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## CONGRESSIONAL.

**The House in Commitee of the Whole Passes the Lumber Paragraph of the Tariff Bill.**

**But Not Before a Great Deal of Discussion is Indulged in—Another Paragraph Taken Up.**

**Fiftieth Congress.**

THE HOUSE.

WASHINGTON, June 2.—The House went into committee of the whole on the tariff bill. The amendment under consideration was to strike from the free list timber, hewn and sawed, and timber used for spars and wharves.

Mr. Randall of Pennsylvania addressing the House said that it should be the duty of the House to fix the tariff at a rate just high enough to cover the difference in the wages of lumbermen in this country and Canada, and he hoped that the duty would be fixed as in his bill, at 15 per cent. ad-valorem.

Mr. Bootman of California advocated the adoption of the amendment, believing that free lumber meant idle workmen in this country. If the lumbermen were thrown out of employment they had only agriculture to turn to and that field was already glutted.

Mr. Randall said that the consumer of lumber would not be benefited by the bill and the wages would be reduced to the Canadian standard.

Division was then had on Mr. Struble's amendment and it was rejected—yeas 66, nays 100.

Mr. Randall then moved to strike out the paragraph and insert "timber not further manufactured than hewn, squared and sided." But this amendment was rejected without division and the second paragraph of the bill, "timber, squared and sided," was read.

Mr. Taulbee of Kentucky, while approving the bill generally, felt bound to move to strike out the paragraph.

Mr. Burrows read a statement to show the importance of the lumber industry which it was, he said, proposed to strike down. He said that $90,000,000 were paid laborers in this industry, the third largest in the country, in one year. The statement, he said, had been made not by his (Burrows) constituents, but by those of Messrs. Tarsney and Fisher.

Mr. Cox of New York said these men were almost all millionaires, men who had made the forests of Michigan almost a living desolation. On this point he was a protectionist. He wanted to protect the forests of the United States from the ax. He intimated that it might become necessary to amend the rules to cut off dilatory motions.

The committee rose to limit the debate to ten minutes, but the Republicans refused to vote, leaving the House without a quorum.

Mr. Mills reminded the House that it had spent a day in the consideration of the paragraph that represented values in the bill to the amount of $8. Yesterday the debate involved $198.

Finally a compromise was reached on forty minutes' debate, and the House again went into committee of the whole.

Mr. Dockery, of Missouri, declared that the explanation of the failure of the lumbermen's wages to increase lay in the fact that 90 per cent. of the workmen were Canadians. So it was in other industries. Thirty-three per cent. of the men employed in our manufacturing industries were foreigners, imported under contract to compete against American labor. [Applause.]

Mr. Fuller of Iowa secured a round of applause from the Democratic side by declaring that he did not believe that the true doctrine of protection was involved in this question. He should vote for free lumber.

Mr. Taulbee of Kentucky met the same treatment at the hands of the Republicans when he said that Mr. Fuller's remarks gave an insight to the real case. He (Mr. Fuller) wanted cheap lumber because Iowa did not produce it. He (Mr. Taulbee) wanted protective duty because his district produced lumber, and he was unwilling to be controlled by any sentiment other than that of honest judgment.

Mr. Guenther of Wisconsin predicted that the Democratic party, if it passed this bill, would go to that place paved with good intentions, where every limb and knot of timber would be used not to raise the revenue, but to raise the temperature to at least six hundred degrees above zero. [Laughter.]

Debate on the pending paragraphs exhausting, an amendment to strike it out was rejected by a vote of yeas, 61 nays, 101.

The third paragraph in the bill, "Wood manufactured, not specially enumerated or provided for," was read and taken up for consideration.

Mr. Byrne of Pennsylvania moved to strike it out.

After some debate the committee rose, leaving Mr. Byrne's amendment pending, and the House at 5 o'clock adjourned.

## JAY GOULD UNWELL.

**Compelled by Illness to Return at Once to New York.**

KANSAS CITY, MO., June 2.—Jay Gould passed through here yesterday on his return from the west. When the train arrived messengers were sent out to a neighboring drug store for prescriptions, and it was reported that Mr. Gould was very sick. He was attacked with illness in Omaha yesterday, and it was decided that it would be best for him to return at once to New York.

THE REPORT DENIED

ST. LOUIS, MO., June 2.—Vice-President S. H. H. Clark of the Missouri Pacific Railroad telegraphs from Fredericks, Md., that Jay Gould is well and has had no sickness. He is inspecting the road from the rear of his car with as little fatigue and inconvenience as usual.

## THE HEMPSTEAD TROUBLES.

**The McDade-Springfield Examining Trial Postponed—The Rangers Remain.**

Special to the Gazette.

HEMPSTEAD, TEX., June 2.—The taking of testimony in the McDade-Springfield examining trial was concluded this evening. The case was set over till Monday, when the argument will be made. District Attorney Hanry says this is the strongest case he has ever made against any party; that he has been district attorney for six years, and that he has prosecuted many persons for murder. No one doubts but that the defendants will be remanded to jail without bail. It is intimated that the defendants will be transferred to the Washington county jail for safe keeping, if bail is refused. Daniel King, Captain McMurry and the rangers are still here.


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Dyspepsia in its worst forms will yield to the use of Carter's Little Nervine Pills, followed by Carter's Little Liver Pills, one of each after eating.

Cheap Roller Mills.

Portable—Three thousand mills now in use. Improvements in W. A. Hunter's Improved Company, Fort Worth, Texas.


## THE SCHOOLS.

**Exercises on the Occasion of the Hamilton College Commencement at Lexington, Kentucky.**

**The Public Schools Closing All Over the State of Texas with Appropriate Exercises.**

**Hamilton College Commencement.**

Correspondence of the Gazette.

LEXINGTON, KY., May 31.—One of the most notable events in school circles in this city in many years was the Hamilton College commencement held at the opera house in this city Tuesday, May 29. At about 10 o'clock the graduates, eleven in number, filed in and took their seats on the stage, and were accorded a grand and hearty ovation. They were all southern blood, and it goes without saying, they were the handsomest young ladies ever assembled together on a similar occasion. The salutatory address was delivered by Miss Jessie Middleton of Pocahontas, Mississippi, and was a paper of great merit, and was, moreover, read with great attention to pronunciation and diction. The valedictorian was Miss Mary A. Davis of Bentonville, Ark., who is a phenomenally bright young lady, and her composition, "What Shall We Build?" was received by the large audience present with deserved manifestations of gratification. Miss Nettie Locke was received with uproarous applause on her "O, What a Delight," and was encored until she could not refrain from again coming before the audience. The whole front of the stage was literally covered with flowers sent up by the audience. Miss Judith Olive, a very beautiful young lady of Waco, Tex., gave a beautiful rendition of Daudia's difficult composition on the violin, and was so heartily encored she could not refuse to again appear and favor them with another exhibition of her talent. The music furnished by the Bridelli choir on this occasion spoke in unmistakable tones of the efficiency of the methods of education used by this institution, and reflected credit upon President Patterson and his able faculty.

President Patterson in a few well chosen and appropriate remarks conferred diplomas upon the following graduates: Miss Marie E. Bronaugh, Illinois; Miss Margaret T. Darnall, Miss Alice Girardeau, Miss Blanche I. Potts and Miss Ida Van Zandt, Texas; Miss Eloulse Craig, Miss Jessie Ware, Miss Mabel Orr and Miss Mamie E. Price, Kentucky, and Miss Jessie Stuart Middleton of Mississippi. The day after the exercises Professor J. W. Porter, the beautiful and accomplished professor of Latin and mathematics, departed for Texas, accompanied by the following young ladies, which he distributed over Mississippi, Arkansas and Texas: Miss Estella Yancy, Arkansas; Lilla Wells, Alabama; Jessie Middleton, Annie Middleton and Kezia Johnson, Mississippi; Gabriel Kolmanet, Galveston, Tex.; Nellie Walker, Groesbeck, Tex.; Celia Levy, Rachael Jacobs and Rachael Goodmen, Navasota, Tex.; Judith Olive and Edna Sedwick, Waco, Tex.; Maggie Darnall, Weston, Tex.; Zue Ball, El Paso, Tex.; Ida Van Zandt, Ada Patterson and Edith Bennett, Fort Worth, Tex., and Lena Lemmon, Dallas, Tex. To say Mr. Porter was happy would not feebly represent the condition of that gentleman, if the broad smile that lighted his countenance could be called an index to his feelings. Altogether it was one of the pleasantest and most successful occasions of the kind ever held in Lexington, and the only thing to mar the happiness of the occasion was the fact that the fair faces we have learned to love, may be leaving us forever.

**East Dallas Colored Schools.**

Special to the Gazette.

DALLAS, TEX., June 2.—The annual concert and school exhibition of the East Dallas city colored school will occur at the skating rink on the nights of the 7th and 8th inst. Musical and literary productions will form a part of the programme, interspersed with declamations, recitations, dialogues, etc. The whole is under the management of N. W. Harlee, A. B., principal, who attained such brilliant success in the management of a like affair last season.

**At McGregor.**

Special to the Gazette.

MCGREGOR, TEX., June 2.—Our public school closed its sixth annual session yesterday and every one seems highly pleased with the progress of the pupils and the general satisfaction rendered by our able corp of teachers.

The city school building will be completed in time for the next term and then McGregor can boast of having the finest school building of any city in the state of equal population.

**A Credit to Pupils and Teachers.**

Special to the Gazette.

SAN ANGELO, TEX., June 2.—The closing exercises of San Angelo public school held at Pickwick hall last night was a credit to both the teachers and pupils.

**School Trustees Elected.**

Special to the Gazette.

WHITEWRIGHT, TEX., June 2.—In the election to-day for school trustees S. E. Marshall, J. B. Woosley and Hon. J. L. Cureman were elected for the ensuing year.

**A Successful Term.**

Special to the Gazette.

BAIRD, TEX., June 2.—The musical concert of Miss Willie K. Gillespie at the public school building last night was one of the most successful affairs of the kind that our people have ever been favored with, thus concluding a most successful year for Miss Gillespie as music teacher in Baird. The progress that her pupils have made is so wonderful that the great crowd that had assembled to witness the exercises closing her term, through Judge B. R. Webb, tendered Miss Gillespie their sincere thanks for the entertainment and for her efforts in behalf of her pupils.


A young kind goes very seldom without a pound of castoria, and nothing contributes to it more than the use of Angostura Bitters, the world renowned appetizer and invigorator, manufactured only by Dr. J. G. B. Siegert & Sons.

**Bear in Mind**

Our great remnant sale for Monday, sweeping reductions have been made on all remnants.

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## ON WALL STREET.

**The Stock Market Yesterday Was the Dullest and Least Interesting During the Present Depression.**

**Reports of Gould's Illness Gave the Market a Weak Tone.—The Railroad Bond Market was More Animated.**

COMMERCIAL RESUME.

Special to the Gazette.

NEW YORK, June 2.—Railway bonds today closed as follows: Fort Worth and Denver City at 83⅞; Kansas and Texas 5's at 55; 6's at 62½; Texas and Pacific 1's at 92⅜; Kansas and Texas 1's at 94; Houston and Texas Central at 68; Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe 2's at 95.

Governments firm.

Money 1½ per cent.

Sterling quiet.

Silver 92¼

Wheat advanced slightly.

Oil 79½

Coffee steady.

Cotton quiet.

Sugar firm.

The movement in wool is not very active. Demands are well met. Boston reports a quiet market, but better inquiry.

The hide market is not improved. Tanners are buying closely to meet actual wants.

GOVERNMENTS, STOCKS AND BONDS.

NEW YORK, June 2.—The stock market to-day was the dullest and most uninteresting so far during the present depression. Reports of the illness of Mr. Gould received from the west gave a weak tone to the opening this morning and the first prices were generally from ⅛ to ¾ below those of last evening. General disbelief in the rumors were calculated soon to become prevalent, however, and the market while extremely dull regained its tone in early trading. Toward 11 o'clock the market again exhibited a declining tendency and prices shaded off slowly until the close, dealings from that time being utterly featureless. The close was very dull and rather heavy at about the first prices.

The railroad bonds market was a little more animated than the share list, but the sales were only $660,000. The final changes are almost invariably for slight fractions and quite irregular.

Government bonds were dull and steady.

WOOL AT SAN ANGELO.

Special to the Gazette.

SAN ANGELO, TEX., June 2.—The wool market has opened here. Several large clips sold for 12¼ cents per pound. More buyers are looked for next week.

## CLEBURNE.

**A Jury Fails to Agree—District Court Decisions.**

Special to the Gazette.

CLEBURNE, TEX., June 2.—The first shipment of tin shipped from Philadelphia to be used in recovering the court house went down at sea. The order was duplicated immediately and is now on the road.

The following marriage licenses were issued the past week by the county clerk: J. D. Owens and Miss Sallie Raney; Henry Smedley and Miss Nora E. Cox, all of this county.

The jury in the Tom Cochran murder case failed to agree and were discharged.

The District court has rendered the following decisions: State vs. Walter Powell, not guilty; State vs. M. M. Mosby, swindling, guilty, and two years in the penitentiary; State vs. Columbus Johnson, arson, not guilty; State vs. John Gaunt, incest, guilty, three years in the penitentiary; State vs. Harry Barnard, murder, continued.


**For Tired Brain**

Use Horsford's Acid Phosphate.

Dr. G. Chestnut, Syracuse, N. Y., says: I gave it to one patient who was unable to transact the most ordinary business, because his brain was tired out, and he felt the least mental exertion. Immediate benefit and ultimate recovery followed."


## DALLAS.

**Divorces Granted—The Grand Jury's Final Report.**

COURT MATTERS.

Special to the Gazette.

DALLAS, TEX., June 2.—This has been divorce day in District court. Divorces were granted in the following cases: Tobe Farrell vs. Rolless Farrell, M. D. Mister vs. S. Mister, Nancy C. Dixon vs. Thomas F. Dixon, G. N. Brown vs. L. A. Brown.

The grand jury reported a batch of eighteen bills, several of which were for felonies, and concluded their labors for the term with their final written report. It relates that the county is in an orderly good, healthy, moral condition, and bearing on this subject is the following clause:

We cannot doubt that violation of law, in the way of gambling houses, houses of prostitution, violation of the Sunday law, drinking, etc., exists to some extent, yet we have been unable to get such proof as we believe would result in conviction, but suggest that prompt and energetic action on the part of state, county and city officials would materially contribute toward the reduction of crime.

They visited the jail and found it in a clean, healthy condition, and they suggest that new cots or beds be put in.

NEW LAW FIRM.

Thomas Willingham, Esq., recently of Macon, Ga., and J. C. Patton, Esq., well known in Texas, have formed a law partnership. Mr. Willingham comes well recommended from Georgia, where he has had an extensive practice in the federal and state courts for twelve years. The Macon papers spoke in very complimentary terms of him upon his departure from that city, as a lawyer of experience and ability. Mr. J. C. Patton is a native Texan, has many friends in this state, a fine speaker and able lawyer. The two together will make a strong law firm and be able to sustain their reputation along with the best legal talent in the state.


**The Boaz Gold Mine.**

Letters just received from Mr. Rankin, president of the Boaz Gold Mining Company, who is at the mines seeing after the work of erecting the machinery, reports everything going on satisfactory, the mill will be completed and ready for business by the time the ninety days has passed as per contract. Shares will not be offered at 25 cents but a few days, secure them while you can.

C. B. DAGGETT,
Secretary and Treasurer.

**Bear in Mind**

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## AUSTIN.

**Charter Filed—Exercises at the Sam Houston Normal Institute.**

Special to the Gazette.

AUSTIN, TEX., June 2.—A charter amendment was filed yesterday with the Secretary of State increasing the capital of the Sherman Oil and Cotton Company to $150,000.

The Attorney-General approved the charter of the Dallas Park and Suburban Steam Railway Company; capital $100,000. The road is to run from Dallas to the northern line of the county. The president of the company is E. Sweeney; vice-president, S. P. Bowser; secretary, Oliver Thomas; treasurer, H. A. McMillan.

Professor Cooper, who has just returned from his visit to the Sam Houston Normal Institute, was highly pleased with the annual exercises which took place during the week. Among the features of the exercises was an address to the students by Colonel Simkins of Corsicana of which Professor Cooper speaks in the highest terms. About fifty teachers received diplomas and 100 teachers certificates. Everything indicated that the school is in a fine condition.

Treasury deposits embraced $1604 for the school fund and $4190 for the general revenue to-day.

## HONORING THE GRAVE.

**The Graves of Dead Veterans Decorated at Houston.**

Special to the Gazette.

HOUSTON, TEX., June 2.—Houston turned out en masse to-day to do honor to the memory of the dead heroes who wore the blue and the gray, and to-night the mounds in Glenwood which mark the resting place of soldiers are covered with choicest floral offerings. The ex-Confederate soldier and the veteran of the Union army marched to the cemetery arm-in-arm, and together laid floral offerings on the graves of those who wore the blue and the gray. The Houston Choral Society furnished excellent music.

**Laredo Ore Shipments.**

Special to the Gazette.

LAREDO, TEX., June 2.—During the past month ore shipments through this place for the Kansas City Smelting and Refining Company aggregated 700 tons; the Omaha Grant Company about 360 tons. On account of the drop in lead from $5 17 to $3.90, the shipments are light and mining men are loath to dispose of the ore. They claim that it is better to store it and wait for a rise in the market. Most of the ore comes from the Guadalupe and Yguana mines.

**Verdict of Not Guilty.**

Special to the Gazette.

WEATHERFORD, TEX., June 2.—The District court has been occupied since Wednesday in the trial in the case of the State vs. John Shodle, charged with theft of horses. Over sixty witnesses were examined during the trial, and a verdict was rendered by the jury to-day of not guilty.

**Suing for Tate's Defalcation.**

LOUISVILLE, KY., June 2.—Judge Thomas M. Hines for the state has instituted suit against James N. Tate and his bondsmen to recover $247,000 less certain credits. These credits are being computed and the remainder will be Tate's net defalcation.


**Picnic Baskets.**

Those who can spare yourself least from the Fort Worth Grocer Co.'s, call now while the time to use them. All shapes, sizes and prices we wish him success.


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## T. P. A.

**Important Meeting of Post A of the Travelers' Protective Association. Fourth of July Excursion.**

**The Cotton Belt Merchants to be Entertained in Grand Style—Sunday Personal Notes.**

[A column will be open in Sunday's issue of THE GAZETTE for all communications of interest from traveling men.]

POST A MEETS.

At a called meeting of Post "A" of The Travelers' Protective Association quite a number of members met in the parlors of the Pickwick hotel. The president stated that the object of the meeting was to take action in regard to the proposed celebration of the Fourth of July when the merchants along the Cotton Belt Railroad will be invited to be the guests of the city.

Mr. T. B. Buthbridge, as the representative of the Board of Trade and Commercial Club, was present, and invited the cordial co-operation of this association and the traveling men generally to make this proposed celebration one long to be remembered in the annals of the city.

Messrs. Buffington, Joiner and the president, Mr. Stockton, were appointed a committee to confer with similar committees from the Board of Trade and Commercial Club and to appoint necessary committees. An invitation was extended to the officers of the State Board of Directors and through them to every traveling man in the state, regardless of membership in the T. P. A.

Election of officers being next in order R. C. Stockton was re-elected president, J. B. Joiner vice-president and Mr. C. E. Maynard secretary and treasurer, and the following gentlemen as directors: E. J. Anderson, L. M. Buffington, P. T. Combs and W. A. Butts. This post will hold its next meeting the 3d of July at the Ellis hotel, and it is earnestly hoped that every member will be present.

TO ENTERTAIN THE MERCHANTS.

The Traveling Men's Association, Fort Worth Board of Trade and the Commercial Club will join hands and have a grand celebration the Fourth of July at Fort Worth and entertain the merchants from along the Cotton Belt Road. All the merchants of North Texas will be invited to attend and partake of our hospitalities and it will be a grand meeting of all our commercial interests. Every traveling man in the state is invited to be present and take part in the entertainment. So begin now, boys, to arrange your routes so you can be in Fort Worth or near enough to run in, and let this be the largest gathering of commercial travelers ever together at one time in the state. We can make this a memorable day and let us all put our shoulder to the wheel and do so. All join hands, and we will do ourselves credit.

CURRENT NOTES.

J. S. Vanslack will Sunday at Cleburne.

E. T. Ambler will spend Sunday at the Pickwick.

N. D. Barry will spend Sunday at the Pickwick.

L. M. Buffington will spend Sunday in Fort Worth.

Dan B. Harris of Atlanta, Ga., was with us a few days.

Mr. J. A. McHale will spend Sunday at the Mansion hotel.

Mr. N. Calisher of New York will spend Sunday at the Ellis.

E. S. Minard of St. Louis reports spool silk as selling lively.

D. L. Baily of Boston, representing Beach & Clawidge, reports sales good.

Lewis Benton, Cleveland, Ohio, was at the Ellis, working south. He reports trade good.

Mr. S. Doughty, representing the Armour Packing Company, was in the city last week.

Mr. H. Jacoby, representing Messrs. E. S. Jaffray & Co., dry goods, New York, was with us last week.

J. W. Dun is in town looking as handsome as ever and will go to church to see our pretty girls to-day.

A. S. Kirk of Chicago was soaping and perfuming the town up nicely this week. He stopped at the Ellis.

J. W. English, representing S. T. Lowery & Co., is selling large bills of gents' furnishing goods.

C. A. Duffy of St. Louis, the live representative of the Missouri Glass Company, took in the town last week.

Mr. C. L. Richie, the live and energetic representative of W. F. Lake, will attend church in Fort Worth to-day.

W. W. Parker smiled upon us one day only and started east on the Texas and Pacific road. He will Sunday at Marshall.

The Hale Hydraulic Elevator of Kansas City was represented in the Fort last week by the live and energetic Mr. W. S. Gilman.

Mr. C. B. Epes stopped in the Fort long enough to take a bath and then continued his trip west on the Texas and Pacific Railroad.

Mr. John A. Kennedy, representing Harrison Brothers & Co., Philadelphia, was with us a day or two this week. He wears a happy smile and reports trade good.

Mr. Sam D. Schwartz reports large sales for this season and says Cincinnati is coming to the front in the furnishing goods line. Sam will stay in Fort Worth until the fall season begins.

Mr. W. A. Butts has resigned his position with the Martin-Brown Company and accepted one with Tennent, Walker & Co., manufacturers of fine boots and shoes. Mr. Butts is a live T. P. A. man and we wish him success.

Mr. F. L. Jordan has severed his connection with Joseph H. Brown & Co. and accepted a position with Reid, Murdock & Co.

Fisher of Chicago. Frank thinks he has bettered himself and we hope he has. This accounts for the smile he wore last week.

H. G. Ellis is looking rather sad, and upon inquiry we found his accomplished wife starts on a trip north in a few days to be gone all summer. You have our sympathy, Brother Ellis, we know you will be lonesome.

C. E. Maynard, general manager of Flint & Walling, Fort Worth, and secretary and treasurer of Post A of the T. P. A., will remain in the Fort several days. Mr. M. is a thorough business man, and we are glad he was elected secretary and treasurer for another year.

We regret that Mr. E. J. Anderson will not be able to attend the national T. P. A. convention as a delegate, owing to important business which demands his attention just at that time in Texas. Mr. Anderson is a level headed business man, and we regret very much to lose his good council, but realize personal business comes before anything else.

MORE TO FOLLOW.

We gave a list of the nineteen different roads that honor the five-thousand-mile ticket in our issue of April 10, and we now have the pleasure of adding seven more roads to the list, making in all twenty six, which we give below: Lake Shore and Michigan Southern, Cleveland, Columbus, Cincinnati and Indianapolis, Cleveland, Lorain and Wheeling, Chautauqua Lake R.R., Columbus, Hocking Valley and Toledo, Cincinnati, Indianapolis, St. Louis and Chicago, Dunkirk, Allegheny Valley and Pittsburg, Flint and Pere Marquette, Indianapolis and St. Louis, Lake Erie and Western, Michigan Central, New York, Chicago and St. Louis, New York, Lake Erie and Western, Pittsburg and Lake Erie, Toledo and Ohio Central, Toledo, Ann Arbor and North Michigan, Valley Railway, Wabash Railway, Western New York and Pennsylvania, Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton; Toledo, Peru and Warsaw; Louisville, New Albany and Chicago; Monon Route; Fort Wayne, Cincinnati and Louisville; Cleveland and Canton; Whitewater Railway.

It has been through the efforts of the T. P. A. railroad committee that these roads have accepted the 5000 mile ticket, and too much praise cannot be given them for their work.

GETS ALONG WITHOUT DRINKING.

"Do you know," said one of the craft to a Mail and Express reporter the other day, "that there are about 80,000 commercial travelers in the United States? Surprised to hear it? Yes, most people are when they are told of it, but it's a fact, nevertheless. You may also be surprised to learn that each one of them spends on an average $3000 a year, making a total of $240,000,000. If you add to this their salaries, averaging at the least $1000, you have a total expenditure by commercial travelers of $320,000,000 a year. This is naturally spent in all parts of the country, but the hotels and railroads get the lion's share of it. During the last ten years there has been a great change in the character of the commercial traveler. The old Bohemian type has almost disappeared from the road, and drinking men are much more rarely met with than formerly. A short time ago it was almost impossible to get a merchant over to your hotel to 'take a look at your samples' without first getting him to leave his store on the pretext of getting a 'smile.' That is all changed now; the customers don't look for it, and the drummer seldom gives it a thought.

A PECULIAR CASE.

A.—I was never worse fooled in my life than I was last night.

B.—How so?

"I had been out on a little toot with the boys, and I went to bed rather late. Blamed if, when I woke up, my feet weren't on the pillow where my head should have been."

"That was rather strange."

"But that wasn't the strangest thing about it. All during the night I suffered with headache, when really there was nothing the matter with me except that my corns hurt."—[Siftings.

## EMORY.

**Lawlessness in a Saloon—Left Town to be Married.**

Special to the Gazette.

EMORY, TEX., June 2.—News reached here to-day of one of those lawless outbreaks of the people, which now and then occur, despite the law and its officers. About 11 o'clock on Thursday night a party of men, perhaps thirty in number, went to the tent of Dr. M. C. Young, who was engaged in selling liquor at a point on the railroad about four miles south of this place, and after having cut the tent down they proceeded to kick the faucets out of the barrels and destroy the contents. Some barrels they broke the heads of, after which they rolled the whole into the tank near by. The early dawn showed the remains of Young's saloon floating quietly upon the bosom of the waters of the Emory tank. Dr. Young was not present, but had left the tent in charge of his clerk. The people of this place deprecate such acts of lawless violence, and if the perpetrators can be identified they will most assuredly meet retributive justice at the hands of an indignant people. The time for the commission of such acts of violence has passed in Raines county.

Late last evening Justice Eli Bibb was observed driving out of town accompanied by a young widow by the name of Amanda Bell. They have not returned yet, and it is rumored that they two were married one at the residence of Rev. Allen McKay about six miles east of Emory.


Rich Milk for Cholera—Tagliani's Benne Wine.

For five years Tarrant's Effervescent Seltzer Aperiente has been the best remedy for Diarrhœa, Dysentery, Cholera Morbus, Flux, Children Teething; and if taken with the milk a sure preventive of Asiatic Cholera.


## THE DISRUPTION OF KNIGHTS.

**The Disintegration of the Order at Chicago Going on Rapidly.**

CHICAGO, ILL., June 2.—The Times says the disintegration of the Knights of Labor in this vicinity is going on rapidly. Ever since the great rebellion started after the annual convention last October desertions have been many, but the rebels have not succeeded in getting many Knights to join. The whole number of persons now paying taxes is about 30,000. It is a pretty large number, but nothing as compared to the number of those who have been induced by the rebellion to leave the Knights of Labor altogether and either give up labor organizations or join a trade union and the American Federation of Labor. District assemblies based on geographical location are collapsing. District No. 57 of Chicago is going to pieces, most of the members having joined the trades district of packing house employes. District No. 57 has fallen from 24,000 in 1886 to about 6000 who remain members nominally, but very few of the locals are able to keep up their regular meeting. Meanwhile the trades unions are booming. Knights of Labor shoemakers are about to join a trades district. The painters have withdrawn; so have what few remained of carpenters. Iron and steel workers are forming a trade district. Besides this shifting process, there is a large loss which can hardly be calculated.


## BRIGHT'S DISEASE—GRAVEL.

There is nothing which I now enjoy that I do not owe to the happy change by having used Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy at a time I was suffering all that a human being could endure. My troubles began in my kidneys over nine years ago and from which

**I Never Expected to Recover.**

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