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TWENTY TEXANS MEET DEATH.

Million-Dollar Loss from Turbulent Rivers in Central Texas.

Dallas, Texas, Dec. 4.—Rain continued to fall to-day over Central Texas flood districts, adding menace to high waters, which already have cost 20 lives and about \$1,000,000 property damage. The area of overflowing rivers spread rapidly over night, the most important new point to be overflowed being San Antonio. The San Antonio river went out of banks and has flooded large sections of the city. Many persons are being carried from their homes by rescuing parties. Much damage was done there, but no fatalities are reported. The water this forenoon began to recede almost as rapidly as it had come up, saving San Antonio from imminent danger of having its water supply shut off by flooding of the pumping plant.

List of Dead.

The death list caused by the flood was:
At Belton, five members of the Polk family.
At Brownwood, D. Lyton.
At Dallas, B. F. Lacy.
At Grand Prairie, ———, Manly.
At Highbank, near Martin, two negroes.
At Austin, three unidentified men reported drowned.
The floods to-day covered portions of nearly every county in a line drawn northward from San Antonio almost to the Panhandle, and extending eastward from this line to include all the important cities of North and Central Texas. Houston, Beaumont and Galveston alone were not threatened.

The territory affected was so widespread that, although the homeless numbered thousands, there were comparatively few of them in each district, so that no serious relief problems were presented. Trees standing in swift water presented a serious problem to the rescuers, and at least one person has lost his life from being swept against their trunks. No fatalities have been reported from among the hundreds who took to the trees.

The death list was pushed up to 20 to-day when seven negroes were drowned at Hearne, when the Brazos river rise reached that city. Boats were out this afternoon at Hearne rescuing many persons caught in their homes. Hearne is about sixty miles south of Waco.

Brazos River Floods Waco.

Waco, Texas, Dec. 3.—The Brazos river flood passed all previous records here to-day when it touched 36 feet, 4 inches, and still was rising. East Waco, the old portion of the city, with about 10,000 inhabitants, had 10 feet of water in its principal streets. This section began flooding last night when a levee broke. Ample warning to move out was given before there was any danger of loss of life.

Floods Sweep Antonio.

San Antonio, Texas, Dec. 4.—Floods which have driven thousands of persons from their homes in other parts of Texas reached San Antonio to-day when the river here went out of its banks and inundated several sections of the city. Rescuing parties, hastily organized, began carrying the marooned to safety. The damage to property was considerable. No life loss has been reported here.

Loss of Life Reaches 40.

Dallas, Texas, Dec. 5.—Five hundred persons are reported clinging to trees in the vicinity of Hearne, the center of the flood district, to-day. Hundreds are said to have taken refuge in cotton ginning buildings, which are the most substantial houses on many plantations. Many houses are washed away.

The death list is now known to be about 40, perhaps much larger, as many bodies are reported floating down the Brazos river.

The situation in North Texas is improving.

Finley Estate \$185,000.

Washington, Dec. 5.—The late Wm. W. Finley, president of the Southern Railway, left an estate valued at \$185,000, according to the will, made last March, and died to-day. A life interest is devised to his wife, Lillie Davis Finley, and at her death it goes in trust to the five children. Should Mrs. Finley remarry the trust created becomes immediately effective.

Mr. Finley explained in his will that this latter provision was inserted at the special request of his wife and not on account of any lack of confidence. In proof of this the testator in the following sentence appointed his wife as executrix.

Real estate in this city and a farm in Panola county, Virginia, valued at \$125,000 and insurance, stocks and bonds, valued at \$60,000, comprise the estate.

To Cure a Cold in One Day
Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. It stops the Cough and Headache and works off the Cold. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. W. GROVE'S signature on each box, 25c.

UNION'S NEW LECTURER.

President Barrett Announces the Appointment of Radford, of Texas.

Atlanta, Dec. 8.—President Barrett, of the National Farmers' Educational and Co-operative Union of America, has announced the appointment of Peter Radford, ex-president of the Texas Farmers' Union, as national lecturer, with headquarters at Fort Worth, Texas. Mr. Radford's department will do educational and organization work and he will handle publicity work for the National Union, discussing, through the press, agricultural questions from the standpoint of the men who follow the plow.



PETER RADFORD, Ex-President Texas Farmers' Union.

The National Union now has approximately four million active members, and has State organizations in 23 States and local unions in 33 States.

California Woman Seriously Alarmed.

"A short time ago I contracted a severe cold which settled on my lungs and caused me a great deal of annoyance. I would have had coughing spells and my lungs were so sore and inflamed I began to be seriously alarmed. A friend recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, saying she had used it for years. I bought a bottle and it relieved my cough the first night, and in a week I was rid of the cold and soreness of my lungs," writes Miss Marie Gerber, Sawtelle, Cal. For sale by all dealers.

ANOTHER WRECK ON SEABOARD.

Freight Train and Switch Engine Collide—Engineer Brinkley Killed.

Columbia, Dec. 5.—Engineer O. L. Brinkley was killed and the negro fireman, Dixon, badly injured when a freight train on the Seaboard Air Line ran into the rear end of a switch engine, which was backing out of a switch at the end of the long trestle over the Congaree river, in the city limits of Columbia, early this morning.

Conductor C. B. Orrell, Engineer D. P. Cornwell and Flagman Mann, of the freight train, were all seriously injured and were taken to the hospital for treatment. The fireman of the freight train was among the injured.

The accident happened early this morning and its cause has not yet been known. The long freight train was just clearing the trestle, coming into the station in the city limits, when it smashed into the switch engine. The switch engine and tender were demolished. The engineer of the freight was hurled from the track and the cab of one flat car of lumber demolished.

The dead engineer had been in the service of the company for several years.

Death of Mrs. Susie Owen.

(Anderson Mail.)

Mrs. Susie Owen died in the hospital at Columbia last Sunday afternoon. Her body was taken to Central Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Owen was 23 years old. She was a native of Anderson county. She was a daughter of the late E. H. Hopkins, of Seneca, and about seven years ago she married J. B. Owen, a son of E. Lee Owen. She was a strong member of the Methodist church.

She is survived by her husband and two small children, mother and two brothers, Frank and Jule Hopkins.

Her remains were laid to rest in Mount Zion cemetery, Central.

GIRLS! THICKEN AND BEAUTIFY YOUR HAIR.

Bring Back Its Gloss, Lustre, Charm and Get Rid of Dandruff—Try the Moist Cloth.

To be possessed of a head of heavy, beautiful hair; soft, lustrous, fluffy, wavy and free from dandruff is merely a matter of using a little Danderine.

It is easy and inexpensive to have nice hair and lots of it. Just get a 2-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine now—all drug stores recommend it—apply a little as directed and within ten minutes there will be an appearance of abundance; freshness, fluffiness and an incomparable gloss and lustre, and try as you will you cannot find a trace of dandruff or falling hair; but your real surprise will be after about two weeks' use, when you will see new hair—fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—sprouting all over your scalp—Danderine is, we believe, the only sure hair grower; destroyer of dandruff and cure for itchy scalp, and it never fails to stop falling hair at once.

If you want to prove how pretty and soft your hair really is, moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. Your hair will be soft, glossy and beautiful in just a few moments—a delightful surprise awaits every one who tries this.

NEGRO SMOTHERED TO DEATH.

Had Gone to Sleep Beneath the Oil Mill Overflow Flue.

(Anderson Mail, 5th.)

Eugene Williams, a negro about 30 years old, was smothered to death at the Farmers' Oil Mill some time Thursday night by being covered with about two tons of cotton seed. He was missed this morning, and a search resulted in his being found at 5 o'clock Friday morning beneath the overflow from the cotton seed flue, where he had apparently lain down to sleep, being covered by seed and smothered to death.

Williams' body was removed, and Coroner J. H. Hardin made an investigation. An examination was made by a physician, and as a result of this it was decided that an inquest was unnecessary; that the negro's death had come as the result of his own carelessness in lying down beneath the overflow flue in the oil mill.

The negro had no near relatives here who were interested, and will be buried at the county home this afternoon, the expense. It is said that he had boasted that he had been on the county roads seven times, and was not to be notified of Williams' death, but declined to have anything to do with the burial of the body.

It is supposed that Williams was not awakened by the seed pouring in on him until the weight was such that he was unable to get out.

Not Beyond Help at 87.

Sleep-disturbing bladder weakness, stiffness in joints, weak, inactive kidney action and rheumatic pains, are all evidence of kidney trouble. Mrs. Mary A. Dean, 47 E. Walnut St., Taunton, Mass., writes: "I have passed my 87th birthday, and thought I was beyond the reach of medicine, but Foley Kidney Pills have proved most beneficial in my case." Bell's drug store. adv.

25 KILLED; SCORES INJURED.

Victims Caught Like Rats in a Trap in Boston Lodging House.

Boston, Dec. 4.—Twenty-five men were killed in a fire which swept through the upper floors of the Arcadia Hotel, a lodging house in the southern portion of Boston early yesterday. Others are missing. Scores were taken to hospitals suffering from burns and injuries received in jumping from windows.

Nearly all the bodies were terribly burned and mutilated, making identification impossible. The victims were men in poor circumstances who had resorted to the place for a night's lodging. Caught in the crowded bunks on the top floor of the five-story brick building and in the small rooms on the fourth floor they were helpless. When they were aroused the stairways were in flames and there was a mad rush for the fire escapes at the rear. Practically all the men were naked.

Many were rescued by the firemen and police. Some escaped by walking a shaky plank stretched to an adjoining building or by jumping across a five-foot alley to neighboring roofs. The property loss is only \$25,000. The Arcadia was located at the corner of Washington and Laconia streets. The lower floors were occupied by stores.

No "Tobac" for Preachers.

Charlotte, Dec. 1.—Preachers ordained hereafter by the Western North Carolina Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, will not be allowed to use tobacco, the conference at to-day's session taking this action after a hard fight.

HAD CATARRH FIVE YEARS.

Mr. Johnson of St. Elmo, Illinois, was troubled five years with catarrh. The catarrh was so severe in his case that his life seemed threatened. As he expresses it himself, he had "one foot in the grave."

Of course he tried to get relief. Many practitioners were consulted and a catarrh specialist in St. Louis was tried. He got so weak and thoroughly run down that he declares he could not walk more than a hundred yards without resting.

Few people understand that catarrh is a constant drain on the system. The discharge of mucus which is going on in such cases is largely composed of blood serum, and is a great waste. Sooner or later it will weaken the strongest man.

According to reports received from Mr. Johnson, he was in a desperate condition, but he found relief from his trouble. We will let him say how he found it. His own words say: "My friends told me to take Peruna, and I did so. I now feel that Peruna has saved my life. It is the best medicine on earth, and I would not be without it."

This seems almost too good to be true. No doubt there are some readers that will think so. The above statements, however, can be verified by writing Mr. Johnson.

Every home should be provided with the latest edition of "The Ills of Life," sent free by the Peruna Co., Columbus, Ohio.

Ask Your Druggist for Free Peruna Lucky Day Almanac for 1914.



MR. S. S. JOHNSON, St. Elmo, Illinois.

CLEMSON EXTENSION WORK.

Press Bulletin No. 134—Farmers' Short Course in Agriculture.

The four weeks' winter course in agriculture will begin January 13, 1914, and will continue until February 10. All who intend taking this course should report Monday, January 12.

It is an established fact that a farm can no longer be run successfully in the old-time, haphazard fashion. Science and brains applied to farming so increase the yield and improve its quality as to make some knowledge of the underlying principles of scientific farming essential to the successful farmer of to-day. While it is realized that the four-year course is none too long to give a boy a foundation which will insure success in farming, it is clearly seen that there are many practical farmers who have neither the time nor the means to devote four years to the college course, and who would be greatly benefited by a few weeks spent at the college. It is to meet such a demand that Clemson College offers this short course of four weeks. The work will be extremely practical. Lectures will be given on cotton growing and cotton grading, rotation of crops, production of grasses and forage crops, the breeding and feeding of live stock, dairying, fertilizers (their composition, application and home mixing); hog cholera and the use of hog cholera serum; tick eradication, control of contagious diseases (both plant and animal). In addition to the lectures, practical work will be given in judging live stock, testing milk, butter making, budding and grafting, the making of cuttings, laying off the orchards and vineyards, the planting, pruning and treating of fruit trees, vines and ornamental shrubbery, the growing of vegetables, and the construction of cold frames and hot beds. These courses will be supplemented with special illustrated lectures given during the evenings by members of the teaching staff, and will include talks and discussions on plant diseases, injurious insects and methods of controlling them, plant breeding, seed selection, gulleys and its prevention; terracing, road making, etc.

This course is open to all farmers and farmers' sons of South Carolina. There are no entrance requirements except a desire on the part of those entering to increase their knowledge of farm operations and farm management. The only expenses will be railway fare and \$10 for room and board.

If more information is desired, write to the Director of the Agricultural Department, Clemson College.

"CASCARETS" ALWAYS STRAIGHTEN YOU UP.

If Costive, Headachy, Bilious, Stomach Sour, Breath Bad—Clean Your Liver and Bowels.

Get a 10-cent box now. You men and women who can't get feeling right—who have headache, coated tongue, foul taste and foul breath, dizziness, can't sleep, are bilious, nervous and upset, bothered with a sick, gassy, disordered stomach, or have headache and feel worn-out.

Are you keeping your bowels clean with Cascarets, or merely forcing a passage every few days with salts, cathartic pills or castor oil?

Cascarets work while you sleep; cleanse the stomach; remove the sour, undigested, fermenting food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry out the system all the constipated waste matter and poison in the bowels.

A Cascaret to-night will straighten you out by morning—a 10-cent box from any drug store will keep your stomach sweet; liver and bowels regular, and head clear for months. Don't forget the children. They love Cascarets because they taste good—never gripe or sicken.

A Real Thanksgiving.

Mountain Rest, R. F. D. No. 1, Dec. 3.—Special: In accordance with a time-honored custom of our forefathers, and in compliance with the proclamations of the President of the United States and of the Governor of our State, we gave thanks on Thursday, November 27th, at the home of Rev. and Mrs. M. J. Moore. The services were conducted by W. P. Barker, and there were about 100 present. It seemed that everybody present enjoyed the services and all went away rejoicing.

Rev. F. T. Burton was present, and Rev. M. J. Moore and F. T. Burton have held services in the community each night since, up to Sunday night, when the services closed, with three accessions to Long Creek church. This is much to be thankful for.

Baptism will be administered to the candidates on the third Sunday in December.

Abbeville Supt. Ed. Resigns.

Abbeville, Dec. 5.—W. R. Bradley, superintendent of education for Abbeville county, has been appointed a deputy collector under Collector of Internal Revenue Heyward. He recently stood the civil service examination and was successful. He has resigned as superintendent of education.

E. C. Horton has announced his candidacy for superintendent of education to succeed Mr. Bradley.

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THANKSGIVING AT OCONEE INN. THE TOWNES-LOOPER WEDDING. The New Host Gave His Patrons a Fine Bill of Fare. The Bride Well Known in Walhalla, Married Last Tuesday. Those who were so fortunate as to dine at the Oconee Inn, Seneca, on Thanksgiving Day were treated to a royal spread by Landlord Norman on that festive occasion. The menu, given below, was all to be desired and would have done credit to any metropolitan hotel. Menu: Blue Points. Mixed Pickles. Queen Olives. Cream of Tomato Soup. White Plumbe Celery. Roast of Native Beef Au Jus. Stuffed with Oysters. Cranberry Sauce. Waldorf Salad. Banana Fritters. Vanilla Sauce. (In Orange Cases.) Carolina Head Rice. White Potatoes Au Gratin. Candied Sweet Potatoes. Stewed Tomatoes. Boston Baked Beans. Escalloped Corn. Corn Bread and Butter Milk. White Bread. Ambrosia. Pumpkin Custard. Fruit Cake. Pound Cake. Coconut Cake. Chocolate Cake. Apples, Oranges, Bananas, Grapes. Tea. Coffee. Milk. Nuts. Raisins. Cheese. Denver Snowbound—24 Inches. Denver, Colo., Dec. 4.—Denver is snowbound to-night. At 8 o'clock the weather bureau reported 24 inches of snow had fallen, with no prospect of cessation for ten hours. Since midday street car traffic has been blocked. Thousands were marooned in the downtown district to-night. Suburban and overland trains were hours late. Millionaires Hunt Without License. Columbia, Dec. 4.—A nephew of Andrew Carnegie and a son of the late Russell Sage were arrested by the chief game warden at Camden today for hunting in South Carolina without a license. The cases were settled out of court on the payment of \$50 by each of the young men.

Rheumatism, Sprains Backache, Neuralgia. "Yes, daughter, that's good stuff. The pain in my back is all gone—I never saw anything work as quickly as Sloan's Liniment." Thousands of grateful people voice the same opinion. Here's the proof. Relieved Pain in Back. "I was troubled with a very bad pain in my back for some time. I went to a doctor but he did not do me any good, so I purchased a bottle of Sloan's Liniment, and now I am a well woman. I always keep a bottle of Sloan's Liniment in the house."—Miss Martha Cotton, 204 Myrtle Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y. Sciatic Rheumatism. "We have used Sloan's Liniment for over 25 years and found it the best we ever used. When my wife had sciatic rheumatism the only thing that did her any good was Sloan's Liniment. We cannot praise it highly enough."—Mrs. Perigo, Des Moines, Iowa. Sprained Ankle Relieved. "I was ill for a long time with a severely sprained ankle. I got a bottle of Sloan's Liniment and now I am able to be about and can walk a great deal. I write this because I think you deserve a lot of credit for putting such a fine Liniment on the market and I shall always take time to recommend Dr. Sloan's Liniment."—Mrs. Chas. House, Baltimore, Md. At all Dealers—25c., 50c. and \$1.00. Sloan's instructive book on horses, cattle, hogs and poultry sent free. Address Dr. Earl S. Sloan, Inc., Boston, Mass.