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**WACO.**

**More About the Consolidation of the Two Baptist Universities—A Meeting Called.**

**Two Trains Daily—Goes With the Santa Fe—Arrested for Sending Obscene Literature by Mail.**

**Special to the Gazette.**

WACO, TEX., Oct. 31.—Supplementary to the information telegraphed you yesterday relative to the consolidation of Baylor and Waco universities, it may be stated that Hon. L. L. Foster, president of the Baptist State association, has called an extra session of that body, to convene at Ennis on Saturday before the fourth Sunday in November. At said meeting a committee of fifteen will be appointed to meet with another committee of fifteen (already appointed) from the state Baptist convention. These two committees will meet on December 15, at some point yet to be named, and in all probability then and there the question of unification and location will be decided. The Waco Baptists are fully alive to the critical nature of the emergency.

J. J. Marsh of Limestone was brought here by Deputy United States Marshal Walker of Mexia this morning. He is charged with sending letters of an obscene nature through the United States mails. He gave bond in the sum of \$200 to await the action of the United States grand jury. John Drake of Eastland county, the stage robber, also arrived this morning, in charge of Deputy Marshal Hall. Drake's bond has been raised to \$500, which sum he cannot give.

Commencing with to-morrow the Houston & Texas Central road will commence running double daily trains, morning and evening, from Waco to Walnut Springs. At the latter place an accommodation train, double-daily, will be run via Cisco to Albany.

George Helm, for some time roadmaster of the Texas & St. Louis railroad, has resigned that place to accept the position of trainmaster on the Houston & Navasota division of the Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe railroad, with headquarters at Temple.

The banks report that farmers are depositing their money in Waco more generally than for a long time past. The recent highway robberies have waked up the grangers who were wont to sell their cotton here and carry the money home with them.

Three wealthy business men, Messrs. Tibbs, Parker and Brimingham, have put on foot to establish a wholesale saddlery and buggy house in Waco. There are several such establishments here, but none on the large scale now proposed.

Cotton buyers are all at sea to-day over a further decline of six points in outside markets. Transactions were cautious. Receipts to date, 25,500 bales.

Senator Coke states that he will use his best efforts to have work commenced on the federal building here at the earliest practicable date. The people have been grumbling some at the delay.

The attached stock of dry goods of Julius Marx was sold by the sheriff today to the highest bidder for cash. It involved \$4500.

Mrs. Mollie E. Moore Davis of New Orleans, the Southern poetess, is in the city and leaves for her home in the Crescent City to-morrow.

The celebrated "Shirley snip" for \$150,000, against the Houston & Texas Central railroad, will not go to the jury until Monday.

New pecans are coming in plentifully. They are worth \$2.25 to \$2.75 per bushel.

Weather almost as warm as summer today.

**A LETTER FROM THE MOON.**

**Something to Expand the Diaphragms of the Sunday Readers of THE GAZETTE.**

**COPERNICUS IN THE MOON, Oct. 28.**

DEAR GAZETTE:—I am a dainty victim and for two or three days have been away on a trip to the moon. Now, you well know the moon is always an interesting object, except to lovers, who sometimes would have it curtailed, but I never imagined in my wildest delirium hallucinations that old Luna was such a talkative as I have found it to be. I find the man in the moon to be a myth, but in turning over the clam shells in one of the back yards in Copernica I find some peculiar hieroglyphics thereon, similar to the cuneiform decipherment to be found on the Egyptian obelisk now in Central park, New York, and have come to the conclusion that the moon was at one time a part of old Mother Earth and flew off from it during the flood, or that it was detached from Pecos county by Gov. Ireland to prevent the inhabitants from promoting immigration and their descendants from elbowing each other into the sea; and, as I shall subsequently show you, the governor's ex-cart statesmanship has followed this terrestrial fragment and even now the city council is deliberating whether or not they shall launch one heading into the sea of space. Fix a soft spot for me to fall on, for I have my eyes on THE GAZETTE office.

A man is very foolish to go prying into other worlds, even to avoid dengue, but as Luna here I will tell you something about the people I have met since my arrival.

I am now on a mountain, which your astronomical reporter would call the cyclopean of "man in the moon," and around me is a lot of moss-backs who want to know what the devil I want here anyhow. They don't want the secrets of the moon divulged to the dwellers on earth and say they have population and knowledge enough for their own protection. They fear the immense circulation of THE GAZETTE will cause a flow of immigration to their country. If I write you a letter; but to return to my subject.

The atmosphere is so light here that if Casey's Swansey colored porter "sash" were placed on a pair of scales he would weigh about thirty-three and one-third pounds avoirdupois. Terrestrial mortals think there is no water on the moon, but that is not true. There is plenty of water here, but it is concealed in huge basins within craters like that which you take for the mouth of the "man in the moon."

There is a "Kentucky" province on the side opposite from you where genuine old xxx is made in vats big as a Texas lease-pasture. This province is ruled by a red-headed magistrate named Billsterott, who lives at a small x-roads town named Dallas. This to you is also noted as the home of Barney Gibbs, the champion political straddler, who has gotten on both sides of everything in the moon except the Lycho mountain peak which is the Vesuvius of the republic and as hot as one of Coke's prohibition speeches.

**Robes and Whips.**

When you have bought a winter lap-robe and a fine whip from Tackabery,

410 Main Street, Dallas, Tex.

Like Fort Worth, Copernica, the capital of the moon, is struggling over its water-works, which were built by a private corporation headed by a man named Jones or Smith, I don't remember which. After running the works for some time, the corporation went into the city council and offered to sell out to the city. His honor, Mayor Smythe, and all the council members but one favored the proposition. The dissenting councilman was named Handrows, and he denounced the bargain in the council chamber, but he was voted down and half the works were purchased from a mythical personage who lived in the state of Illinois. Then there arose a cry from the chief lawyer of the city, Frankball, who printed in a paper called the Gazette of Luna a letter stating that the council had no right to purchase the bonds. His legal lore has never been answered, and the city council subsequently purchased the other half of the water-works and the taxpayers are now discussing the propriety of testing the matter in the courts. Some are in favor of holding the works, while others talk against the trade and say the whole thing will end in a flop. I don't know how it will end, but unless something is done soon the "man in the moon" will have to do the crying act with that big left eye of his to supply the city with water.

A big sensation was created here the other day by a Baker who wanted to sell bread to immigrants. He wrote to Gov. Ireland to assist him in his undertaking, but the governor waxed very wrath and from the gulf of his gubernatorial hermitage exclaimed in sepulchral tones, "Get thee gone, thou vassal of progress; Luna has population enough for self-protection, and our descendants will soon be elbowing each other into the sea." Then there arose a great cry from the inhabitants, and they proceeded in a huge body to Copernica and put the governor in an ex-cart drawn by a spavined, beseeched and anti-immigration beseeched limestone-capital-contract mule, and bade him make the senatorial race with this unique rig; and they did further place in his hands a pair of wire nippers on whose handles were engraved the words "land board," and "fruits of administration," and told him that if wire fences did stop immigration they should not retard his race for senator. And as the governor did start in the race a small crowd of men stood afar off and clapped their hands with such vehemence and joy that the moss on their backs quivered as their candidate rushed by, drawn by his magnificent team.

I attended a ball here the other night, given by the Knights of Labor, and got an insight into the social mysteries of Copernica. The light atmosphere placed me at a decided disadvantage, for as I was waltzing with a fair moon-eyed damsel I attempted the "Boston dip," and in the first attempt to make the "hop," I threw the girl so high that she has not yet descended. I had to fool the excited dancers by saying she was an angel and had flown away to heaven, else I might not have been able to be now writing this letter. After this little incident I kept my eyes open and danced with great success, and I became quite a hero through teaching one of the girls the Sanguinet schottische. A man could dance all over the moon with less exertion than it would take to go around old Godwin's hall. I had the honor of going home with the belle of the ball, which was a short distance of forty-eight miles. The return of this dance reminded me of a ribbon tied around the joint of a pair of tongs—mimic, but very pretty. One fellow at the ball attempted to "arm-club" one of the girls, and her big brother slapped him three miles. We closed up with the "Virginia reel," and after escorting the girls home, returned, and subsequently Billsterott and I were carried home on a shutter. The new Jerusalem is waist-deep in tears.

I have been troubled about the way I am to get away from here, but my plan is as follows: Tell Senter to go up into the court-house tower the first night after the dengue disappears and shoot a sky-rocket into the air, after preparing a couple of mattresses on the court-house roof. I will be on the look-out from the top of Mount Teych and will slide down on a Galveston News editorial which I luckily have with me.

Yours, with love,  
**LUNA TICK.**

**Advice to Mothers.**

Mrs. WINDLERS SOOTHING SYRUP should always be used for children teething. It soothes the cold, softens the gums, always cures wind colic and is the best remedy for diarrhea. 25 cents a bottle.

**IMPORTANT CATTLE MEETING.**

**Movement to Secede From the Horse and Cattle Breeders' Association.**  
**SANTA FE, N. M., Oct. 31.**—A special meeting of the Territorial Stock Growers' association convened in this city yesterday. The association represents the livestock interests of New Mexico, embracing over 2,000,000 head of cattle, valued at \$20,000,000. President Dwyer's address suggested the reorganization of the association upon a broader basis, giving it a wider scope of usefulness. He also referred to the importance of measures to prevent the overstocking of ranges. The committee on resolutions was instructed to report a plan for the reorganization of a National Range association to embrace all the cattle ranges west of the Mississippi river. This is a movement looking to secession from the National Drovers' association. It is proposed to make this an entirely Western association with headquarters at some prominent point in the West, the range cattle interest being different from the agricultural or dairy interests, which control the Horse and Cattle Breeders' association, soon to meet in St. Louis.

**I Had a Dreadful Cough.**

And raised a considerable amount of blood and matter, besides, I was very thin and so weak I could scarcely get about the house. This was the case of a man with consumption, arising from liver complaint. He recovered his health completely by the use of Dr. Pierce's "Golden Medical Discovery." Thousands of others bear similar testimony.

Mr. Thomas Melton, who is too well known in our city to require an introduction, has been engaged on the city circulation and any favors extended will be duly appreciated.

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**RAILINGS.**

**What the Railroads are Doing in Fort Worth and Elsewhere in the World.**

**Something for the Magnate, the Bondholder, the Knights of the Throttle, Bell and Cord and the Ticket Office.**

**To Begin Work Monday.**

**Special to the Gazette.**

**MARSHALL, TEX., Oct. 31.**—President Lloyd and Engineer Smith, of the Marshall & Northwestern, left this morning for Paris and will go to work Monday locating depot grounds.

**Resigned His Position.**

**Special to the Gazette.**

**RUSS, TEX., Oct. 31.**—Col. Ell Culverhouse, general manager of the Kansas & Gulf Short Line railway, is in the city. He has resigned his office, and will remain no longer with this company after the 1st inst.

**In a Receiver's Hands.**

**CHATTANOOGA, TEX., Oct. 31.**—The Vicksburg & Meridian railway has passed into the hands of a receiver, Frank S. Bond, president of the Queen & Crescent route, has been appointed receiver.

**A Freight Demolished.**

**PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 31.**—A freight wreck on the West Pennsylvania railway this morning completely demolished the engine and several cars of mail. The fireman, William Scott, was seriously injured. The loss is \$20,000. The accident was caused by an open switch.

**Open Switches.**

**PASSENGER AND FREIGHT TRAINS COLLIDE.**

**TOLEDO, OHIO, Oct. 31.**—The limited express on the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern railway which left this city at 3:30 this morning collided with an east-bound freight standing upon the side-track at Delta, twenty miles west of here. The passenger train had nearly reached the east switch when the brakeman employed on the freight train carelessly threw the switch and caused the passenger train to run into the freight train. Both engines were badly broken and the mail car was partially telescoped with the passenger engine. Engineer Sparklin of the passenger train was badly but not fatally injured. The fireman jumped and was unhurt. None of the passengers were injured.

**Fort Worth to Denver.**

The much-talked-of Denver, Texas & Gulf Railway company have finally filed articles of association and incorporation in Colorado. The document recites that the company is a corporation organized under the laws of the state of Colorado for the purpose of locating, constructing, maintaining, owning and operating a railroad and line of telegraph from the city of Denver by the way of Cherry Creek, Running Creek, Kiowa Creek, Easton, Maniton Junction, Franconville Junction, Pueblo, on or near the Arkansas river, of a crossing of the Las Animas river, a crossing of Eriole and Trinchera creeks to Emery's Gap, near the southern boundary of Colorado, and thence in a southwesterly direction through the territory of New Mexico to the westerly boundary line of the state of Texas, to a connection with the Fort Worth & Denver City railway, or other railroad upon the Canadian river in the county of Oldham, Tex., with power to build, among other branches, one from a point near Parker station to the lava beds, a branch from Maniton Junction to Menitou, and also a branch from Franconville Junction to Franconville; a branch from Finon to Canon City, one from Bessemer to Rosta and Silver Cliff; one from opposite Bartlesnake Buttes to Walsenburg and Inerfano Park; a branch from the crossing of the Las Animas river by the way of Trinidad to Long's Canon to the coal fields in the Raton mountains, and a branch from the crossing of Trinchera creek to the eastern boundary of Colorado, the whole line with its proposed branches being about 700 miles. The document recites the different powers and privileges of the company, also that it proposes the purchase of the Denver & New Orleans railroad, and further, that for these purposes first mortgage of percent gold coupon bonds of \$100 each, to an amount not exceeding \$12,000,000 in the aggregate, the said coupon bonds to be

issued from time to time in the manner specified in the document.

**General and Personal.**  
 W. L. Sanson, conductor on the T. & P., was in with his train yesterday.  
 Leon Hart, the old reliable conductor of the T. & P., was here yesterday.  
 H. M. Lewinson of the Texas & Pacific was in the city yesterday on business.  
 S. E. Glenn of the S. N. O. & T. R. R. was in the city yesterday talking to his friends.  
 Henry C. Fike, with the claim department of the Missouri Pacific, was in the city yesterday.  
 The Fort Worth foundry sent out 900 pounds of wrought iron for the Fort Worth & New Orleans yesterday.  
 C. D. Lusk, our courteous Union depot ticket agent, is preparing for heavy sales of tickets for the exposition at New Orleans.  
 An English party is negotiating with the Northern Pacific railway for the purchase of 11,000 acres of land in the Bakina valley, and a Scotch syndicate for a large tract in Dakota.  
 Nothing has been heard of the Oregon Railway & Navigation lease since the annual meeting of the Northern Pacific. All parties seem to have suddenly lost interest in the matter.  
 The incorporation of the Omaha & North Platte road, in Nebraska, which is run from Omaha to Custer county, is attracting no little attention. The enterprise is a Chicago, Burlington & Quincy one.  
 Ninety-five miles of grading on the new Prescott & Arizona Central railway are ready for ties and iron. The road is to extend from Chino on the Atlantic & Pacific southward toward Prescott. Chino is 481 miles west of Albuquerque, N. M.  
 Commissioner Fink officially says: "All our pools are being kept. The public is misinformed about our business. Since the restoration in east and west-bound freight rates, live stock and lumber pools, there has been no cutting, no concession of any kind—everything is intact."

**Buckley's Arnica Salve.**  
 The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, better, chapped hands, chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by H. W. Williams & Co.

**Fair Leather Harness.**  
 The handsomest set of harness doubtless ever shown in the state is now on exhibition at the old reliable saddlery establishment of R. F. Tackabery. The harness was made by skilled workmen, who were instructed to spare no pains on the job, and the result is a piece of work that reflects no little credit upon the maker. Those who have never seen a set of silver-mounted fair leather harness can have no conception of their beauty.  
 Buy From Branch.  
 If you want a pocket-knife, pistol, watch, clock, diamond stud or set of silverware, don't buy until you have seen and priced the stock at the Texas Pawnbroker's, 308 Houston street.  
 Call and examine the elegant line of suiting now on display at J. H. Martindale's, importing tailor.  
 Bargain-hunters should call at the Texas Pawnbroker's, 308 Houston street.  
 Winter Lap Robes.  
 The receipt of fifty more California-made close-wave lap-ropes yesterday, completed the stock of winter goods in this line at Tackabery's, and gives him the handsomest selection of winter robes ever shown in the city.  
 Stillwell's famous pig hams at Turner & McClure's.  
 Plucked Otter.  
 Tackabery is showing a handsome line of lap robes, and among the lot are some imitation plucked otter that are very fine. His finest robes range in price from \$10 to \$27.  
 All kinds of preserves and jellies at Turner & McClure's.  
 The Texas Pawnbroker at 308 Houston street is offering some rare bargains.  
 A fresh shipment of California canned goods, embracing every variety put up in the state, just received at Turner & McClure's.

**LAMPFAS SPRINGS**  
**Great Health and Pioneering**  
 This place has justly earned a reputation of being the great health resort of the Southwest. Curial, rheumatic, cutaneous and diseases, these waters are the most potent auxiliary and specific for hotels are conceded to be the best in the country. The San Geronimo and delightfully located corner Main streets, is one of the most able, elegantly furnished and modern houses in the state, with excellent cuisine and moderate rates \$2 per day and special rates by the week or month, make this a grand favorite. Rooms on first floor, twenty in each—best in the state.  
 A clear Havana cigar for 25c at drug store of Dashwood & Oesch.

**O. H. Sale.**  
 Sale of unclaimed freight from the office of the Texas Express at Fort Worth, Tex. Will be charges, Wednesday, November 1st, unless called for and charged that day of sale. S. B. Gentry, Fort Worth, Tex., Oct. 31, 1898.

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