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## MYSTERY UNSOLVED

### BODY OF MAN FOUND—TRUNK IDENTIFIED AS ARMENIAN PRIEST.

## THREE ARE SUSPICIONED

### Murder Due to Exposures Recently Made of a Scheme to Usurp Throne of Spain.

By Associated Press. New York, May 27.—Up to an early hour today, though they had thoroughly scoured the Armenian districts of the city for suspects, the police failed to make any arrests in connection with the murder of the Armenian priest, identified as Father Kaspar, whose body doubled up in a trunk, was found Sunday in small apartments at 333 West Thirty-seventh street. Three Armenians, two of whom lodged in the tenement where the body was found, are suspected. An investigation revealed that the murder might have been due to the exposure recently of an attempt to usurp the throne of Serbia by a pretender, who is suspected to be in Jersey City. The story is said to have been given out by the priest.

## NARROW ESCAPE FROM DEATH.

### Steamer Burns and Governor's Party Escape in Small Boats.

Victoria, B. C., May 27.—Lieutenant Governor James Dunsmuir of British Columbia and party, who left here several weeks ago on a hunting expedition to Gardiner Inlet, arrived home yesterday by the steamer Queen City, which picked them up after all had narrowly escaped death as the result of the burning of the Governor's steamer, *Thistle*, Friday in Queen Charlotte sound. The fire is attributed to spontaneous combustion. All on board escaped in a launch and in small boats.

## OVERALLS FACTORY COMING.

### Letter From Owner Says Machinery Will Be Shipped in a Few Days.

Charles W. Bean, president of the Chamber of Commerce, received a letter today from H. J. Houghland, who has signed an agreement to locate an overalls factory in Wichita Falls, saying that he had been delayed in closing up his business in Kentucky, but that he would have his machinery ready for shipment now within a few days and would come here as soon as he could get his machinery loaded upon the cars. No word has been received from Mr. Houghland in some time and many were beginning to believe that nothing would come out of the proposition. Mr. Houghland is to receive a bonus of \$2,000 from the citizens of Wichita Falls and binds himself to employ not less than 125 hands throughout the year.

## GOING SKYWARD.

### Price of Meat to Go Higher on Account of Trust's Action.

By Associated Press. Chicago, Ill., May 27.—Chicago meat prices may jump skyward this week, unless the beef trust recedes from its recently announced intention to delay payment on certain livestock purchases until they have passed the government post mortem examination. The packers have notified the commission firms that beginning today they would no longer stand the losses on condemned cattle and in order to protect themselves they found it necessary to refuse payment on "cow stuff" until it has passed the government inspection. This action is expected to cut shipments tremendously.

## COLLOSSAL MERGER

### OF RAILROAD INTERESTS SAID TO HAVE BEEN PERFECTED.

## A THOUSAND MILLION

### Involved in the Formation of Greater Pennsylvania System.

Chicago, Ill., May 27.—A dispatch to the Inter-Ocean from Washington says: "While the eyes of the whole country have been centered on E. H. Harriman and the master manipulators in the railroad world, a greater and more extensive combination of railroad interests has been in process of perfecting until the new plans are matured for public declaration. More than a thousand million dollars of capital are involved in this colossal merger, which, when perfected, will be known as the Greater Pennsylvania System. It will embrace practically all the railroad mileage in New England, together with the present Pennsylvania lines with through connections in New Orleans and Mobile. The keystone of the new system will be the Panama canal.

## RICH AND SPLENDID COUNTRY.

### Charles W. Bean Returns From Young County Coal Fields With a Glowing Story.

"With the exception possibly of the Red river district the country that will be tapped by the Wichita Falls & Southern railway is the best and richest in this section of Texas," was the statement made by Charles W. Bean upon his return from Young county, where he spent several days last week closing up some contracts for the new railroad.

"There is coal there in abundance, and of a good quality, too," continued Mr. Bean. "I saw it cropping out in the creek beds and saw the farmers mining it. The coal territory covers a large area and can be mined easily. It appears to be of the same quality as the Henrietta, Indian Territory coal.

"But coal isn't the only thing they have down there that will make the country one of the richest and most prosperous sections in the southwest. Thirty-two thousand bales of cotton were marketed at Graham last year, and fully 25,000 bales of this cotton was grown in the northern portion of Young county, which is tributary to the new railroad, and to Wichita Falls.

"Even in mineral wealth coal is not all that this section has. Beneath the coal are found deposits of fire clay of a superior quality. Cement deposits also are found there.

"That country is bound to develop at a tremendous rate and Wichita Falls will get a full share of the benefits."

While in Young county Mr. Bean closed a deal with the people of Belknap, whereby the railroad secures a one-fourth interest in 800 acres of the coal area, and also secures the right-of-way in that section.

## CHINESE OUTBREAK

### OFFICIALS ARE ASSASSINATED. SITUATION IS SERIOUS.

## AMERICAN MISSIONARIES

### Are in Danger—German Gunboats Dispatched to Scene of Revolution.

By Associated Press. Swatow, Province Kwantung, China, May 27.—A Chinese rebellion has broken out at Wokkong, in the Uppig district of Chichu prefecture. All civil and military officials at Wong Kong have been assassinated and their yamens burned.

The revolutionists concentrated for the attack upon the officials without being molested by the populace. The military commander here has mustered the station guards and started for the scene of the outbreak.

By Associated Press. Berlin, Germany, May 27.—According to the dispatches received here from Shanghai and Hong Kong, native rioters have destroyed the German mission station at Lien Chow near Pakhoi. The missionaries escaped. The German gunboat *Itis*, with her marines has left Hong Kong for Pakhoi and it is expected that the British gunboat also will be sent.

According to advices received by the German cable company, disturbances have also broken out at Pakhoi and the situation is apparently serious.

By Associated Press. New York, May 27.—Four missionaries of the Presbyterian board of foreign missions are stationed at Lien Chow. They are Rev. John S. Sankie, Rev. Fred Edwards and wife and Miss Elda Patterson. Five American missionaries were killed at Lien Chow on October 28, 1905, and the hospital and other property was destroyed.

By Associated Press. Canton, China, May 27.—Admiral Li, with two boats loaded with troops, is proceeding to the scene of the uprising in the Uppig district.

## NINTH PEREMPTORY CHALLENGE

### Is Used by the State in Haywood Trial.

By Associated Press. Boise, Idaho, May 27.—With twenty-six persons, including twelve talesmen seated inside the bar as spectators, the trial of W. D. Haywood was resumed today. This is the thirteenth day of the trial. It is probable that the court will adjourn some time today and that another special venire will be summoned. If this is done, the court will probably adjourn until Friday, as the venire cannot be brought together in time for the session Wednesday, and Thursday is a legal holiday.

The State exercised its ninth peremptory challenge this morning, dismissing Henry Curtis. At 11:40 the defense finally passed Juror Harmond Cox.

## HAS PEACEFUL END

### MRS. WILLIAM MCKINLEY PASSES PAINLESSLY TO HER LONG LAST SLEEP.

## AN INVALID FOR YEARS

### Simple Funeral Services on Wednesday, Which President Roosevelt Will Attend.

Canton, Ohio, May 27.—Mrs. McKinley died at 1:05 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The transition from life to death was so peaceful and gradual that it was with difficulty that the vigilant physicians and attendants noted when dissolution came.

There was no struggle, no pain. Mrs. McKinley never knew of the efforts made for days to prolong her life, nor the solicitous hope against hope of her sister and other relatives and friends for her recovery.

The funeral arrangements so far as made are that Dr. Buxton will have charge of the services, which are to be simple. They will be held at the McKinley home at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Secretary Cortelyou is directing the arrangements and will remain here until after the funeral. Dr. Rixey left here at 5:33 o'clock yesterday afternoon for Washington. He will join President Roosevelt and go with him on his trip to Indianapolis and Lansing this week. It was announced tonight that President Roosevelt and Secretary Loeb will arrive in Canton Wednesday morning to attend the funeral services. Vice President Fairbanks, who had often been a house guest of the McKinleys, is expected to reach here in time to attend the funeral services.

The body of Mrs. McKinley will be placed in the vault in West Lawn Cemetery, which holds the remains of her husband, until the completion of the National Memorial on Monument Hill, when both caskets will be transferred to receptacles in the tomb.

## THE FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS.

To Justice William R. Day, a lifelong neighbor and intimate friend of President McKinley, and Secretary Cortelyou have been left the details of arranging for the funeral of Mrs. McKinley. The wishes of Mrs. M. G. Barber, the only surviving sister of Mrs. McKinley, will be carefully observed. Steps are being taken to suspend business during the funeral Wednesday afternoon. The public schools will probably be dismissed. The president, cabinet members and vice president and Mrs. Fairbanks will attend the funeral and will be cared for during the day at the residence of Justice Day.

## STEAMER AGROUND.

By Associated Press. Detroit, Mich., May 27.—A dispatch from Port Austin says that the steamer B. F. Helman and the barge *McLeachlan* went aground at Port Austin early today. At noon the life-saving crew had taken off the crew of the barge and had gone back for the crew of the steamer. Both are said to be breaking up.

## FEW MOURNED HIS DEATH.

### Only Two Carriages Followed Body of Theodore Tilton to Cemetery.

By Associated Press. Paris, July 27.—The funeral services over the body of Theodore Tilton took place today in the little chapel of the American church on the Rue de Harrien and were very pathetic. Less than thirty people, principally members of the American colony, were present. Only two carriages followed the body to Montparnasse cemetery, where interment was made.

## THREE CYCLONES

### DESTRUCTION AT WILLS POINT, EMORY AND LLANO.

## TEN WERE KILLED

### And Hundreds Seriously Injured—Great Loss of Property.

As a result of the visitation of cyclones on Saturday night, three persons were instantly killed at Wills Point, four were killed at Emory and two at Llano. Scores were injured at each of these places and many will die of their injuries.

At Wills Point the cyclone cut a swath 200 yards in width through the entire town.

At Emory the cyclone approached the town from the southwest and appeared to be headed directly toward the center of the town. Suddenly it veered from its course and circled around the town.

At Llano the cyclone devastated a strip 200 yards wide and more than three miles in length. Everything in its path was completely demolished.

## THE MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

### Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, Mo., May 27.—Cattle—Receipts, 8,000. Market steady to strong. Southern steers ..... 3.50@5.25 Southern cows ..... 2.50@3.75 Stockers and feeders ..... 3.50@5.00 Bulls ..... 2.50@4.60 Calves ..... 3.50@6.00 Western fed steers ..... 4.25@5.60 Western fed cows ..... 3.00@4.65 Sheep—Receipts, 6,000. Muttons ..... 5.50@6.75 Lambs ..... 6.50@8.60 Range wethers ..... 4.25@7.25 Fed ewes ..... 3.50@6.75

### Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Ill., May 27.—Cattle—Receipts, 25,000. Market steady. Beef steers ..... 4.25@6.50 Cows ..... 1.50@4.80 Heifers ..... 2.60@5.40 Calves ..... 4.50@6.75 Good to prime steers ..... 5.45@6.50 Poor to medium ..... 4.30@5.40 Stockers and feeders ..... 2.90@5.20 Sheep—Receipts, 18,000. Market steady. Western ..... 4.50@6.40 Yearlings ..... 6.10@6.70 Lambs ..... 6.25@8.70

### Omaha Live Stock.

Omaha, Neb., May 27.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,000. Market steady to strong. Western steers ..... 3.25@5.25 Texas steers ..... 3.00@4.80 Cows and heifers ..... 2.50@4.25 Canners ..... 2.00@3.25 Stockers and feeders ..... 3.00@3.25 Calves ..... 3.00@5.75 Bulls and stags ..... 3.25@4.75 Sheep—Receipts, 4,500. Market steady. Yearlings ..... 5.75@6.00 Wethers ..... 5.50@6.25 Ewes ..... 4.85@5.85 Lambs ..... 7.50@8.60

### Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Ill., May 27.—Wheat: July, 1.01 1/2 @ 1.04; September, 1.00 1/2. Corn—May, .54 1/2; July, .53. Oats—May, .44 1/2; Pork—May, 16.15; July, 16.42 1/2. Lard—May, 9.00; July, 9.07 1/2. Ribs—May, 8.75; July, 8.80. St. Louis, Mo., May 27.—Spelter steady at 6.30.

### Stocks and Money.

New York, May 27.—Lead, 67 1/2. Copper nominal at 24 1/2. Money on call easy at .01 1/2 per cent; prime mercantile paper at .05 1/2 per cent; silver, 67 1/2 per cent. Closing stocks—Atchison, .86 1/2; preferred, .93 1/2; New York Central, 1.09 1/2; Pennsylvania, 1.18 1/2; Southern Pacific, .75; Union Pacific, 1.33 1/2; preferred, .87; copper, .85 1/2; steel, .32; preferred, 9.65 1/2.

## DESTRUCTIVE FIRES.

### Heavy Losses at Rochester, N. Y. and Lovelock, Nevada.

By Associated Press. Rochester, N. Y., May 27.—Fire which did at least \$100,000 damage, broke out on the top floor of the building occupied by Oaks & Calhoun on Main street today. The Chamber of Commerce, Cook's opera house and other neighboring buildings sustained some damage.

By Associated Press. Lovelock, Nevada, May 27.—A half block of Main street buildings burned today. One unknown man was burned to death. Loss, \$75,000. No insurance.

Famous Hotel Burned. By Associated Press. Colorado Springs, Colo., May 27.—The famous Iron Springs hotel at Manitou, valued at \$75,000, was totally destroyed by fire this morning. No one occupied the hotel except John A. Ray, proprietor, and his wife and daughter, Ada, aged 17 years. Mrs. Ray had a narrow escape. The fire is supposed to have been caused by defective wiring.

By Associated Press. Tyson-Yauger. At the home of the bride's parents in Iowa Park at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon the marriage of Miss Elizabeth Yauger and Walter Tyson took place. The marriage ceremony was solemnized by the Rev. A. J. Bush, pastor of the Christian church in this city, and was witnessed by a number of friends.

Mr. Tyson and his bride are now on their honeymoon and will be at home in Dalhart within a few weeks. Mr. Tyson is engaged in the drug business. The groom is a son of Dr. and Mrs. Tyson and until recently was connected with the Harrington pharmacy. The bride is one of the most accomplished and charming young ladies of Iowa Park.

## EIGHTY-FIVE THOUSAND

### Get a 10 Per Cent Increase in Wages in New England.

By Associated Press. Boston, Mass., May 27.—The wages of eighty-five thousand mill operatives in New England were increased 10 per cent today. In some districts agreements have not been reached, but it is expected that the increase will be given next month to many more mills.

## THE CHECK As a Receipt

Sometimes you like to have evidence in writing that you cancelled an obligation—you want a receipt for future reference. The best method is to open a checking account with us. For every bill you pay by check, you have a complete record of your business. Pay by check—it's the systematic way that gives you a receipt in all cases.

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Burkburnett is a new town fifteen miles north of Wichita Falls on The Wichita Falls & Northwestern Railway, two miles from Red River—Located on a beautiful sloping rise and in the finest agricultural country in Texas. Burkburnett is just south of the Big Comanche Pasture, just opened. A wagon bridge is being built across Red River, connecting the town with the Big Pasture by Wagon Bridge, which gives Burkburnett all the trade from the Comanche pasture as no title can be had for towns on the railroad across the river. If you want to make money buy a lot in Burkburnett. If you want a good investment, buy a lot at this sale. About 2000 acres of the finest and best Red River farming land near the town will be offered at auction at this sale in 5 to 160 acre blocks. Burkburnett has the best country to draw trade from of any town in Texas. Don't miss this opportunity to buy lots or land at your own price. Remember the date, June, 6th 1907. Barbecued dinner served by the church ladies. Free transportation from Wichita Falls to Burkburnett.

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Wichita Falls, Texas, May 27th, 1907.

### A PALPABLE HIT.

In an editorial entitled "Wages Decline," the Louisville Courier-Journal tabling an interesting answer to a query of a local newspaper that claimed that the cotton mill operators in North Germany get only \$191.01 a year, while in America they get \$304.57.

The Courier-Journal says: "It looks a little queer to see arguments for protection made on the ground that it gives our laborers \$304.57 a year. There are three hundred and thirteen working days in a year, barring holidays with pay, so that the wage is less than a dollar a day. Now a farm laborer at \$20 a month and board gets \$240 in money, and the board would, even at a low rate, bring the total up as high as that of the cotton mill operator. It is well known that the farm laborer has no protection, and it is hard to see how the cotton mill operator gets any benefit from it. Laborers in many unprotected employments get more than a dollar a day. Moreover the owners of cotton mills import laborers free from foreign countries. If the protective tariff makes the price of commodities high—and we know it does—why is there not a tariff on imported labor? That is the logic of objection to labor by a tariff. If it is to be done at all but the fact of it is that it is not intended to make labor high. The men who make this argument in order to get labor support are the same men who import foreign labor to keep down the prices they must pay to laborers at home. They are the men who sell to customers in America steel rails for \$28 a ton and sell them abroad at \$20 or \$22 making a big profit on an article which cost them about \$16. The argument that protection makes high wages is a fallacy. They have always been higher in America than in Europe. But in Europe the highest wages are paid in free-trade England, and the countries where they have the lowest wages have the most rigid systems of protection."

The chairman of the republican national campaign committee will doubtless bear in mind that Mr. Harriman, the railroad magnate, has just succeeded in irrigating and floating upon the public \$136,000,000 of securities. This ought to be the basis for the levying of a good sized campaign assessment.

Since the supreme court of the United States has decided that dredgers on the canal work are seamen, we may now expect another decision from the same source that pump manufacturers are dairy men.

The safe blower who only secured \$7.50 as the result of his work on the vault of an Indiana bank must have concluded that some other fellow had worked that side of the street before he got there.

### A COUNTER PROPOSITION

Will Be Submitted by the Street Railway Promoters.

When asked about the street railway franchise this morning, Attorney H. Mathis stated that he had received a communication from the promoters, in which they set out the terms upon which they would sign a lease for the construction and operation of a street railway in Wichita Falls. Mathis did not go into details of the counter proposition, but it is said that it is different from the one agreed upon by the council.

Postoffice at Burkburnett. Burkburnett is now upon Uncle Sam's official map. The postoffice department has established a postoffice at Burkburnett, and Miss Maggie Weaver has been appointed postmistress.

Old papers for sale at this office at 10 cents per hundred.

### OLD SETTLER.

"It makes me laugh when I hear a man forecast on Texas weather. In the parlance of old settlers, he is either a newcomer or a fool."

"That reminds me. When we were moving from Missouri to Texas in a covered wagon, we stopped one night in the edge of Arkansas, where a spring bubbled out of a hillside, about a quarter of a mile from a log cabin. After starting the fire I walked over to the cabin with the intention of purchasing a supply of eggs and butter, and procure enough buttermilk to make bread. A yellow dog announced my approach, and also alarmed the inmates, who came from the door like bees from a hive. A tall, gaunt woman with a baby in her arms, led the way and shading her eyes with her hand critically examined my personal appearance as I walked up the path. Eight children followed me, and I stepped up in the order of their ages like the steps to a staircase. After the usual salutation of 'Howdy, do, stranger, I made my wants known.

"Sorry, stranger, but the last cow we had fell over the cliff and broke her neck and the foxes killed all the chickens. We just ain't got any milk, butter nor eggs. Where you be from, stranger?"

"From Missouri."  
 "Where ye goin' to?"  
 "Going to Texas."  
 "I wouldn't go to Texas, stranger."  
 "Why?"  
 "Case if rains in Texas, and when it do it never stops. Come in, children. Your paw's gone coon huntin' and won't be back till mornin', I reckon."

Have you seen those new runabouts we have just received? Cut-under, rubber tire and straight sill rubber tire and all other styles? We are anxious for you to see them. Wichita Falls Implement Co. 12-14

### The Grand Jurors.

From the following list of sixteen names the grand jury which convenes next Monday morning will be made up: G. D. Anderson, George B. Ansell, C. C. Allen, W. W. Bailey, C. Birk, J. M. Bland, W. H. Gwinn, J. B. Walker, C. R. Coker, W. G. Hooks, Bradley Winfrey, T. J. Taylor, W. J. Nolan and J. W. Lovell.

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 R. L. MILLER, M. D.  
 J. C. A. GUEST, M. D.  
 Wichita Falls, Tex., May 24, 1907. 11-14

### WRECK AT HENRIETTA

Heavy Rains Cause Track to Give Way Under Freight Train.

The heavy rains last week were the cause of a freight wreck on the Fort Worth and Denver railroad near Henrietta Saturday night which will entail a considerable loss upon the railroad company.

At about midnight Saturday the northbound fast freight No. 19 was derailed when the track gave way at a point about four miles south of Henrietta. Fortunately, none of the crew were injured, but nine of the cars and their contents were demolished. The Childrens wrecking men were in the local freight yards at the time and were dispatched to the scene of the wreck and within a few hours had the track cleared for traffic.

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### SCORES IN SATURDAY'S SHOOT.

Club Will Meet and Elect Officers Tomorrow Night.

The Wichita Falls gun club held its second shoot at the ball park Saturday afternoon. The scores of the second shoot show an improvement in form over the first shoot held a week ago.

The club will hold a meeting at Kerr & Hursh's hardware store at 8:30 o'clock Tuesday night for the purpose of organization and the election of officers.

As at the first shoot, the shooting was done in platoons of five and each participant had twenty-five targets.

The Scores.

F. Jackson	21
Woods	17
Wills	8
Harrington	18
Robertson	16
Bentley	7
Hughes	4
Boyd	9
Mahaffey	6
Scovall	15
Woods	10
Wills	6
Robertson	19
Harrington	12
Morrell	23
Scovall	15
Boyd	15
Hughes	10
Bentley	12
Mahaffey	7
Harrington	13
Wills	13
Boyer	13
Woods	15
Stevens	15
Felder	17
Stevens	20
Robertson	17
Murrell	25

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## A BARGAIN WITH A POINT

THE POINT IS THIS:

We have some odd size Clothing. The patterns are all right. The stock is first-class. Only one, two and three suits of a kind. On separate table for this week's selling at one-half the original price. We can't fit everyone in these suits—we may fit you.



\$25.00 Men's Suits, odds of stock one half price \$12.50

\$20.00 Suits, odd sizes for this week's selling one-half price \$10.00

\$15.00 Suits, consists of a few very choice patterns, this week \$7.50

\$10.00 Suits, a cracker-jack at this price; if we have your size \$5.00



### IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT TO MEN

#### A Job Lot of Men's and Boy's Hats.

Consisting of Taloo, Dakota, Telescope, flat tops and crushers, for this week selling at one-half price.

These Hats are priced to sell at from \$1.00 to \$3.50; you can buy them this week at from \$1.75 to 50c

#### Men's Shoes—Odds of Stock.

James A. Baunister's fine shoes for men prices \$5.00 and \$6.00; mostly in small sizes. To close the line quick, \$3.99 pick 'em at

Keith's Konqueror \$3.50 and \$4.00 fine shoes for men, if we have your size, this week's price per pair. \$2.49

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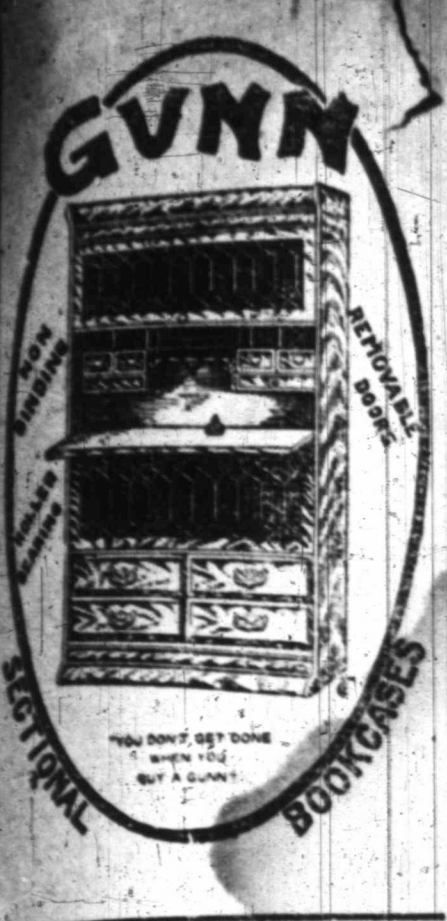
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Linoleums, all kinds at right prices. Use our new goods.  
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WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS

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Mrs. Ed. Gillis and daughter, Miss Mattie, returned from Fort Worth last Monday, where the latter underwent an operation for appendicitis. We are glad to note the fact that Miss Mattie is improving and growing stronger day by day.—Iowa Park Register.

AT FREDERICK FOR THE WICHITA FALLS & NORTHWESTERN.

**CONTRACT FOR BONUS**

Will Be Signed Today and Extension Completed by January 1, 1908.

After a struggle that thoroughly tested the loyalty of Frederick's citizenship, the proposition of the Wichita Falls and Northwestern Railway Company to bring their road to this city has been accepted and the terms of the contract to be entered into for that purpose agreed upon. To bring this road here will cost our people in the neighborhood of \$50,000, possibly more.

This is a large sum of money to be raised in a town the size of Frederick as a bonus to secure a railroad, but the liberal, progressive, and public spirited citizens of the city were equal to the emergency. With such a citizenship, there is no occasion for surprise at the phenomenal growth of Frederick, and the invincible spirit displayed in the crisis through which they have just passed insures the continued growth of the city. In fact, a bright future for Frederick is assured.

The route to be adopted by the road in coming into Frederick and the location of the depot have not been determined. Ample ground for depot and terminal facilities is to be guaranteed.—Frederick Leader.

Mr. R. E. Huff, attorney for the Wichita Falls and Northwestern says the foregoing statement is substantially correct. The terms of the contract have been agreed upon and the contract will be signed today.

The citizens of Frederick agree to furnish the right-of-way from the west line of the Big Pasture to the east side of Range 18. They also agree to furnish the sites for the terminal and the depot at Frederick and pay a subsidy of \$30,000. The railroad agrees to finish the line into Frederick by January 1st, 1908.

Mr. Huff thinks that Frederick has a very bright prospect since she has secured the new road. She need fear no adverse invasion of her trade territory and will have no near rival.

Many new brick and stone buildings are being constructed, and with the new railroad assured, her own people will have more faith in the stability of the town.

Frederick is putting in a new water works plant, improvements are contemplated by the electric light company and the whole city wears an air of growth and progress.

The Times extends a hearty handshake to our new neighbor, soon to be connected closer with hands of steel, and compliments her citizens on their pluck and enterprise.

We will unload our car of Bush & Lane pianos tomorrow and will be pleased to show them to you. It will be very much to your interest to see them. We know and also think that we can convince you that you get more for your money in a Bush & Lane piano than you can possibly get in any other instrument. Wichita Falls Implement Co. 12-1f

On Saturday, June 1st, a local option election will be held in the Gilbert school district. There are now no saloons in that district and the purpose of the petitioners in calling the election is to keep saloons out of the new town of Burk Burnett.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Kerr of Childress were the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Kerr, over Sunday.

Why worry with making preserves? We offer our Richelieu line which is as fine as can be produced. Try it and be convinced.

TREYATHAN & BLAND.

Church Improvement.

The Christian church congregation have awarded the contract for the construction of an addition to their church. The new addition is to be occupied by the Sunday school department. The contractor will begin the work at once and complete the addition as soon as possible.

Seeley-Gibbs.

At the home of Mr. Snyder at 6 o'clock Sunday evening the marriage of Mrs. J. N. Gibbs and Mr. J. T. Seeley took place. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. A. C. Burroughs in the presence of a number of friends and relatives.

Mr. Seeley and his bride left today for Whittier, California, where they will make their future home, and where Mr. Seeley will engage in the fruit raising business.

Until a few months ago Mr. Seeley was engaged in the blacksmithing business at Byers. Lately he has been assisting at the Seitz & Seeley shop in this city.

Clay Rainey's wife and children left a few days ago with Mrs. Rainey's mother, Mrs. Johnson, residing near Belknap in Young county. Mrs. Rainey has been on the invalid list for quite a while and we hope when she gets home from under her mother's care she will be much improved in health and strength.—Iowa Park Register.

Try one of our 25c or 50c plum puddings just for a change. You will like it.

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**New Offerings in Seasonable Merchandise**

We have recently received and have for your inspection new Hose, Gloves, Wash Goods; some beautiful sheer white goods in Persian and French Lawns; also some new creations in imported Swisses that it will pay you to investigate, for warm weather will soon be here. Call on us for anything in Dry Goods.

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Fresh Vegetables and  
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## MORRIS & FARRIS

ON TRIAL AGAIN.

Hargis Faces Charge of Assassination and Murder.

By Associated Press.

Sandy Hook, May 27.—Today marks the beginning of the trial of James Hargis, charged with assassination and murder of Dr. W. D. Cox at Jackson in April, 1902. Judge Hargis, accompanied by his brothers and attorneys, arrived yesterday.

The killing of Dr. Cox occurred Sunday night, April 13th, 1902, and was the first of a series of murders in Breathitt county that resulted in Hargis and his alleged henchmen being accused and arrested.

## PERSONAL MENTION

Judge Seury has returned after a trip to the City of Mexico.

Miss Maggie Moore returned Sunday after a two weeks visit at Dundee.

Miss Hallie May Houser of Fort Worth is the guest of Miss Katie Lou Avila.

Mrs. Mundy has returned after a two weeks visit with her mother at Crowell.

Miss Esther Gorline has returned from Sherman, after the close of the school year.

Misses Flora and Jewell Kemp have returned from Dallas, where they attended college.

Miss Emma Haynes has returned from Iowa Park, after the close of the school year at that place.

Mrs. H. B. Patterson and daughter went to Henrietta yesterday for a short visit with relatives.

Miss Willa Patterson has returned to her home at Henrietta, after a visit with relatives in this city.

Elmer Filgo and Maurice Bentley are home from the A. and M. college at Bryan to spend the summer vacation.

Verne Clifton is home from Fort Worth after the end of the school year, to spend the summer vacation at home.

Mrs. M. Chestnut and Miss Fannie Mays of Archer City visited Mrs. D. M. Hardy of this city two or three days of last week.

C. G. Elliott, chief clerk to the general superintendent of the Fort Worth and Denver railway at Fort orth, spent Sunday with friends here.

Mr. R. A. White has just returned from a week's business trip out west in the interest of the wholesale department of the Jordan-White Furniture Company. He reports business good.

Mrs. R. W. Bonner of Weatherford is visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. F. Campbell.

Mr. Harry Thornberry of Thornberry, Texas, returned Saturday from Ft. Worth, at the close of the school he had been attending.

Passenger conductor R. D. Kelley of the "Denver," who now makes Fort Worth his headquarters, spent Sunday with friends in this city.

Mrs. C. Joline left today for Dallas, where she will be joined by her daughter, Blanche, a student at St. Mary's college, on a trip to Houston, Galveston and other points. They will return to Wichita Falls at the end of the week.

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## PRISON SENTENCES

WOULD HAVE GOOD EFFECT ON VIOLATORS OF R. R. LAWS.

## BETTER CONDITIONS

Would be Brought About if Prominent Men Were Given Jail Sentences.

By Associated Press.

Chicago, Ill., May 27.—A special to the Tribune from Washington says:

"Interstate Commerce Commissioner Judson C. Clements, who has had fifteen years service, said yesterday in an interview regarding violations of the law by corporations: 'One of the most wholesome things that could happen would be the putting in jail of some men of prominence in the railroad world. That would do more than anything else to bring about better conditions.'

"Questions of criminal prosecution by the commission have been delegated to Commissioner Franklin K. Lane. When asked if he was going to send some of the railroad officials to jail, he answered: 'I hope it will not be necessary. If the railroads comply with the law we will get on most harmoniously, but if the law is broken, then there will be trouble.'

### The Baccalaureate Sermon.

The baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of 1907 of the Wichita Falls high school was delivered at the First Baptist church Sunday morning by the Rev. L. S. Barton of Dallas, who is conducting the Methodist revival services now in progress in this city.

Rev. Barton took as his topic, "The Value of an Ideal," and delivered a splendid, instructive and inspiring charge to the graduates about to enter upon the serious duties of life.

The big auditorium was crowded to its utmost capacity and all who were fortunate enough to have attended left the service feeling an inspiration to lead a truer and better life.

### Hall Storm at Muenster.

The M. K. & T. passenger train from the east was nearly two hours late in its arrival at Wichita Falls Saturday night. At Muenster the train encountered a terrific hail storm. The hail in chunks was almost as large as hen eggs and piled up on the track until the train was compelled to stop and wait until the hail had melted. The storm did great damage to growing crops.

### About the Court House.

Both the county and the district courts will convene in the court house in this city next Monday morning. The dockets in both courts are very light and contain no cases of general public interest. The grand jury will also convene at that time when a number of offenses will come up for investigation. The county commissioners will also meet at that time to audit the reports of the county tax collector and the county assessor.

### Marriage Licenses.

Marriage licenses have been issued to J. E. Sealey and Mrs. P. E. Gibbs and to Walter S. Tyson and Lizzie D. Yauger.

### THE METHODIST MEETINGS.

Large Crowds in Daily and Nightly Attendance.

Perhaps fifteen hundred people attended the big Methodist meeting being conducted on the corner of Eighth street and Scott avenue last night by Rev. Barton and gospel singer Ramsey of Dallas, assisted by the local pastors.

Rev. Barton delivered a strong sermon, taking for his subject, "Prepare to meet thy God," and the great audience gave due attention throughout its delivery.

The splendid choir, under the leadership of Mr. Ramsey, rendered most excellent music.

During the delivery of the sermon, several seats which were overcrowded gave way and fell to the ground, creating a little confusion, but no one was injured.

Three meetings will be held each day, the first from 9:30 to 10:30 in the morning, the second at 3:30 in the afternoon and the third at 8 o'clock at night.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. Hendrick of this city this morning a fine baby boy. Mother and child are doing nicely.

### DELMAS RETAINED.

Appears to Defend Alleged Bribers in San Francisco.

By Associated Press.

San Francisco, Cal., May 27.—Delphin D. Delmas, who has been retained to defend T. V. Halsey and Louis States Telephone and Telegraph Company, indicted for bribery, made his first appearance in court this morning.

### Six Jurors Secured.

By Associated Press.

San Francisco, Cal., May 27.—The trial of Mayor Schmitz was resumed today, the examination of the witnesses being continued. Six jurors have already been secured.

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It takes brains to make our Stein-Bloch Smart Clothes. Talent, with needle and shears, directed by intelligence ripened by 52 years of knowing how, has given these clothes the style and distinction which has won them fame and following among judicious dressers.

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LOST—A topaz ring. Finder please return to St. James' hotel. Suitable reward.

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WANTED—Lawn mowers to sharpen. Have just received a machine for that purpose. E. M. Winfrey & Co. 2-4f

WANTED—A girl or a woman as a cook and to assist in general house work. Apply at Heath & Rogers office, over First National bank. 9-6t

WANTED—A sober man cook to travel with the Jesse James show car. Call at the car at the Katy depot today. Charles Geyer. 12-1t

LOST—A black handbag containing trunk key, money and cards. Return to R. C. Hardy and receive reward. 11d-1w.

Old papers for sale at this office at 20 cents per hundred.

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