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Texas is for the "wah-hoss."

The cavalryman is still in the van.

The little cavalryman leads this race.

Who endorsed swain on Saturday. Can any body say?

Bill Stewart evidently don't like Wentworth's Iowa speech.

Let us quit this foolishness and go to cleaning up the city.

Let the farmers push on the Waco bar project. It ought to go.

The Ennis, Ellis county, recorder has Ross' name at its mast-head.

If none but democrats go on guard at the primaries, it is a good American motto.

Democracy at is the result of dirty streets, alleys and uncleanness. Clean up.

Give us plenty of Waco railroads and we desire nothing more as helps in the future.

Taylor county for Roberts first and Ross second, is just as good as we would have it to be.

Let the people beware how they tamper with political reforms which are worked in secret.

Mr. McKinney has withdrawn his name from the race for attorney general. Thought so. The fine-toe blade went for him, at first.

The democratic party is a sufficient anti-monopoly combination for all honest patriots, whose desires reach no further than the correction of known abuses.

The Examiner's announcement columns is a political study, in which the voters of Texas, this judicial district, this judicial district and this county are very vastly interested.

There is too much false sickness in Waco by far, population considered and those members of the council who will not sewer or clean up either, will be likely to have to take a heavy responsibility one of these days.

The Express can arrive at something of the correctness of the swain sputtering, if it will recall the fact that as yet he has carried no single precinct in the primaries, while Ross, where he has not carried counties, has, plus. These are straws of value, dear Express.

It is a pity that Ross cannot come up to the high standard of ability demanded by the Temple Times. But he needs a feed bag about it because some of the dead statesmen of the centuries could begin to come up to the Temple Times' altitude. Even the devil of that institution finds it irksome to converse with any one since old Lycurgus was "snaked off."

Col. Carey W. Styles' beautiful new Bosque Citizen, published at Walnut Springs, is upon our exchange table. Indeed, it is far ahead of any first number we have seen, as yet, in Texas, and would be a credit to the paper anywhere. We sincerely trust our citizens will find it to their interest to patronize the Citizen largely. Ensconced in the very region of country we wish to tap with our trade. The Citizen is a six-column quarto, and is all home print. Long may it live and prosper. We exchange with pleasure.

Moses isn't just easy in his mind about things and if certain things are not done by the Galveston convention it need not permit any "jagged" candidate for Moses' suffrage. Moses is getting to be quite an epicure in the matter of voting. Waco Examiner.

But Moses has got to cast his first vote for a republican or the first to support any one but a democrat in a political campaign. Can Col. Bartow, the editor of The Examiner, say as much? Austin Call.

Mr. Bartow, editor of The Examiner, never cast a republican vote in his life, never voted anything but the straight regulation democratic ticket, and never bolted a nominee except Greeley, and no truthful man in position to know can, will or dare charge otherwise.

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Saturday's Work.

Last Saturday, primaries were held in several of the counties, and while Hopkins goes solid for the brave Ross, many other counties have chosen delegates known to be staunch supporters of the general and many precincts have instructed for him. In Grayson, Hill, and others, this is very noticeable, while it is equally observable that not a single precinct anywhere outside of Red River county stands instructed for the bold comptroller not one. This is significant. To our conjecture, the tide is told in these straws which indicate so unerringly the drift of public political opinion. The fact is Saturday was a black Friday for Mr. Comptroller Swain, while it was indeed a rubicon day for the gallant Ross. A few more only of these, and the bitter-end comptroller will think twice ere he wends himself towards Galveston, or embarks his political fortune upon its troubled waters. Saturday's work indicates two things plainly: first, that Ross is the popular choice for governor, and second, that Swain is not. Now, nothing can be clearer than this conclusion, or better for all than it is. One cannot help pitying the fulsome tomfoolery of the comptroller which this state of things indicates, unerringly indicates. The poor fellow can now disappoint all the "R's" and "D's" who land office in his department, and while such disappointment may gratify the feelings of revenge, yet it cannot and will not relieve the terrible political strain to which he is now being subjected. It is terrible, surely, surely. One does not see one's hopes depart like this in one long, unbroken procession without pain, especially when they are wrapped and included ambitions so lofty. Saturday was a bad day for Swain. It indicates to him that the letters written so profusely have been effort wasted. It indicates that the collectors and sheriffs, with political force of the state, do not express its views—statement. It indicates that the tube of the product which Swain wrapped round his storm-beaten person at the outset, was not sufficient quite to turn out the nature of the animal it was intended to disguise. It indicates that even the party he crown which he snatched up with hands trembling with very eagerness, had in it no single quality which render crowns of any kind valuable, or at all desirable. The Examiner's persecutions, the Swain Phillips dispatch and the Brown letter, use for them never so skillfully, have each one in its turn failed, and all of them together represent a mass of nature enough spite to sink any man before the sturdy, hard headed voters of Texas, and who usually come out, rain or shine, to the primaries.

No indeed, Saturday's work had in it no quality of balm for the incensed, troubled, bruised and broken spirit of the bold comptroller. In no part of the political heavens is hung the bow of promise for him. All is dark, storm-ridden and threatening. The lurid lightnings of the popular condemnation only flash and play there. The poor, storm-driven navigator in the political seas, can do nothing now but send away under bare poles before the storm, for the first safe harbor under his lee. It is all he can do and he ought to do it beyond a doubt. To remain out he is only storm-beaten, to send for port, he is relieved from its pitiless pelting, for the time being, until overwhelming solution again makes a foul of him.

Saturday's work indicates clearly that the democracy and the sentiment of Texas are true to the gallant leaders who stood by them when human passion stormed and raged about us threatening the destruction of constitutional government itself. These will not be thrown over for the pitiful peddlers of politics, who trade in cheap sympathies, mock prophesies and tissue martyr crowns. The manhood of the state has come into action and the schoolboy tactics of the campaign must be abandoned.

The Railroad Meeting.

Elsewhere we publish a call by the leading business men and individuals for a railroad mass meeting tonight, to consider what steps may be taken by the people of Waco to induce the early construction of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe to the Texas Midland, the Aransas Pass road and the Brazos valley, or Brenham road. The importance of this step on the part of our business men, cannot be over-estimated. It is of vital importance to the business interests of Waco, that she have these lines and it is necessary also, in order to secure them, that we, as citizens of one of the leading commercial centers of the state, take action, showing not only a spirit of welcome, but one of willingness to assist with the sinews of war, if necessary.

Waco has several roads already and but little voice in arranging schedules and policies. The only way all this can be secured is to take stock in them, get in a director or two, and secure a representative at the council board. Let us try to effect this if possible.

Let every property holder come out to-night.

Let every business man come out to-night.

Let every professional man come out to-night.

Let every man interested in Waco come out to-night.

The Examiner extends the delegates a warm welcome to Waco, and in doing so but voices a common sentiment of her generous and hospitable people. Certainly no denomination of christians in our state stand before the Baptists in intelligence and all the general worth which goes to make up the higher order of citizenship. The Baptist church has located here their educational interests for Texas here, and in doing so we certainly think she acted wisely and well. It is therefore fitting that the august assemblage of the church should take place here in the shade, as it were, of her great university. That the delegates will find a warm and generous welcome from every citizen of Waco, we fully believe, and that each one may carry away with him none but the pleasantest remembrances of the week spent here, we devoutly trust. To this end it will be good policy for our people to pay them, as a body, and also individually, some attention. Let us show them over the city and her beautiful suburbs, and see to it that each one of them could go a recruit of worth. We cannot have too many people of that sort in Waco.

In the Galveston News the admission is made that the weight carrying letter. Only a little while ago the News thought Swain the young man, but the News has heard from over the state since that time. Fort Worth Mail.

That has been the condition of the case from the very first, as all well informed men know, and it is good that the News begins to understand the situation.

The Emporia Herald points out an immense advantage in the following few, but well put words:

Gen. Ross certainly has one advantage over Col. Swain. He is not compelled to go around explaining his public acts.

The Dallas Herald drops this little crumb of comfort into the bosoms of the troubled Swainites:

The San Antonio Express says Ross has a "strong following at Waco," which is more than can be said of Swain at Clarksville.

The railroad meeting to-night is to be one of the most important gatherings ever held in this city. Let every man having the good of Waco at heart, be there.

The Weimar Gimlet says Ross is steadily gaining in its hallwick. That's good news, keep up the racket, "Go with the boom" as the Gazette would say.

Let it not be forgotten that a little business care and foresight now, will give us the shops of the S. L., A. & T. railway.

The Examiner will carry full reports of the proceedings of the Baptist convention, which sits this week.

Watson ought to cripple that electrotype. If it is permitted to run and be circulated it will beat him sure.

Occasionally the Post is very mild. Sunday was its mild day. It was as lively as a June rose.

Swain wishes by this time that he was a "wah-hoss" or something else equally as good.

The railroad problem assumes interesting phases for Waco. Let us consider them.

McLennan county is growing to be a considerable thorn in Swain's side.

The Aransas Pass railway is open from San Antonio to Beleeville.

Come out to the railroad meeting to-night. Be sure to come.

The politics of the Gazette on Sunday were very lame indeed.

The air about Austin is becoming uncomfortably sulphurous.

The Sulphur Springs Enterprise is straight out for Ross.

Thursday was the Navasota Tablet's red letter day.

Ross goes to the head of the column.

It won't do to default on our fair.

Lightning Strokes.

Causes of the Severe Thunder-Storms of Modern Times.

From the Electrical Review.

The researches of Prof. Von Petzold, Karsten, Weber and others have proved that the number of damaging strokes of lightning has considerably increased during the last fifty years, and this increase can not be explained by the theory that, owing to the growing number of houses, factories, etc., the number of lightning strokes increased proportionately, to the contrary, this number ought to decrease, as every building, even when not protected by a lightning-rod, effects an equilibrium of the opposite electric potentials, and therefore the number of lightning strokes ought relatively to decrease with the relative number of buildings. This, indeed, is proved by the fact that in the space of one year among 100,000 buildings there occurred but thirteen cases of lightning strokes in cities, against twenty-three strokes on buildings in the country. We therefore have to take this natural phenomenon from another point of view, and to consider the ratio of damaging or other strokes to the number of buildings in a certain district. This ratio called by the German naturalists blitzgefahr (danger from lightning), increased in the kingdom of Bavaria from 1881 to 1885 three-fold (according to records of insurance companies even five-fold), and other countries show the same increase.

As in nature each phenomenon must have its cause, the question arises: To what cause is due the above-mentioned facts? And this question not only is of scientific interest, but also of great practical importance. A great many theories have already been advanced to explain this phenomenon, among others that owing to the decrease of the woodland, houses are more and more made the projecting points of a certain area, and therefore attract the lightning; besides, this decrease of feels a greater rise of temperature in summer, and, in consequence, more numerous thunder storms. Others find the cause of it in the large increase of such constructions as gas and water works, weather-cocks, etc. But this theory does not explain why especially, country houses, which commonly lack these kind of constructions, are mostly exposed to lightning strokes. Others try to explain the increase of danger from lightning they are not sufficient to fully show the surprising increase of strokes during so short a period. There must be a more general and fundamental cause. Through what can the electrical intensity during a thunder storm be so strongly increased that a larger number of lightning strokes pass over to the earth than was the case heretofore? It is not so much the increasing number of thunder storms as their greater force which produces the increased danger.

As the main cause we now point out the enormous increase, during the last fifty years, of factories, railroads, steamboats—in short, of all constructions filling the atmosphere with smoke, vapors, particles of dust of every description. When we consider that every day thousands of locomotives, thousands of steamers go around the earth, that thousands of factories of all kinds daily emit enormous quantities of smoke, vapor, and dust into the air, that, especially in cities, the large number of houses produce immense quantities of smoke and dust, the assertion will not seem incredible that there is certainly for times the smoke, dust and gases absorbed in the atmosphere than was fifty years ago. Already with the naked eye the impure state of the atmosphere may be noticed. Go through the coal districts of Manchester in England, through those of Pennsylvania, through the cities of Essen and Pittsburg, and you will notice a layer of vapor constantly hovering over them; the air is filled with foul gases, and every object is more or less covered with the settling particles of dust.

These conditions being established, we have to consider their relations to the violence of thunder storms. To give the reader a better conception of this relation we will briefly discuss the theory of the thunder storm and the origin of electricity thereby developed. Friction is now generally accepted to be the cause of the electricity in a thunder storm. Friction between air and particles of ice (according to Luvine), or between air and molecules of water (according to Andrews), is the main cause of that electricity. When besides these factors, particles of dust are filling the atmosphere the development of electricity is highly increased. It is the ejection of steam and ashes common to the phenomenon which causes the thunder storms attending it to assume an exceedingly violent character. That the pyramid of Cheops is rendered electrical by the whirling dust of the desert was here also be mentioned. It is nothing but the frictions of the grains of sand on the surface of the pyramid that causes electricity to originate.

The author of this essay claims that the rapid, enormous and lasting development of electricity during thunder storms can not be otherwise explained than by a purely mechanical cause analagous to the mechanical force of the hydro-electric machine. Now, as our atmosphere contains much more dust than in former years, the fact must be of great influence regarding the intensity of electrical phenomena during thunder storms. From the same reasoning are explained volcanic eruptions. That this increased force of thunder storms must manifest itself in the greater violence and more dangerous character of lightning strokes, will be evident to the reader. But there is another cause to be mentioned. It is an established fact that air containing solid particles has a conducting power in regard to electric currents far superior to that of pure air. In our day therefore, where these molecules of dust and solid particles fill the atmosphere to a greater extent, the latter has become a better conductor, and favors a direction of the lightning strokes toward the more impure layers in the vicinity of the earth, and therefore the earth itself.

The Opium Habit in Prison.

From the San Francisco Call.

Director Sonntag stated that he had received a letter from Henry St. Clair, a prisoner, asking that two months' credit, which had been taken from him for smoking opium, be returned to him on account of ill health.

The letter, which was written in a neat, clerkly hand, stated:

"My term does not expire for ten weeks, for the reason that eight weeks' credit have been taken from me. If I am kept in this place that long I know that I shall die. I do not want to die in this prison. I have been here since 1874. For God's sake, Mr. Sonntag, do not compel me to die in this place, but give me back my credits.

The man was summoned before the board. A few minutes later a gaunt, emaciated prisoner, whose white, corpse-like skin seemed to hang loosely about his fleshless bones, staggered into the room and dropped into a chair. When he attempted to speak a hollow cough that seemed literally to rattle his bones prevented him. He was a victim of the opium habit and consumption.

"My name," he finally said in response to queries, "is St. Clair. I have been here twelve years. This is my third incarceration. The first time I was sentenced for assault to murder; the second time for burglary, and the last time for assault to rob."

"Don't you think you are a pretty bad sort of a man, then?" asked Director Sonntag.

"Maybe so," he replied, after a moment's thoughtful consideration of the proposition. "It was not my desire to be bad, though. It was liquor that has done it."

"How long have you been smoking opium?"

"I do not smoke it. I eat it. I have been a victim five years. Ten weeks ago I determined to break myself. You can not realize what I have suffered."

"How did you get the drug?"

"In the prison yard."

"Who brings it in?"

"The Chinese." [illegible] "Scared from getting it if they want it."

"Is it not brought in by visitors of the prisoners?"

"The most of it, I think. But since you have put up that wire screen to separate the prisoners from their visitors it has been very hard to get opium. But for God's sake let me have my two months' credits. I do not want to die in this place. I think I could get well if I had my liberty again."

He went out and his credits were restored to him.

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The immense immigration flowing into the western country the past two years, demanded convenient shipping and trading point, and the Santa Fe has furnished it. They will at once establish shops and round houses and make other improvements necessary at the initial point. The building of a large town inherently outside capital is required, as well as the erection of a number of business houses, work upon which will commence immediately after the sale.

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