here.

LIBERALS STILL WIN
New Foreign Secretary Gets Biggest Majority Ever Returned
By Associated Press.
LONDON, Jan. 25.—Sir Edward Grey, new foreign minister, has been returned for the Berwick-on-Tweed division of Northumberland by the largest majority ever had in a typical of the general result of yesterday's elections, which practically were an unbroken series of liberal successes.

TO HANG FOR MOTHER
Rather Than Betray Her—Son Claims He Killed Father
Special to The Telegram.
MARIETTA, Ohio, Jan. 25.—Edward Uhl will not brench his mother's memory, even though it may cost his life. He has just been arrested some time ago at Marietta, Ohio, on the charge of the murder of his father. To throw an element of doubt on her guilt, Edward Uhl has been charged with the murder of the detective force of the Erie railroad.
Before the trial Mrs. Uhl was declared insane and sent to the asylum at Athens, Ohio, where she died a few days ago.
The trial of Edward Uhl will begin Tuesday. It has been explained to him that he can possibly escape conviction by throwing the blame on his mother. This he steadfastly refuses to do, though it may cost him his life. His lawyers will plead hereditary insanity for him.

THREE CASES DISMISSED
Dallas Saloon Keepers Freed in Corporation Court
Special to The Telegram.
DALLAS, Texas, Jan. 25.—In the corporation court this morning the cases of three saloon keepers charged with carrying on a business in violation of the limits imposed by act of city council, were dismissed on technicalities.
Five other cases are still to be heard.

\$100 REWARD \$100
The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials to J. C. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by all druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

PRIESTLY ORDER RENT BY BOOK

Sulpician Monastery Divided Over Biblical Criticism

Special to The Telegram.
NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—The Tribune today says:
Rev. Francis Gigot, professor of biblical criticism and research in Dunwoody Seminary, resigned from the Sulpician order several days ago rather than submit to what he believed a too zealous criticism of his biblical works on the part of his French superiors, and took with him not only the president of the institution, Rev. James Driscoll, but four other priests, who have been in the order for years.
Father Gigot, it appears, is supported by the archbishop of New York.
Not only has the archbishop reappointed Driscoll president of the seminary, but has granted Father Gigot's wish to retire from active duties at the seminary to finish his biblical work. Father Gigot is now chaplain at St. Angela's.
An Acknowledged Leader
Father Gigot is acknowledged one of the Catholic church's greatest biblical scholars. His works are the standard authority on the bible and biblical criticism in every Catholic institution of higher learning in the English-speaking world.
It is understood that the superior general ordered Father Gigot to eliminate some statements and modify others in the work he is now preparing, and later forbade the printing of the work at all.
The order for suppression came through the Rev. Dr. Dyer, rector of St. Mary's Seminary, in Baltimore, one of the largest institutions in charge of the Sulpicians. Dr. Dyer is said to have been the first to find fault with Father Gigot's work.
Those who followed Dr. Driscoll and Father Gigot were the Rev. Richard K. Wakeham, Father Holland and the Rev. Dr. Mahoney.
Dr. Driscoll refused last night to speak, except to admit that he and the others named had seceded from the order.
The Sulpician order was founded in 1641 by Jean Jacques Oliver to educate candidates for the priesthood.

DATES ARE ANNOUNCED
Billiard Tournament Begins in April at New York
By Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—The dates and entries are announced today for the international billiard tournament to be played at Madison Square Garden in April. The tournament will begin on Monday, April 9, and will continue afternoons and evenings until finished. Play will be at eighteen-inch balk line, two shots in, for the world's championship. The entries to date are Louis Cure, Paris; George Sutton, Chicago, and Paris; Willie Hoppe, New York; Jacob Schaeffer, Chicago; Albert C. Cutler, Boston; George F. Slosson, New York; and Ora Morningstar, New York and Paris. Maurice Vignaux may decide to enter, but it is considered doubtful.
Ten Days at Least
The seven entries which are assured mean that twenty-one games will be played, which will require ten days, without making allowance for the play-off of possible ties. The games will be 500 points up, and the winner will receive a gold and silver trophy, worth \$1,000, emblematic of the world's championship at 18.2 balk line. There will, in addition, be cash prizes to the value of \$2,500. The prize will be divided, 50 per cent to the winner and 25 and 15 per cent to the second and third, respectively.
Following the tournament here for the championship, all the contestants have agreed to go to Chicago and engage in a second tournament.
Those who have entered are the greatest living exponents of billiards, and the tournament promises to be the best ever held in this city.

LUMBERMEN LIKE PRESIDENT'S WAY
Southwestern Association Endorses Roosevelt's Policy
Special to The Telegram.
KANSAS CITY, Jan. 25.—The Southwestern Lumbermen's association adjourned today, after endorsing Roosevelt and the railroad rate regulation, declaring for the removal of the tariff on Canadian lumber and approving the general roads movement.
New officers are T. H. Rogers, Oklahoma City, president; W. M. Johns, Se-dalla, Mo., vice president; Harry Gersbach, Kansas City, secretary.
Among the directors are W. D. Frantz, Enid, Okla.; G. W. Halloran, Pittsburg, Kan.

SMOOT'S MAN IS APPOINTED
Roosevelt Gives U. S. Marshalship to Mormon Missionary
Special to The Telegram.
SALT LAKE CITY, Jan. 25.—At the instance of Senator Reed Smoot and George Sutherland, President Roosevelt today appointed William Spry, a former Mormon missionary, as United States marshal for Utah. He succeeds Ben B. Heywood, a radical anti-Smoother and opponent of the Mormon church. Heywood's term expires next Saturday.
It is believed here that Senator Smoot induced the President to make the appointment at once in order that the Smoot faction may have access to the subpenas for witnesses in the hearing of the Smoot case, which is to be resumed Feb. 6.

SPECIFIC BEQUEST MADE
Will of Marshal Field Filed for Probate in Chicago
Special to The Telegram.
CHICAGO, Jan. 25.—The will of the late Marshal Field was filed for probate yesterday. Specific bequests are made to the aggregate of \$25,500,000. The remainder of the estate is left in trust for the son, Marshall Field Jr. (died Nov. 27) and his descendants. The principal of the residuary estate is to be kept intact until one of the sons of Marshall Field Jr. shall reach the age of 50 years. The largest single bequest is for \$8,000,000 to be used as an endowment and building fund for the Field Columbian Museum. The widow is given \$1,000,000 and to the daughter, Mrs. Beattie of Leamington, England, \$1,000,000 is left in trust.

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It is said that the Texas and Pacific and Orient railroads would also be patrons.
Excellent School System
The Sweetwater public school system is the only one between Abilene and El Paso affiliated with the state university. The school building was erected at a cost of \$15,000, is of brick and is three stories high.
In addition to a course carrying the pupils through eleven grades, there are departments of elocution and music. Citizens of Sweetwater, interested wholly in town property, say that the fact that practically all the country about the town is held by ranchmen in large pastures operates against the development of the surrounding territory and that when these ranches are cut into smaller tracts and sold the town will experience a rapid growth.
There is a hustling energy among the citizens of Sweetwater greatly similar to that noticeable in Fort Worth. Common laborers are almost impossible to obtain and the result is that many business men are forced to perform menial tasks. Not an idle man is to be seen on the streets and a tramp would have hard work trying to avoid a dozen opportunities for employment.
A. W. GRANT.

DID YOU FIND \$36,000,000.00?
New Jersey Man Lost It Somewhere in Texas
Special to The Telegram.
AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 25.—Comptroller Stephens has received a most remarkable letter from Jacob D. Brown, 345 1/2 South Ninth street, Newark, N. J., who writes to know whether there is on the escheated records of the state an estate valued at \$36,000,000.00 in Texas belonging to a German named Claus Peter W. Ringe, now dead. The comptroller made an exhaustive search of the records, but failed to find where such an estate is located in Texas.
BIG INCREASE SHOWN
Railway Commission Issues Statement As to Texas Lines
Special to The Telegram.
AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 24.—The railroad commission today gave out a statement showing a comparison of the earnings and expenses of Texas railroads for the five months ending Nov. 30, 1905, with the corresponding months in 1904.
The statement shows the freight earnings for the five months ending Nov. 30, 1905, to be \$22,793,701, which is an increase of \$1,128,132, or 4.90 per cent over the same period of 1904.
Gross earnings for the same five months in 1905 were \$33,367,834, which increases \$1,293,329 for the same period in 1904, or 4.92 per cent.
The operating expenses for the same period of 1905 were \$23,124,405, which is an increase of \$1,360,134, or 6.25 per cent over the same period of 1904.
The income from operation for the same period of 1905 was \$10,243,429, which is a decrease of \$66,734, or .65 of 1 per cent for the same period of 1904.

BIGGEST AMERICAN FARM
Chicagoan Raises 300,000 Bushels of Corn Annually on Place
Special to The Telegram.
WEBSTER CITY, Iowa, Jan. 25.—The largest farm in Iowa, and no doubt the largest farm in the world in where corn is grown almost exclusively, is the big Adams place of 15,000 acres, near Osceola. The 105 men who have been employed steadily on this farm for the last year have just finished husking the greatest cornfield in the United States. It is estimated that more than 300,000 bushels of corn were raised there this year. The crop is all cut and husked and the stalks and cobs will be shredded for the fat cattle before spring.
Thirty-seven double stalk cutters were used to bind the corn in the field this fall. Mules were employed almost everywhere to do the heavy draft work on the farm and there are over 200 of these faithful animals kept there constantly. Mr. and Mrs. Adams and family are at present at their winter home in Chicago, and the farm is in the hands of his manager.

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MCGRAW HELD IN ENVELOPE CASE

Hearing on Charges Before Justice of Peace

M. C. McGraw Thursday had an examining trial in two cases, perjury and forgery charges, and was bound over to the grand jury in each case in the sum of \$250.

These cases were made against Mr. McGraw following the arrest of Night Clerk Jackson of a local hotel, on the charge of theft over the value of \$50.

District Court

In the forty-eighth district court Thursday the case of the Fort Worth Live Stock Commission Company vs. W. E. Floyd et al. suit for debt, remains on trial.

Justice Court

In Justice Charles T. Rowland's court Thursday morning the case of Henry Miller, a negro, who is charged with burglary, was set for trial Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Real Estate Transfers

Fort Worth Development Company to Mrs. F. Martin, lot 20, block 101, M. G. Ellis addition, \$1200.

Third Court of Appeals

Special to The Telegram. Jan. 25.—The following proceedings were had yesterday in the court of civil appeals, Third district:

DR. SHOOP'S RHEUMATIC TABLETS

COURT MEETS AT MASONIC HOME

Sanity of Woman to Be Investigated

County court will meet Thursday afternoon at the Masonic home for widows and orphans, Sheriff Home.

The patient is Mrs. M. M. White, who was recently sent to the home by the Masonic lodge at Waco, Texas.

Upon information furnished by Dr. Rainey, Walter G. Strong, clerk of the court of appeals, swore to the complaint.

DRY WEATHER MAP ISSUED

Less Than Inch of Rainfall in Entire Country

The weather map this morning shows that there is little weather change. The map from a view of prominent features, is almost entirely bare.

Warmer weather is promised for this city tonight and Friday. The thermometer at 7 o'clock Thursday morning stood at 26 degrees.

Throughout the territory covered by the Fort Worth Dispatch, no rain was reported at the general offices this morning, was fair and clear.

DELEGATES TO LEAVE

Fort Worth to Seek Next Horticultural Meeting

The members of the committee elected by the State Real Estate Association in Palestine and the committee which has its headquarters in this city, will leave Fort Worth Thursday night by the does not include at least one place with rain.

NORTH SIDE LOCALS

COUNCIL TO MEET

A Special Meeting to Be Held This Afternoon

A Little Love a Little Wealth



THE THIRD DAY OF THIS SALE STOCKS ARE COMPLETE--BARGAINS EVEN GREATER

This, the greatest Midwinter Sale ever inaugurated, presents an unusual variety of splendid merchandise at price savings which are made possible only by our strong determination to sell every vestige of winter goods.

Table listing various clothing items and their prices, including coats, suits, dresses, and accessories.

Basement Bargains

Table listing basement bargains such as fancy prints, claret prints, and comfort coats.

Parker & Lowe DRYGOODS CO. advertisement with logo and promotional text.

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Table listing basement bargains including Indian linens, India linens, and Scotch crash.

GOULDS TO SPEND MONEY IN TEXAS

President of Cotton Belt Makes Announcement

Edwin Gould, president of the St. Louis Southwestern Railroad Company, arrived in Fort Worth at 12:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

Have Confidence in Future

We intend to purchase additional passenger equipment, and we have arranged to build additional freight equipment.

Washed Off and Drowned

VICTORIA, Jan. 25.—When the raft loaded with the survivors from the Valencia, came alongside the steamer City of Topeka, the rescue was imminent.

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The children cannot possibly have good health unless the bowels are in proper condition. A sluggish liver gives a coated tongue, bad breath, constipated bowels.

NEWS FROM THE ALPINE COUNTRY

Brewster County People to Farm on Big Scale

ALPINE, Texas, Jan. 25.—Quite a number of Brewster county people are preparing to farm this year on quite an extensive scale.

Twenty Escape on Raft from Ship

the sea was impossible. The vessel had broken up. Only fifteen had survived.

Told Awful Tales

The survivors told terrible tales of the wreck of the Valencia. When they left the ship there were about ninety people on board.

Passenger Men Meet

A meeting of the Texas General Passenger Agents' Association took place Wednesday afternoon.

Advice to the Aged.

Age brings infirmities, such as sluggish bowels, weak kidneys and bladder and TORPID LIVER.

Tutt's Pills advertisement with logo and text.

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Appendix Kept Busy

Your appendix is kept busy warding off the dangers of constipation. Help it with Dr. King's New Life Pills.

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WHY RAILWAYS ISSUE PASSES

There is considerable discussion of the free pass question in the columns of the press all over the country, as a result of the failure of the various lines of railway to dig up the customary number of passes this year.

They say they have been compelled to submit to this iniquitous imposition in order to be let alone. In other words, they have issued passes as a means of purchasing immunity from obnoxious and vicious legislation.

Uneasy lies the postoffice head that has been decorated with a Green or Hawley crown.

More sidewalks and better sidewalks is the popular demand, and the citizen who will not voluntarily fall into line with this progressive idea should be compelled to do so.

Joint statehood is the latest news that comes from Washington, and while it will be disappointing to a large number of people who wanted single statehood for each of the four territories, it must be conceded that as an abstract proposition it beats no statehood at all.

It is said the prohibitionists in Texas are just on the verge of a big row among themselves over the question as to whom they will unitedly support for governor.

All over Texas the festive candidate is now beginning to make hay, and the columns of the country press are beginning to groan under the burden of the usual announcements.

The appointment of General Luke Wright as ambassador to Japan, lends some color to the report that negotiations may soon be opened for the transfer of the Philippines to that country.

If you intend to pay your poll tax and qualify yourself for exercising the right of suffrage this year, you had better proceed to get some kind of an action on your hand, and it will then be everlastingly too late.

Colonel Cecil Lyon would make the calling and election of all Lyon men sure in Texas by four more years of Roosevelt. But Colonel Lyon's disposition in the premises is much greater than his party's voting strength in Texas.

AMONG THE EXCHANGES

Miss Alice Roosevelt will have all her beautiful wedding clothes made in America, in spite of the temptations offered to get some of them in Paris.

Judge M. M. Brooks has been urged to resign his seat on one of the higher court benches since he is a candidate for governor.

It is not Judge Brooks' mouth the people desire to close, but the state treasury, while he is engaged in the work of campaigning.

An opera house manager at Houston, Texas, has asked that a city ordinance making it unlawful to make "goo-goo eyes" be suspended for two days this week.

The National Breeders and Fort Worth Fat Stock Show will be held at Fort Worth March 22, 23 and 24. The event promises to be the greatest ever held in Texas.

The big event to be pulled off in this city in March is attracting much favorable attention throughout the country, and the indications are that a big crowd will be present to see what Texas is doing in the proper development of her great live stock industry.

Patsy Flanagan of Chicago visited Montague at an early hour yesterday morning. The authorities have arranged to send him home in a box.

When the people have tried to handle this free pass question in the past it has been in the face of almost insurmountable obstacles.

The reason advanced by the railways for the issuance of passes is very humiliating when considered in the light of true manhood and the proper citizenship.

DEPEW, "VANDERBILT'S MAN" IN THE SENATE

Here is another write-up of United States senators who have stood for special privilege in the question of establishing fair railroad rates.

Not a Patrick Henry They tell of Depew's first appearance as an orator in the senate.

Depew is a man of the committee rooms. Perhaps there is the odor of fine perfumes and associates with kindred spirits, he speaks his mind. We cannot know, for a funkier bars us out, that we may not see and hear what play our public servants are at.

Depew could not be excelled for "defensive purposes." Even with a knowledge of his real mission in Washington, newspaper men have always been inclined to spare him. It was human for the reporters to do so.

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has always been more the agent or attorney for the money power than a financial magnate himself.

In his senatorial history he has never stood for any measure which has had for its purpose the advancement of the conditions of the many as against the advancement to greater gains of the few.

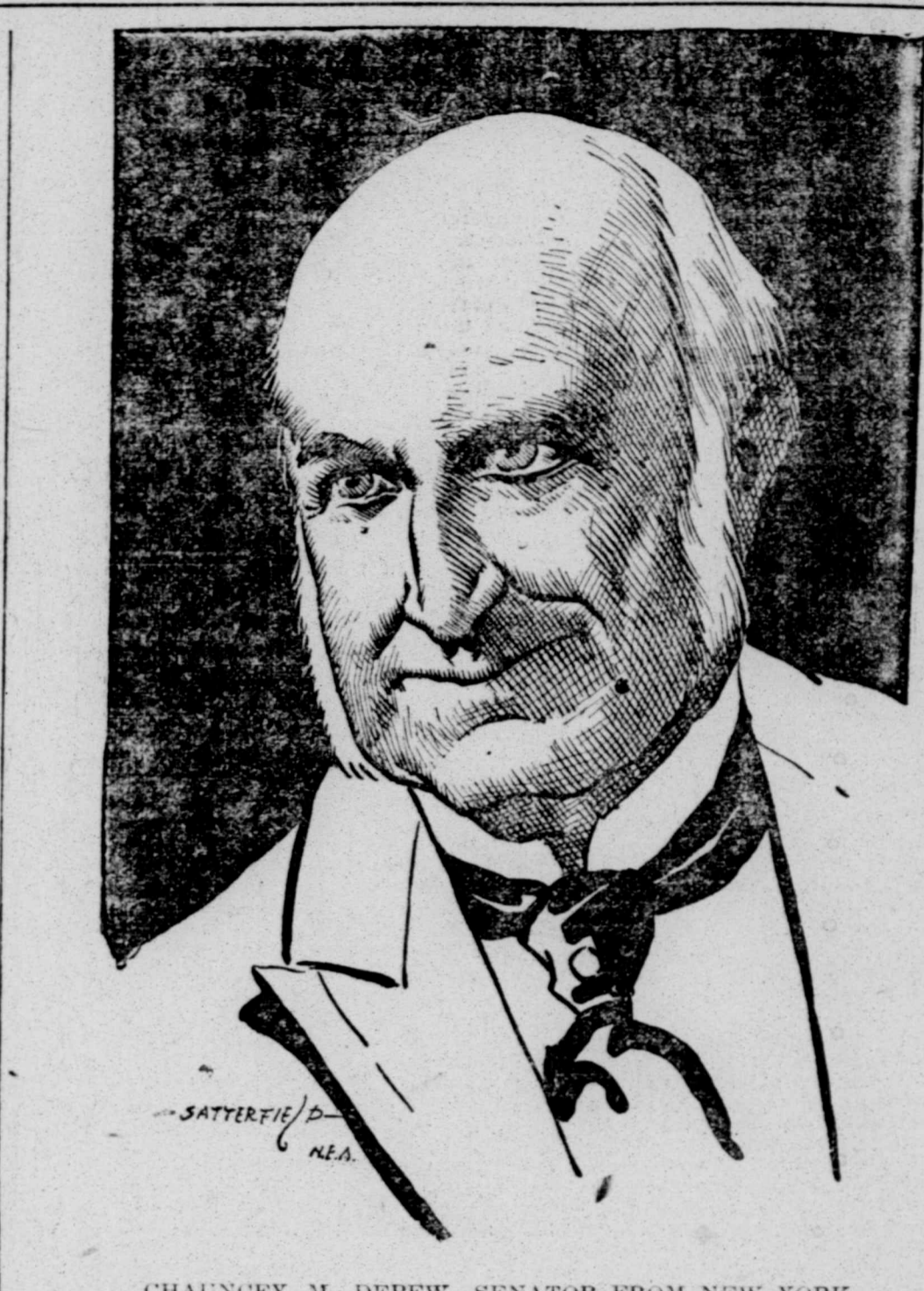
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Depew has never released his active control of the great variety of interests which demand his attention.

THE BEAUTY OF TIDINESS

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

Untidiness is a very serious fault. No man is as pretty or fascinating you may be, if you are untidy it spoils all.

The girl who is untidy about her person is pretty sure to make a poor housekeeper.

The chances are that she won't keep the ice box clean or sweep under the beds.

The plain, neat girl will make a better housekeeper than the pretty untidy one.

If you are pretty you cannot afford to be untidy and if you are plain it is sheer foolishness to be untidy.

Neatness has a beauty and charm all its own. It is a positive pleasure to look at a girl who is spotlessly neat.

It is just as important to be neat about the house as to be neat about your person.

Keep your bureau drawers tidy and the closet where your dresses hang.

Dust is unhealthy as well as unlovely.

Don't leave your clothes lying about on chairs and your boots under the bed or any place they happen to fall when you take them off.

Your things will last twice as long and you will look twice as well dressed if you take good care of them.

Many a promising match has been spoiled by the young man's arriving at the conclusion that his lady love was too untidy to make a good, prudent wife.

I have one case in mind in particular. A young woman was visiting in my native town.

We all expected that the engagement would be announced on his return.

But time passed and nothing was said. Finally he told me the reason.

"When I called at her house," he said, "the place was so untidy that I could think of nothing else. I thought to myself, dear me, I suppose if we were married I would always have to live in this muddle, and I hadn't the courage to face it, that's all."

So you see how untidiness spoiled that romance. Don't be untidy, girls, you can't afford it, it will ruin your projects and spoil your appearance.

MOONSHINE AND MUSINGS

By SID BARTON

"Yes, sir; yes, sir," spluttered the old gentleman, "he has a record of which he and all his descendants may be proud. He was vindicated by the United States senate."

"Passed a vote of confidence in him, did it?" "No, sir; no, sir, not that, not that. It fired him."

It's just possible that Andy Hamilton is on his way home. Hughes has sailed for Europe.

THIS DAY IN HISTORY Jan. 24, 1652.—President Castro's name did not appear in the papers.

Jan. 24, 1828.—A public speaker in New York spoke highly of the United States senate.

Jan. 24, 1741.—Big life insurance companies declined to contribute to either republican or democratic national committee.

"That was a dirty deal those fellows in Wall street gave Softon."

"I don't see anything dirty about it. They cleaned him, didn't they?"

"Are you going to put that porch climber through the sweatbox?" asked Detective Ray.

"No," said Chief Maddox, "he's such an old hand that it wouldn't do any good. I think I'll put him in a Henderson street car between 5 and 6 this evening."

Anyway, a lot of people might never have heard of Poultry Bigelow if it hadn't been for the United States senate.

The price of hardwood lumber has been raised. Can you see the flash of that house you were planning to build next spring?

Don't be discouraged. More light has been shed on the canals of Mars, and eventually somebody may know something about Panama besides Poultry Bigelow.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR Most men default on love letters more than on promissory notes.

When a man's married his children begin; and that is where his money ends.

There is nothing that can explode theories like getting married and trying to run a house.

Some men are so lazy that if they inherit money, they think they worked too hard to get it.

The kind of scandal women like to talk about is the kind too awful to talk about.

A nice thing about having your wife away on a visit is nobody ever likes to argue by letter.

A woman always has scruples about telling a man a secret because she suspects he will keep it.

It's a mistake to swear before people who don't know enough about it to understand what you mean by it.

It makes a woman feel awful blue to think how gloomy it would be to have it rain on the day of her funeral.—New York Press.

AND NOBODY SHOUTS, TREASON!

I, for one, am not in favor of holding the Philippine Islands as a part of the United States a moment longer than we absolutely have to. I am in favor of turning those islands over to the Filipino people to govern themselves at the very first moment that they have proved to us they are capable of governing themselves.

What has become of the old flamboyant speeches about Duty and Destiny, tutelage of the alien into citizenship and trusteeship of affairs under Providence and no-lowering-of-the-flag, etc., ad nauseam?

THE SYSTEM IS WILLING Tom Lawson says he is willing to "go broke," and for once he and the system are in complete accord.—Chicago News.

NOT ACCIDENTAL The man who drags a gun toward himself by the muzzle is never shot by accidental discharge of the weapon.—Philadelphia Ledger.

WILL OPPOSE IT Anyone that is opposed to the reform of football should interest the United States senate in it.—Detroit Free Press.

MR. ASTOR'S WAGES John Jacob Astor has been serving as a juror in New York, thus adding \$2.50 a day to his ordinary daily income of \$39,000.—Nashville Banner.

NEW YORK PLAYS That New York burglar who was moved to confession by witnessing a play in a theater proved the theory that it is a strong man who can endure the average New York play.—New York Express.

THE DIFFERENCE "Judge Andrew Hamilton has gone to Bad Nauheim to take the waters, but his former associates are remaining in Bad New York to take their medicine."—Pittsburg Gazette.

IMITATING US A Spanish senator has been accused of frauds on the treasury involving some \$7,200,000. Really, since the war over Cuba those Spaniards seem to have taken a delight in imitating us Americans.—New York Press.

It would be a terrible mortification to a woman to be carried off in an ambulance if she hadn't got on her best clothes.—New York Press.

Mrs. Muggins—Is your new girl a good cleaner? Mrs. Burdette—Well, she hadn't been in the house three hours before she got drunk and started to clean out the place.—Philadelphia Record.

CANADA'S PROSPERITY Canada joyously claims prosperity, which doubtless means that some of our own is being crowded over the border.—New York World.

VERSES THAT RING

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(With acknowledgments to Tenyson.) Half a block, half a block, Half a block onward, Packed into troley cars, Rode the six hundred, Maidens and matrons hail, Tall spinsters, slim and pale, On to the Bargain Sale, Rode the six hundred.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

Words of a silent man are never repeated in court. What a man thinks of him is not far from the truth. You can't insult some politicians by offering them tainted money.

QUAKER REFLECTIONS

To err is human, to forgive is superhuman. Even if at first you succeed there is no reason why you shouldn't try again.

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Formally Announces Candidacy for Congress Hon. James W. Swayne makes formal announcement of his candidacy for congress in this issue of The Telegram...

ORGANIZER COMING

National Officer of W. C. T. U. to Visit Fort Worth Mrs. J. W. Bailey, national organizer for the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union...

REQUISITION SECURED

Sheriff Leaves for Guthrie With Three Prisoners Sheriff Hart Murphy arrived here this morning from Austin with his requisition papers duly signed...

LOCAL INSURANCE CO.

Texas National Life Insurance Co. of Fort Worth To the Public: About three months ago I was among you to promote the above company...

COWAN LEAVES FOR CONVENTION

Other Texans Will Attend the Denver Meeting Judge S. H. Cowan, who has been in Washington in the interests of the interstate commerce commission...

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TEXANS IN THE CITY

At the Metropolitan Dallas—James Albert, O. J. Morris, Amarillo—R. B. Spencer and family, J. E. Beakley...

WILL APPOINT OFFICER

Humane Society Directors Hold Regular Meeting A meeting of the board of directors of the Fort Worth Humane Society was held Wednesday night...

NO CITY TICKET FOR REPUBLICANS

Tentative Admission in Roosevelt Club Circular A letter has been sent out to members of the Roosevelt Central Republican Club...

The Talk of the Day

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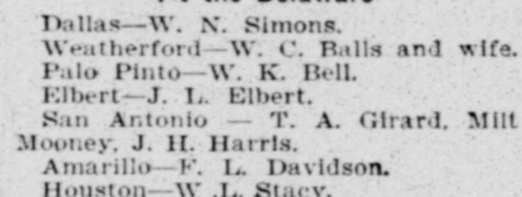


Illustration of a man in a suit, likely related to the insurance advertisement.

LECTURE ANNOUNCED

Head of Trinity University to Be Heard in This City President Turner of Trinity University will lecture at the Fort Worth High School...

PASTOR RETURNS

Rev. J. B. French is Home from San Antonio Rev. J. B. French has returned from San Antonio...

BANKERS TO ATTEND

Local People Who Will Go to the Hillsboro Meeting Among the bankers who will attend the meeting of the Fourth district of the Texas Bankers' Association...

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MANY CONSUMPTIVES HELPED.

State Hospital in Adirondacks Shows Encouraging Figures—105 Patients Discharged The trustees of the New York State Hospital for Incurable Pulmonary Tuberculosis in the Adirondacks have issued their completed statistics for the first year...

CHIEF OF BUREAU HERE

Head of Identification Department Views Dead Body George Smith, manager of the central bureau of criminal identification for the city marshals and sheriffs of Texas arrived here Wednesday afternoon...

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OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

FRILLS MISS ALICE WILL WEAR



MISS ALICE ROOSEVELT IN A FAVORITE POSE.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—For the first time your correspondent is able to present an accurate description of the marvelous trousseau, including details of the wedding gown, Miss Roosevelt, who will be the sixth bride to go forth from the white house when she is wedded to Representative Nicholas Longworth of Cincinnati next month. The rarity of white house weddings has put every one on tiptoe with interest in the coming event. They have been equally interested in the wedding gown and other dresses in the trousseau.

There are ten of these wonderful gowns, made for the most part in the empress or princess styles, as the most becoming to the youthful bride, and lending themselves the more readily to the rich Oriental weaves, of which nearly all of the trousseau is made. For these gowns Miss Roosevelt has chosen the rare fabrics of China and Japan, gifts from the dowager empress from Canton and rare brocades. Then there are European silks of exquisite design and texture. The bridal gown is of fine satin, woven in Paterson, N. J., secretly, a pattern that has been destroyed to prevent its being duplicated. Of Pure Lily White The material combines the stiffness and flexible quality so long striven for by weavers of satin. It is of a pure lily white, without a suggestion of cream or ivory tinting. Theuster can only be likened to that produced by moonlight shining upon new snow. There are twenty-six yards of material in this wedding gown, over which will fall a full court train to consist of a like number of yards of brocaded satin in a graceful lily design, exquisite in texture, and one of the many sumptuous pieces of brocaded and embroidered satin presented to Miss Roosevelt during her trip to the Philippines. Draped in princess design, the wedding gown will fit closely to the waist and then sweeping away in a long train. The gown is built up over a soft silk lining, which is finished at the bottom with many frou-frou ruffles of chiffon and lace to hold the

satin out and keep it from tangling. Lace finishes the upper part of the bodice and the short sleeves, just below the elbow, but the decision has been reached that no more lace shall appear in the gown. It is said that the bride's bouquet will consist of white lilies, but Mr. Longworth has not taken anybody into his confidence in this respect.

Afternoon Gowns .. Among the afternoon gown materials in the trousseau are crepes embroidered in Hawthorne, wistaria, morning glory and chrysanthemum designs, and satins repeating the first three patterns in Japanese workmanship, with silks showing Chinese embroidery—the gift of Tsu An, empress of China, exhibiting the mingled colorings of roses, chrysanthemums, iris and lilies blended to form a harmony of color.

If Miss Alice is inclined to have any taffeta petticoats she has not as yet revealed such intention. Sets of soft silk and batiste, hand embroidered, are being purchased and made very elaborately, some of the lingerie petticoats having as many as four and five lace trimmed flounces, one above the other. The upper flounces entirely covering the under ones, and the whole forming a foamy mass of lace at the bottom.

Well Flounced .. Nearly all the undershirts have double and triple flounces, since so many of the gowns are crepe and pongee, and these require considerable fullness. The bride's only attendant will be her step sister, and she will surround her her stepmother and her aunt, Mrs. Cowles, of whom she is very fond. The gowns for these three are being made by Miss Roosevelt's dressmaker.

Mrs. Roosevelt is having made for the wedding a gown of crepe and lace, over a satin underling, the gown being built over a long train and having a draped bodice with lace pulled on over the bust and small sleeves reaching just below the elbow.

Mrs. Cowles will wear a handsome gown of royal blue satin, richly embroidered by hand in blue, with just a little lace from the trimmings and a long train. It will be made up over a soft silk underling.



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House Jacket 5265 .. The variations of the house jacket are very nearly without end and each new one is sure to find a welcome and place. This one is tucked to form a giraffe that is exceedingly becoming and exceedingly attractive. In the illustration it is made of China silk with trimming of lace, but it is appropriate for all materials that are used for garments of the sort that are thin enough to be tucked with success. For immediate wear challie, cashmere, wool batiste and the like are greatly liked, orately, some of the lingerie petticoats having as many as four and five lace trimmed flounces, one above the other. The upper flounces entirely covering the under ones, and the whole forming a foamy mass of lace at the bottom.

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SYNOPSIS .. Agar Hume, a young, impoverished actor, takes employment as valet to Sir William Dagmar, who is member of a secret society of consumptives. Serving a banquet at one of the regular monthly meetings of the club, Brown, as Sir William has decided to call his valet, tells his master, in answer to a question that he cannot understand French. The conversation being in French, Brown learns that the society sustains a hospital where, later, disguised as Sir William, he sees a wonderful surgical operation performed in which the blood of an ape is substituted for that of a man. The operation being the nineteenth and a failure, one of the members of the society present kills himself.

Venner makes an unsuccessful attempt to trap Brown in blackmailing him by the threat to reveal the facts connected with the death of the last patient and, when Venner has paid him, Brown being disguised as an old German, changes his disguise, but is followed by a private detective as he leaves the hotel where he met Venner.

(Continued From Yesterday.)

She sighed again, and for a time was silent, but at length she fixed her eyes upon my face and said: "You have a foreign 'air,' monsieur. Is it possible that your father was my countryman?"

"He had not that honor, mademoiselle."

She gave a little frown. "And yet your name Hume—I think you said it might be French?"

"No, mademoiselle; but my mother was a Parisienne."

She nodded her head, and half closing her eyes, she began in a low voice of melting sweetness to hum the tune of a famous little chansonette.

Of a sudden she stopped, and, leaning forward, gave me a look which seemed to reveal a longing to be comforted.

"Ah, sir!" she said, "I see you have a heart that might vibrate to woman's tears. And yet you cannot know how sad I am, how very, very miserable."

There are times when a passion of insensate anger seizes me to look back upon my folly. Ah, woman's wiles, woman's wiles! But I was a blind, blither, I pierced to the very fibers of my being, falling on my knee before her, I seized and passionately kissed her hand.

"Mademoiselle, you spoke justly," I cried in French. "Here is a heart that only beats to serve you without seeking."

The glance of involuntary horror she gave me and the swift withdrawal of her hand from my embrace should have warned me of my fatuous self-betrayal. But there is no limit to the errors of a truly clever mind astray in seeking to retrieve itself. I thought that I had angered her in venturing to hint that her disease of sorrow might be cured.

"Pardon me," I pleaded earnestly. "I have offended you with words. If any part of me could so offend, that member would I straightway destroy."

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A. P. Fouts was in Dallas Wednesday.

If it's anything in the furniture line you want you'd naturally go to the Ladd Furniture and Carpet Company, Phone 562. Any way you want to pay.

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Go to Cummins-Shepherd & Co., 709 Houston, for phonograph records, musical instruments. They carry a large line of best up-to-date goods.

R. A. Roden and Bert Henderson of Johnson station were here Wednesday.

The best liquor, wines and cigars to be had in Texas are kept at York's Liquor Store, 1010 Main street. A trial order is sufficient evidence.

Dr. Rumph, John Elliott and John Board were here Wednesday from Mansfield.

Fort Worth Business College, Man's best capital—a course at college, fitting him for every-day life. Opposite Delaware Hotel.

Efford Lipscomb, a leading farmer of Grapevine, was in the city Wednesday.

Your prescriptions can be filled exactly as the doctor ordered at Reeves' Pharmacy, 1201 Jennings avenue. Fine line of toilet articles always on hand.

Miss R. A. Mitchell and C. A. Appleton of Arlington were visiting in Fort Worth Wednesday.

Don't hesitate—just phone 201, the Fort Worth Steam Laundry, and let them convince you that they are in the business to please their customers.

J. C. Hopkins, W. C. Shibley, T. F. Rhodes, J. B. Husky and Dr. Payne of Webb spent Wednesday in the city.

Johnson Grocery Co., 695-698 Houston, carry an immense stock of groceries. It's kept clean and fresh. Best place in Fort Worth to trade.

Gus and Perry Moss, Dal Rogers and Arthur Pierce left Wednesday for Fort Worth, N. M., visiting and prospecting.

W. B. Scrimshire and R. A. Bobo, First and Throckmorton streets, have the finest line of agricultural implements in the southwest. All up-to-date goods to select from.

The following visitors from Arlington were in the city Wednesday: J. W. Miller, James McQuirter, J. J. Blackwell, Bill Hill, John Hill Sr. and O. Bryan.

The J. J. Langever Co., opposite city hall, interior decorators and sign painters.

All of the latest sheet music. G. E. Cronner, 438 Houston.

Full line of horse timers at Cromer Bros., 1616 Main.

Jacob's, Plow's and Allegretti candies, fresh every week, at Blythe's, on the corner.

The Eagle Loan Office, 1009 Main street, makes liberal loan on all articles of value. Unredeemed pledges at one-half price.

Columbia 10-inch Disc Talking Machine Records reduced to 60c. Gold Moulded Cylinder Records. A. J. Anderson, 410-412 Houston street.

MELLIN'S

For the Baby

FOOD

When buying an infant's food, every mother wants a food that will not only tide over present troubles, but give permanent results. You want a food that will feed, a food that will make your baby grow strong, with rosy cheeks and strong limbs. Mellin's Food will do this for your baby. Send for a free sample for your baby.

THE ONLY Infant's Food receiving the GRAND PRIZE at St. Louis, 1904, Gold Medal, Highest Award, Portland, Ore. 1905.

MELLIN'S FOOD CO., BOSTON, MASS.

JENNINGS AVENUE

WANTS PAVING

Residents Declare It Gateway to South Side

Another street on the south side seeking improvement in the line of pavement is Jennings avenue. Jennings avenue is one of the most important streets in that part of the city and probably has more travel upon it than any other street on the south side, with the possible exception of South Main street, on account of the fact that it leads to the viaduct. Many travelers and teams are first headed for South Jennings avenue, and then as soon as the street is reached they continue on it until after the viaduct is crossed.

South Jennings avenue residents declare it is the gateway of the south side, and a paved street there would be of the greatest benefit to the great number of people that any street on the south side could give.

The steps taken for the paving of the street have not been definite yet, as many citizens wish to know just what is to become of the improvement district plan. They have stated that if the plan can be worked they would go ahead with it sooner than with any other plan.

Judge W. R. Booth stated at the meeting of the committee with the mayor last week that if the mayor's suggestion of appropriating \$10,000 for the building of crosswalks is adopted by the city council, he would promise two miles of continuous sidewalks on South Jennings avenue within four months.

Free

Catarrh

Cure

No More Bad Breath

"My New Discovery Quickly Cures Catarrh."—C. E. Gauss.

Catarrh is not only dangerous, but it causes bad breath, ulceration, death and decay of bones, loss of thinking and reasoning power, kills ambition and energy, often causes loss of appetite, indigestion, dyspepsia, raw throat and reaches to general debility, illness and insanity. It needs attention at once. Cure it with Gauss' Catarrh Cure. It is a quick, radical, permanent cure, because it rises the system of the poison germs that cause catarrh.

In order to prove to all who are suffering from this dangerous and loathsome disease that Gauss' Catarrh Cure will actually cure any case of catarrh quickly, no matter how long standing or how bad, I will send a trial package by mail free of all cost. Send us your name and address today and the treatment will be sent you by return mail. Try it! It will positively cure you so that you will be welcomed instead of shunned by your friends. C. E. GAUSS, 5241 Main St., Marshall, Mich. Fill out coupon below.

THE FARMERS & MECHANICS' NATIONAL BANK

SAFE RELIABLE

CONSERVATIVE

NOTICE PAINTERS' AND PAINT CONSUMERS

After taking invoice Jan. 1, we find we have some "odd lots" of Mixed Paints, Stains, Enamels, Varnishes, etc., that we will sell at ONE-HALF (1-2) their value. SEE OUR SHOW WINDOW—it explains itself.

The J. J. Langever Co.

"Langever Building." Opp. City Hall.

POWER

EFFICIENT RELIABLE ECONOMICAL POWER

Use **ELECTRICITY**

The initial cost is lower than for other methods. The running cost as low or lower. The advantages are many.

Our representative will call on you upon request.

Citizens Light & Power Co.

FOR TEN DAYS

We will give 25 per cent discount on cut glass and china.

G. W. HALTOM & BRO., Jewelers

409 Main Street, Opposite Delaware Hotel

HELLO! Call up

CURRAN'S LAUNDRY

Phones 37

For good laundry work.

You can have your eyes examined free by **Chas. G. Lord**, the reliable optician of Fort Worth. Don't delay, for delays are dangerous.

TOUGH ON TREASURER

Washington's Smart Set Changed Its Mind—Cost Him \$3,000

Special to The Telegram.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—How Washington's smart set, including wealthy senators and representatives, plunged into a great musical entertainment here, then abandoned the enterprise and left one man to settle the bills, as related in an open letter published here by Eugene E. Stevens, treasurer of the Washington Symphony Orchestra, and it has made something of a sensation.

Mr. Stevens complains that the debts of the orchestra are \$6,000, incurred on the strength of William W. Wadsworth Jr., Herbert Wadsworth, Thomas E. Walsh, Mrs. H. C. Lodge, Nicholas Longworth, Butler Ames, Mrs. Thomas Nelson Page and others, the full bill \$2,000 has been repaid and that he is left to pay that amount of his own pocket, because in a moment of weakness he signed a note for the sum.

The orchestra was organized by Reginald de Koven and had the backing of the most prominent society folk of the city.

MAN ABOUT TOWN

Political affairs hold the boards at the big county building at the head of Main street, and impromptu caucuses are held there every day in the week and almost every hour in the day. Court business is rather slack, and the heads of departments, except in the collector's office, where the rush to pay poll taxes still continues, have a good chance and plenty of time to get out in the corridors and brush up against the people from the country precincts. And right now it is the county vote for which the candidates are casting a line.

If there is an office in the county building that does not belong to a man who is a candidate for a county office, no placard to that effect has been hung on the door, and all who are candidates are working like beavers among the sovereigns who will settle aspirations in the July primaries.

Nobody gets the business to talk politics, but it looks as if new business is adjusting itself to suit political conditions, and it is being done in as rapidly as it did a short time ago. In the county clerk's office business is still on the rush, and in the clerk's office and other offices there is a decided lull. But few new suits are filed from the docket, and the barometers it would appear that the people of the county are on their good behavior in order to give the officers a chance to put in a few good weeks.

The political temperature at the county building is rising, and it will not be long until it is at fever heat.

C. W. Post, maker of Postum and founder of Postumville, formerly an inhabitant of Fort Worth, is a millionaire. He is in the city for the first time in many years. He is in the city for the first time in many years. He is in the city for the first time in many years.

DON'T STARVE

Hostetter's Stomach Bitters

is truly a wonderful medicine for had stomachs and is endorsed by prominent physicians and druggists everywhere. It cures

Poor Appetite, Sour Risings, Indigestion, Constipation, Sick Headache, Dyspepsia, Severe Colds.

Weak women are greatly strengthened by taking the Bitters regularly. Try it today.

"Joe," he said, "where's my money?" "Deed, Ah don't know, boss,"

SYSTEM OFFICES TO BE REDUCED

Rock Island-Frisco Begins an Economy Plan

St. Louis advances are to the effect that Vice President Biddle of the Rock Island-Frisco lines, who recently succeeded A. S. Dodge, has commenced the work of reorganization of the freight and passenger traffic departments of the two systems, with the plan of consolidation. Many changes are expected to be announced during the next few months.

It is understood that the agent of neither system is to have precedence over the other in some cases. The Frisco official will be given joint duties and others the Rock Island official will be given joint duties. The movement is an economical one, and it will be the idea to reduce the force as much as is consistent with effective service.

Lumber Charge Changed

R. C. Hatfield, commercial agent of the Cotton Belt here, has received a notice from the Rock Island-Frisco southwestern tariff committee cancelling the charges of \$5 per car assessed, since Dec. 1, 1929, for changing the destination of lumber shipments. Only railroad rates are effected, and the order chiefly interests wholesale lumber men.

President Still Here

President Stillwell of the Orient railroad arrived here Wednesday night on a special train, accompanied by a number of eastern capitalists, who have been on a tour through west Texas and Mexico. The party is now en route north, and will via the Rock Island. The train consisted of nine coaches and the equipment was unusually handsome.

Meeting at Houston

Nothing official has been received here regarding the visit of B. F. Youkam, chairman of the Frisco-Rock Island system, and it is not definitely known whether or not he will visit Fort Worth during his tour through Texas. Mr. Youkam is in Houston now and a meeting will be held in that city between B. F. Stillwell, president of the Rock Island; A. J. Davidson, president of the Frisco, and Mr. Youkam. Just what the itinerary of the party will be after leaving Houston is not known at the general offices of the company here or at least it is not authoritatively announced.

New Line Projected

Special to The Telegram.

CLEBURNE, Texas, Jan. 25.—Cleburne has received a proposition from D. Alexander Kelly of Waco, in which it is proposed to give Cleburne a railway terminal. The new road projected will extend east from Cleburne and pass through a hitherto undeveloped country. The project asks \$25,000 as a bonus from Cleburne and depot and terminal facilities. The proposed line is to go through Cleburne, Glen Rose, Stephenville, Dublin and Hamilton and the southern outlet. It is stated, will be on the route of M. M. Kelly, his proposition through the medium of the Morning Review and states that if the people of Cleburne want the road he will give further details.

Pay Car Here

The Texas and Pacific pay car that went east from Fort Worth Jan. 15 to pay December salaries has completed its circuit to New Orleans and back, arriving in Fort Worth Wednesday afternoon. From this place it starts west Thursday and will finish up staying to El Paso this week.

Slowest Train Found

George Irving, writing in the French Journal Les Sports, claims that after a long and contentious search he has found the slowest ordinary passenger train in the world. This record-holder is chronicled on page 773 of the Guide "Chaix" and performs in Spain, a country in which twelve miles an hour is by no means an uncommon rate of speed on the railway between Soto del Rey and Clano Santa Ana. This line is thirteen and three-quarters miles long and it has one station en route, viz. Sama, which is twelve miles from Soto del Rey and one and three-quarters miles from Clano Santa Ana. Leaving the last named place at 8:25 a. m. the train reaches Sama at 6:55 and Soto del Rey at 8:20. Thus the average rate of speed of the train is under seven miles an hour, while from Clano Santa Ana to Sama the speed is only three and three-quarters miles an hour.

United States Leads

Special to The Telegram.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 25.—The United States leads the world both in the present mileage and the recent growth of its railways. This is shown in a report on "The Transportation Routes and Systems of the World," issued by the bureau of statistics of the department of commerce and labor. It points out that out of the total railway mileage of the world, aggregating in 1928 542,000 miles, there were 211,674 miles in the United States, 35,233 miles in European Russia, 22,967 in Germany, 28,102 in France, 26,550 in India, 24,129 in Austria-Hungary, 22,634 in the United Kingdom, 19,611 in Canada, 15,559 in Africa, 14,113 in Australia, 11,525 in Argentina, 10,258 in Mexico, 9,916 in Italy, 9,268 in Brazil, 7,937 in Sweden, 7,322 in Siberia, Manchuria and the other former Asiatic possessions of Russia, 4,425 in Japan and 1,176 in China.

The Original Laxative Cough Syrup is Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar. It expels all cold from the system by acting as a cathartic on the bowels. Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar is a certain, safe and harmless cure for colds, croup and whooping cough.

TO STUDY WHITTIER

Polytechnic College Society Has Interesting Program

Program of the Kew-Forest Literary Society of Polytechnic College, Tuesday, Jan. 25, is as follows: Quotations from Whittier, society, music, Nell Chambers; sketch of Whittier's Life, Nona Garner; original essay, Alma Ray; music, Pearl Browning; reproduction of "Snow Bound," Josie Nicks; reading, Myrtle Lovjoy; music, Pearl Hatchel, and diary, Alice Gillerland.

STEPHENS TO RUN AGAIN

Congressman From Thirteenth Will Be a Candidate

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—Congressman John H. Stephens of Vernon, Texas, has received a large number of letters asking if he will be a candidate for re-election. He stated yesterday that he would and that so far he had heard of no opposition.

TO FORM NEW LEAGUE

Territory Aggregation Would Supplant Missouri Valley Association

MUSKOGEE, I. T., Jan. 25.—Representatives of the larger towns in Arkansas, Indian Territory and Oklahoma will meet here this afternoon to form a baseball league under the national agreement, to supplant the Missouri Valley League.

ABSOLUTE SECURITY.

Genuine

Carter's Little Liver Pills.

Must Bear Signature of **Dr. J. C. Carter**

See Fac-Simile Wrapper Below.

Very small and as easy to take as sugar.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

FOR HEADACHE. FOR DIZZINESS. FOR BILIOUSNESS. FOR TORPID LIVER. FOR CONSTIPATION. FOR SALLOW SKIN. FOR THE COMPLEXION.

GENUINE VEGETABLE PREPARATION.

CURE SICK HEADACHE.

MEN—WOMEN—CHILDREN

Weak Kidneys Cured Forever.

If you have a pain or dull ache in the back it is unmistakable evidence of kidney trouble. It is a warning to tell you trouble is ahead unless you remedy the cause immediately.

Lame back is only one symptom of kidney trouble. Other symptoms are, being obliged to pass water often during the day and to get up many times during the night, inability to hold your urine, smarting or irritation, passing brick-dust or sediment in the urine, catarrh of the bladder, uric acid, constipation, headache, dizziness, sleeplessness, nervousness, irregular heart beating, rheumatism, bloating, irritability, without feeling, lack of ambition and sallow complexion.

Hooper's Parsley Kidney Pills are proving to be the most wonderful cure ever gotten out for weak and diseased kidneys.

British Pharmaceutical Co., Milwaukee, Wis., Distributors.

Price 50 cents a box.

For sale by **Covey & Martin.**

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FORT WORTH, TEXAS.

First class. Modern. American plan. Conveniently located in business center.

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American or European plan. The only first-class \$1.50 day hotel in the south.

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The Children's Favorite

Coughs, Colds, Croup and Whooping Cough.

This remedy is famous for its cures over a large part of the civilized world. It can be used safely by all, only so to adults. Price 25 cts; Large Size, 50 cts.

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QUALITY

We Always Want Your Trade

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309 HOUSTON ST. FORT WORTH, TEX.

FAMILY LIQUORS

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Will deliver to your homes:

A Bottle Duffy's Pure Malt.....\$1 00

Full Quart Hill & Hill..... 1 00

Same bottled in bond..... 1 25

Full Quart Green River..... 1 00

Same bottled in bond..... 1 25

Gallon Pure Claret..... 1 00

Gallon Sweet Wine, \$1.50 to..... 2 00

Both Phones 342

KEY FITTING

All kinds of repairing. Bicycles and Sundries. Special prices this week on TIRES.

EUREKA REPAIR SHOP, 107 W. 9th St. Phone 1903-2r.

STOVE WOOD—any quantity.

MUGG & BECKHAM CO.

COAL, WOOD, FEED AND POLTRY.

Phones 3751 Old, 729 New.

J. S. GARLINGTON & BRO. 911 W. R. R. Ave.

FREE

This coupon is good for one trial package of Gauss' Combined Catarrh Cure, mailed free in plain package. Simply fill in your name and address on dotted lines below and mail to:

C. E. GAUSS, 5241 Main Street, Marshall, Mich.

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HELP WANTED

PERMANENT SALARIED POSITIONS... We need at once...

AGENT WANTED—Man or woman, for F. W. Waters' Mexican Remedies...

WANTED—For United States army, able bodied, unmarried, citizens...

LEARN TELEGRAPHY and railroad accounting \$50 to \$100 a month...

WANTED—Consistent, energetic men to sell our registration outfits...

WANTED—Ladies to learn hairdressing, manicuring, facial massage...

MOLIER system of barber colleges located in four leading cities...

WANTED—A partner with \$500 to \$1000 in a business yielding \$6,000 a year...

WANTED—To trade a new piano for good horse and surrey...

WANTED—To figure with parties wishing to build cash or easy payments...

WANTED—In private family, two rooms for light housekeeping...

WANTED—Partner with as much as \$500 in cash for a good business...

FOR A JOB carpenter and finisher, phone 315 (rev.)...

FIRST-CLASS sewing done reasonably, 509 Taylor street...

WANTED—To buy second-hand furniture, Hubbard Bros., phone 2191...

WANTED—At once, clean rags at Telser press room...

WANTED—To buy a pair of W. L. Douglas shoes...

WANTED—A good colored girl for general housework...

WANTED—A man to do general work about the place...

WANTED—AT once, man or woman to cook and do general housework...

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—Work for a few weeks; painting or paper hanging preferred...

WANTED—Position by an experienced stenographer...

POSITION by experienced stenographer, best of reference...

CLERICAL OR collecting position; best of reference...

WANTED—An experienced cook, Apply 1523 Hemphill street...

WANTED—Position by experienced saleslady, new phone 1589...

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS, \$100 exchanged for Furniture of all kinds...

WANTED—1,000 young hens; no fancy price; at Central Wagon Yard...

WANTED—\$1,750 worth of second-hand furniture and stoves...

YOUNG MEN looking for room in a nice private family...

WANTED—3 or 4 unfurnished rooms, 3 or 4 blocks from Main street...

IF YOU want good pictures at moderate prices...

ANYONE having circulars to distribute or signs to tack up...

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ROOMS FOR RENT

3-ROOM house for rent, 409 Elmwood avenue...

ROOMS FOR RENT—One nicely furnished, one unfurnished...

FOR RENT—Furnished or unfurnished room for gentleman...

FURNISHED ROOMS, by day, week or month; transient trade solicited...

TWO NICELY FURNISHED rooms or one only, at 1515 East Beknap street...

ONE nicely furnished front room, upstairs, with bath...

FOR RENT—Very desirable room in home, close in...

THREE UNFURNISHED rooms; close in; bath and water furnished...

DESIRABLE furnished front room for gentlemen or housekeeping...

TWO or three nicely furnished rooms for housekeeping...

EVERYTHING MODERN, new plumbing, The Kingsley, corner Eighth and Throckmorton streets...

TWO COMPLETELY furnished housekeeping rooms; \$2.75, 180 North Royal avenue...

A COMFORTABLE ROOM, electric light, bath and use of phone, suitable for two, Address 25, care Telegram...

ONE FURNISHED front room, convenient to three boarding houses...

NICELY furnished and unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping...

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished front room with private bath...

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms, with sink; water furnished...

FOR RENT—Furnished 3-room house, See Mrs. Francis, at Stearns & Stewart's...

NICELY furnished rooms for rent, 302 West Fifth street...

FOR RENT—Elegantly furnished rooms, all modern and new...

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REVENUE PRODUCER—Four houses, three and four rooms...

BEST GROCERY proposition in city; net profit 24 per cent...

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BIG BARGAIN—Lamar street, corner 100x130 feet...

J. A. STARLING & CO., Real Estate Brokers, Rentals, 512 Main Street...

ANY ONE NEEDING any kind of crochet work...

I WANT TO KNOW the address of one John V. Hornby...

GET IN LINE and go to Nix's for furniture...

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DR. G. E. LA BAUME, Reynolds Bldg., Both telephones 185.

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CASH TRADE PAYMENTS—Beautifully furnished house...

FOR SALE—We are cutting up 250 acres in Riverside...

TO THE HOME SEEKER—We offer a well-improved tract...

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FOR SALE or would trade for a lot in North Fort Worth...

FOR SALE TO RENT OR TRADE—Three-seated platform spring back...

FOR SALE—At a bargain, on easy terms, a beautiful new house...

FOR SALE—One brand new Bechler runabout, rubber tired...

NICE PARK SURREY—Handsome rig, rubber tires...

FOR SALE—Well-located, nicely furnished boarding house...

FOR SALE—The finest Jersey cow in town...

FOR SALE CHEAP or would trade for a light cart...

FOR SALE—FARMS AND RANCHES and city property...

FOR SALE—One of the best restaurants in Fort Worth...

FOR SALE—Edison standard Phonograph, 40 records...

FOR SALE—Genuine thoroughbred Mexican canaries...

LIVERY BARN for sale, Will sell stock and rent barn...

AN ALMOST new piano, one-half price, would take nice furniture...

FOR SALE—A new stock of groceries, two horses and delivery wagon...

FOR SALE—Three-gallon cow, \$40.00, Phone 345.

FOR SALE—Small stock of groceries, 200 Nicotola street.

FOR SALE—For removal, three good rooms, at 509 Jennings avenue.

NICE RUNABOUT, good condition, cheap, 514 Pennsylvania ave.

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MANNING'S POWDER is made in Fort Worth and guaranteed to give entire satisfaction for cold feet, chills, piles and old sores.

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FREE TREATMENT Treatment and remedies will be furnished free to those unable to pay at the College Dispensary.

NEUROPATHY PROP. ROBERT CORTLAND—(Neuro-pathist) treats all forms of disease successfully.

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LOANS IN any amount on city property, farms and ranches. Buy, sell and exchange real estate everywhere.

FOR SALE—Furniture of one eight-room and one ten-room flat.

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GILMORE PLEADS TO LARGER JURY

Popular Actor Trained for Life of Lawyer

Chance or fate or whatever may be called that "destiny which shapes our ends, rough hew them as we may," has brought many a man to his proper calling after he has struggled valiantly to pursue another course. The stage has won many a star through sheer force of this intangible and irresistible power.

Paul Gilmore, who reached Fort Worth Thursday, is a striking example of the man dragged to the footlights, it might almost be said, in spite of himself. He is reticent about himself, but this much of his history was gleaned today:

He was intended by his parents for the law, and he himself was not averse to following the legal profession. The Gilmore home was in Milwaukee, and the father of the coming actor was publisher of the Milwaukee Magazine. Merely as an investment the elder Gilmore bought the Grand Opera House that city. The son saw all the plays that were presented at this theater and became a member of the Student Amateur Dramatic Club. Even though he took part in the public entertainments of the latter, it never seriously occurred to him that he might adopt the stage for life.

Jacob Litt Responsible
But Jacob Litt, who then lived in Milwaukee, chanced to see Mr. Gilmore at one of these performances. Some time later, when Mr. Litt had become a New York manager and he was preparing to stage "The Ensign," he remembered the black-haired young man in that amateur matinee in Milwaukee and he sent him an offer to join the company.

If Mr. Litt had not dropped in at that performance for a few moments, the brilliant star of "Captain Debonnaire" might be a staid practitioner at the Milwaukee bar today, because, although he accepted the manager's offer, it was in the spirit of a lark. Mr. Gilmore intended remaining with "The Ensign" for a few weeks, simply for the experience. But, once in the real stage atmosphere, the inevitable fascination of the footlights held him there.

So well did the beginner do in "The Ensign," Mr. Litt gave him the hero's part in "In Old Kentucky" the next season. Mr. Gilmore remained with that great old melodrama through its initial success and then became leading man with one of Charles Frohman's road companies, presenting "The Wife," "The Charity Ball" and other society plays. His success in those productions led Mr. Gilmore naturally into stardom. His first production at the head of his own company was "The Three Musketeers," and it was in this he found his proper field—the romantic drama. Then he had a successful year in another play of this kind, "Under the Red Robe." Next Mr. Gilmore played King Charles in "Henrietta Crossman's Nell Gwynne" in that actress' celebrated production of "Mistress Nell." While in that role Mr. Gilmore attracted the attention of Manager Jules Murry, with whom he signed a ten years' starring agreement.

Mr. Murry, who has had a beautiful and successful career in the public eye, is now in "The Tyranny of Tears." His splendid success in that play and in "The Mummy" and "The Humming Bird" is fresh in public memory.

Now in "Captain Debonnaire" Mr. Gilmore is back in the class of drama that he most likes and in which he has won greatest praise.

BIG CONTRAST IN WATER SERVICE

Appreciation of Regular Supply Is Aroused

Fort Worth can sympathize with Dallas. All Wednesday and Thursday river water has been flowing through the city water mains. At 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon, however, pure artesian water—the sort the city is accustomed to use—supplies the Trinity flange, according to the announcement from the water works office.

"How did we ever drink it?" was the expression on every tongue as the change from the fine water usually supplied being so great.

"I never knew before how great a man Mayor Powell is," said a citizen of a few months, as he lifted a glass of the river fluid, only to put it down again. "Why, if he did nothing else but secure the usual supply of water the city has he should have a monument in every ward of the city."

On all sides expressions contrasting the supplies were to be heard, with a tinge of satisfaction that by adversity the city had been led to appreciate the greatness of her blessing.

There are two mains out from the power house, one of three-six inch size and one of eighteen inch, the latter being put in last summer. There

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is a large valve at the point where the two mains make a Y, and this valve is used to cut off either main if it is necessary to stop using one of them. The break which occurred Tuesday afternoon 1 o'clock is in this valve and therefore it is impossible to cut off one main and use the other, consequently it was necessary to shut down the entire plant. It was because of this that the water works department was forced to steam up the old pumping plant, put out the street lights and begin pumping from the old plant.

The only source of supply of the old plant is the west fork of the Trinity. There are several reasons why it is necessary to keep water in the mains, and the most important is that fire protection must be had. Another is there are a large number of small manufacturing plants in the city which must have water for their boilers. The department could not allow these customers to go without a supply if it was possible to get one. Therefore the resort to river water.

As soon as the break occurred a force of twenty-eight men was put to work in an effort to repair it. That force of men has been at work continuously since Tuesday and will continue until the repairs are complete.

AMUSEMENTS

Greenwall's opera house was crowded Wednesday afternoon and evening, nearly every seat being taken, because of the double show that was given. The conflict in dates which left the double bill was evidently well to the liking of a large number of people. On account of the extra length of the show, arrangements had been made with the street car company for the holding of cars on all lines for the end of the night performance. The show was not over until 11:45 o'clock.

The evening started with an installment of pictures and then "Dora Thorne" was given by that company. Moving pictures being given between the acts. The pictures were among the best that have been seen here. The lantern worked with hardly a flicker. The pictures of the peace conference were popular.

"Dora Thorne," the play, is altered slightly from the book, in order to make it presentable. Several of the alterations, however, have tended to put the play on the basis of a melodrama without being of vital importance to the show itself. Melodrama too cannot be put on with sufficient dash and go unless supported by a large company and good scenery.

Tonight Paul Gilmore opens his engagement here in "Captain Debonnaire."

"Captain Debonnaire" With Paul Gilmore

A cavalier of France, who finds adventure and a wife in America, is the hero of Paul Gilmore's new and strikingly spectacular comedy romance, "Captain Debonnaire," which will have its first presentation in this city at Greenwall's opera house tonight and tomorrow matinee and night. Such a role is eminently suited to Mr. Gilmore's personality and methods, and is in line with his great early successes, in "Under the Red Robe" and "The Three Musketeers." "Captain Debonnaire" has a charm not possessed by either of these older plays. It comes from placing the French gallant in American surroundings. The first and last acts are laid in Quebec and the second and third in New York. The time is the end of the seventeenth century—a period revelling in romance. The play naturally demands elaborate costumes and scenery, both of which have been supplied magnificently by Manager Jules Murry. Never before has this young star had a production so worthy of his talents. The five scenes present gorgeous pictures and the costumes are glowing reminders of the grandeur of that day. The cast also is on an unusually large scale.

Kyrle Bellew

Kyrle Bellew, the famous English actor, is, of course, well known in romantic roles, but he is something of a novelty in the up-to-date dress of modern play such as "Raffles," the Amateur Crackman," in which he will be seen at Greenwall's opera house Saturday matinee and night, Jan. 27. His friends, however, have found him just as graceful, just as handsome and just as magnetic in the conventional dress coat of the twentieth century as he was in the cloak and buskins of the fifteenth or sixteenth. Of his play it need only be said that it is one of the best of its class, if not the very best that has yet been seen, full of thrilling episodes, appealing sentiment and clever comedy. Next to Mr. Bellew himself, E. M. Holland, as the detective, holds the interest of the audiences.

"The Fortune Teller" will appear at Greenwall's opera house Tuesday matinee and night, Jan. 30, with Grace Orr Meyers as the star.

CURED LUMBARO.

A. B. Cannon, Chicago, writes March 4, 1903: "Having been troubled with Lumbago at different times and tried one physician after another, then different ointments and liniments, gave it up altogether. So I tried one more, and got a bottle of Hall's Snow Liniment, which gave me almost instant relief. I can cheerfully recommend it, and will add my name to your list of sufferers." Sold by Coway & Martin, 810 Main street, opposite Hotel Worth.

AGREEMENT REACHED

Traction Company Willing to Relinquish Strip of Land

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IMPROVEMENT MEETING

Eighth Ward Civic League to Discuss Paving

The postponed meeting of the Eighth Ward Civic League will be held Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock in the Eighth ward school. The committee appointed Monday, Jan. 15, upon improvements will report the discussion of the sidewalk proposition as held in the city hall the night following its appointment with the joint committee of the Board of Trade and the Factory Club and the street and alley and finance committees of the city council and the mayor and city attorney. The committee will also give its opinion on matters pertaining to the improvement of the Eighth ward.

The question of the paving of Hemphill street will be taken up and active steps taken for the furthering of the improvement of the ward in that line, including pavement, curbing and sidewalks.

The residents south of Magnolia avenue are almost unanimous in their demand for the paving of the street. The canvass so far has not been made north of Magnolia avenue as yet.

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"For more than have been wanted Fair," said Mr. Hapgood, "in my exhibitions of his folly and, in some mean degradation of Jerome C.

Continuing, Mr. Hapgood said that he was prosecuting one of the witnesses introduced, "I do not intend to restrict the article he has provided, that it be true and defensible. It is "On the ground prosecution case was brought that it was true. The article is true quit.

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