# THE CITY.

**Fort Worth Epitomized in a Column by the Gazette's Reportorial Staff.**

**Incidents and Accidents Gathered on the Curbstone, in the Social Circle, from the Fireside—Everywhere.**

**DEDICATED TO THE DUDES.**

Cream and peaches once a week,
Kiss your girl on the right-hand cheek,
Apples green and apples dried—
Kiss her on the other side.
—[Ashland Review.

That evinces wretched taste,
Take your girl about the waist—
Lift her to her pink toe-tips
And plant it squarely on her lips.
—[Frankfort Yeoman.

Seize the maiden in your arms,
Blushing with her tempting charms,
And it would, we think, be snugger
Off to kiss and tightly hug her.
—[Paris Citizen.

Take your girl in warm embrace,
Heart to heart and face to face;
Eye to eye and nose to nose,
Flippity flop, and away it goes.
—[Flemington Democrat.

What's the use of all this rhyme?
Take your girl at any time,
Squeeze her till the blushes come,
Shut your eyes—and—yum—yum—yum.
—[Evansville Courier.

If she is a comely lass,
Had you not as well kiss her, as
To be making all this fuss
About where to give a "buss."
—[San Angelo Enterprise.

Place your hand beneath her chin,
Gently turn her face about,
Wipe your lips and then begin,
Smack until your lips wear out.

## SIS.

**Cotton Thieves.**

It was reported to Sheriff Maddox yesterday evening that two bales of cotton were stolen from the Keller gin Sunday night or Monday morning. The bales were marked H. M. 179 and J. H. 142.

**Commercial Club.**

A meeting of the Commercial club will be held at 7:30 this (Friday) evening at the City National bank. A full attendance is requested, as business of importance will be transacted. By order of the president.

## SIS.

**Fired.**

At his home near Blue Mound, in this county, Henry Beckwith, aged fifty-three years. Typhoid fever caused his death. He was well thought of in the community, and his family have the sympathy of their neighbors.

## SIS.

**The Coming Races.**

The Jockey club proposes to have several novelties at the coming races, and will endeavor to get special rates to Fort Worth during race week. The club will let the public know in due time what arrangements have been made.

## SIS.

**The Debate To-Night.**

The subject for debate at the Texas Wesleyan college this evening is, "Resolved, that foreign immigration to the United States should be prohibited." Miss Holloway and Smith will affirm and Messrs. Getzendaner and Nicks deny. The Philomathian is flourishing.

## SIS.

**Will Come In.**

When it was known last night that Jim McIntyre had been acquitted by a jury in New Mexico of the murders charged against him and Courtright, it was the general opinion that the latter would come in, surrender and ask for a trial, the same evidence against McIntyre is not against Courtright, with the difference that Courtright would have the benefit of McIntyre's testimony.

## SIS.

**They Want It Larger.**

A petition was in circulation yesterday evening, addressed to the mayor and the street and alley committee, asking for the addition to the St. Louis committee of Messrs. Sam Seaton, D. W. Humphries, Howard W. Peak, E. M. Wells and Wm. Epps. It received the signatures of a number of leading business men.

## WHO'S SIS?

**Pythian Honors.**

Chancellor Commander August of Red Cross Lodge K. of P. yesterday received word from Nonpareil lodge of Philadelphia that the body of their deceased brother, Paul Westfeldt, had arrived there and had been buried by the order with all of Pythian honors. Knight Westfeldt was a member of Abilene lodge.

## WHOSE SIS?

**The Eastern Star.**

The grand chapter, Order of Eastern Star, held its third day's session in this city yesterday. The newly elected officers were installed. Their names were given in yesterday's GAZETTE with the exception of grand Ruth, Mrs. Mattie Cheatham of Grandview, and grand Adah, Mrs. A. Anderson of Kildare. After the exemplification of the work of the order, it adjourned to meet again in this city October 12, 1886.

## WHO'S SIS?

**Gone to His Long Home.**

A large number of our representative citizens assembled at the residence of F. T. Twombly yesterday evening to pay the last mark of respect to the memory of Lyal T. Twombly, deceased. The services, conducted by Rev. R. M. Tinnon, were brief but impressive, and all who looked on the features of the noble old dead felt a thrill of pain as they realized he should walk no more with us.

The north-bound train last night carried the remains to Niles, Mich., where the order and city council will receive the body and take charge of the funeral.

## WHOSE SIS?

**Will Investigate.**

The grand jury, which is now in session, will probably investigate the mysterious murder of the negro boy, Frank, whose bones were found some time since in the pasture of Mr. Charley Coppinger. Mr. Ross Bowlin and Officer Thomas have been investigating the case, and think they have a clew. The name of the unfortunate negro was Frank Bowland. His father, Josh Bowland, lives on Baptist Hill, in this city, and runs an express wagon. He also has a brother and sister living here. Frank was taken away from his father by the county judge several years ago on account of cruel treatment. Mr. Coppinger, in whose service he has been for the last three years, says he was a very inoffensive and hard-working boy. He offers $200 for the arrest and conviction of the murderer.

## WHOSE SIS?

**District Court.**

The damage suits of W. A. Aaron against H. S. Broiles and the city of Fort Worth, on account of the death from smallpox of his wife and child, were continued until the next term of the district court. Aaron asks $10,000 damages, alleging that the death of his wife and child in the scourge of 1882 was caused by negligence on the part of the city in removing them outside the limits of the corporation during bad weather. Judge Sam J. Hunter has been appointed special judge by the governor to try the cases, Judge Beckham being disqualified.

Argument in the damage suit of J. J. Reeves against the Higby, Randall & Darling company was concluded yesterday evening, but the jury has as yet failed to find a verdict.

## WHO'S SIS?

**County Court.**

Judge Furman, though a victim of the dengue, managed to preside in the county court-room long enough yesterday to call the motion docket. Several unimportant motions were disposed of. Judge Carlock then resumed the ermine and four cases were tried, as follows:

J. D. Lakin vs. J. B. Farmer, suit to enforce arbitration award; judgment for plaintiff.

R. Griffin vs. Erie Telephone & Telegraph Company, appeal from justice's court, suit for damage to horse; judgment for plaintiff for $65 and costs of justice's court.

Moore, March & Co. vs. Britton, Bros. & Co., suit on verified account; judgment for plaintiff for $457.37, interest and costs.

Thos Duffy vs. Laing & Ratican, appeal from justice's court: judgment for plaintiff for $100.

## MYRA'S SIS.

**A False Alarm.**

At 11:30 last night an alarm of fire was turned in from box 36, which proved to be false. The alarm was not given with a regular key, but with a long key filed off. How any sensible person can call out the department and endanger the lives of good men, as well as the property of the city, is a mystery.

There was a stirring scene last night when the hook and ladder company turned out. Protection hose company and Johnson The Protection was out a few seconds before the hooks, but the team of noble grays flew down Main street and closely-pressed Protection team before they had reached Fifth street, when the latter turned out, crossed the track and took the other side as the grays passed them with a dash, and the proud hook and ladder boys gave a hearty cheer. You can't touch a hook and ladder man with a ten-foot pole now, they are so proud.

## MYRA'S SIS.

**Sis.**

Miss Myra Goodwin will appear at the opera-house to-night for the first time in our city. Her programme is a comedy-drama entitled "Sis," the author of which is Mr. E. E. Kidder. Miss Goodwin and her brother-in-law, Mr. Richards, represent the comedy portion, and her excellent company will take care of the melodramatic end of the enterprise. Miss Goodwin as "Sis" will come into the scene upon a sled; Mr. Richards as "Hickory," a relic of the circus, will come in in an excellent humor. Miss Goodwin will in the course of the drama amuse the audience by her matchless dancing and beautiful songs. Mr. Richards, as the old circus-rider, retires from active duty. He is somewhat reminiscent in his method, voice and make-up of Ezra Kendall. The work rounds up to its ending in the good old-fashioned way—

Sis is made happy in having her mother restored to her; the wicked schemes of the mildly diabolical villain come to naught, and he is duly exposed; the good lover gets his own and Hickory Hawkins is in for the "play."

## MYRA'S SIS.

### AT THE OPERA-HOUSE.

**Sol Smith Russell in His New Bohemian Play.**

"Felix McKusick," Sol Smith Russell's new play, is a very natural and life-like exponent of a Bohemian career. A devil as large as McKusick carries would be dangerous around a printing office because he might object to promiscuous kicking. The pants he wears hardly come up to the journalistic standard; they are usually too long instead of too short, being a grandfatherly donation. Suspenders are a luxury a devil never indulges in—even of the calico type; he would scorn any kind of support except a leather belt about his waist. These little extravagancies must, of course, be expected. There were some things absent, too. Neither the paste-pot or scissors were visible, and yet the "Rocket" was alleged to have been a well-regulated newspaper. When McKusie appeared, however, the scene took on a journalistic atmosphere. Felix was a very cute editor or he would never have found such an uncommonly pretty girl do office work. It was a great satisfaction to at least the newspaper part of the audience to know that he at last fell heir to a million; lack of envy is a characteristic of the newspaper tribe.

Russell is the same Russell as of old, the most unaffected and gracefully funny comedian on the stage. His new play is not so strong as "Edgewood Folks," but there is much in it to amuse, and something of a plot, too, but best of all it contains—Russell.

The house last night was crowded, a most unusual thing after a steady week of good attractions. Nobody but Russell could have filled it.

Have given Tougaline a fair trial in many cases of neuralgia and rheumatism, and find it the only reliable remedy for these complaints.
DRS. TERRY AND KEITHLY, Milford, Mo.

# THE COMMERCIAL CLUB.

**An Organization Which Gives Promise of Great Usefulness in the Development of Fort Worth.**

**Complete List of the Membership, Which is Largely Made Up of Our Wealthiest and Leading Citizens.**

The adjourned meeting of the Commercial club will be held at the City National bank this evening, and every member who feels an interest in the prosperity of this association should be in attendance. There are now about one hundred and eighty members on the roll, comprising the best men of the city, and their united efforts, properly directed, will result in great benefit to the city. The club is not only a social organization, but, as its name indicates, it is to be the medium of advancing the business interests of the city. For many years Fort Worth has felt the necessity of an organization of this character, which can devise, consider and formulate matters of interest to the place, and by means of which a concert of action may be obtained upon any question of public import. There is nothing in the regulations of the club making it exclusive or contracted. A man need only be a resident of the city, twenty years of age and of good moral character, to entitle him to membership, and the rolls should be swelled to the maximum number—two hundred—before the club is ready for active operations. As soon as it can be practically done a site will be selected and an edifice adequate to the demands of the club will be erected. This is one of the questions that will come up for consideration at the meeting to-night, and every member should put himself to a little inconvenience, if necessary, to be in attendance.

The following is a complete list of the membership of the club:

ITS MEMBERS.

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| A J Roe | Wm Tidball |
| J L Stansfeld | W B Elliot |
| P M Willing | W M Evans |
| B C Evans | Sidney Martin |
| W D Peak | O Lynch |
| C W Lamborn | T J Powell |
| M M Barnes | J A Thomas |
| W M McVeigh | S B Harrold |
| G E Newton | J N Maenel |
| Morgan Jones | W A Newlin |
| Jno P King | J B Sandidge |
| E S Gard | Jno C Phelan |
| Robt A Rogers | T A Tidball |
| M Harrold | W E Kennedy |
| H W Williams | J C Gant |
| J B Shelton | W F Lake |
| C J Swasey | T T D Andrews |
| G H Dashwood | E F Ikard |
| L M Alcord | E J Beall |
| J H Martindale | Max Eiser |
| Joseph H Brown | A B Smith |
| David W Goodwin | M R Sanguinet |
| N Wallerich | K C Schneider |
| W W Tuttle | S M Fry |
| Chas Phelan | R M VanZandt Jr. |
| R E Montgomery | L L Bigby |
| T M Barr | J T Lofton |
| W A Adams | S W Lomax |
| W R Wells | N Harding |
| J P Smith | J B Joiner |
| A M Britton | H T Price |
| R C Combs | Geo Strong |
| Ed J Smith | M B Loyd |
| Hyde Jennings | R R Paddock |
| A S Nicholson | R S Hatcher |
| Geo Diehl | W A Huffman |
| A F Truitt | W P Burts |
| W S Pendleton | J K Millican |
| Jas W Swayne | Charles H Fry |
| N A Stedman | T W Powell |
| Wm Capps | Z C Ross |
| W A Ross | J R Littlejohn |
| F T Bissell | Wm Henry, Jr |
| E G Senter | H W Moore |
| C M Crane | Fred L King |
| N C Brooks | Jno Morris |
| C D Lack | L D Deseli |
| A F Leslie | J T Feild |
| J G Harris | S P Tucker |
| S Mims | J W Spencer |
| W M Young | R E Beckham |
| Edgar Sweeney | W H McLaury |
| H W Harry | John F Prapers |
| John W Wray | B A Aldrich |
| David Boaz | Chas Scheuber |
| R P Fakes | J M O'Neill |
| W M Lampton | S B Burnett |
| W T Ellis | A Stori |
| F W Ball | Frank B Stanley |
| Brink Morris | W T Maddox |
| W Rendles | S M Furman |
| Geo C Rattle | Sam Furman |
| C H Higbee | Thomas P Martin |
| W G Lewis | Sam J Hunter |
| J J Kane | T N Edgell |
| G P Mead | J W Schenber |
| Howard Tully | W H Mabry |
| H C Edrington | I T Walker |
| C R Daggett | Walt Dryden |
| K D Bateman | Jno F Swayne |
| G W Hollingsworth | H S Broiles |
| E H Carter | A M Carter |
| W E Calhoun | F P Moore |
| J E Scully | Jere J Roche |
| Ernest Wyatt | F Waltman |
| H R Cocke | C D Fox |
| D H Wadsworth | T W Anderson |
| W S Lybrook | C Sandidge |
| J M Harnsfeld | H H Lawrence |
| J W Blackman | L W Crace |
| J J Massie | S F DeBow |
| W G Finley | R B Grassmer |
| R E Maddox | Robt McLart |
| E H Keller | J M Garth |
| W D Farris | F J Tatum |
| G T Potter | E S Biden |

**Advice to Mothers.**

MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP should always be used for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for diarrhea. 25 cents a bottle.

Myra Goodwin makes nine distinct changes in "Sis."

When Silver Leaf baking powder is used according to directions, satisfactory results always follow.

Matinee on Saturday.

It is poor economy to buy cheap food, and a greater mistake is made by those who use an inferior brand of baking powder, because it is sold for less money. Silver Leaf baking powder is by no means a fancy-priced article, yet it is chemically pure, and cannot be classed with the inferior grade of baking powders with which the market has been flooded.

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Another cyclone of laughter.

The tie contractors who are busily engaged getting out ties for this road use the Red Warrior Ax, and buy them from Henry & Peak.

Matinee Saturday.

Myra Goodwin is the prettiest, youngest and most exquisite actress on the American stage.

After one sees so many old stereotyped leading actresses it will do them good to see the young and enchanting actress, Miss Goodwin.

Myra Goodwin has been on the stage less than a year. No actress has gained so much praise in so short a time.

Myra Goodwin comes to us as pure as a snowflake, as fresh as morning dew, as sweet as a mignonette, as beautiful as a peach and as bright as a sunbeam.


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| " 45 | 26 " | Plain " " " | 25c " " 50c |
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| " 43 | 28 " | " " Silk Velvets | $1.00, 1.25 1.50 |
| " 42 | 46 " | " " Brocaded Silk Velvet | $1.25 to 2.50 |
| " 41 | 14 " | " 2 Toned cut Velvet | $2.50 to 5.00 |

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" 51 " " colored plain wool filled alpacas, medium and heavy-weights 10 to 15c
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" 53 1s India plaid cashmeres, 15 to 25c.
" 54 1s Armure cloths, new shades, 20 to 25c.
" 55 1s combination suitings, plaid and figured, 25 to 40c.
" 56 1s French plaids new styles, 25 to 40c.
" 57 1s 38 inch satin Berber, late novelty, 25c.
" 58 1s 38 inch flannel suitings, new shades, all wool, 25 to 35c.
" 59 1s 28 pieces body cashmere, 36 inches, in all the most stylish shades, at 25c., these are a great bargain.
" 60 1s French cashmere, street and evening shades, 40 inches, 35c to 50c.
" 61 1s Boucle checks and stripe late novelty, 44 inches, $1.25.
" 62 1s French Tricots, complete line of colors 36 inches $1.00 to $1.25.
" 63 1s 40 pieces flannel suitings, assorted in newest shades.
" 64 1s wool diagonal suitings, for tailor made suits, 50 inches $1.00 to 1.25.
" 65 1s Scotch plaids, 42 inches, 75c to $1.25.

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| 89 | Black Union Cashmere, 38 in | $ .25 | 97 | " | French Serges and Surah, 44 in | .25 to 1.00 |
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| 92 | " " " " " 42 in | 75 to 1.25 | 100 | " | Flannel Suiting, 30 in | .50 to 1.00 |
| 93 | " " " double chain, 40 in | 1.50 to 2.50 | 101 | " | French Taimse Cloth, 40 in | 1.00 to 1.25 |
| 94 | " Shoodah Cloth, all wool, 42 in | .75 to 1.00 | 102 | " | Silk Warp Henrietta Cloth, 42 in | 1.00 to 1.50 |
| 95 | " Canvas Serge, 40 in | .75 to 1.00 | 103 | " | Crape Cloth, 42 in | .75 |
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Ladies' plain white hose, per doz. 75c to 1.25.
Ladies' black, blue, cardinal and brown extra value, per pair, 25 to 40c.
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Ladies' English cotton spliced feet, 50c to 1.00.
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Ladies' extra size, solid colors, 50c to 1.00.
Ladies' plain and ribbed wool hose, 25 to 75c.
Ladies' English cashmere, black and solid colors, 75c to 1.50.
Ladies' fancy cashmere, 1.00 to 2.00.
Misses' Merino hose, stripes ½ 15 to 25c.
Misses' Merino hose, solid colors, ½ 15 to 25c.
Children's French ribbed cotton hose, 5 to 8, 25c to 1.00.
Children's extra cotton hose, all colors, 5 to 8, 35 to 75c.
Children's silk hose, black and colored, 5 to 8, 1.50 to 2.00.
Infants' Merino stripe, 4 to 5½, 10 to 25c.
Infants' Merino, solid colors, 4 to 5½, 10 to 25c.
Infants' cashmere hose, all colors, 4 to 5, 25 to 75c.
Infants' cashmere 3-4 hose, all colors, 4 to 5½, 25 to 75c.

### UNDERWEAR.

Ladies' White Merino Vests and Drawers, medium weight, 50c each.
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### Ladies' Misses' and Children's Handkerchiefs.

4-8 hemstitched, white, each 5 to 25c.
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4-8 " all linen, 10 to 35c.
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5-8 " ¾ and ⅞ inch, printed, 25c to 1.00.
5-8 " all linen, colored embroidered, 50c to 75c.
5-8 scolloped, all linen, white, 25c to 2.00.
5-8 " " " colored, 25c to 5.00.
5-8 Ladies' Cambric, hemmed, white, 10 to 25c.
5-8 " solid mourning, 20 to 25c.
5-8 " fancy mourning, 25c to 1.50
5-8 " hemstitched, embroidered, mourning, 35c to 1.50.
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Children's Jersey cashmere gloves, 35 to 50c.
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We sell all goods for spot cash or C. O. D. Send all orders for goods and samples to

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# THE NATIONAL CAPITAL.

**Edward D. Linn of Victoria, Tex., Consul at Piedras Negras—New Governor for Arizona.**

**The Congressional Delegation of Tennessee Divided Over the Jackson Postmastership.**

**Appointed Chiefs of Divisions.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—The secretary of the treasury to-day appointed Jas. R. Sneed of Georgia and L. R. Reid of Virginia to be chiefs of divisions in the register's office.

Mr. Sneed was previously assistant postmaster of the United States senate and secretary to ex-Senator Hill.

Mr. Reid is a resident of Alexandria, Va., and was formerly secretary of the Virginia Midland railway.

The above-named appointments were made in place of Arthur Hendrix and J. H. Beatty, who resigned by the request of Secretary Manning.

**Presidential Appointments.**

The president made the following appointments to-day: Calvin Page, collector of internal revenue for the district of New Hampshire.

D. J. Laughlin, to be special examiner of drugs, medicines and chemicals for the district of Philadelphia.

C. Meyer Rulick of Arizona, to be governor of Arizona, vice Frederick A. Tritle, resigned.

To be United States consuls: Edward D. Linn of Texas, at Piedras Negras, Mexico.

Frank W. Roberts of Maine, at Coaticook, Canada.

Chas. H. Wills of Maryland, Managua, Nicaragua.

Joseph D. Hoff of New Jersey, Vera Cruz, Mexico.

To be Indian agent, Jas. McLaughlin of Dakota for the Standing Rock agency, in Dakota.

David S. Preston, to be collector of customs at Gloucester, Mass.

**Fight for a Postmaster.**

Dissensions have sprung up among the Tennessee delegation growing out of the contest over the postmastership of Jackson, Tenn. This postoffice is of presidential grade and is regarded as the most important in Representative Taylor's district. Taylor has his candidate for the postmastership in the person of Mr. Howard. Senator Jackson antagonized Mr. Taylor and secured the support of Senator Harris in urging the appointment of Mr. Hurt to the office. The representative offered to poll the town to ascertain the strength of the rival candidates, but the offer was declined. Mr. Taylor is reported to have declared that Mr. Howard had the entire support of the business men in his candidacy. It appears, however, that the senatorial influence has prevailed, as the representative has been informed his man will not be appointed.

**Hardly Probable.**

There is a report in circulation that the Spanish government, owing to the fact that the Catholic faith is the established religion of the country, would decline to receive the Rev. Mr. Curry as minister from the United States. It is not absolutely certain that King Alfonso has no prejudice against the Baptist clergy. They say at the state department that there is no truth in the story, and that Mr. Curry will sail for Madrid as soon as he closes up his business with the Peabody educational trustees.

**Fourth-Class Postmasters.**

The postmaster-general to-day appointed four fourth-class postmasters in Pennsylvania, thirteen in Tennessee and one each in West Virginia and Dakota.

**Special Indian Agent.**

J. N. Walton of Arkansas has been appointed special agent to take charge of the Indians on Tongue river in Montana.

**An Adverse Decision.**

Mr. J. A. Manning, the attorney whose disbarment by the court of Alabama claims was the indirect cause of the recent official objections to the necessary incidental expenses to the court, filed to day a motion asking for reinstatement. It was passed upon by the court in a written opinion delivered by Presiding Judge Harlan and concurred in by the other two judges. The motion was denied.

**The Cabinet Meeting.**

There was a full attendance at the cabinet meeting to-day. The session was short and was devoted to the consideration of topics to be embodied in the annual reports of the cabinet officers. It was decided that the pressure of their public duties would not permit the president and the members of his cabinet to attend the Virginia state fair.

**Washington's Breathing Places.**

The White House grounds and the public parks of the city are now being stripped of their floral beauties and put in shape for the winter. All the growing palms and flowering plants will be placed in the government propagating gardens south of the Washington monument, there to remain until May next, when they will be again placed out in the parks. We have not yet had any frosts, but there is no telling after the 5th of October when we will have a frost in this section. A number of palms and ferns that will stand any amount of frost or snow will, however, be allowed to remain in the parks, though they are few compared to the number of plants that are there during the summer months. Washington is famous for its parks, or "breathing places," as Senator Sumner delighted to call them. In all of them there are numerous seats provided, and they make delightful places to pass both day and evening. They are opened to the public at 6 o'clock in the morning and remain open until 11 o'clock at night, though some are open all night. This is particularly the case with Iowa, Dupont, Washington and other circles and parks, there being only a chain fence around them. Some of the small parks on Pennsylvania avenue, and especially those between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets, are surrounded with high iron fences. There was a time when cows, hogs and horses were allowed to roam at large through the streets, when these ugly-looking fences were necessary; but that time has passed, and the sentiment now is that the fences should go. It happens, however, that nothing can be done in this direction without legislation from congress. Col. Wilson, the new superintendent of public grounds, will urge this legislation. He will be seconded by all classes of the people.

"Sis," "a new dramatic cocktail."

The work of condemnation of right of way for the Fort Worth & New Orleans is going steadily on. The commissioners assessed small damages in three cases yesterday.

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