

# Pears' Soap

Whoever wants soft hands, smooth hands, white hands, or a clear complexion, he and she can have both; that is, if the skin is naturally transparent; unless occupation prevents.

The color you want to avoid comes probably neither of nature or work, but of habit.

Either you do not wash effectually, or you wash too effectually; you do not get the skin open and clean, or you hurt it.

Remedy.—Use Pears' Soap, no matter how much; but a little is enough if you use it often.

All sorts of stores sell it, especially druggists; all sorts of people use it.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS.

#### County Officers.

We are authorized to announce Mr. J. C. Jurey as candidate for the office of County Tax Collector, subject to the action of the Democrats of McLennan county.

#### For Sheriff.

We are authorized to announce Joe F. Ellison as a candidate for sheriff at the ensuing election, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

#### Municipal.

##### FOR MAYOR.

This News is authorized to announce that Mr. C. E. McCalloch is a candidate for re-election to the office of mayor of Waco at the ensuing election in April.

Election day, Tuesday in April. We are authorized to announce Major A. Hinchman as candidate for the office of Mayor of Waco at the coming city election.

### Waco Daily News.

R. CHRISTOPHER.

Editor and General Manager.

Entered at the Waco postoffice as second class mail matter.

"But right is right, though it is not always popular, one stands by it whether it returns me to private life or lifts me to higher honors."—Roger Q. Mills.

"I am for free commerce with all nations."—Thomas Jefferson

Texas is suffering from trichina.

Well, did Waco, secure the sanitation

For governor: George Clark. Platform: 1.—Public office is a public trust 2.—The credit of the public is alarmingly strained just at present 3.—Pay up. Give the offices back to the people.

Hogg's platform; 1—1 can intervene, and if it wasn't for the infernal supreme court and these daddled juries; I'd take these railroads away from the owners and hang every man in Texas that didn't let the "sixshooter go." 2—That's all.

While George Bailey of the Dallas News is located at Tyler he will, as staff correspondent, cover both Waco and Tyler for the present. If there is a man in Texas journalism who can stand with one foot in Waco and the other in Tyler, 130 miles east, that man is George Bailey.

Henry Watterson hoists the name of Carlisle since Hill must be New York's candidate. Carlisle is good enough; a man Texas would delight to honor, but over the thoroughbred state of Kentucky the political sky is as clear and cloudless as the ethereal arch that spans the Panhandle of Texas on an average July day.

The "return to the tariff of 1883" plank in Hill's platform is defended by the Times-Herald by the statement that Hill's position was to repeal the McKinley act and the law of 1883 would then be in force. If the adoption of the McKinley act did not repeal the law of 1883, then we have two tariffs. If it did repeal it, then to return to the law of 1883 congress would have to re-enact that law.

### COMPETING WITH ENGLAND.

The London correspondent of the Wool and Cotton Reporter, in the course of an article to that paper says:

"Incidentally it also came out as a fact, that American-made working men's boots could be imported and sold by the retailers, with a fair profit. The explanation given, though no flattery to our national vanity, may also fairly be named; it was that the United States were 25 years ahead of the old country in the use of labor-saving machinery, by means of which the United States manufacturers only paid a little more than half what it costs the English manufacturers for the item of labor in producing boots and shoes."

The Wool and Cotton Reporter is not a political paper but is devoted to the interest of the trade. Its correspondent is there to report faithfully and accurately the conditions of trade. The "fact" that "incidentally" came out was the result of investigations by the Labor Commission now sitting in London. The Democratic party of this country under the leadership of the senatorial triumvirate is afraid, notwithstanding this "fact" which applies to thousands of other products besides boots and shoes, to make an open fight against the protectionists. The United States with her improved labor saving machinery and the superior intelligence and skill of her workmen can compete with the world.

The Sherman Register says: "The Register does not favor Gov. Hogg, and, in fact, has never done so, but it is not prejudiced against him. In the Allee case, recently decided at Austin, the defendant was acquitted. He was charged with the murder of Editor Bowen. Gov. Hogg did his best to have him convicted; wrote letters and made statements calculated to influence a jury against the defendant. The jury of twelve men found the defendant not guilty, and Gov. Hogg was robbed of his campaign thunder. It was a small piece of business for the governor of Texas, and the people are catching on."

The most cruel cut of all was the following resolution passed with a whoop by the Fort Worth Democratic convention, 1000 people, called to nominate a mayor Monday:

Resolved, That the democracy of Fort Worth in convention assembled do indorse the Hon. Roger Q. Mills for the senate of the United States, and do request our members of the legislature and senate from Tarrant county do all in their power to secure his election at the special session of the legislature which convenes in March next.

The Gazette will probably live since New York went Hill bent.

THE NEWS DESIRES TO REMIND the Waco water and light company that their large pipes on Franklin street would hold water better if they were joined together at the ends and buried or something. Every time it rains the water runs right through one and misses the other.

### THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

A Detroit family of Poles assaulted a neighbor under the belief that she is a witch.

Edison denies that he is dissatisfied with the recent big electric deal or was left out in it.

Aaron Hamacher, keeper at the state prison, Jackson, Mich., was convicted of helping prisoners to escape.

Richard Gray, who killed Stephen Grogan, betrayer of Gray's daughter at Covington, Ky., was acquitted.

The American Fraternal Circle, a Maryland institution, is said to be in deep water and nobody knows what to do about it.

A man and woman, tramps, were killed in a wreck on the Big Four near Indianapolis. No one else was seriously injured.

The Hasbrooks and Birchams, two brothers on a side, fought with axes and knives near Vandalia, Ill. One on each side will die.

English ship-builders are taking steps to break up the seamen's and allied unions.

President Carnot called a council of his friends on the cabinet appointments.

### SAUNTERINGS.

W. A. Tuley spent two days here this week and his portly figure and white English chapeau made a conspicuous impression on the Avenue. Mr. Tuley is connected with the Santa Fe route in a responsible capacity and is one of the heavy weights in the railroad world, both in avoirdupois and brains. He is a prominent member of the Elks and was entertained by several of the members at the club rooms. He is a prominent member of Dallas lodge, but paid Waco the compliment by saying she had the most select lodge in Texas.

Among the conspicuous figures that have been observed around the hotel lobbies for several days is that of F. Waltman. He is a great traveller. He is also a politician, a financier, and he is a talker from way back. But no one has ever been known to say that Waltman was uninteresting. He can talk on any subject. He has a vast store house in which he keeps that varied information that every man who travels a great deal always picks up. And he dispenses this information according to the taste of the people with whom he comes in contact. He told me yesterday he was for Clark for governor.

One of the latest sensations in the way of literature is Gunter's novel entitled "A Florida Enchantment." It is about the wickedest thing that has appeared in print since Decameron came from the press. He portrays a peculiarity in human nature that has been treated by scientists. It is a peculiarity that is strongly presented in the Mitchell-Ward case in Memphis. The book is so thoroughly bad that I can not advise anyone to read it. (Now watch the rush for the book stores.)

Nearly everybody in Waco has of course heard Mr. Brann in one of his lectures. They have pleased and entertained a class of people who rarely attend anything that is not strictly orthodox. They were fresh and sparkling; they contained so many gems of truth that that old article was scarcely recognizable by the side of the new. Every sentence he uttered fell like a broad ax on some ones hobby, yet the ax was so sharp that the hobby died without pain and its owner applauded the destroyer of his idol. Mr. Brann is attracting wide attention. His paper, the Iconoclast, is read all over the United States and its circulation is increasing every day. He is a fine talker, but he is a better writer and the Iconoclast is making its editor famous.

### THE SAUNTERER.

#### STRANDED IN NEW YORK.

One Hundred Left Helpless in New York City.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—A party of colored men numbering about 100 arrived here with their families from the Indian Territory on their way to Liberia, Africa. They were a curious looking lot of people and were dressed in all sorts of clothes. The police took them to Stephen Merritt's Mission to give them shelter from the drizzling rain and something to eat. One of the number, George Washington, a venerable dandy, told the story of their wanderings. He said they came from Red Land, L. T., in the Cherokee Nation, sixteen miles from Fort Smith, Ark. Most of them owned property and raised cotton, but the last summer the crop was a failure and they became dissatisfied.

The trip to Liberia had been discussed last June. Rev. Mr. Hill, their pastor, favored the project and consented to go with them as their leader. Rev. Mr. Hill told them that it would cost \$1500 to get to this city and that the steamship company would give them free passage to Africa.

His proposition was accepted. Many of them sold their homes for almost nothing to raise the amount. The money was given to Rev. Mr. Hill. The pastor started out to find accommodations for his people when they arrived, and got lost for a time. He left his family in the ferry house, but could not tell where it was. He went to police headquarters and asked of the police would not try and find them.

Mr. Hill tells a sad story of the people's experience. He said that some time ago he received a circular from a man named Coppinger of Washington, manager of the American Colonization society. The circular stated that negroes could go to Africa free of charge after taking the oath of allegiance to the African government administered here at the custom house. This they found was untrue. The pastor and his people are left here without means, and all of them bereft of home and farms.

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