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KING OF ITALY SLAIN.

Assassinated While Getting in His Carriage at Monza.

ASSASSIN IS CAUGHT.

Three Shots Were Fired at the King, One Piercing His Heart—The Arrested Man Gave His Name as Angelo Bressi.

Monza, Italy, July 31.—King Humbert has been assassinated. He was shot here Sunday evening and died in a few minutes.

The king had been attending a distribution of prizes in connection with a gymnastic competition. He had just entered his carriage with his aide de camp amid the cheers of the crowds, when he was struck by three revolver shots fired in quick succession.

One pierced the heart of his majesty, who fell back and expired in a few minutes.

The assassin was immediately arrested and was with some difficulty saved from the fury of the people.

He gave his name as Angelo Bressi, describing himself as of Prato, in Tuscany.

Movements of the Assassin.

New York, July 31.—Angelo Bressi, the assassin of King Humbert at Monza, Italy, for over a year lived in Paterson, N. J. He appeared to have had various names. The name he gave when taken into custody for the murder of the king of Italy was Angelo Bressi. Another was Angius Bressi and still another, the one by which he will be known to those who knew him in Paterson, was Gaetano Bressi. He was employed in Hamill & Booth's silk mills. His close friend there was Cariboni Sperandio, the man who a few weeks ago shot down his foreman and then killed himself, leaving behind a letter telling how he had been selected by him to kill King Humbert and having a choice, owing to his living so far away from Italy, killed the foreman instead.

A few months ago a man said to be Count Moletski, the head of the Italian anarchists, was in Paterson and during his stay Sperandio and Bressi were his companions. It would seem that when his friend faltered at regicide, Bressi took up his burden and went across the ocean to carry out the decree that Humbert should die.

In manner Bressi was quiet. Men who worked beside him say he was the last one they would suspect as an assassin. He spoke little and volunteered nothing about himself. When there was a shop call and the men went on one of their numerous strikes, Bressi left his looms obediently, but was next he left the mill and hurried to Hoboken, where his wife and little girl are said to live, but never brought his family to Paterson.

Bressi roomed in the center of the anarchist section. His meals were taken at the Hotel Bartholdi. The proprietor of the hotel says he knows the man well. Bressi, according to the proprietor, came into his place three times a day for six days a week. He was never there on Sundays. Beyond bidding the time of day to the proprietor and the water, he spoke to no one. He was tall and dark and had stooping shoulders. To some it was known that his radical ideas were extreme and that he was of the inner circle of anarchists.

Bressi entered the employ of Hamill & Booth on Aug. 8, 1899. He worked steadily through until May 4, 1900. On that day he left the mill and was in Paterson, but seldom afterward. On May 22 last he sailed on the French line steamer Havre for Europe. Where he spent the intervening time is not known.

Paterson has long been a hotbed of anarchists. Men here who are familiar more or less with the workings of the organization say that for years Paterson has contained more of the society than any other city in the United States, with the possible exception of Chicago. There is a strong socialist element in Paterson and the anarchists formerly worked with this element without allowing the socialists to know that it had the support of the violent ones.

The anarchists tried to control the socialists, and failing dropped away from that movement, denounced the socialists because of their peacefulness and claimed that they were traitors, although the socialists had never tried anything but peaceful methods and were purely political and law abiding.

The anarchists embraced every strike in Paterson for a long time as a means of fermenting trouble. During the great silk strike three years ago when that industry was compelled to locate factories in different parts of the country, the anarchists did more than anyone else to bring about the removal of the mills. They used dynamite and all their efforts to destroy factories were frustrated. They created such a feeling of uneasiness that the manufacturers moved.

When the empress of Austria was assassinated the anarchists had a big celebration, but not openly.

Italy's New King.

New York, July 31.—Vittorio Emanuele Ferdinando Maria Gennaro, who succeeds his father to the throne of Italy, is the only son of King Humbert. He was born Nov. 11, 1899, and has the reputation of being a liberal, scholarly

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REPORTS from the Philippines are somewhat confusing. One day 5000 Boers are captured; two days later 1200 more are captured, "making a total 4000."

We have had but very little hot weather this year in the Panhandle. The abundant rainfall has rendered the temperature mild and the nights are delightfully cool.

It looks now as though the Texas republicans will put out a state ticket. We hope they will do so. We want to see a straight, square, clean fight this year and the party strength fairly shown up next November.

White Oaks, N. M., recently raised \$5000 to secure the Baptist college which went to Alamogordo, now wants to use the money in putting in a good system of water works. Perhaps they think if they have plenty of water they will catch the Baptists anyhow.

The straight populists of Kansas will put out a ticket. There will be a mass and delegate convention of the Populists of Kansas held in the city of Topeka, Thursday, August 23, 1900, at 1 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of putting out an electoral and state ticket and making such other nominations as the convention may think proper. All who believe in the principles of the Omaha and Cincinnati platforms and the election of Barker and Donnelly as President and Vice President of the United States are requested to participate in the convention.

Texas democrats can raise a big howl about the trusts and pose as chief anti-trust advocates, but the record don't indicate much sincerity, else the Waters-Pierce Oil trust would not make a plaything of the state administration. The Austin Statesman makes this significant comment: "We can ill afford to criticize Attorney General Griggs assuming that the federal law is not designed to check the onward march of the trusts when our own officials tacitly admit that our laws are in the same state of collapse."

There is a probability that the per capita apportionment to the public school fund will be increased this year, says Treasurer Robbins.

Great stories are being told concerning the Kiowa and Comanche country, and when it opens up there will probably be as great a run for that country as there was into the Cherokee Strip.—Higgins News.

Yes, and they will have to pay \$1.50 per acre for it and live on it five years before acquiring a title, when they can come to the Panhandle, where it is much healthier, better neighbors, land just as good and \$1 to \$2.50 per acre and only three years settlement required and much longer time in which to pay for it.

If you find a Populist inclined to be monthly, make him get up on the Cincinnati platform and defend it. Ask him what the land plank means.—Comanche Chief.

If he can be kept answering questions his opponent will have him hard and fast. But if he turns and asks a few questions himself, then that is a different matter. He might ask what the Democratic platform means by "imperialism" and by its commendation of a direct vote, "wherever it is practicable," and he might ask how it happened that, after four years of vows to impose an income tax, not even an illusion was made to it. He might also ask how it is that the party denounces the acquisition of foreign territory, without the consent of the people, and yet proposes to hold Porto Rico when the Porto Ricans have never been permitted to express themselves in any way as to whether they wanted to come into the Union. In fact, if he is a bright Populist he could make himself very annoying to either of the old parties this year.—Dallas News.

Kansas Fusionists at Sea.

The plan which had all but been decided upon to have Towne withdraw from the second place on the Populist ticket and Stevenson substituted, and to hold the notification ceremonies of Democrats and Populists together at Indianapolis on Aug. 5, is not likely to be carried out.

Mr. Bryan within the past few days has been told by the leaders of his various parties in Kansas that, notwithstanding their fusion, the State is likely to go Republican, and that some such thing as a notification ceremony is needed for its effect on the campaign.

It has therefore been decided (subject to change) to have the Populist notification at Topeka about Aug. 22.

Joins the Populists.

A. J. Felt of Seneca, Kas., ex-lieutenant governor of Kansas, and for years a man of place in the Republican party, has allied himself with the opposition. Mr. Felt, in a letter to John W. Breidenthal, under Saturday's date, says:

In this campaign my duty as a citizen leads me to cast my ballot for Americans who still believe that the legend upon the dollar, 'In God We Trust,' is a more noble idea than the new mark Hanna version, 'In the trusts we find our Gods.' Hoping for your success in November, and assuring you of my high personal regard, I am, truly yours, A. J. Felt."

HARRY TRACY don't seem to have very smooth sailing. He made an utter failure in turning Texas populists over to the fusion crowd, since which time he has turned them a cold shoulder and left the state to do some campaigning in North Carolina for Senator Butler. At Concord this week he attempted to speak to an audience of populists but was yelled down by democrats and assaulted. The dispatches say he would have been killed had the mayor not personally conducted him to a hotel, from where a preacher took him out six miles and put him on a train. It seems the two old parties believe in anything but political freedom. Up in Kansas a few days ago Jerry Simpson was howled down and prevented from speaking by a republican mob, headed by a negro, who assaulted Simpson. Free speech? O, no!

The Republicans assert that the farmers' live stock and products in '99 were worth a billion dollars more than in '96. However, they fail to say that this came about by an increase in the money volume. They also fail to say that the capitalists have conspired together to take from the farmers a big part of this billion dollars, by forming monopolies and requiring unreasonable profits. They also fail to state under republican rule the money volume may be contracted in the same way it was in part enlarged—by the movement of gold out of one country into another, and that while prices may again be as low as in '96 the monopolies will still be demanding the lion's share.—Mo. World.

England's war expenses in South Africa already exceed \$300,000,000. This may not "stagger humanity," but it will "jar" the British taxpayer for a good many years to come.—New York World.

A report from Oklahoma City says the Oklahoma City and Western Railroad company will commence work on its western extension of the St. Louis and San Francisco to Acme, Tex., as soon as the terminal line is completed.

The monthly statement of the director of the mint shows the total coinage at the mints during July, 1900, to have been \$8,404,427, as follows: Gold, \$6,540,000; silver, \$1,827,827; minor coins, \$35,600.

During the discussion of the greenback bill in 1862, it was asserted and truthfully, too, that giving banks the right to issue money amounted to a free loan of the government to the banks. The banks referred to at the time were the State banks. Yet our friends, the Democratic politicians, in the U. S. Senate, voted almost unanimously no longer ago than last February, to restore to State banks the right to issue money. This right should be exercised by the government in the interest of all the people and should not be delegated to national banks nor to State banks.—Ex.

Democratic Consistency.

There are ten national platforms for this campaign, and not a one of them declare for imperialism. There is not a political party in the nation that advocates imperialism. The democrats are the only people, or party, that undertakes to govern without the consent of the governed.

Over in North Carolina, a few days ago, Mr. H. F. Sewell, the populist candidate for attorney general of that state, had an appointment to speak at Laurinburg. His train was met by 200 men wearing red shirts, who advised him not to stop. He took the advice. So it appears that if any party, or people, is opposed to the freedom of speech, or favors governing without the consent of the governed, or taxation without representation, or undertakes to carry out the spirit of imperialism in the United States, it must be the democrats.—Ex.

Towne Confers With Bryan.

Lincoln, Neb., July 31.—Charles A. Towne is in Lincoln and had a conference with Mr. Bryan to-day. To a reporter he said he had no statement to make concerning his candidacy or possible withdrawal from the ticket. He said the time was too early to make any announcement. Mr. Towne came directly from Nevada, where he has been making speeches.

Mr. Towne will leave to-night for Chicago, to meet the national committeemen and will go from there to Colfax, Ia., to speak on August 3, after which he expects to return home. He will not go to Indianapolis, August 8.

A Denison reporter says the Denison Commercial club is arranging with owners of steamboats at Shreveport, La., to bring a load of merchandise up the river to Denison. The river has been at a fine boating stage for twelve months, and could now be navigated by boats drawing five or six feet of water.

John Clark Ridpath, the historian, died in the Presbyterian hospital, New York, of a complication of diseases Tuesday. He had been a patient at the hospital since April 26. Since June his condition had been so critical that no hope was entertained for his recovery. His wife and son, S. E. Ridpath, were at the bedside when he died. The body will be taken to Greencastle, Ind.

For mosquito bites, bites or stings of insects, animals or reptiles, apply Ballard's Snow Lintiment. It counteracts the poison in the wound, subdues the inflammation and heals the flesh. Price, 25 and 50 cents. For sale at Ramsey's drug store.

The amount of gross gold in the treasury Aug. 1 reached \$431,170,764, which is the highest amount in the treasury in the history of the government.

Dr. Simmons' Sarsaparilla invigorates the nervous system, tones and strengthens the digestive organs, and at the same time eradicates disease. 130 doses \$1.00 For sale at Ramsey's.

Dr. R. M. Brown, of Dallas county, an invalid who had been in Colorado for his health, died on the southbound passenger just after leaving Clarendon Saturday morning. The remains were taken off at Childress and prepared for burial and taken to Dallas next morning. Conductor Hill says his death was looked for all the way from Trinidad.

The household remedy is Hunt's Lightning Oil. All aches and pains quickly relieved. Satisfaction or money refunded. For sale by Ramsey.

The populists of Kentucky have put out a state ticket at the largest convention of populists ever held in the state.

A Mother Tells How She Saved Her Little Daughter's Life.

I am the mother of eight children and have had a great deal of experience with medicines. Last summer my little daughter had the dysentery in its worst form. We thought she would die. I tried everything I could think of, but nothing seemed to do her any good. I saw by an advertisement in our paper that Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy was highly recommended and sent and got a bottle at once. It proved to be one of the very best medicines we ever had in the house. It saved my little daughter's life. I am anxious for every mother to know what an excellent medicine it is. Had I known it at first it would have saved me a great deal of anxiety and my little daughter much suffering.—Yours truly, Mrs. Geo. F. BERNICK, Liberty, R. I. For sale by Ramsey.

Public School Announcement.

To the Patrons of the Public School and the Friends of Education in General:

The Board of Trustees of Clarendon Graded School beg by this means to direct your attention to the outlook of the Public School for the ensuing school year.

Believing that the material prosperity and growth of our town and community demand better and more commodious school accommodations than in the past, we have taken steps to have the present school building thoroughly renovated, and partially refurnished, and some much needed apparatus supplied.

One or perhaps two teachers will be added to the faculty as the necessity may demand. The outlook for the public school was never brighter than for the present school year. Having merited and received a constantly increasing attendance for years, it has the confidence of our people.

Parents should take pride in this monument to the public spirit of our citizens, and cherish it as an institution recommended and fostered by Washington, Jefferson, Adams and hosts of America's greatest Statesmen.

The Public School in its educational work, aims at the practical rather than the theoretical or ornamental; it aims at essentials rather than non-essentials, at the development of the masses, to a higher and nobler citizenship, regardless of social standing or religious convictions. There is no other of our institutions that is more thoroughly American than our public schools: there is none so free and yet so excellent, none so common and yet so uncommon as our public schools.

Parents, when looking about for a safe school for their children, should open their eyes to these excellent advantages free of cost. Our school is carefully graded, thus offering superior advantages to both teachers and pupils.

The Board of Trustees used every precaution in selecting only teachers that have shown themselves to be teachers of ability, three at least of whom hold degrees from a college or university of higher learning. Every teacher employed is a teacher of several years of successful school work, varying from fifteen years with the superintendent to ten with the primary teacher. Let parents cultivate the acquaintance of our teachers and thus be better able to cooperate with them in their work. Sympathetic acquaintance and interest between parents and teachers in a common cause—the education of the child—would make smooth many rough places and avert many a gathering storm in school affairs.

The intention of all well regulated schools, is that methods of discipline should be employed that are as nearly in keeping with the discipline of a well regulated home, as can be adapted to the circumstances. No conduct nor language will be permitted in the school building nor on the school grounds, that could not be tolerated in the home or about the premises of a well regulated household. While the above plan in general will be pursued, it will be the policy of the Superintendent to enforce fully the regulations furnished by the Board of Trustees, and published in the general catalogue.

One feature of Clarendon Public School that is worthy of mention is the fact that the present superintendent is entering upon his sixth year of service in this school and thus is enabled to give the school the advantage of his experience, knowing as he does the needs of nearly every child in the district. The fact that many schools change teachers and principals so frequently, tends to lessen the confidence of their patrons and friends. The desire of the Board of Trustees is that the public school may be a permanent factor for the cause of education in Clarendon, believing as we do that it has been one of the principal influences that has brought about our present prosperous condition.

The course of study adopted in Clarendon Graded School, is one that will recommend itself to every thoughtful mind. It is liberal enough for all practical purposes, and prepares pupils for entrance to institutions of higher learning. Besides primary work, the course of study embraces in science, physiology, physical geography, botany and physics; in history, Texas History, U. S. History and General history; in literature, language lessons, grammar, rhetoric, English and American literature, and a thorough drill in elementary Latin; in mathematics, arithmetic, plane geometry, solid geometry, plane trigonometry. Pupils who finish this course of study and pass satisfactory examinations will be granted a diploma. Course of study and other information pertaining to the school may be had by applying to the undersigned, or W. B. Ware, secretary of School Board.

The term will begin Sept. 3rd and continue for nine months with an intermission of one or two weeks during the holidays. It is earnestly desired by the superintendent and teachers that pupils enter at first day if possible, if not, during the first week in order that a permanent organization may be effected as early as possible. W. R. SILVEY, Superintendent.

The Canyon City Reunion.

The following report of the above reached us too late for last week's paper:

Upon leaving Clarendon Monday, the train was crowded with people going to the Reunion of the Veterans of the civil war at Canyon City.

When we arrived at the camping grounds, which are about two miles west of town, we found a little city, composed of people camped in tents, wagons, etc., arranged so as to form streets.

The grandstand which is very large and comfortably arranged, was almost filled with people at 9 o'clock at which time the program began. The first was the roll call of the old confederates, there being 150 present, only one member of the association having died since their last reunion a year ago. Following this was the enrollment of names of new members and the veterans march to the grand stand, as the Canyon City brass band played.

After music by choir and prayer, Hon. L. G. Wilson delivered a short, but touching address of welcome which made each one feel at home.

Hon. W. B. Plemons, of Amarillo, made quite a lengthy speech after which dinner was announced. There was a bountiful supply of delicious barbecued beef and bread which is delivered each day free to all.

Immediately after dinner there was singing by the choir followed by a speech by Hon. Sam Lanham, of Weatherford, who made a very interesting and impressive speech, speaking of the history of the country in the past and the present, which seemed to be fully appreciated.

Lieut. Gov. J. N. Browning followed with an address.

At night a literary and musical program had been prepared by the ladies of Canyon City and the "Maids of Honor" from the surrounding counties, who had been selected to represent their respective counties.

There being a rain Tuesday night, the next morning was pleasant.

After roll call, the veterans marched to the grand stand and the days exercises were opened by singing and prayer by Rev. W. B. McKeown, of Clarendon. Following this was a speech by Hon. Jno. H. Stephens after which dinner was served.

In the afternoon the audience was addressed by Hon. Chas. Rogan, John Veal and Capt. J. T. Bobitt addressed the old veterans, after which they adjourned.

Their next meeting is to be held at same place next year.

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Good Effects of Singing.

Many medical men are now recommending their patients to study singing, which is a most salutary exercise, both by virtue of its influence on the emotions, on the respiratory movements and on the development of the lungs, says the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. Nothing better shows the beneficial influence of singing in developing the chest and warding off lung diseases than the freedom from pulmonary affections among professional singers. Moreover, their general health is exceptionally good, and this is probably in a large measure attributable not only to their necessarily careful plan of living, but also to the exercise of their calling. Some physicians maintain that for defective chest development and in chronic heart trouble singing is an unequalled exercise. The singer should be clad so as to allow absolute freedom of the chest movements. There should be no constriction of the neck or waist. The collar should be low and ample, and if corsets are worn they should be roomy and loose. One error into which singers, and especially amateurs, fall is to practice too much. The length of time to be given to the exercise depends much upon the character and condition of the voice.

Evils of Night Study.

"I abominate night parties for children," says a physician. "I believe every physician do. It is not so much the exposure and the eating in the night and the bad associations formed (of a high class sort possibly), but the breaking into the sleep habit. Equally bad is it for children to study in the evening. It gorges their brains with blood, and if they sleep they dream. I had a little patient of 12 years who was wasted and nervous and whose dreams were filled with his problems. It was a marvel and a pride to his parents that the youngster worked out hard problems in his sleep such as he failed to master when awake. Next he came near his final problem. I looked up his books at 4 o'clock. He must not touch one after his supper. He must play and romp and then go to bed. He is now robust. You cannot emphasize too strongly the mischief of children's night study."

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Populist National Platform, 1900.

The Peoples party of the United States, assembled in National convention this 10th day of May, 1900, affirming our unshaken belief in the cardinal tenets of the People's party, as set forth in the Omaha platform, and pledging ourselves anew to continued advocacy of those grand principles of human liberty until right shall triumph over might, and love over greed, do adopt and proclaim this declaration of faith:

1. We demand the initiative and referendum and the imperative mandate or such changes of existing fundamental and statute law as will enable the people in their sovereign capacity to propose and compel the enactment of such laws as they desire; to reject such as they deem injurious to their interests and to recall unfaithful public servants.
2. We demand the public ownership and operation of those means of communication, transportation and production which the people may elect, such as railroads, telegraph and telephone lines, coal mines, etc.
3. The land, including all natural sources of wealth, is a heritage of the people, and should not be monopolized for speculative purposes, and alien ownership of land should be prohibited. All land now held by railways and other corporations in excess of their actual needs, and all lands now owned by aliens should be reclaimed by the government and held for actual settlers only.
4. A scientific and absolute paper money, based upon the entire wealth and population of the nation, not redeemable in any specific commodity, but made a full legal tender for all debts and receivable for all taxes and public dues, and issued by the government only, without the intervention of banks and of sufficient quantity to meet the demands of commerce, is the best currency that can be devised, but until such a financial system is secured, which we shall press for adoption, we favor the free and unlimited coinage of both silver and gold at the legal ratio of 16 to 1.
5. We demand the levy and collection of a graduated tax on incomes and inheritances, and a constitutional amendment to secure the same if necessary.
6. We demand the election of president, vice president, federal judges and United States senators by direct vote of the people.
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Business Locals.

All kinds of fruit at Anderson's. Ice cream every day at Griffin's. Pure Kentucky apple cider at Anderson's. John Townsend is now killing fat, home-grown cattle.

LOCAL ITEMS.

Chipped beef at Anderson's. Mrs. G. W. Baker and children are visiting on Mulberry Flat this week. Geo. Antrobus, who has been very sick for nearly two weeks, was some better last night.

All kinds of nice fruit at Griffins. Fresh barbecued meat on hand at Townsend's meat market. Watermelons are becoming plentiful on the market.

F. A. Simpson returned from Wagoner Tuesday. I. W. Carhart left Wednesday for a business trip to Boulder Col. Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Shaw, of Eldridge, spent Monday in Clarendon.

Mr. Ashford, of Oklahoma, came up Wednesday on a visit to his sister Mrs. Robt. Hall. Miss Hattie Trent returned from Colorado Thursday where she has been spending her vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Wolfe, of Mobeetie, visited F. A. White and wife the first of the week. Mr. W. J. Schaefer, traveling reporter of the Mail-Telegram, Fort Worth, spent Saturday in town.

There was a dance at Frank French's Monday night. Some nine couple participated in the festivities. Mrs. Cullen and children, who have been visiting the past month in Colorado, returned home Wednesday.

Miss Acra Crowe, who has been visiting the family of I. E. Jones, returned to her home at Austin Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Caldwell and Miss Kit Champion, of Wheeler county, visited the family of J. G. Tacket Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. W. R. Clemens, of Roswell, N. M., left for Mineral Wells Tuesday morning after visiting Mrs. J. T. Sims of this place a few days. Judge B. H. White, W. D. Ware and H. B. White attended the democratic supreme judicial district convention at Fort Worth this week as delegates.

Clarence Crowe, who has been in the employ of J. T. Sims for some time, left Tuesday for Quanah, where he has been engaged as drummer for McCord, Collins & Co. Mrs. Davies, of Bowie, and Miss Ingram, of Ft. Worth, are spending several days here this week, the guests of Miss Edna Smith. Mrs. Davies returned home this morning.

Sheriff Hughes passed down the road Tuesday from Amarillo with Wood Dillingham in charge, who was charged with theft at Round Rock, and who had also jumped his bond. Transfers recorded this week: W. W. Dyer to Jno. Webb block of land in Clarendon, \$500. John White section of land on Skillet Creek to Robt. Thompson, consideration \$2000.

There will be a basket picnic on Carroll's creek Thursday Aug. 23. Mr. Edgell says it is a nice place for a picnic and he looks for a large crowd and a pleasant time. Everybody invited to attend. Mr. Dan O. Lively spent from Friday until Monday morning in town, when he and Mrs. Lively left for their home in Chicago. Mrs. Lively has been visiting relatives here for a month past.

Prof. Silvey, principal of the Clarendon graded school, has had issued from this office an Announcement of the coming session of Clarendon Graded School. For the benefit of those interested in the public school we reproduce it in our columns this week. The Beverlys have been threshing their oat and rye crop this week. The rye, after being a valuable winter pasture, yielded a fair crop. About 48 1/2 acres of oats turned out 47 bushels of heavy oats to the acre. They intend to put 200 acres in rye this fall.

This office is turning out this week the annual catalogue of the Clarendon College and University Training school, 24 pages and enameled cover, which sets forth fully the courses of study, management, prices and such information as those who wish a college education are looking for. Those interested can get a copy from Dr. Stocking.

Hunt's Cure for Itching Piles, Hunt's Cure for Ringworm. Hunt's Cure for Tetters. Hunt's Cure for Eczema. Hunt's Cure cures all Skin Troubles.

June Taylor has bought the John Laughlin place and will live at home. There are yet some side walks in town that are badly in need of repair. Till Potts moved out to Spittal's ranch this week to take charge as foreman.

Mrs. J. M. Hill, and daughter, Mrs. Kella, and Miss Bessie Chamberlain have been visiting on the J. A. Ranch since Friday. Mr. Theo. Pyle is being visited this week by her father A. J. Barrett, of Memphis, and her uncle R. H. Barrett, of Kaufman.

Miss Georgia Caperton, of Dozier, sister of Mrs. J. L. Williams, of this place, is quite sick with slow fever. She was brought here for medical attention. D. J. Murphy returned this week from a visit to Jacksboro and Fort Worth. He has recently bought a section of land from G. C. Ferguson, consideration \$3000.

Judge Briggs, of Gilmer, an old friend of H. B. White, returned with the latter from Fort Worth Wednesday. He is delighted with our climate and cool nights. The remainder of the five big engines have been put in use on the road and passenger trains north will also use them. Foreman Hard went up as far as Washburne last night on the tria trip of one.

Commissioner Shelton, who has been visiting in Milan county since the populist state convention to which he was a delegate, returned home Wednesday night, complaining of the very hot weather in central Texas. U. S. Commissioner Meade at Fort Worth placed the bond of the two negroes, who broke open the post-office box at this place at \$500, which they were not able to give, and they now languish in jail awaiting their trial.

L. C. Beverly and Willie returned from Trinidad Wednesday, where Mrs. Beverly was taken for her health. He says she shows some improvement and was very well pleased with her surroundings. Mr. Beverly will return tonight to Trinidad. Mrs. S. Anderson and daughter, Grace, and Myrtle Blake returned from a visit in Armstrong county Thursday morning. Miss Grace has been visiting some three weeks and her mother and Myrtle since last Friday. They visited Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Barbier, Mrs. Lynch, went to the Canyons, galloped over the prairie, and had a royal good time all around. They returned home with a ravenous appetite and a most beautiful coat of tan.

Court Docket. District court convenes next Tuesday. The docket so far as made out is as follows: Divorce cases: Lee Howell vs. J. C. Howell; Estella Dewey vs. W. S. Dewey; W. E. Taylor vs. Myra Taylor; Nellie Grundy; Ella White vs. M. T. White. Suits: Clarendon Independent School District vs. W. C. Morgan, suit for taxes; same plaintiff vs. Morgan Lumber Co., suit for taxes. Ex-parte proceedings against Eugene Everett. Jefferies, Beverly & Walsh vs. G. H. Cornell. Criminal cases: State of Texas vs. Rufus Cooksey, rape; also a case against same for kidnapping.

Notice to Teachers. Notice is hereby given that the trustees of Clarendon Public School will employ a teacher for a position in one of the lower grades on Monday Aug. 6. All applications should be addressed to W. B. Ware, Secretary of School Board. Wire netting at Anderson's at lowest prices. Some fellow said we didn't but we have plenty of sugar. JOHN HOFFER & Co. Geo Millsap and Ed Rice, said to be from Ft. Worth, were jailed at Amarillo last week for working a confidence game. Plump cheeks, flushed with the soft glow of health, and a pure complexion make all women beautiful. Herbine imparts strength and vitality to the system, and the rosy hue of health to the cheeks. Price, 50 cents. Sold by Ramsey.

When you are told there is no sugar in town just go to John Hoffer & Co's, and see for yourself. If you want the best cigar in town get the Ericsson at Griffin's. For job printing try the Ind. West

PANHANDLE NEWS.

There is scarce a day in our fleeting life However bright the sun But that some cloud a shadow casts Before its course is run. It is with sorrowing hearts and a feeling of sincere regret that the numerous friends of Robt. T. Somerville are brought to a realization of their loss in his removal by death from our midst. Mr. Somerville was a native of Wisconsin. He came to Clarendon about twelve years ago and was in the employ of The Fort Worth and Denver railway Company up to the time of his affliction last summer. He was a man whom to know intimately was to love and was held in high esteem by his coworkers in the railway service as well as by all other good people of the community with whom he came in contact.

Among his most intimate acquaintances there was never to be heard anything but words of highest commendation and praise for his undaunted integrity and his upright and honorable deportment as a citizen, a brother, and a friend. Of him it can be said: "He was a faithful, generous friend—a tender, and affectionate brother—a kind and obliging neighbor—a pure and upright citizen and one of God's own noblemen."

His prolonged affliction and the brave and uncomplaining manner with which it was borne was but another evidence of his fortitude and of the true spirit and disposition which characterized him in his every day life and won for him innumerable friends and admirers who will mourn his loss and reverence his memory. He was for several months prior to his death a comparative invalid from heart disease and though administered to by the kindest and most sympathetic hands he obtained no substantial relief until through the mercies of an all wise Creator he was removed from the cares and afflictions of a transitory existence to a state of eternal duration in a world "Where the wicked cease from troubling and the weary are at rest."

Mr. Somerville was a member of long standing in the Masonic fraternity, having taken the degrees in "Washington" Lodge No. 21 of Wisconsin several years ago and in which lodge he held his membership at the time of his death. He was an officer of Clarendon Chapter No. 216 "Royal Arch Masons" where he rendered valuable services to the order during its organization and subsequent development. He was also a member in good standing of "Worth" Commandery No. 19 "Knights Templar" at the time of his death. Brother Somerville was a mason, not in name only, but was a useful member of the fraternity and distinguished himself as such in the faithful performance of every duty assigned him and now as we view the vacant seat and miss the hearty and friendly welcome with which it was our privilege to be greeted, we are brought to realize that a link has been broken in the chain of our fraternal relation and another light has been extinguished in our midst which might well have been taken as "a guiding star" in their fraternal connection by all of his brethren.

May the recollection of his good deeds be ever present with us, for in our hearts should be written the remembrance of our worthy dead, unfading, and bright forever. His deeds of charity, his words of cheer and comfort, his unostentatious works of benevolence may not be graven on sculptured shaft or chiseled granite, but they are indelibly written upon the tablets of grateful hearts and recorded in the judgment book of the Grand master of the universe. A moment of his good deeds here, and a testimony of credit upon the records in the world beyond, where having worked out the designs upon his earthly trestle board he has gone to receive his wages. A FRIEND.

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National Bank Permit.

THE TREASURY DEPARTMENT—OFFICE OF COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY. WASHINGTON, D. C., June 27, 1900.—Whereas, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The First National Bank of Clarendon," in the Town of Clarendon in the County of Donley and State of Texas has complied with all the provisions of the Statutes of the United States, required to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of Banking:

Now therefore I, Thomas P. Kane, Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "The First National Bank of Clarendon" in the Town of Clarendon in the County of Donley and State of Texas, is authorized to commence the business of Banking as provided in Section Fifty one hundred and sixty-nine of the Revised Statutes of the United States. In testimony whereof witness my hand and Seal of office this twenty-seventh day of June, 1900.

Don't fail to take a pound of chipped beef home with you. Anderson will chip it while you wait. A small son of John Depey in Greer County, Ok., while drawing water fell to the bottom of a 60-foot well and broke his neck a few days ago. The last heard from the judicial convention at Fort Worth, no nominations were made, but each faction holding out for their candidate, with Stephens in the lead. A notice from Hereford says some cattle sales are being made at good prices. What is known as the strip yearlings have been sold for \$20 per head, and in some cases there were no cut-backs allowed.

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The Chinese.
 Rev. Isaac Pierson, a missionary, says the Chinese are an astonishing race. Every fourth man in this world wears a queue. Their history is not measured by centuries, but by millenniums. The official records of Chinese history are continuous and unbroken back to the time of Isaiah and the beginnings of Greek and of Roman history, and, with unimportant breaks, that history extends to the time of Abraham, and almost to the flood.

Other races have divided and subdivided and intermingled with neighboring races until their types were largely lost, but the Chinese have retained their individuality.

This race is indomitable. During its 4000 years of existence 25 different dynasties have ruled its destinies, and several of these have been of foreign races, but in every case the habits and the laws and the characteristics of the conquering race have succumbed to those of the conquered. Such is the case with the present dynasty, which has been on the throne of China 256 years. It is Manchu in name, but it long ago became Chinese in character.

The Chinese are persistent, and accomplish the thing they attempt, if not today, then it will be tomorrow. If a man die before he has accomplished his purpose his son will take it up and carry it to success. If his son fail his son's son will fulfill it.

These bold affirmations are not platitudes. They are massive facts, and the meaning of them is that this pivotal year has disclosed to the world another Anglo-Saxon race.

China has secluded herself from the other nations of the earth. She has slept while they have waked. But her sleep has been that of a giant. Now she is awaking. Already she has roused to the consciousness of military power. Five years ago she suffered ignominious defeat before a nation of one-tenth her population, but now Krupp guns and Mauser rifles are in her hands and she knows how to use them and dares to do it.

What will be the next step? And the next? God only knows.

China will soon claim her place among the nations of the earth, and that place will be no insignificant one. It may be of immense power.

What are the nations to do about it? That I can but dimly trace. But one thing I know, and that is this: The same power that has made Christian nations to differ from heathen nations can, and it alone can, make heathen China into a Christian China.

Let infidels and atheists praise science and commerce and military power, but these can never teach Christian virtues. Without Christianity the wholesale massacre of Chinese Christians, of missionary teachers and physicians, and of merchants and ambassadors, may happen 50 years hence as readily as today. A heathen China is a certain menace to the world.

Miss Abby B. Child, Secretary of the Woman's Board of Missions, says of them:

From my knowledge of the Chinese, I should say that it would be a very long time, even if opportunity offered, before they would develop any aggressiveness outside their own country.

Supremely satisfied as they are with their own attainments and conditions, and despising all other peoples as barbarians, there would seem to be no motive for conquest, no stimulus to enter into the struggle for power and for possessions that so dominates western nations.

If there were to be any future peril from the Chinese I should say it would be an industrial one. It is said that the poverty in China is so extreme there are thousands and thousands whose hunger is never quite satisfied. Stern necessities of life might drive them from their sandy wastes, their overcrowded cities, from their homes and even from their cherished graves to a land of ease and abundance like the United States, and their great numbers might overcome all their barriers against them.

They would bring with them their special characteristics of indefatigable industry remarkable patience and frugality, clever workmanship and physical endurance and with their few wants and simple ways of living might flood the world with cheap labor.

If they should bring with them and retain their religious customs, their innumerable superstitions,

their immorality and carelessness of human life, there would be evident peril.

It was my privilege some time ago while on a visit to China to meet a number of intelligent Christian Chinese gentlemen. They were a most interesting company and would make good citizens in any country.

The Chinese are a fine race, and if with our western ideas, modern inventions and education we could give them Christianity, which has the power to transform them into an honest, reliable, kindly, enlightened people, they would be no menace to western civilization.

Prodigal Gifts to Railroads.
 A report compiled by the Texas Railroad Commissioners contains many interesting points on the issuance of land grants to railroads. A sixth of the State's area has been given the railroads to assist in its development. They aggregate 34,179,055 acres, or 53,405 square miles.

The railroad mileage of the State is 9,702 miles of main line and 1,613 miles of side tracks and switches, a total of 11,315 miles. When it is considered that Texas is the largest State in the Union, the magnitude of the land grants stands out with wonderful force. They are in excess of the area of Arkansas, as large as Pennsylvania and New Jersey combined and nearly equal to that of the New England States. Such liberality stands without a parallel in the history of the world. With great prodigality large areas of our fertile and valuable public domain were generously donated to encourage the building of railroads. In addition money was loaned from our public school fund at low rates of interest to aid these enterprises.

Of the cash school fund proper \$1,816,500 was loaned to railroads of the state, and, according to present official contention, a large part of this was never paid back to the state, the school fund being a loser thereby. Suits decided in favor of the school fund by all the state courts and which were reversed and decision given in favor of the railroads not final as yet, are now pending in the United States supreme court to recover \$1,120,677 principal and interest loaned to railroads.

To return to the land gifts. Their immensity will be a source of surprise to all who had not before had an idea as to the large amounts decided to the railroads.

An exchange speaking of this says "There is one feature to be regretted, and that is such generosity as was displayed by our fathers to the railways was not appreciated by a large number of the promoters and builders. No sooner were these gifts of land and money received by them than they were appropriated to their own ends, and in addition the railways were loaded down with fictitious issues of stocks and bonds, disposed of at almost any figure for cash, the proceeds pocketed and the railways permitted to relapse into a hopeless state of ruin and bankruptcy.

The withdrawal of Towne from the fusion ticket nominated at Sioux Falls, says Willis J. Abbott, of the National Democratic Bureau, would cause the fusion Populists in Nebraska, Kansas and South Dakota to flock to the middle-of-the-road ticket and thereby defeat Bryan in those states. Hence Mr. Towne will not withdraw at present, but will stay on the ticket until just before the election in order to prevent such a result.—Mercury.

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As Numbers See It.
 A correspondent in Fisher county says in the Sentinel:

"I read in the Sentinel a report of the Kansas City convention and what you had to say about it. Let me say a few words on the subject. I am a populist and voted in 1896 for Bryan and Watson, but I will not vote in 1900 for Bryan and Stevenson. The Sioux Falls convention of populists offered to support Bryan and Towne, one a 16 to 1 democrat, the other a 16 to 1 republican, but the democrats slapped them in the face and nominated poor old Adlai Stevenson in place of Towne and now pretend to think that populists are going to vote their ticket. But they are going to be fooled if they really think so. Some of the western populists may do it, but there is not one in Fisher county who will do so, and I don't believe there are many in Texas. Silver republicans also offered to take Bryan with Towne, but the democrats also slapped them in the face. Now let Bryan and his man Stevenson rely only on 16 to 1 democrats for votes. They will get few others, and I predict that they will be as badly beat next November as were Greeley and Brown. Self respecting populists and silver republicans can not and will not support them."

The Democrats Finance Issue.
 The national platform of the Democratic party adopted at Kansas City demands the retirement of national bank notes and the substitution thereof of government paper or silver certificates. This means, of course, that bank notes are to be retired as fast as silver is coined, thus preventing any increase in the currency. The money volume is to be stationary while our population increases. Instead of an increase in the per capita of money, taking their platform as meaning all it says, there will be a decrease in the per capita of money. There will be just the opposite of what the Populists advocate free silver for.

A vote for the Democratic party is a vote for contraction. This even taking them to be entirely in good faith in their money plank. But it is well known that in the convention there was a large per cent. who were opponents of free silver—a majority of the convention consisted of that kind it is claimed, and we have much reason to believe such claim is true, for the big States were not silver States. But conceding for the sake of argument that the Democratic party, including its membership in New York, New Jersey, Georgia, Virginia, Illinois, and Indiana, is for free silver and will give such a law if elected (which they cannot if they would, for the Senate is still silver for six years to come), still there is no reason for a Populist to vote the Democratic ticket because of the silver issue, for the Populist idea is an increase in the per capita of money, while under the Democratic platform other money would be retired as fast as silver was coined.

Populists say abolish bank money, coin silver and issue enough greenbacks to make the money volume fifty dollars per capita. They would lighten the burdens of the people and make them prosperous. The Democratic money proposition would increase their burdens and make times harder.—Mo. World.

A man in Oregon committed suicide because his friends wanted him to marry his deceased wife's sister. In a note which he left behind he explained that he did not object so much to marrying again, but he wanted a change of mother-in-law.

During the civil war, as well as in our late war with Spain, diarrhoea was one of the most troublesome diseases the army had to contend with. In many instances it became chronic and the old soldiers still suffer from it. Mr. David Taylor of Wind Ridge, Greene Co., Pa., is one of these. He uses Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and says he never found anything that would give him such quick relief. It is for sale by Ramsey.

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