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Never in the history of Waco was there a stock of buggies displayed as can be found at Tom Padgett's. The finest work, the latest styles and the lowest prices. No trouble to show them. Call and see for yourself. One hundred vehicles in display room

Joe Lehman's for ice cream and confectioneries 117 South Fourth street.

**Go** to Kellum & Lawson for lots in Farwells Heights.

The best restaurant in town, Joe Lehman's, No. 117 South Fourth street.

Sleeper, Clifton & Co., Ladies' Oxford Ties \$2

Ladies Oxford Ties \$2.50, Ladies Oxford Ties \$3.

**Go** to Kellum & Lawson, for all kinds of real estate.

**A Mystery Explained.**

The papers contains frequent notices of rich, pretty and educated girls eloping with negroes, tramps and coachmen. The well known specialist, Dr. Franklin Miles, says all such girls are more or less hysterical, nervous, very impulsive, unbalanced; usually subject to headache, neuralgia, sleeplessness, immoderate crying or laughing. These show a weak nervous system for which there is no remedy equal to Restorative Nervine. Trial bottles and a fine book, containing many marvelous cures, free at H. C. Richer's, who also sell, and guarantees Dr. Miles' celebrated New Heart Cure, the finest of heart tonics. Cures fluttering, short breath, etc.

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Joe Lehman is the most popular restaurant man in Texas. His place 117 South Fourth street.

Dr. Geo. P. Mann, dentist. Full set of upper or lower teeth, \$12.50.

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Dry post oak cord wood, \$3.50; stove wood \$4.50, at Gurley Wood Yard.

**\$2** Warranted shoes at Hilt & Co., 414 Austin street.

The largest stock of screen doors and windows at Curtis & Orand's.

## Millinery

### Display!

On Tuesday, April 12th!

We cordially invite the Ladies of Waco and vicinity to call and examine our Display of Millinery Goods and Trimmed Hats, and critically compare our work and prices with that of other houses.

We make no pretensions at formal openings—which are expensive luxuries that patrons must pay for—but are anxious to demonstrate that First-class Millinery can be sold at 50 per cent. less than is usually charged.

Orders executed on short notice, and satisfaction guaranteed.

We are showing very complete assortments in all Departments and ask the patronage of the public strictly upon the merits of our goods and prices.

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STRICTLY SPOT CASH.

## H. B. Mistrot & Co

N. Eighth and Austin.

Everybody goes to Joe Lenman's when they want a good meal, or ice cream.

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If you want to see the World's Fair see Ray Napier's display of cigars at Hotel Royal.

**HOME.**

**Contentment at Home better than Riches Abroad.**

As the evening shadows darken more deeply the glimmering twilight of a mid-winter day, the curtains are drawn, the shutters closed, the lamps are lit, the coal in the grate piled higher, the easy chairs drawn nearer to the open fire, and the queenly wife, with her beautiful babe in her arms, awaits the coming of her husband and protector. The children, too, await a father's coming with eager appetites, for well they know his arrival will signal the ringing of the supper bell. How warm and pleasant it is indoors this clear, cold night. What enjoyment of peace and contentment hovers around the family fireside. Ah! here is happiness. But here comes Pa, his features lit up

### THE WEAK

with a kindly smile, beneath which, however, can be seen a trace of suffering. Overwork, care and anxiety is breaking down his constitution. He don't sleep well, he don't eat well, he don't feel well. His stomach feels weak, his kidneys feel sore, he aches all over. No, he says he don't want any supper, says he feels tired and will go to bed. Alas, he is a sick man. The morning finds him too ill to go to his office; a doctor is sent for, says he needs rest, and needs it badly. Says he needs a good tonic. Recommends Dr. John Bull's Sarsaparilla. Knows the composition of this remedy, and advises his patient against taking any other. He uses this remedy, quickly recuperates, and every one is happy. When you feel weak and debilitated, when your system craves a tonic, when eating gives you distress and your digestion causes pain, when your back aches and your kidneys seem to be wasting away, take Dr. John Bull's Sarsaparilla and it will give you health and strength again.

### MADE STRONG.

Edward F. Manning, Newport, Ky., writes: "For a year my health had been falling, lost flesh and strength. My weight decreased from 150 lbs. to 145 lbs. I suffered excruciating pain in my back and joints, and rheumatism in my left leg made me a cripple. I was advised to try Dr. Bull's Sarsaparilla, and used in all about ten bottles. From the start I gained in flesh and improved in every way. Now again I feel once more myself. I sincerely believe it saved my life."

"Neglecting a child troubled with worms is cruel. Give it Dr. John Bull's Worm Destroyer. They taste good, are safe, and only cost 25 cents."

"Less than one bottle of Sewer's Tonic Syrup cured me of chills and fever." C. E. Clarke, Frankfort, Mo.

JOHN D. PARK & SONS, Wholesale Agents, 224, 127 and 129 Sycamore St., Cincinnati, O.

## A FLASH IN THE PAN

The Hogg and Commission Meeting Called in Austin Saturday

WAS THE WEAKEST THING YET.

The Extra Session Has Worked Hard and Will Touch Upon all the Subjects in the Governor's Call Except Two—Gerald is Waiting and Watching for the Senate to Act on the I. & G. N. Case—Why Did Gresham go Over to Hogg? is a Question Going the Rounds and the Answer is Forthcoming.

Special Correspondence.

AUSTIN, April 10.—It is barely possible that the International receivership investigation may come up tomorrow or Tuesday, but the chances are rather in favor of the negative of the proposition. Col. Gerald prefers for the senate to take some action before he calls it up in the house and there are several senators who are very much disposed to take some action on the recommendations respectively of the two reports.

Yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock was the time appointed to dispose of it and in the course of the session Senator Sears called it up. Senator Crane at once asked for a call of the senate, which was ordered by the chair. When the call was called it was found that there were only three absentees, Stephens, Harrison and Ingram. Stephens was at home in Wilbarger county, where he was called several days ago on account of the sickness of some member of his family and therefore had been indefinitely excused from attendance. Senators Ingram and Harrison now became the object of the sergeant-at-arms' search and just before the time for adjournment Senator Ingram was found and it was announced by Lubbock that Harrison was sick. He had this information from the first, and why he failed to have Harrison excused when the call was first made is a mystery. Just how Senator Lubbock stands on this question your correspondent does not know. He does know that he is a Hogg man and is very likely to favor the majority report. Senator Harrison says that he was suffering intense pain and made the effort to get to the capital and was feeling so badly that he turned back and asked Lubbock to have him excused. He further says that whenever the vote is taken he will vote for the Garwood or minority report and not only will not shirk the responsibility of his vote, but prefers to cast it according to his convictions of right. Senator Sears says, as far as he is concerned he wants those senators who favor the majority report to know that he and his associates favoring the minority, are now and at all times willing to vote on the question, and if there is any failure of action by the senate it shall not be said that conceived at it. There may be some tenability technically in the position taken by Senator Crane, that there is nothing for the legislature to do, but to entertain propositions of impeachment or address, and to simply express condemnation or exculpation is without and beyond the functions of the legislature, but the fault has been shown and the man is now considered bold who will excuse the conduct of those men who were concerned in that receivership.

Senator Garwood had been absent at his home on account of sickness in his family, but anticipating the calling up of the International investigation he came to Austin and reached the senate chamber just before the matter came up. This bright young senator has won many laurels in this fight, and strange to say there is never heard any language of reproach used toward him, even by those who are directly and indirectly affected by his severe chastisement. Notwithstanding that there was a great hue and cry that the extra session would not be able to compass the entire roster of legislative subject announced in the governor's call, it has come pretty close to it, and deserves favorable mention for the assiduity with which the members have worked. There are only two subjects that will not be treated. They are the "landed corporation" and "judicial districts" subjects. Of course the latter is only incidental to the general judicial subject. As said above, there may not be any action on the International receivership matter. The differences between the senate and house as to which city, Austin or San Antonio, shall be chosen for one of the

locations of one of the civil court of appeals have not been adjusted, but conference committees will be appointed to-morrow which will make short work of it, and indications are now that San Antonio will win the fight.

There is no cause of alarm to the Clark men from the meeting that was held in this city last night in the interest of Hogg and the commission. It was the weakest thing that has happened in the campaign, and the press reports sent out are reliable and correct. There is but one thing that the Clark people must look to and never surrender and that is confidence. A Clark man who expresses doubt about his candidate should be hanged and his place supplied with a wooden man, who will be of as much service. There is little doubt, and your correspondent bears such expressions often about the capital, that as soon as the people of the country become aware of the real attitude of the administration toward railroads, their eyes will open very wide and the bug under the chip will become very visible. As soon as the voter can learn just why Walter Gresham went over to Hogg, he will begin to get the key to the situation.

### BASE BALL.

The Game at Padgett's Park Yesterday—Notes.

The Lone Stars and Majors crossed bats at Padgett's park yesterday in the presence of a good sized audience, and, with some few exceptions, it was very interesting throughout the entire game. The score was fourteen to six in favor of the Lone Stars.

Quite a number of ladies witnessed the game and they showed their appreciation by repeated cheers, which was heartily responded to by the players. The Lone Star is a strong team and win nearly every game they play. With the exception of one or two players they have the best amateur team in the state, and which, no doubt, will be proved before the season is ended.

Mr. Mitchell, manager of the Lone Stars, informs us that from this date they are open for games with any amateur nine in the state.

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What about Waco's pitchers? Let's hear from our neighbor, Hillsboro, and see if we can't arrange a game.

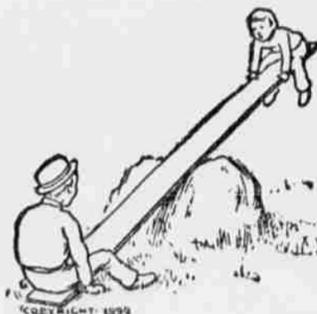
The new uniforms of the Lone Stars was finished Saturday afternoon and the boys came out in "full dress" for Sunday's game.

Waco should be proud of her "Lone Stars." Any city would.

Hughston is competent in any league nine.

Field Captain George Darrah had to leave for Fort Worth Saturday (presumably to see his best girl), but his position was ably filled by Stallard.

Thomas catches with the skill of an old veteran.



Kept up for years—the offer that's made by the proprietors of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy. It's addressed to you, if you have Catarrh. It's a reward of \$500, if they can't cure you, no matter how bad your case, or of how long standing—an offer that's made in good faith by responsible men.

Think what it means! Absolute confidence in their Remedy, or they couldn't afford to take the risk. A long record of perfect and permanent cures of the worst cases—or they couldn't have faith in it. It means no more catarrh—or \$500. If you fail to be cured, you won't fail to be paid.

But perhaps you won't believe it. Then there's another reason for trying it. Show that you can't be cured, and you'll get \$500. It's a plain business offer. The makers of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy will pay you that amount if they can't cure you. They know that they can—you think that they can't. If you're wrong, you get the cash. If you're wrong, you're rid of catarrh.

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## Cheap Lots.

The only cheap lots offered in Waco for the last five years are those now on the market in the Kirkpatrick Addition, East Waco. These lots are being sold for one-half their real value, making a chance to secure a desirable home such as will never occur again.

## Cheap Lots.

These lots lie high and dry. They overlook a large portion of the city and have perfect drainage. They lie in the healthiest part of the city, catching the pure breezes from the prairie untainted by passage over any part of the city.

## Cheap Lots.

These lots have the finest soil, a rich sandy loam, admirable for gardens, and are underlaid with pure water in inexhaustible quantities at a depth of fifteen and sixteen feet, which can be used for irrigation.

## Cheap Lots.

These lots are closer to the center of the city than any other addition, and at the same distance lots are selling for three and five times the price asked for these. There is millions in it for persons of small means. Call on Mrs. or P. G. Kirkpatrick, southwest corner Eighth and Clay street.

All parties desiring plats of the Kirkpatrick addition can obtain them upon application.

For This Week Only.

36 clothes pins, 5c	Wood bucket, 15c
100 poker chips, 30c.	Good suspenders, 10c.
Gallon oil can, 20c	Photo frames, 10c
Chopping bowl 10c	Nut crackers, 10c
Chopping knife, 5c	Bread box, 40c
Muffin pan 10c	Sugar bucket, 35c
Dress shields 10c	Knife box 10c
Pressed wash pan, 20c.	Quart dipper, 5c
Sauce pan and cover, 15c.	Covered sauce pan 10c.
Plush album, 50c	Hanging basket, 20c.
6 lamp wicks, 5c	Sprinklers 25c
Bowl and pitcher, 65c.	Quart pitchers, 10c
3-gal. bucket, 20c	Wire baskets, 10c
Dinner bucket, 20c	1/2 gallon cup, 5c
Coffee mill, 30c	Child's tray 15c

Cummings' 5 and 10 cent store, 703 Austin ave., between Seventh and Eighth street.

**Rules and Regulations at the Park Natatorium.**

Open 6 a. m. to 10 p. m. closed on Sunday night. Pool reserved for ladies exclusively Wednesday evening 2 to 5:30; Saturday morning 9 to 12, Monday night 9 to 10 for ladies and gentlemen, pool party, tub, needle, and vapor baths at all hours for patients and others. Experienced male and female attendants day and night.

TOM PADGETT, Proprietor.  
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**Miles' Nerve and Liver Pills**

Act on a new principle—regulating the liver, stomach and bowels through the nerves. A new discovery. Dr. Miles' Pills speedily cure biliousness, bad taste, torpid liver pills, constipation. Unequaled for men, women, and children. Smallest, mildest, surest. 50 doses 25 cents. Samples free at H. C. Richer & Co's. Drug store 513 Austin avenue

## I Offer

For seven days only, half cash.

Will accept highest bid made:

9 acre garden 1-4 mile of city limits.

4 Room new house on South Twelfth street.

65 acre garden, 40 acres in fruit trees 3 1-2 miles city limits.

I mean business strictly. Am going to sell and no mistake.

I. C. MEEK.

**Dr. Gunn's Onion Syrup.**

This remedy is a sure cure for all diseases of the Throat and Lungs, caused by taking cold. It will stop a cough in one night, no matter how severe.

It is just what its name implies; an onion syrup, compounded in such manner as to do away with the unpleasant taste and odor of the vegetable.

When in need of a cure for a cough or cold, try it. Price 50 cents. Sold by W. B. Morrison & Co.

Dry post oak cord wood, \$3.50; stove wood \$4.50, at Gurley Wood Yard.