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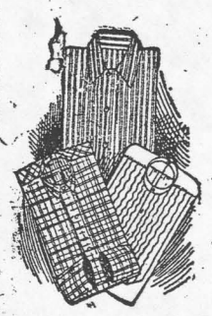
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And Other News of Any Importance of the Past Week Briefly Chronicled.

Rural Free Delivery Inaugurated.

Alvin, March 16.—The free rural mail delivery system was started here yesterday. The route embraces a circuit twenty five miles of a very populous district. The citizens on the route are much pleased with the system and believe it will prove a great success.

Shooting and Arrests.

Hearne, March 16.—Al Boswell, living near here, was shot and perhaps seriously wounded while plowing in his field this morning. Eugene and Guy Graham are in the custody of the sheriff charged with the crime. The weapon used was a shotgun. Cause of trouble not known.

Ranch and Cattle Deal.

Fort Worth, March 16.—The largest ranch and cattle sale made during the cattlemen's meeting here this week is reported to-night. A. B. Robertson of Colorado City purchased the ranch of the St. Louis cattle company in Crosby county and the cattle thereon, which comprises 100,000 acres, 65,000 fenced and 35,000 patented, and 6000 cattle. The consideration was in the neighborhood of [illegible]

Indicted For Murder.

Nacogdoches, March 16.—The grand jury has returned true bills against Sherman Grayson for the killing of John T. Garrison, and the man Smith, who is now in the Rusk penitentiary for safe keeping for the killing of Mrs. Theodore Varoliss, charging them both with murder the first degree.

An Affray at Harrold.

Harrold, March 16.—In an affray growing out of family trouble, W. L. Wagner of Oklaunior shot and fatally wounded Ben Whatley, wounded Whatley's father, mother and a farm hand, none of them seriously. Whatley's son seized Wagner, but in obedience to his father's orders turned him loose. Whatley died shortly after being shot. Wagner has given bond for his appearance.

Negro Recaptured.

Gainesville, March 17.—Walter Arthur, the Wise county negro convict, who escaped from the Wise county road gang and was captured here and afterwards made his escape from the Wise county officers here, was caught again last night. At 12 o'clock he came into the engine room of a flouring mill plant to get warm. The engineer telephoned for an officer, who went out and made the arrest. The negro had gotten rid of the handcuffs which he was wearing when he eluded the officers.

Heavy Damage Suits.

Sherman, March 17.—In the civil district court this afternoon a heavy suit for damages was filed, against the Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe, Texas, Mexican, International & Great Northern and Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railways as co-defendants. It alleges by the plaintiffs that out of a shipment of 4500 head of cattle from Hebronville, Tex., to Elgin, Kan., 1800 of the cattle died from neglect and delays, or were rendered unfit for the market and therefore a loss to the shippers. The amount of damages asked is $87,000.

Tyler Grand Jury.

Tyler, March 17.—The grand jury adjourned yesterday for the term after returning thirty-five bills of indictment, fifteen of which are felonies.

A Mill at Longview.

Longview, March 17.—M. H. Hargrove spoke to the people of Gregg county today on the subject of cotton mills, and there were subscriptions to the amount of $30,000 read out at the meeting. Longview will have a cotton mill sure. The subscription committee says that they will have double that amount at their next meeting, which will be April 14. Everyone is taking an active interest in the enterprise.

Accidental Shooting.

McKinney, March 18.—John Kegans was shot here last last evening through the left leg just below the hip with a 22-caliber target rifle in the hands of his 10-year-old son Dot. The shooting was accidental.

Death From Scarlet Fever.

Barlett, March 18.—There is considerable excitement here this morning over the death of W. W. Walton's little 4-year-old boy last night from scarlet fever, as it was not [illegible] the child had scarlet fever and there were many exposures during his [illegible] Mr. Walton's little 2-year-old girl is also very bad with the same disease.

Packing House for Forth Worth.

Forth Worth, March 18.—There is every indication that this city will have another packing house plant of mammoth proportions. During the past week the well known packer, Jacob Dold, was here in person and held two conferences with citizens and board of trade members and officers, the object being to erect a large plant in Fort Worth valued at $1,000,000. While the details of the proposition have never been given out, it is learned that the Dold interests ask that the citizens here take some $250,000 in stock, which it is learned will probably be done in the near future.

Robbery at San Antonio.

San Antonio, March 19.—Seven hundred dollars worth of diamonds and jewelry were stolen from the residence of H. G. Staacke, 725 San Pedro avenue, last evening. The robbery occurred while the family were sitting on the lawn in front of their house.

Iron Furnace.

Jefferson, March 19.—The people are rejoicing over the prospects of machine shops and another furnace. It has been kept very quiet, but it has leaked out that arrangements have been completed with other capital in connection with the operators of the present furnace to build another furnace of 100 tons capacity, and also a car wheel factory and machine shops.

Flood at Nacogdoches.

Nacogdoches, March 19.—The heaviest rain for fifteen years fell here last night, accompanied with hail and wind. The Banita and Lanana creeks were on the rampage, doing damage to the extent of $1000 to streets, bridges and fencing. Four out of seven street bridges were washed away. The flat south of the Banila creek was completely inundated, and as this part of the city is occupied strictly for residents great consternation prevailed when the flood swept over this property. Some of the families were carried on the backs of the husband in three feet of water to places of safety. The overflow on this property is a very uncommon occurrence.

A Brakeman Killed.

Texarkana, March 19.—This morning, about twenty miles north of this place; as a log train was under way on the Arkansas & Choctaw railroad, it was ditched, capsizing two log cars. The contents of one covered a brakeman named Harris, killing him outright. Nothing is known of Harris except that he came here about eight months ago from Illinois. He was red-headed, blue eyes, and about 46 years old.

Found Hanging.

El Paso, March 19.—Carl Ehrig, 40 years of age, was found this morning in his room suspended by a leather strop attached to the ceiling and fastened about his throat. He had hanged himself during the night. Ehrig was born in Germany, but came here from Walla Walla, Wash., where he owned a butcher shop. He had been in El Paso but a few days and was thought to have been slightly demented.

Charged With Robbery.

San Antonio, March 19.—The two men charged with robbing the bank at [illegible] broad daylight on February 13, were arrested on the streets of San Antonio to-day. The two men are Oscar J. Wilber and Bill Wilson, a miner. The arrest terminated a long chase by a Las Cruces deputy, in which he trailed the two men through Arizona and the republic of Mexico and back to San Antonio. They will be taken back to Las Cruces tomorrow morning.

A Child Burned to Death.

Gonzales, March 19.—A very sad accident occurred Saturday evening at Prickly Pear, near Waelder. The 4-year-old child of George Beaver went in the barn and, it is supposed, set the shucks afire with matches. Frightened at the flames the little one began to scream and tried to get out, but the fire cut her off from the door. Her parents ran to her, but the door was fastened inside and before they could get the child out she was so badly burned that she died soon after.

Dent's Trial.

Rusk, March 19.—The case of W. J. Dent, the party charged with procuring a bogus pardon for George Isaacs, a state convict, is set for March 30, 1900. This is an examining trial. The case will be a very important one, the governor and other state officers being witnesses in the case.

Found Dead.

Denton, March 20.—The dead body of an unknown man, closely guarded by two fierce dogs, was found near Lewisville, twenty miles south of here, yesterday in some bushes alongside the road. There were no marks of violence, and it is supposed he died a natural death, surrounded by his only friends, the dogs. There is no clew as to his identity, no papers being found.

A Tannery Destroyed.

Tyler, March 20.—Last night the tannery situated in the western part of the city was burned. The tannery has not been operated for the past three years and no insurance was carried on the building. Loss estimated at $700.

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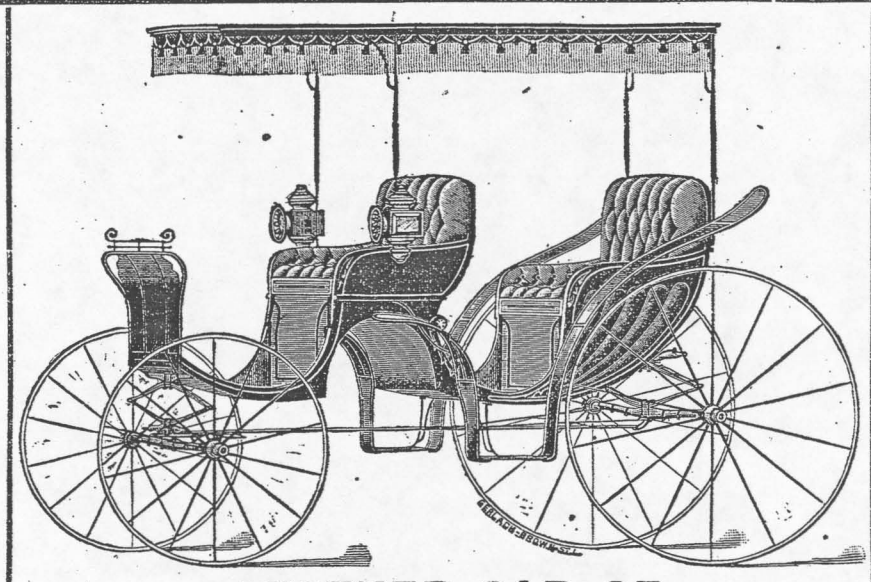
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Washington Letter.

Washington, March 19.—The muddled condition of the republican party in regard to Porto Rico should be highly encouraging to the democrats, who, sticking fast to the Declaration of Independence and the constitution, can afford to watch with complacency the struggles of their opponents to square their consciences with their dealing and with political expendiency as well. With the house pulling one way, the senate the other and the president on the fence ready to flop, it is difficult to tell just how the matter will finally be adjusted. It now seem likely, however, that the $2,000,000 gift bill will be joined with the tariff bill so amended as to strike out duties on goods sent from the United States to Porto Rico. The provision for a delegate in congress will also be stricken out, force the fact that the Porto Ricans are a "subject people." The combined bill as amended will supply the Porto Rican government with necessary money for temporary expenses, will put its markets at the mercy of American manufacturers and will still retain 15 per cent protection from the United States sugar and tobacco trusts. Thus everybody ought to be happy, except the Porto Rican people who will pay the duty and be taxed without representation. Such a little thing as this, however, should not trouble Americans whose ancestors went to war with the greatest empire in the world because of its attempt to enforce a similar state of affairs against them. How clearly all this is a matter of expendiency is shown by the fact that the agreement was only obtained by the threat of Senator Foraker that if something of the kind was not decided on he would introduce a bill giving full territorial rights to Porto Rico, and force it to passage by the assistance of the democratic votes.

The administration continues to oppose the Davis amendment to the Hay-Pauncefote treaty, and Secretary Hay has gone so far as to supply the British with a reason for rejecting it if adopted, by asserting officially that a similar provision in the Suez convention was omitted intentionally "because the conditions were different." When Lord Salisbury quotes his own language back to him, Mr. Hay will doubtless be at a loss to reply. The amendment, however, in the opinion of all democratic senators, is worse than useless, in that it does not give us the right to fortify. Without that right, we can only "defend" the canal by keeping a fleet of warships at each end of it, and it is quite obvious that we are likely to have no warships to spare after defending our enormous coast line against any first class power. However, the republicans have got to do something to hold up their end, and not confess defeat on every suggestion and policy that they make, and so it is probable that the treaty will be amended and passed.

The publishers of the country continue to make bitter attacks on the Loud postal bill. One of them, John Elderson, of New York, said recently: "Mr. Loud does not realize the trouble he is making for the administration. His bill, if it passes, will cause more loss and embarrassment to the country press than anything that has happened in twenty-five years. If Mr. Loud wishes to know how limiting sample copies to 500 of any one issue will affect the country press in towns of over five thousand inhabitants, let him talk with Perry Heath or any other well informed newspaper man who has had experience in building up the circulation of a newspaper in a small city. The country newspapers did an immense service in the campaign which resulted in the election of McKinley, and the ten thousand and more newspapers which did the work are entitled to some consideration from Mr. Loud, although he seems to think that the principal thing to be accomplished by the passage of his bill is his vindication.

The holding up of General Wheeler's resignation is likely th have serious consequences for the soldier stateman and will probably result in his having to be re-elected before he can take his seat in congress, which, it is rumored, was exactly the end which the man who held it up had in view. If General Wheeler's resignation had been accepted before congress convened he could have taken his seat without a word of protest, but now he cannot do so. The question is who in the war department was able to work his spite against the little general—Otis, Corbin or some underling? When the general, on his arrival at San Francisco from the Philippines, announced that he had resigned from the Army last November, Adjutant General Corbin stated in positive terms that he had not before heard of the resignation. The next day General Corbin said General Wheeler's resignation had just reached him from the White House, where it had lain, according to the adjutant general, for nearly two months. He was careful, at the same time, to intimate that the resignation had been brought to the president's attention only on that day. The subalterns at the White House refuse to discuss the subject. Hence it is probable that unless General Wheeler, who is mainly interested, insists upon an explanation, the matter will be allowed to remain just as it is, doubtless to the infinite relief of General Otis and the adjutant general. The country, however, will not be so well pleased, to learn of the possibilities for carelessness and spite work in the military service disclosed by the incident.

How Long Do You Sleep.

"The old rule of eight hours sleep is sheer nonsense," said a New Orleans physician. "Natural sleep is something that can't be regulated by any formula. The body takes what it needs, be it much or little, and necessary amount varies with the individual. In a general way I would say that four hours is the minimum and ten hours the maximum for people in fair health. Either more or less is a pretty sure sign that something is out of gear—usually something in the brain.

Dressed Beef Up Again.

The fight among dressed meat dealers has been declared off and the retail dealers of the different cities have been so advised. The fight has been principally between Omaha and Kansas City concerns, who desired to invade new territory. The increased cost, together with a scarcity of cattle and hogs, was an important factor in bringing about a reconciliation.

To offset the venture of Sheldon and the Capital the Atchison Champion claims to be running for the same length of time in the way the devil would run a paper. While the issue may be just as creditable to the Champion as to the Capital, there is nothing sufficiently new about the Champion's style of running a newspaper to attract much attention.

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The "Second-Hand" Test as to Authors

"Writers should drop in on us, if they want to know what the public really thinks of them," said a well known oldbook man in an Eastern city not long ago. "Not a few popular authors would be surprised if they should see the number of their works that people have parted with after one reading and which we are trying to sell at reduced prices. There are a few—a very few—works which seem to defy even hard times. We can never get hold of one of them. There, for instance, are the works of James Lane Allen. I believe in all my experience I have handled but one of his books. Another book, of which only one second hand copy is on record here, is "Joe Jefferson's Autobiography." But we have Kipling here in all collections and editions; Conan Doyle and Mark Twain; 'Trilbys' by the hundreds, and a number of copies of the Martian. Richard Harding Davis figures largely. There has been a scattering of Stephen Crane, but the proportion is small. Gibson's drawings—even the latest volume—have been resold. You can get Stevenson, and Stevenson in his subscription edition at that. Geo. Meredith contributes a few, Henry James a few, Howells a few, Captain Charles King a large number, Amelia Barr, Mrs. Burton Harrison, Mrs. Burnett, Margaret Deland and Mrs. H. Ward are represented by a large number each."

It is very hard to stand idly by and see your dear ones suffer while waiting the arrival of the doctor. In Albany (N. Y.) dairyman called at a drug store there for a doctor to come and see his child, then very sick with croup. Not finding the doctor in, he left word for him to come at once on his return. He also bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which he hoped would give some relief until the doctor should arrive. In a few hours he returned, saying the doctor need not come as the child was much better. The druggist, Otto Scholz, says the family has recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to their neighbors and friends until he has a constant demand for it from that part of the country. For sale by all druggists.

High Muckymucks.

Cape Town enjoys a certain distinction in respect to the height of its constables. The tallest is 6 feet 8 1-2 inches, while there are thirty-eight others over 6 feet in height.

My mother suffered with chronic diarrhoea for several months. She was attended by two physicians who at last pronounced her case hopeless. She procured one 25-cent bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and five doses gave her permanent relief. I take pleasure in recommending it as the best on the market.—Mrs. F. Watson, Aiken, Ala. Sold by all druggists.

A Plum Pudding Craze.

A plum pudding craze has broken out in London. One firm had sold 600,000 pounds of pudding three weeks before Christmas. Surprises are now inclosed in these, ranging from buttons to gold sovereigns and half sovereigns, gold thimbles and diamond rings. One pudding ordered had in it a diamond and opal brooch worth $500, inclosed in a silver box.

A. R. De Fluent, editor of the Journal Doylestown, Ohio, suffered a number of years from rheumatism in his right shoulder and side. He says: "My right arm at times was entirely useless. I tried Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and was surprised to receive relief almost immediately. The Pain Balm has been a constant companion of mine ever since and it never fails." For sale by all druggists,

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There is not an engineering or mechanical difficulty involved in the construction of New York's underground railroad. As for digging the tunnel, why that is the simplest job one could hope to have. Being so near the surface there will be no trouble about disposing of the excavated material, and the question of ventilation, the chief one in all tunneling work, need hardly be considered at all. How different is the case of the Simplon tunnel, which is to connect Italy with Switzerland and Northern Europe. This great hole in the ground is to be nearly twelve and one-half miles long, through the heart of a giant mountain where noxious gases render the lives of workmen of little more value than straws. To provide a supply of fresh air is the main problem to be solved, and the engineer who had devoted much of his life to the study of ventilation died on November 22, 1899. Less than three miles of the tunnel is completed. The total cost is to be between $13,000,000 and $14,000,000. The contract stipulates a fine of $965 a day if the time limit is exceeded, with a gratuity of the same amount per diem if the work is completed before the period set.

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Galvanized Chestnut Trees.

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Barries' New Novel.

J. M. Barrie has spent four years in writing the novel, "Tommy and Grizel." Nothing has appeared from him in the meantime except the dramatization of "The Little Minister." He is one of the slowest of writers and the most careful in the elaboration and finish of his work. Those who have read the completed novel say that it is of the very first rank in modern fiction.

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Two thousand lives and $100,000,000 is the cost so far of the Philippine islands. What will the harvest be?

The currency bill has been signed by the president, and from now on you can size up your money by the gold standard.

The Standard Oil company recently declared a dividend amounting to $20,000,000. This and advancing the price of oil 3 cents a gallon harmonizes beautifully.

The United States supreme court has held the Texas anti-trust laws enacted in 1889 constitutional in the case brought by the state wherein the charter of the Waters-Pierce oil company was sought to be declared forfeited. The decision will prevent the company, in its present form, from doing business in the state.

The republicans are becoming somewhat confused over the Porto Rican question. They will soon have to get out a search warrant to find out where they are "at."

The difference in the meaning between "expansion" and "imperialism" is getting badly mixed up. It will soon require the services of a Philadelphia lawyer to explain the difference, if any.

Dispatches from Europe state that Russia, with the approval of France and Germany, is preparing a communication in regard to the Boer war that will make Englishmen have a bitter taste in their mouths.

Politics this year seem to be on the "rough house" order. It's first the populists who cannot agree among themselves and now the republicans are divided into factions ready to do each other harm. So far the democrats are dwelling in peace and harmony.

We would be pleased to have Congressman Bailey come to Lufkin and speak, as he says he will make special efforts to do, before the holding of the primaries. The people of this county would like to know which of the candidates, Senator Chilton or Mr. Bailey, represent the views of democracy, as they both can't, as the latter says the Senator entertains views which are indefensible from a democratic view.

Collis P. Huntington, president of the Southern Pacific railroad company, in a speech before the Galveston commercial club opposed the building of the Nicaragua canal, and said it would be a commercial failure. It is not surprising that he should be opposed to the canal when it is considered that it would compel [illegible] railroads to reduce freight rates to something within reason. No one ever had any thought but what the railroad interests were opposed to the building of the canal, and would have been surprised if they were otherwise. Mr. Huntington is like most other men, he is opposed to anything that will have a tendency to lessen the profits of the railroad, regardless of the fact whether or not it will be a benefit to the people at large. No man has ever accused Mr. Huntington of being a philanthropist.

Some fellow wrote "Come, Gentle Spring," and it came; it's here now, and we're looking every day for the first installment of "ethereal mildness." Already the graceful swan and clumsy goose have plumed their wings for flight to the crystal streams and wooded lakes of the far North—to be shot by pot hunters and consumed in fifteen cent restaurants. The fruit trees are shedding their purple blossoms and putting on robes of green; blue violets are sprouting and blue bottle flies are coming with a buzz; the giant mosquito has returned from his winter sojourn in a warmer region and is rapidly familiarizing himself with last summer's route; the "wicked flea, when no man pursueth but the righteous, is bold as a lion;" the south wind's gentle swell comes laden with the perfume of a thousand flowers and other things, and lxl all evidences of the past winter are disappearing; old timers assure us there'll be no more frost—unless it gets pretty cold—and we feel that gentle spring has surely "done come."

Our neighboring town Nacogdoches is in very warm water over her proposed railroad. Several matters have come up of late that make the peodle of that town wonder whether or not they will eventually get the road, and some of the business men are not backward in saying that the prospects are not very bright. One of their troubles is securing the necessary amount of money with which to purchase the right of way through the county. They have pledged something like $16,000, and it will take at least $15,000 of this to get the right of way through the town, leaving $1,000, even if the whole amount subscribed is collected, which is very doubtful, to secure the way through the rest of the county. Then the reported purchase by the Southern Pacific of the H. E. & W. T. is causing them to lose sleep. They can't see why the Southern Pacific should parallel the H. E. & W. T. track for twenty miles, and those twenty miles expensive ones for building a railroad, if the reported sale is correct. The old town has our sympathy, and we hope that the people of it will not get such a case of blues as will incapacitate them for future efforts in building up their city.

R. L. R's Say.

Neches River, Near Renova, March 17.—Your correspondent has been putting in the week whitewashing, principally. Not whitewashing any of our county candidates, although some of them may need some ere the campaign closes. At the river, the Diboll lumber company has had two trains running each day transferring logs to the mill, each train averaging from ten to twenty loads per day. At the section house of number 11 Mother Connor gives the men good wholesome board, and plenty of it. This section is in charge of foreman John Burke, who, like my friend Taylor of number 12, knows his business, and keeps things moving along in a business-like manner.

I am rather out of the way to pick up news of local interest. Plenty of measles in our immediate neighborhood, which is a good place to stay away from [illegible] dness. [illegible] ated.

Last Sunday I spent at Burke with my good friends, the Austins and McCalls.

Farming matters are still moving along slowly—too much rain.

I note Major Carraway of the Nacogdoches News-Chronicle, devotes two or three columns to my defence of Congressman Cooper, anent his vote on the Roberts question. As the Major makes no point whatever, but rather indulges in a personal reflection upon our congressman not understanding the constitution, I will not attempt a rejoinder, as that proposition is too silly to notice, especially as Cooper is well known to be a lawyer, and well versed upon all constititutional points. With this I drop the controversy, so far as Cooper is concerned, with the closing remark that the precedent set forth in refusing Mr. Roberts a seat in congress will yet rise up to bother future duly accredited representatives to a seat in the congress of the United States.

Baird Notes.

Baird, March 20.—Farmere are getting along nicely prepareing their land for the plow. Some are ready to plant when the weather settles.

John Calhoun is planting a large crop of ribbon cane says he is going to raise his own bread and syrup.

There was a nice party given at the residence of Mr. Hanks on Renfro prairie. The young people reported a very nice time.

Miss Venie Walker, who has been visiting her sister in this neighborhood, has returned home to Sabine county.

W. M. Thompson's arm which was severely torn by a wire nail last week is improving.

Baird community is coming out, we have preaching three Sundays a month.

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State Convention.

The democratic state executive committee has given out the following call for publication:

"To the democratic electors of the State of Texas: The democratic state executive committee of the state of Texas gives notice that there will be held in the city of Austin on [illegible] convention of delegates from the various counties of the state for the purpose of selecting delegates to the national convention to be assembled at Kansas City on the 4th day of July next, and for the purpose of nominating democratic electors for the state of Texas and the various districts therein, and that a like convention will be held in the city of Waco on Wednesday, August 8th, proximo, for the purpose of nominating a state ticket and for such other business as may come before each of said conventions. The basis of representation will be one vote for each 300 votes and major fraction thereof cast for Hon. Joseph D. Sayers, the democratic nominee for governor at the last election, each county to be entitled to at least one vote.

"In pursuance of the resolution adopted at the last democratic state convention the executive committee recommends to the executive committees of the respective counties that primary elections or conventions (as they may determine) to select delegates to each of the state conventions shall be held in the respective counties of the state on Saturday, June 9, next.

"C. K. Bell, Chairman.
"James Hays Quarles, Sec'y."

Webb's Wagner Loving Cup.

The silver loving cup presented to Dr. Seward Webb by the 4,000 employes of the Wagner Palace Car Company, on the occasion of his retirement from the presidency and the consolidation of the company with the Pullman company, is fourteen inches high, weighs 157 ounces, and has a capacity of twenty-five pints. On it is portrayed the history and evolution of car building as developed by the Wagner company, showing in different panels the first Wagner sleeper built, with its three tiers of berths and other primitive appurtenances, an exterior of Dr. Webb's private car, and on the lower part of the cup a locomotive and train of four Wagner cars. The cars represent the different steps in car building, and the engine is Dr. Webb's Adirondack locomotive, the "Seh-sa-ji." A finished portrait of Dr. Webb, with his crest and the winged car wheel, the trade mark of the company, completes the decoration of the cup.

The Violet Tree.

One of the new ideas for home decoration is the violet tree. It has been taken up with much eagerness by the New York women of society who like to have something new at every entertainment. The violet tree is used extensively at luncheons where violets are given as favors. A brass stand about eighteen inches high has branches the shape of a tree. The branches are wrapped in green crepe paper, and at the end of each branch is a holder in which are bunches of violets tied with purple silk cords. The tree is placed in the center of the table, where it looks like one of the dwarf trees of Japan, and each guest can take her bunch of violets as she leaves the table.

Deserted Her Husband.

The widow of "Billy" Florence, the comedian, has begun suit for divorce against her present husband, George H. Coveney, on the ground of desertion. She is seventy years of age, and her husband is fifty. Mrs. Florence is well remembered by older playgoers. She was Mrs. General Gilflory, almost as great a favorite at the genial Billy, the immortal Bardwell Sloate, in "The Mighty Dollar," and there wil be general sympathy with her in her present disagreeable matrimonial experience.

Marriage Licenses.

The past week the county clerk has issued the following marriage licenses:

W. I. Keller to Miss Dellia McBride.

Earl Chapman to Miss Hattie Cook.

Louis A. Massy to Suddie Stringer.

Renova, 3rd column
"Diboll lumber company"