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H. & T. C. Time Table, Hearne.
 WEST BOUND.
 No. 1 leaves..... 12:45 a.m.
 No. 2 leaves..... 8:31 a.m.
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 No. 3 leaves..... 5:00 a.m.
 No. 4 leaves..... 4:29 p.m.

BETWEEN HEARNE AND SAN ANTONIO.
 No. 5, leaves Hearne..... 3:05 p.m.
 No. 10, arrives at Hearne..... 11:50 a.m.

H. & T. C. Time Table Hearne.
 NORTH BOUND.
 No. 1 arrives..... 12:50 p.m.
 No. 3 arrives..... 2:45 a.m.

In Florida the railroads give notification of expected frosts by whistling signals, by an arrangement with the government weather bureau. Six long blasts of five seconds each is given every three miles as the train passes through the country, and this indicates that frost can be expected that or the following night.

Secretary Gage is opposed to war with Spain simply for the sake of a ruined battleship and 300 dead soldiers," and says, "The best thing to be done is to drop the question as soon as possible." If this be true—Hanna opposes it—there will be no war if the administration can help it.

Thomas Gathright chapter of the Alpha Phi fraternity met at the opera house yesterday afternoon and Messrs. Walter Wiprecht, H. G. Rhodes and W. J. Coulter were appointed as a committee to solicit subscriptions for the fund to erect a Ross monument on the campus at College.

Capt. Figsbee says that it is too hot in Cuba to use simulators but he keeps cool by using a Wonder Ice Cream Freezer. It freezes while you wait in five minutes. Try one. For sale by Myers, Phone 116.

Dunn & Daly's saloon is being materially improved this week. The walls and ceiling are to be made white which will give a better light in the interior, and show to better advantage the bar fixtures which are handsome and expensive and have every convenience.

Dr. S. B. Reed of Henderson, Ky., has been in the city the past two days prospecting with a view to engaging in the drug business. Dr. Reed formerly lived in Bryan twenty-four years ago when he was quite a young man.

The partial loss of the grape crop in California this year caused by the heavy rains, is estimated to exceed \$1,000,000. Farms and vineyards all over the southern part of the state have suffered.

Sanger's stock of furnishing goods is complete and up-to-date. The young men are invited to call and see how remarkably low we sell these goods. 84

Seventy people in every 1,000 are today drawing pensions and sixty-five million every 1,000 are fed at the pie counters says the Hillside Mirror.

Sanger's shoe department has been fitted up and contains a well selected stock of ladies' and gentlemen's footwear. 84

Wright Casey, the well known negro politician, is lying at the point of death in San Antonio. He has consumption and paralysis.

Sanger's is the place where quality and style combine with the lowest prices to make customers happy. 81

Plumbing and tin roofing, guttering, and all kinds of tin and pipe work a specialty. Phone 110. Myers, 81

The pope of Rome on Sunday completed the twentieth year of his pontificate. It is an interesting fact that upon the day of his election a member of the propaganda jokingly referred to the fact that some of his predecessors had served short periods as supreme pontiff and to this the new pope replied that he would live to celebrate the twentieth anniversary of his election to the vatican. Sunday saw the fulfillment of his prophecy.

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RESOURCES:

Loans and discounts.....	\$171,535 54
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured.....	8,720 27
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation.....	25,000 00
Stocks, securities, etc.....	2,531 69
Banking-house furniture, and fixtures.....	1,625 25
Due from National Banks (not Reserve Agents).....	31,371 61
Due from approved reserve agents.....	6,484 25
Checks and other cash items.....	1,936 01
Notes of other National Banks.....	5,900 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents.....	30 60
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ:	
Specie.....	11,466 00
Legal-tender notes \$2,141 00	43,607 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer, (5 per cent of circulation).....	825 00
Total.....	\$298,873 29

LIABILITIES:

Capital stock paid in.....	\$125,000 00
Surplus fund.....	20,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid.....	1,022 58
National Bank notes outstanding.....	22,500 00
Due to State Banks and Bankers.....	528 87
Individual deposits subject to check.....	125,957 74
Demand Certificates of Deposit.....	3,864 20
Total.....	\$298,873 29

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF BRYAN, ss: J. J. COLE, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. J. COLE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of March 1908.

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A WORD FROM ALGER.

The Secretary of War Explains Secretary Long's Assertion.

PUBLIC HAS ALL THE FACTS.

Secretary Alger Says the Government is Keeping Back No News From the People in Regard to the Wreck of the Maine.

Washington, March 3.—The Washington Post prints the following interview with Secretary of War Alger: "The statement of Secretary Long that Spain's official participation in the disaster to the Maine has been 'practically eliminated' was merely an expression of personal opinion on his part. It is an injustice to him as well as to the administration to give an official significance to his expression, when he was particular at the time to emphasize the fact that he was speaking simply as an individual. In the absence of official facts, I can repeat what has been said heretofore, that the public is equally as well informed as the administration. No member of the cabinet can make official declaration touching Spain's responsibility, oral or otherwise. There is not an iota of information as to the cause or origin of the explosion on which the government can, at this time, form a conclusion or base a decision. The verdict of the court of inquiry on that point must be patiently awaited."

Beyond this Secretary Alger would not be quoted, but he authorized the Post to state positively that no official information was being withheld from the public, that the administration was adhering strictly to the policy adopted by Secretary Long with the approval of the president, to give the fullest possible publicity to all facts coming officially to the department bearing upon the loss of the Maine and its crew.

THE MERRITT ARRIVES.

Goes to Work on the Wreck of the Maine at Havana.

Havana, March 3.—The wrecking tug I. J. Merritt of the Merritt & Chapman Wrecking and Dredging company, commanded by Captain D. A. Wolcott, has arrived here from New York and commenced work. Fred J. Sharp is here in charge of the company. The Merritt is a powerful boat, but another and bigger tug is expected here shortly. The Right Arm will remain as long as she can be useful. The wrecking company expects to keep four expert divers at work.

Two Spanish divers were at work about the wreck yesterday, and it is understood they will report to the Spanish board of inquiry. Captain Peral is president of the Spanish board of inquiry.

It is reported that Captain Sigsbee does not expect to find any of the dead in the zones of the explosion, but he still believes that bodies will be recovered from portions of the wreck as the divers remove the debris.

The divers, who are working steadily to the forward, are encountering continual difficulties, and it is certain that the new tugs, additional men and a complete apparatus will hasten the work of salvage.

FAMOUS CASE REVIVED.

The Killing of Sheriff Cross and Three Deputies in 1886.

Topoka, March 3.—Several leading Kansas have sent letters to Washington asking the Federal government to dismiss indictments pending against six Stevens county men sentenced to death in Paris, Tex., in 1886, for their complicity in the famous Haystack murders. The United States supreme court several years ago, reversed the Texas court decision and remanded the cases. The cases had never been tried since, and it was supposed that they had been dropped. Recently Sam Robinson who was concerned in the murders, but who escaped to Colorado, where he was landed in the penitentiary for robbing the mail, was pardoned, returned to Texas and was arrested on the old charge. This reopened the case, making it very probable that the six convicted men, C. E. Cook, Oren Cook, Cyrus Frew, Jack Lawrence, and John Johnson, would again have to stand trial. The case is one of the most famous in Kansas history. It originated on the Arkansas-Kansas border in 1886. It turned on a county seat war and ended in the killing of Sheriff Cross and three deputies. After the conviction of the six men named, public sentiment became strongly in their favor and later many Kansas state legislators and others asked the president to pardon them, but without avail. However, the cases had not come to trial.

It is probable that Robinson will be tried, but the other men have been released from jail on bond and are employed in various pursuits, some in Kansas, the Cooks in the east. They have many friends in Kansas and elsewhere who are anxious that they should not be compelled to stand another trial.

VALUABLE CITY PROPERTY AT A BARGAIN.

The old homestead of the late COL. A. C. L. HILL, near the Graded School Building, and containing about one Acre of land.

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Veterans' Meeting.
 Camp J. B. Robertson met yesterday afternoon with a good attendance, Commander R. K. Chatham in the chair. On motion Mayor Adams, Gen. H. B. Stoddard and Judge Harman were appointed a committee to confer and act in accord with the daughters of the confederacy and ascertain how much money can be raised for the Ross monument.

Messrs. J. N. Cole, J. J. Adams, S. M. Derden, J. W. Goe, B. F. Leman, M. Parker, T. P. Boyett, W. B. Baker, Chas. Patterson and Col. R. K. Chatham were appointed a committee to communicate with the committees at Waco and College having in charge the Ross monuments and to report to the camp as to the disposition of the fund between the two committees.

Capt. J. J. Adams, Gen. Stoddard and M. Parker were appointed a committee to draft resolutions on the death of Gen. W. B. Sayers.

By vote of the camp the commander was instructed to confer with Gen. Moorman and through him with Gen. Gordon respecting the appointment of a successor to Gen. Sayers.

The committees were instructed to report to the commander next Thursday, and the next regular meeting was set for Saturday, March 19, 2 p. m. in city hall.

Lost—A Shetland pony bridle; return to Robt. Tabor Jr. 84

Rain and Hail Do Great Damage to the Coast Country.

Rockport, Tex., March 3.—The worst electrical storm that has visited this section took place here Tuesday night, and for several hours the lightning kept the heavens as light as day. The storm was accompanied by rain, the heaviest in parts of this and adjoining counties ever known, and the gardens of this section suffered severely by hail.

At Amaras Pass there was a regular cloudburst, the water standing several inches deep all over the ground; the sectionhouse was struck by lightning and mills and outhouses blown down and other damage done.

At Faltou the schooner Box and several smaller boats went ashore.

No report of damage in other adjoining towns has been received.

Prince Albert Coming Over.

London, March 3.—Prince Albert of Belgium embarked for America Wednesday on the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, accompanied by Colonel Jungblut, Dr. Mellis, his private physician, and two servants. Colonel Jungblut says the tour of the prince was more for study than pleasure. He expects to study the United States government methods, to visit the factories, mines and farms and to observe the people of the United States in their habits, thought and manner of living, all of which he added, would be useful for the prince's future.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

The House Closes the Debate on the Land Measure.

Washington, March 3.—Debate on the Land bill, relating to second class mail matter, closed in the house today.

The bill passed to authorize the Mississippi, Hamburg and Western railway to construct a bridge across the layout at Hartsholow, Ark.

White, (Rep., N. C.) the only colored member of the house, asked unanimous consent for the consideration of a resolution appropriating \$1000 for immediate relief for the family of the colored postmaster at Lake City, S. C., who was assaulted and killed by a mob. Speaker Reed put the request for White.

Mr. Bartlett (Dem., Ga.) demanded the regular order. Many Republican members cried out, "No," "No!" but the Georgia member did not yield.

"The gentleman from Georgia demands the regular order," said the speaker.

"That is equivalent to objecting."

Washington, March 3.—In the senate the resolution providing for congressional investigation into the murder of the postmaster at Lake City, S. C., and his family and the burning of his home, was laid before the senate.

Mr. Lodge sent to the clerk's desk to have read, a communication from William Henry Ferris of Harvard Divinity school, giving the proceedings of a mass-meeting of colored citizens at Boston held on Feb. 28, to express abhorrence of the action of the South Carolina mob.

Mr. Allen charged Mr. Lodge with introducing politics into the discussion of the resolution, and thought the communication ought not to be read by the clerk. The communication was read, however, and then Mr. Lodge said there was no question of politics in the communication so far as he was aware.

Mr. McLaughlin of South Carolina said he hoped the resolution would go to the committee without discussion. The state authorities were exceedingly active in their investigation of crime and he was assured every effort was being made to bring the perpetrators of the outrage to justice. He then had read a clipping from a Columbia (S. C.) newspaper to show the people of South Carolina were not only not in sympathy with those who committed the crime, but keenly reproached it.

Mr. Hawley of Connecticut said the crime is clearly brought within Federal jurisdiction by the fact that it was Federal officials who had been murdered and the government's property that was destroyed. He expressed the opinion that the Federal authorities ought to maintain a close watch upon the proceedings.

The resolution was then referred to the committee on contingent expenses.

HALE HAS CHARGES.

Wants the Confirmation of Webster Flanagan Held Up.

Washington, March 3.—In the executive session of the senate Senator Hale moved to reconsider the vote by which the nomination of Webster Flanagan be collector of internal revenue for the Third district of Texas was confirmed. In entering the motion Mr. Hale said he had received letters, saying that while Mr. Flanagan had been confirmed, he merely asked consideration in order to permit an investigation. Senators Mills and Chilton of Texas opposed the motion, saying that while they did not agree politically with Mr. Flanagan they thought his confirmation should stand. The motion was not acted upon.

The nominations of James Haynes to be collector of customs for the district of Corpus Christi, and Moses Dillon to be collector of customs for the district of El Paso, were also included in Mr. Hale's motion for reconsideration.

Whole Committee Against Deans.
 Washington, March 3.—The senate committee on commerce decided by a unanimous vote to report adversely the nomination of Henry Deans to be naval officer at New Orleans.

Sabine Pass a Port of Entry.
 Washington, March 3.—The house committee on ways and means made favorable report on a bill making Sabine Pass, Tex., a port of entry.

The Brownwell internal revenue bill, which has been attracting great attention among distilling interests, was discussed. The general opinion expressed was that the latter outrage and allowance was inseparably connected with general internal revenue legislation and that it was not advisable to take up the matter until the committee should be prepared to enter upon a general revision of the internal revenue system.

Blaze at Ennis.
 Ennis, Tex., March 3.—The Hotel Main, E. J. Paull proprietor, was destroyed by fire yesterday. The building was of brick to the third floor; the top story was of sheet iron. The building and furniture were owned by A. M. Morrison and valued at about \$10,000; insured for \$5000. From the hotel the fire spread to Hamilton & Co.'s feed store and warehouse, which was damaged \$300 by fire and water; loss unappreciated.

A storage house belonging to the Houston and Texas Central Railroad company, and also a cotton seed house by the railroad track, were burned. The freight depot caught fire in several places but was saved from burning.

Brazil's New President.
 Rio de Janeiro, March 3.—Senor Campesinos has been elected president and Senor Rosas has been elected vice president of Brazil by a large majority. The opposition in Rio de Janeiro abstained from voting. There was no disorder.

Fight Declared Off.
 Little Rock, March 3.—The 15-round glove contest between Kid McCoy and Nick Barley, scheduled to take place at Hot Springs, has been declared off on account of interference by the state authorities.

Swearing-in Improving.
 Austin, March 3.—The condition of State Health Officer Swearing-in is improved and he is able to sit up for a while. It is intended to move Dr. Swearing-in to Galveston to undergo a surgical operation at the Sealy hospital.

Fatally Struck.
 Houston, March 3.—A fatal and desperate fight occurred here over a game of cards in a saloon on Washington street between two negro men, in which Lee Dunn was stabbed twice. He died instantly.

Dynamite Shipped to Florida.
 Cincinnati, March 3.—Two tons of dynamite were shipped from here to Pensacola. The shipping firm declines to say whether it was shipped on government account or to private dealers.

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Charles Kuzadt Must Hang.

Dallas, March 3.—The court of criminal appeals has affirmed the case of Charles Kuzadt, from Washington county. Kuzadt was given the death penalty for murder, the victim being the sister of the condemned man. He was convicted on circumstantial evidence solely, and the case was hotly contested.

Shot and Killed.
 Huntsville, Tex., March 3.—A colored woman named Carrie Meton was shot and killed at her home in Rogersville, a colored suburb of Huntsville. Her head was literally blown off her body. A negro ex-convict named Asberry Spencer was arrested about a mile from town and locked up in the penitentiary.

Wright Casey Dying.
 San Antonio, March 3.—Wright Casey is lying at the point of death in this city. All hope of his recovery has been abandoned and death is expected at any moment. He has been suffering for years with consumption, but recently he has suffered an attack of paralysis and is unable to move his limbs.

Charles Calvert Hanged.
 West Point, Miss., March 3.—Charles Calvert was hanged here for the murder of his wife. He was entirely self-possessed up to the last and made a speech from the gallows confessing his guilt and saying he deserved his punishment. About 3000 people, mostly colored, witnessed the execution.

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