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NEWS CONDENSED.

[illegible] prisoners escaped from jail in the city of Mexico.

[illegible] the river at Fulton, Ark., is rapidly falling and no more damage is feared.

[illegible] Rt. Thomas Hippetoe committed suicide through shame at having "slid up" by footpads.

[illegible] has begun operations at Sun Bend, Ala. It is the only smelter now working copper ore.

[illegible] people of Iaria, Iowa, are excited over the work makes it appearance on a railroad every night about 12 o'clock.

[illegible] Iowa, D. D. Smith, a Chicago, Rock Island and Quincy conductor, fell between the cars and was crushed to death.

[illegible], Ind., the 3-year-old daughter of Mrs. Lockwood was choked to death by a gale lodging in her windpipe.

[illegible] of the New Zealand government in Wichita, Kan., gathering testimony as to the effect of the prohibitory law.

[illegible] left Annapolis, Md., with carloads from Washington, Richmond and Annapolis. They will be liberated at the instance of friends.

[illegible] Jackson, who so mysteriously disappeared from her home at Shreveport, a few weeks since, has returned. She is almost insane through a drenching.

[illegible] Indian Indians were shipped to Fort Reno, Okla., to work on the reservation. Not wanted there, but no sooner had arrived than they were ordered to Dry Dock and so.

[illegible] has written, he Carlyle Harris, the New York murderer who was recently executed, has been handed to the printers. The volume which he was confined in the Sing Sing penitentiary.

[illegible] Wyo., John T. Wickham, a [illegible], has been arrested charged with assassination of D. A. Birch and [illegible] the two cattle thieves who [illegible] near Bonanza while being [illegible] to Buffalo.

[illegible] York City, an infuriated crowd [illegible] hang Frank McGuire, an electrician, to a telegraph pole because [illegible] and killed 5-year-old Maggie [illegible]. The people who attempted the [illegible] that he was running faster [illegible] a few alleys.

[illegible] plantation near Schriever, La., Bidwell [illegible] took an 8x and split [illegible] head of his sweetheart, Tinnie [illegible] Hine for instantly. The alleged [illegible] of the killing is that she went to a [illegible] another man contrary to Mack's [illegible] 45 are colored. Indignation runs [illegible].

[illegible], Ind., just after returning [illegible] Mrs. Marshall Pitts and her [illegible] partook of a light lunch [illegible]. Their symptoms were that [illegible] poison. The mother and one [illegible] not possibly recover, but no hopes [illegible] for the lives of the other [illegible].

[illegible] special says: A party of freighters [illegible] Kansas City, Mo., T. B. A. Bennett [illegible] C. Hale, interested of the Hale [illegible] street, arrived here today to take part [illegible] great Bremen's tournament. They [illegible] in the City of Rome, and have [illegible] a valuable team of horses, the [illegible] finest in the United States. [illegible] are a fine lady of men and [illegible] fully exhibitions.

[illegible] Evans, a jeweler of Golden, Colo., [illegible] the years of hard work and [illegible] study, has invented a clock which [illegible] entirely for its motive power. It is [illegible] great electric clock that has ever [illegible] propelled with electricity for a motive [illegible]. The clock in question has neither [illegible] nor spring, but consists only of [illegible] a pendulum, two electric [illegible] and a battery. The great invention [illegible] to be a success.

[illegible] the remarkable escape of Brooks [illegible], the noted criminal, from Sergeant [illegible] at Yazoo, Ala., a few days [illegible] the sheriff of Attalla county has been [illegible] watch on his residence near Kowetta [illegible] believing he would come home. He [illegible] but was the officers first. He was [illegible] to a back way, and commanded [illegible] to throw up their hands. Instead of [illegible] they fired upon him, when he beat [illegible] several, giving supervolume of pain [illegible] before they struck him.

[illegible] number of persons have visited the [illegible] of Wilmington who have just arrived [illegible] county, N. C. Of all the new [illegible] only their pastor and leader can [illegible] English. Their leader says 800 more [illegible] expected in October. They have bought [illegible] acres of ground, through which the [illegible] runs for 25 miles. The latter gave [illegible] free transportation. The people of [illegible] have built for them a saw mill [illegible] houses and have planted good [illegible]. The new settlers have gone to work [illegible] they feel a great interest in their [illegible].

GREENVILLE BUDGET.

Injury Charge—Railroad News—Local Items—Personal.

Greenville, Tex., June 7.—(Special.)—[illegible] preliminary trial of Charles A. Crockett [illegible] charged with forging a check on the First National bank for $50, took place in Judge Elder's court. Waiting [illegible] was fixed under bond for $750. [illegible] Mingery, who runs the No. 203 [illegible] Kansas and Texas, is on the [illegible] sick in charge of George Humphrey, who is in the Denison shop [illegible].

Master McDowell is in Denison [illegible] for the company.

[illegible] Tutt, the general manager of the [illegible] & K., is expected to arrive here [illegible].

[illegible] of young [illegible] the banks of [illegible] miles to [illegible] the city, and [illegible] a delightful [illegible] which filled [illegible] quarter took [illegible] south of [illegible] of love which [illegible] and [illegible] of Fort [illegible] Worth. The [illegible] filled with an [illegible] assemblage of [illegible] hearts, while [illegible] rap at [illegible] passing, who [illegible] of the evening [illegible] to chaperon [illegible] course of the [illegible] whose efforts [illegible] him a satisfactory [illegible] Miss Kate Stinson, [illegible] of this city, [illegible] for a [illegible] in White City.

WEATHERFORD PYTHIANS

Weatherford, Tex., June 7.—(Special.)—[illegible] the lodge of Knights of Pythias [illegible] a couple of Pythian sisters will [illegible] Thursday and place [illegible] on the 14th [illegible] Rock Creek.

[illegible] a meeting of Lodge Rank lodge [illegible] Knights of Pythias last [illegible] were dry members [illegible] and [illegible].

[illegible] Weekly Gazette [illegible].

BAPTIST REVIVAL.

The Meetings Daily Becoming More Popular.

A DAY OF CHRISTIAN JOY.

Dr. Wharton Improves With Acquaintance. Sermons From One of the World

Large Crowds at Both Meetings Yesterday. The Evangelist's Eloquent Appeal to Get on the Side of God and the Right—Announcements for Today.

Coon's Insurance Statistics & History

The [illegible] protracted meetings to increase in interest, and Dr. Wharton seems to have established himself with the people of Fort Worth. The attendance increases from day to day. Yesterday morning's service was the best attended of any of the day meetings thus far, and last night the church was again crowded.

At the morning service Dr. Wharton selected for the scripture lesson the xxiii Psalm—"The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want." The preacher, in introducing the theme, quoted Patrick Henry's famous expression, "I have but one lamp to guide my footsteps, and that is the lamp of experience." Said he: "It is the Christians who have had the experiences of worldly life; who can talk to sinners. The green pastures of God's sheep are the contents of this blessed book, between whose covers is to be found the consolation of mankind. Its precepts will be as efficacious in upbuilding the church

AMONG PROFESSED CHRISTIANS

as with people who have never been in the church. The trouble in his judgment was, that such are sick; people who are accounted Christians have spiritual chills. They were not quite good enough to be in the church, and not quite bad enough to be put out of the church. Raising his hand on high, Dr. Wharton said: "Talk to me of scepticism and infidelity; why, my friends, scepticism and infidelity are in the churches and in the pulpits of our country. It is to pray God that the light of his countenance may restore the church to its highest plan of usefulness and that these people may not only be restored to God, but that he will, as he has promised, lead them through the valley of the shadow of death."

Dr. Wharton led the congregation in singing for a time; Dr. Watts delivered an earnest prayer, when the distinguished evangelist announced his subject: "A Woman's Faith; a Mother's Prayer," the text being Matthew 15, xxvii—"O, woman, great is thy faith." He said: "We are told that a woman can't keep a secret. This is not true. She's the very one who can.

A WOMAN WILL WEAR

a secret sorrow in her heart until she wears it out, and yet we know that some women are possessed of a talking demon. I am reminded of the woman who suddenly bounced into a room, and the first remark she made was: "Oh, dear, one-half of the world don't know how the other half lives," and I can imagine her mortification and chagrin, when a quiet, unobtrusive man sitting over yonder in a corner of the room gravely said: "Well, if they don't it's no fault of yours." There is the

DEMON OF WORLDLINESS,

the demon of strong drink and the demon of talkativeness. Well, so far as I am concerned, the talking, garrulous woman is far preferable to the dumb demon, in whose company sweet is a stranger.

A mother's prayer. I knew a man named Seward who was in the liquor business. His conversion was brought about through his wife's conversion, and it was the direct result of her prayers in his behalf. The mother in the text showed the faith that was in her. All her efforts to attract the attention of Jesus in order that she might ask him to drive away the devils which had taken possession of her daughter had been in vain. At last she made her way to his side, knelt at his feet and said: "O Lord, help me;" and Jesus said: "O woman, great is thy faith. Be it unto thee even as thou wilt. And her daughter was made whole from that moment."

The persistent earnestness of a mother's prayers, he believed

HAD SAVED MANY

a man from the terrors of hell, and he personally knew that such prayers had prevailed him to gladly make van confessions upon all occasions when seeking the reclamation of mankind. First, that he found Christ and secondly, that unbeliever did everything in her power to make him a Christian. He then invited the mothers in the congregation to come forward and help him pray for the children. The aisle in front of the platform was filled with ladies, young and old, many of them in tears, as Dr. Wharton delivered a fervent and impressive appeal that God would bless and preserve the children, whose salvation was dearer than all else to the mothers of the world. The usual singing concluded the morning service.

THE EVENING SERVICE

As Dr. Wharton took his position on the platform he looked into the faces of the expectant throng which filled the church to almost repletion, and for the minutes he did not speak. Then he said: "Let us pray." Prayer was offered for the salvation of the inhabitants of Fort Worth. The entire congregation joined with the assemblage of earnest worshipers in singing, after which Dr. Wharton delivered a fervent appeal for the salvation of the evening, which appeal was followed by a sermon on the text, "Who is on the Lord's side?"

LET HIM COME

[illegible] for a minister [illegible] rules was nothing more appropriate for a preacher to ask, than who was on the Lord's side. There was only two sides to the most momentous controversy in the world's history, the Lord's side and the devil's side.

Some people would say, hold on there, preacher; you are drawing the line too fine. Nay, my friends, I'm not drawing lines. That's not my business. The great God above so drew the line when he said: "He who is not for me is against me." I remember an incident which occurred during my first pastorate in a little Virginia village, where the truth of God's dictum was forcibly illustrated. I had tried, oh, so hard to get the young men of the town to embrace the forgiveness of the Savior, but with little success. One day a prominent citizen, who was a leader in the community, said to me, "See here, Wharton; I don't exactly

LIKE SOMETHING

you said in your sermons last Sunday." I asked what he referred to and he said: "Why, you told the people that no man could be saved who was not on the Lord's side. The man was looked up to by the younger men of the community as an example of all that was right and proper in this world, and they pointed to him as one who prospered in this world's respect. I looked him straight in the eye and submitting the truth of his reference to my sermon, asked him to examine his heart and way of life and discover if his example was one which he would like to have his son follow. I tell you it set him to thinking, and eventually made a God-fearing man of him. He knew he was not on God's side. I tell you that these well-dressed, moral gentlemen, who see no good in Christianity, are trolling you up and down the streets, using their efforts to destroy souls. Those nice moral gentlemen, brothers-in-law of the church, are like deep docks set to entrap the unwary. You fight among them and

THE DEVIL REJOICES.

It is just where he wants you. It is always an easy matter to distinguish who are servants of the devil. They are bold and aggressive, and never hesitate to come out openly and announce their position. It is not so on the Lord's side. Why, I could not get twenty men to an audience as large as this who would agree to go out among the business men of this city with a view of inducing them to enter this sacred house to listen to me. I know there are many men who are active in church work, men who help pay salaries of the pastors, and contribute to the other expenses of the church, who are not brave enough to stand up and say what side they are on. When approached upon the subject they say: "Why you ought to know what side I am on." They remind me, my friends, of the poor drunkard who was found holding onto the corner of a house of worship and who, when asked what church he belonged to, said: "Well, I enter loan towards this one." What does it mean to be on God's side? I will tell you. It is to believe in the Lord Jesus Christ, and to have the bravery to stand up and believe it.

The great apostle of intellect, Robert G. Ingersoll, was the son of a preacher. And the position he takes in view of the fact of his early training, ought to bring the blush of shame to his face. God says believe, and ye shall be saved. That is the first

GREAT COMMANDMENT,

and the second obligation is that you obey the laws which God has laid down for you. He wants you to come out boldly before the world and acknowledge him, for when you do that, you know the weight of your personal influence on the side of Christianity. Those who profess to be Christians and do not dare to avow the fact openly that their position may admit of no question, remind me of a fellow who went into the Confederate army from my county. He was a great braggart, and when he enlisted said he was just going to sweep the Yankees off the face of the earth. Yet at the first battle of Manassas, when called upon to show his colors, at the first fire he crawled into a hollow log and staid there. To be on God's side means to turn away from a life of sinfulness, and to embrace one of joy and happiness. What's the advantage of being on the devil's side? It is to break your mother's heart, send your old father to sorrow to the grave, and destroy the last vestige of manhood given you by your Creator. I have drunk from every fountain ever opened by the prince of darkness, and know that it means death to every hope and every honest thought. Why the devil himself will admit that the wages of sin are death. My friends, on the other hand, consider the advantages of being

ON THE LORD'S SIDE

You know that you are on the right side. Another advantage is that you are with him, and he is with you. I don't want to live in sin would without having the care of Jesus Christ.

I want his protection, and if I am on his side, I know I have got it. That protection is assured to all who take advantage of the kindly tender of salvation which Christ has offered the world. To be on the Lord's side makes you so much more useful. When you take your stand on the side of the Great Master you can go to your comrades, and say, Come with me. Fling away the sins and follies of the world. There is something better than this life for you. You cannot erase it from your mind that you are an accountable being and that some day you will stand before the great white throne to be judged for the acts committed in this life. Take the example of the man whose conduct had been such as to blight his life, destroy his usefulness and to break the hearts of those who loved him. Whose side was he on, my friends?

Dr. Wharton then told in his inimitable way the story of the little watch peddler who took his seats from the patron of a New York hotel and went out to get the

MONEY CHANGED

in order that he might effect a sale. He did not return and the clerk of the hotel said to the gentleman: "You will never see that boy again." "Well," said the gentleman, "it all right. I don't mind it. I would rather give to an unworthy object than to feel that I might have refused one who was worthy." Next day another boy came to the hotel and asked the clerk if a gentleman had given a little boy 25 cents to change. The clerk said, "Yes, but you ain't the boy. He's out of here. I reckon you will meet another quarter." The boy—"No I'm not the boy. He is my brother. Yesterday he was run over by a heavy wagon. He's awful bad off at home and has been begging my mother all day to send back the change. Here it is, sir." And the little, bare-footed, ragged boy handed the money to the clerk. Whose side was that boy on? The gentleman went with him to the bedside of that bruised and crippled little boy, learned the facts of the case, went down in his pocket, gave the sorrowing mother money, helped her care for her children, and brought sunshine into the home of one who was sorely in need. Whose side was that man on? I tell you, my friends, there is many a noble heart beneath a tattered jacket, and the richest devils on earth are too often found among those who are the most

WEAR SPARKLING DIAMONDS

and ride in costly carriages. Get on God's side. Throw away the livery of the devil. Tear from your minds and hearts those thoughts and ideas which make you lower than the beasts, and go before a sneering world and with a contrite heart acknowledge no leadership but God. Do those things which are manly, honest and sincere, and your reward shall be a happy and contented life and a glorious resurrection.

Dr. Wharton then delivered a short prayer, after which he invited all who desired to join the church to gather about the platform. Several responded and a season of prayer closed the services.

This morning at 10 o'clock there will be Bible reading. Dr. Wharton requests that those who attend bring their Bibles with them. At 4 o'clock there will be a meeting for ladies, and the evening services will take place at the usual hour.

ROANOKE NOTES.

Roanoke, Tex., June 7.—(Special.)—We had a nice rain Sunday night, which did much good.

The wheat is mostly harvested in this section and the yield is better than expected.

Many improvements are being made in Roanoke. The new Union church in process of erection is rapidly approaching completion.

The election of school trustees Saturday passed off quietly. A board was elected in accord with the progressive spirit of the people.

Several of our citizens assisted in organizing a singing association at Argyle last Sunday.

The singing class being taught here by Prof. Chok is doing excellent work.

Our merchants are doing an unusually large trade for this time of year.

IMMIGRANTS FOR KNOX.

Benjamin, Tex., June 7.—(Special.)—Arrangements have been made to settle a colony of 100 families in Knox county this fall.

WACO BUDGET.

THE SELECTION OF NORMAL CONDUCTORS

By Superintendent Carlisle Adversely Criticised by Some Teachers—A Free Wagonyard. Small Fire—Railroad News.

Waco, Tex., June 7.—(Special.)—The manner of conducting the state normal schools is creating discussion, interest and not a little feeling upon the part of the teachers engaged in handling them.

Heretofore, it is stated, the conductors of these schools have been appointed by the teachers. The latter pay all the expenses and command that they have the right to conduct the schools as they deem proper.

State Superintendent of Public Instruction J. M. Carlisle stood yesterday in the city, and the matter has been much discussed among the large number of teachers from different parts of the state, who are here in connection with the selection of a superintendent of the public schools of the city. They say that Superintendent Carlisle breaks in upon the custom and rule in vogue heretofore concerning the conductors of the schools and lays claim to the right to name them. The normal certificates issued to teachers are recognized throughout the state for two years following their issue, and under the law of the last legislature, which provides that the schools may be held under such rules and regulations as the state superintendent may prescribe, Mr. Carlisle assumes the right to name the conductors. He stated yesterday he did not wish conductors to be appointed from the city or town in which the normal school is held, and gave as his reason that he wanted to distribute the favors, letting one town have the 2nd 2 and another the conductor. There are thirty-one summer normal white schools, one in each senatorial district, and thirteen colored ones, one in each congressional district. The patronage, the teachers intimate, is desired by the state superintendent for political purposes. They say he pays nothing toward such schools. The superintendent furnishes examinations to be submitted and passed by applicants for certificates. The completed examination papers are returned to the superintendent's office, and if the applicant has obtained the requisite averages, the certificate shall be issued. It is contended that the superintendent is concerned only with the examinations and return of the school conductors that they were fairly and honestly held.

In McLennan county a duly chartered normal school organization exists with a capital stock of $7500, a large amount of which has been paid in by the teachers who are members. The organization denies the right of the superintendent to name the conducting. The members desire Professor J. C. Lattimore to conduct the school and Superintendent Carlisle seeks to appoint Mr. J. M. Davis of McGregor. The members admit that they have no objection to the latter gentleman, but contend for the principle at stake in the matter. In East Texas and other sections the same kind of contest is on, they say. Several harsh criticisms of Carlisle are indulged in by the teachers. He spent yesterday in the city, partly in connection with this question, but the matter remains in status quo.

A FIRE.

The meat market of J. C. Stafford, corner of Sixth and Franklin streets, burned this afternoon, a defective flue causing the fire. The loss is about $1500, fully covered by insurance.

Another barn was burned this morning and the origin is said to have been incendiary. It was owned by Gannt Bros., dealers in wood, and the loss does not exceed $150. A young lad who is under surveillance is suspected of having burned the building.

RIGHT-OF-WAY WORK.

The right-of-way committee of the Waco and Northwestern railroad committee held a meeting today. They report that the funds for a canvass of the proposed right-of-way and will be raised in a few days, when Mr. S. L. Jones will canvass that territory for the purpose named.

FREE WAGON YARD.

At a meeting of the Commercial club yesterday evening it was resolved to use a fund of $2500 subscribed for the purpose of providing a free wagon yard for citizens of the county coming to the city as trade for the purpose of advertising the properties and advantages of the hot artesian water of the city and its use. Additional funds will be raised for that purpose.

OFF FOR HOUSTON.

A meeting of the general passenger agents of the railroads of the state will be held at Houston tomorrow to discuss the anti-scalpers' bill passed recently by the legislature. Mr. J. E. W. Field, general passenger and freight agent of the Waco and Northwestern, left tonight to attend the meeting.

SUPERINTENDENT ELECTED.

The board of school trustees of the city tonight elected Mr. C. F. Alexander of Corsicana superintendent of public schools, to succeed Mr. W. D. House of Waco, who was elected to the principalship of the high school.

The entire corps of teachers was also selected.

GREAT REGATTA.

All the Famous Oarsmen of the World at Austin.

THE WINNERS YESTERDAY.

A Woman Who is Walking From Galveston to Chicago.

Prince to Ride His Bike Against Two Horses for a Purse—Races at Morris Park, Latonia and St. Louis—The Baseball Record.

Austin, Tex., June 7.—(Special.)—This is the first day of the great regatta, the largest field of renowned oarsmen ever gathered in the world. Austin is in holiday attire and all the country round about is here to help her do honor to the occasion. Early last night the visitors began to arrive, and the benefits of the admirable arrangements made for their pleasure and comfort became apparent.

The citizens have secured a large and comfortable office on the ground floor near the depot, where a committee is in constant attendance to receive visitors give them all information needed, furnish them with addresses of hotels and boarding houses and provide them with programs of the entertainments.

The larger business houses along the avenue and adjacent streets are bright with bunting, which flutters in folds and festoons from their fronts.

All manner of conveyances have been in high demand from early morning carrying visitors to and from the dam. The program for the races attracted much attention and the arrangement of the attraction has been much complimented.

The Galveston four-oared crew, which has improved so much in its work here and which has grown in high favor here, came very near not being a competitor. As has been reported in the press dispatches, the Modoc crew, en route here, were in a railroad wreck, but their boats broken and the men severely injured. They wired that they could not come, and Manager Crotty wired for a crew from the Westerns. He received an affirmative answer and that crew is now on the way. Subsequently a telegram was received from the Modoc club, announcing that they had would send another crew, and respecting that the race be held in view their arrival. This will be one of the finest contests of the regatta.

All of the great champions were out in good shape this morning. Teemer, Stanbury, Hanlon, Gaudaur, Hosmer, Pierson, Rogers and Ten Eyck made a fine showing on the water all at once. In fact, it is an aggregation which will scarcely be seen together on one race course again.

The races today were full of interest. Commencing at half past 4, with the sun just beginning to throw the long shadows of the western hills across the lake's smooth surface, they came as a pleasant item indeed, in the day of sight-seeing, the visitors were participating in.

A pleasant breeze was strong, just enough to move the leaves of the trees and scarcely to ripple the water. The grand stand was crowded, the banks were lined with expectant throngs and all the hacks at command were out in the lake in points of advantageous observation.

The flutter of ribbons, the bright faces and handsome costumes of the ladies added much to the splendor of the occasion, and the chatter of hundreds of voices mingled with the splashing of the water, made a constant murmur.

A hush fell on the throng, "the time for the first race had come.

REGATTA RESULTS.

Austin, Tex., June 7.—(Special.)—In the first race the professional single, scull, three-mile heat with a turn Hanlon, Teemer, Hosmer and Rogers started. Teemer had his aluminum shell and was at first the center of attention, his boat shining like silver as it shot through the water. When Hanlon was recognized he was repeatedly cheered. Teemer led the first half, but Hanlon pulled him in steadily, and on the return half Hanlon led with Teemer a couple of lengths behind, followed by Hosmer and Rogers in the order named. Hosmer gave up and dropped his oars before the finish, and Hanlon came in at the finish, making the three miles in twenty minutes six seconds. Lee had hurt his wrist and did not row in this race.

Stanbury, Gaudaur, Ten Eyck and Peterson were the starters in the three-mile race for professionals, making a very pretty start, from which Gaudaur pulled himself in the lead before a dozen strokes had been taken, and continued to keep it, with Peterson hugging close after him, and Stanbury and Ten Eyck struggling to see who should be last. The race closed in the same order, Gaudaur winning in nineteen minutes thirty-nine and one-half seconds. Peterson water-logged his boat by colliding with the trolling-point buoy and carried a barrel of water with him on his return half.

In the third or junior amateur single race, J. H. Harris of Orillia, Ont., E. J. Baker of Galveston and Westlake of St. Louis entered. Harris was the favorite at the start, but the Galveston boy soon walked away with his popularity, the turn being made with Baker well in the lead and Harris second. The distance was a mile and a half with turn and Baker won in eleven minutes fifty-seven seconds; a full minute and thirty-one seconds slower than record time. McDonald of Austin, who was entered for this race, became discouraged at the start and did not row.

Harris was not satisfied with coming in with second honors, so collided with a flag buoy, turned his boat over, and went to the bottom and came up feeling better.

The day's entertainment closed with a foot race on the water by G. W. Lee, and tonight Pinafore was presented to a large grand-stand audience from the deck of a gigantic man-of-war out in the lake.

LATONIA RACES.

Cincinnati, O., June 7.—First race—Six furlongs. The Queen won, LeGrande second, Rondelay third. Time, 1:20.

Second race—Five furlongs. Woodsman won, Rudolph second, Golden Hope third. Time, 1:05.

Third race—Four furlongs. Oakwood won, Possess second, Dorado O. third. Time, .52.

Fourth race—Seven furlongs. Ocean H. won, Blue Boy second, Rose Boy third. Time, 1:32 1-2.

Fifth race—Nine-sixteenths of a mile. G. B. Cox won, Sapph second, Stockade third. Time, .58 3-4.

MORRIS PARK RACES.

Morris Park, N. Y., June 7.—First race—Three quarters of a mile. Harvest won, Adelbert second, Hocktagoen III third.

Second race—Seven furlongs. Restraint won, Prince John second, Old Dominion third. Time, 1:27 1-4.

Third race—Five furlongs. Prof. S. won, Mayflye second, Tenacious third. Time, .59 1-4.

Fourth race—Mile and a sixteenth. Stripper won, Loantaka second, Kilder third. Time, 1:46 1-2.

ST. LOUIS RACES.

St. Louis, Mo., June 7.—First race—Six furlongs. Arthur G. won, Gen. Miles second, Tossmond third. Time, 1:17.

Second race—Four furlongs. Tossill won, Tests May second, Captain Sinclair third. Time, .50 1-4.

Third race—Six furlongs. Tammany Hall won, Fanking second, Warren Leland third. Time, 1:15 3-4.

Fourth race—Seven and one-half furlongs. Lookport won, Sedgeway second, Scandinave third. Time, 1:36.

Fifth race—Mile. Rooster won, John Irwin second, Merge third. Time, 1:45 3-4.

Sixth race—Mile. Carroll Reed won, Red Cap second, San Salvador third. Time, 1:45.

Seventh race—One mile and 100 yards. El Rey won, Fakirs second, Sir Walter Raleigh third. Time, 1:49.

DUBLIN CYCLISTS.

Dublin, June 7.—Zimmerman, the American champion bicyclist, was the winner today in the mile race participated in bicyclists from various parts of Ireland. Zimmerman won by two bicycle lengths in 2:47 2-5. Opeel of Dublin second, O. G. Callahan of Cork third.

BICYCLIST PRINCE'S PROJECT

Waco, Tex., June 7.—(Special.)—John S. Prince, the champion bicycle rider of the world, who is in the city on his way to Chicago, has arranged a contest to take place next Wednesday at Padgett park, in which he will undertake for a purse to ride twenty miles against two horses, one to relieve the other. A wooden plank bicycle track, one-sixth of a mile in circumference, is being constructed for the purposes of the race.

FEATHERWEIGHTS FIGHT.

Bonham, Tex., June 7.—(Special.)—About 150 people assembled at the pavilion last night to witness the boxing match between Jimmie Brown of Galveston, champion featherweight of Texas and Arkansas, and Johnny Dickson of Bonham, champion featherweight of Fannin, Lamar, Hunt and Grayson counties.

At 9:15 the men were introduced by Prof. Lee Mawvey of San Francisco, Cal. At 9:17 time was called, and they shook hands and went to work.

Round 1—Brown led off with a stiff right-hander and landed on Dickson's nose. Dickson clinched and broke away. Brown seemed determined and led again, but fell short. Dickson making a pretty duck and landing a light left-hander on Brown's chest; a walk around followed and time was called just as Brown feinted.

Round 2—Dickson tries to open out Brown, but his tactics are too slow, and Brown turned a heavy left-hander on Dickson's jaw. Dickson looks groggy, but a slight smile shows his festive mug. Brown rushes again and again, and it looks like he was a winner, but Dickson is game, and time being called saves him from a knock-out.

Round 3—Brown leads again and lands twice on Dickson's nose. Dickson returns a light one on Brown's jaw. Dickson is now the aggressor and looks sickest. Brown smiles and lands two fast ones on Dickson's chest. Both clinch and time is called in the break away.

Round 4—Brown now starts in to win the fight, hitting right and left and Dickson doing some pretty ducking. Dickson is red in the face but looks well. Brown blows hard but still tries to punch his aggressor. Both clinch and in the break away Brown lands twice on Dickson's jaw. The referee gave the fight to Brown.

Prof. Lee Mawvey of San Francisco was referee and time keeper.

BASEBALL

CORSICANA—DENISON.

Corsicana, Tex., June 7.—(Special.)—Today's game of ball between Denison and Corsicana resulted in a score of 22 to 4 in favor of Denison. These clubs will play a special game tomorrow for $100 and gate receipts.

NEW YORK—PITTSBURG.

New York, June 7.—New York, runs, 4; base hits, 8; errors, 7; battery, Baldwin and Davis; Pittsburg, runs, 7; base hits, 13; errors, 4; battery, Killen and Miller; umpire Gaffney.

BOSTON—CINCINNATI.

Boston, Mass., June 7.—Boston, runs, 3; base hits, 7; errors, 1; battery, Nichols and Bennett; Cincinnati, runs, 9; base hits, 14; errors, 2; battery, Dwyer and Murphy; umpire, Hurst.

BALTIMORE—CHICAGO.

Baltimore, Md., June 7.—Baltimore, runs, 4; base hits, 8; errors, 5; battery, McNabb and Robinson; Chicago, runs, 9; base hits, 15; errors, 8; battery, McGill and Schreiver; umpire, McLaughlin.

WASHINGTON—CLEVELAND.

Washington, June 7.—Washington, runs, 4; base hits, 10; errors, 1; battery, Meekon and McGuire; Cleveland, runs, 3; base hits, 7; errors, 5; battery, Cuppy and O'Connor; umpire, McQuaid.

PHILADELPHIA—LOUISVILLE.

Philadelphia, Pa., June 7.—Philadelphia, runs, 9; base hits, 12; errors, 3; battery, Weyhing and Clements; Louisville, runs, 7; base hits, 13; errors, 3; battery, Hemming and Grim; umpire Snyder.

BROOKLYN—ST. LOUIS.

Brooklyn, N. Y., June 7.—Brooklyn, runs, 14; base hits, 14; errors, 1; battery, Stein and Kinsley; St. Louis, runs 1 base hits, 5; errors, 6; battery, Haley, Briedenstein, Clarkson and Gunson; umpire, Hurst.

LONNIE COOKE.

Emory, Tex., June 7.—(Special.)—Lonnie Cooke, the 13-year-old son of Wm. Cooke of this place, died here today.

WHEELER DEAD.

Decatur, Tex., June 7.—(Special.)—Sam Wheeler, who was shot by Ed Stanberry at Sanger last Friday, an account of which shooting appeared in The Gazette, died today. There are conflicting rumors as to the shooting, and from all that can be gathered it was accidental.

FARGO BURNED.

The Business Center of the City Gutted.

TWO THOUSAND PEOPLE

Are Rendered Homeless—The Fire Spreading at Last Accounts.

Banks, Business Houses and Great Implement Companies' Warehouses Destroyed—Opera House and Hotels Gone—Fires at Other Places.

Minneapolis, Minn., June 7.—A special to the Tribune from Moorehead, Minn., says:

Half of Fargo is in ashes. The fire started at 3 o'clock in a restaurant, on Front street. A strong wind is blowing. At 4 o'clock the fire reached the Great Northern track, ten blocks north, gutting the entire district for three blocks east to Broadway. A strong fight was made to prevent it crossing to the west side of Broadway, but by 4 o'clock it had crossed in several places. The telegraph wires were all burned so it is impossible to reach Grand Forks or Hillsboro to ask for help. Probably 2000 people are homeless.

The fire has just crossed the river to the Moorehead side, at the Fargo flour mill, which will burn.

Among the principal firms already burned are: Herzman, dry goods; Crane's restaurant, Magill, farm machinery; Northern Pacific elevator buildings, Western Union telegraph office, Morton, real estate; Red River Valley National bank, Daily Forum, Merchants State bank, opera house, E. S. Tyler real estate; the Plano, McCormick, Walter A. Woods, Minnesota Chief Deering and John Deere implement warehouses, Grand hotel, Fleming's drug store, Yeder & Lewis, grocery, Christian & Son, drug store; Sheridan hotel, Appel Bros., Minneapolis Dry Goods company, Logan's studio, Ames iron works, Continental house, Van Brunt implement warehouse.

The strong wind made the fire travel fast. Very little was saved.

The loss will be over $1,000,000, as practically the business district was gutted.

At 10 o'clock the fire was still burning fiercely in couple dozen places. The wind changed to the north and is driving the flames back on the burned district.

The north side of the city from Robert street and Front street south for four blocks wide and ten blocks long, is in ashes; not a dozen buildings are left. The wind drove it like a prairie fire. Brick buildings melted away into heaps of crumbling sand, and it was impossible to force enough water to fight the flames.

The loss is $3,000,000, not to exceed a quarter of a million insurance.

Plenty of help is now here. Grand Forks sent three fire companies by a special train. They made the run in forty-five minutes.

Over 3000 people tonight are homeless, and it is almost impossible to verify reports of accidents.

Jas. F. Lynn, the 8-year-old son of a former alderman, is reported burned; also three children of Photographer Gilbert and an unknown man cut off by fire in the third story of a building, while trying to save the children.

Practically only one hotel in the town is left. The fire has burned all around it, but it has been saved.

Moorehead is already full. Large numbers of people will sleep in the courthouse and school houses on the South side.

FIREMEN CREMATED.

San Francisco, Cal., June 7.—A disastrous fire here at 3:30 this morning destroyed thirteen residences. Three firemen perished in the flames. Another was fatally injured and a number badly bruised and burned. The killed are:

Richard Windrow.
Edward Davis.
Chas. Madison.
Loss, $100,000.

AT HARTLEY.

Hartley, Tex., June 7.—(Special.)—The residence of Dr. J. A. T. Todd, near town, was burned to the ground at 2:30 this morning. Furniture, piano, library, surgical instruments and even wearing apparel were a total loss. The lunatics had a narrow escape from being burned to death, as the house was enveloped in flames before anyone awoke. The origin of the fire is unknown.

MRS. RODNEY SANGUINE.

Farmersville, Tex., June 7.—(Special.)—Mrs. Rodney and company arrived at Farmersville at 2 p. m., feeling much better than expected. She does not fear a failure in the least. She left at 5 on her journey.

TO SELECT A BISHOP.

Dubuque, Ia., June 7.—The suffragan bishops of the province of St. Louis met here today to select candidates for the vacant see at Concordia, Kan. Bishop Hennessey presided. The council's session was secret.

GRANTED BAIL.

Decatur, Tex., June 7.—(Special.)—In the court of appeals at Austin today the habeas corpus case of Ivy Gertsen, charged with murder, was decided and the doctor granted bail.

CHANGE OF FORTS.

Rush Springs, I. T., June 7.—(Special.)—Company D, Thirteenth Infantry, Captain Ellis, Lieutenants Scott and Foster, left Fort Sill last Monday and have just taken the train here for El Reno, having been transferred to Fort Reno.

THE T. P. A. MEETING.

Peoria, Ills., June 7.—The traveling men's convention reconvened this morning. Letters of regret were read and then an address was made by Jacob Forth of St. Louis.

Reports of the treasurer followed, after which the convention adjourned.