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Will Continue Their Cost Sale for Cash Until Their Fall Stock Arrives.

#### NOTICE TO SHIPPERS.

Beginning August 26th, and continuing thereafter on every Monday and Saturday up to and including December 23rd, 1905, we will run regular stock trains for Kansas City, St. Joseph and Chicago markets on the

Leaves	Amarillo	2:00	p.	m.	Monday	Saturda
**	Washburn.	2:40	4			
	Panhandle	3:30	6		**	
	Pampa	4:50	4		**	**
**	Miami	5:50	4		**	
"	Causdian.	7:00			**	**

On arrival at Wellington or Emporia shipments that cannot make destination within the 28 hour limit will be unloaded for the required reasonably just now, on account of sale of liquor. In our own county feed, waier and rest as provided for by U. S. Government Regulations. the big ranches being opened for and in our neighboring county, They will be reloaded in the afternoon and reach Kansas City and St. Joseph markets on the following day.

These trains are intended to take care of the small shipments which would otherwise have to be bandled on way freight trains, but on account of the necessity of gathering these shipments all along the line we cannot guarantee the above schedule at all times. We will continue to handle trainload shipments, with proper notice, on any day of the week as suits the shipper.

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#### Miami Telephone Exchange Building Miami - - Texas.

#### Journal Views the Panhandle.

million acres covering a single ranch. height above sea level is from two construction at Thomas or Custer The Panhandle is a region of fine to four thousand feet. soil, where stock farming is a profit- Kasiir corn, milo maize, millet and to Taloga and Lenora, in Dewey ington last Saturday to her former able industry, and wheat will short- sorghum are very generally raised county; Southeast to Anadarko, ly become a standard crop.

ple; and the people are being taken Kaffir corn is quite a favorite, as it there both by the Santa Fe and yields from 35 to 100 bushels per Rock Ishand systems.

The Panhandle was, originally, tle country. But the cowboy is fast does well and is fed at home. Oats becoming a thing of the past and his herds dwindle in size with the incoming farmer, who has covered acre. Sweet potatoes 100 bushels and instead of raising long-horned grow especially fine in this section. Dr. F. M. Johnson, dentist, will spend the fourth week of each month in the ranches with an area of cereals, steers, the fine bred cow is found on the range more than ever before.

The first natural advantage of the Panhandle country is its splendid soil. It will produce almost anything in the zone it occupies. Depth and texture make the soil drought resisting to a wonderful drought resistant resistance and a better the a few cent properly i The first natural advantage of the

How An Eastern Farm degree and in the wettest weather a traversing the counties of Caddo, The Panhandle is an empire with. and tasteless, but their flavor elicits Guthrie; and a western line traversin itself. Million of acres of ranch praise from all. The soil looks ing the counties of Roger Mills and lands lie in great bodies, often a something like that of Illinois. The Day. It is proposed to begin the

> acre. Despite the fact that wheat is a new crop in the Panhandle it produces a good yield. Indian corn run a; high as 75 bushels per acre. Cotton runs nearly a bale to the per acre. Garden truck and fruit Apples, plums, grapes and gooseberries do exceedingly well. High

grade cattle raising in the Panhandle pays big money to the Northern The following from the Times of and Eastern farmers.

most delightfully cool in the sum- Kentucky was so long noted as the mer and seldom drops below zero "home of feuds and good whisky." in the winter. It is very healthful However, is shows the growing senand, in fact, one of the finest parts timent against the licensed saloon: of Texas for the Northern man to "There is a very strong sentiment settle in. Lands are being sold very growing in Kentucky against the settlement .- Farm Life.

#### Crosses State Line in Wheeler County on Air Line to Mobeetie.

charter to the Texas, Oklahoma & cord their votes in favor of whisky, ers at Guthrie and New York City, of the 3000 voters in the county. to build a line 450 miles long. Di- This still is not equal to the vote rectors as elected at a meeting today of Virden precinct in this county are Senator A H Huston, John Dev- last January where every vote was ereaux, Chas Seeley and C. E. Car- solidly cast for local option. penter of Guthrie and Henry Knapp of New York City.

tion and Caddo County, Oklahoma, northwest to a point on the Cimarron river, in Woodward county. drowned crop is unknown. The Custer, Dewey and Woodward; also drowned crop is unknown. The Custer, Dewey and Woodward; also will of the people is recorded, let soil is rich. The fruit and veget an eastern line traversing counties the law be fully enforced and ours ables of the country are not vapid of Blaine, Kingfisher and Logan to and many hundred of acres of these passing through Hydro and Virden; What the Panh ndle needs is peoproducts yield \$30 per acre profit. east to Guthrie, passing through lest Monday. Kingfisher, and southwest through Chevenne into Texas.

> It is estimated that 500 car load of apples will be shipped from the Pecos Valley section this season.

Uncle Sam's minnions seized five million lottery tickets in San Antonio pear which has no spines or spikes,

Dr. F. M. Johnson, dentist, will spend

#### - Good for Stomach Trouble and Constipation.

#### Strange Talk.

Clay City, Kentucky, seem strange The climate of the Panhandle is talk when is is remembered that

Estill, we have seen the vile stuff voted out in the past twelve months, Road Chartered in Okla. and too, by good majorities. Far over half the counties in the State have voted it out, but in no county has the victory been so complete as it was in Johnson county last Thursday and in Bath coupty a few days Guthrie, Okla., Sept. 19.-Secre- before. In the former county there tary Wm. Grimes today issued a were only 142 voters willing to re-Northwestern Railroad Co., with while in the latter county the liquor \$2.500,000 capital, with headquart- supporters only numbered 246 out

In the face of such circumstances we should take much courage. There Proposed line will run from the must be a brighter day for grand boundry between the Chickasaw Na- old Kentucky. With whisky eliminated from her bounds, we have the thriftiest and best people in the world, and now it seems that their day of opportunity is at hand. Let the good work continue, and as the

Nan Patterson, who was twice City, on the Orient road, northwest | Caesar Young, was married at Washhusband, Leon G. Martin.

Snow fell at Cripple Creek, Col.,

There are now 1,386 rural mail routes in operation in Texas.

#### Making a New Fruit.

In certain parts of Central America there grows a species of prickly

#### One and Ten.

The average man does not save to exceed ten per cent of his earnings. He must spend nine dollars in living expenses for every dollar saved. That being the case he cannot be teo careful about unnecessary expenses. Very often a few cent prepared like

the only thorns with which the plant the fifth or sixth generations a cul- five feet square. Upon it there are is endowed being the spicules found ture which was completely thornless. 170 leaves, and the whole plant within the leaves. A plant of this Succeeding efforts result in a cactus weighs 900 pounds. The fruit is of variety Mr. Burbank set out in the in which every evidence of even a delicious flavor, somewhat like the experimental grounds and crossed spicule had vanished. The new pineapple, only more delicate. The or hybridized it with five northern plant is hardy and of vigorous deserts of the south may be clothed species, producing a type in which growth. One plant in the grounds in the spineless cactus at no late the spines were almost eliminated, is three years old and stands eight date. Its value is incalculable.

Continued crossings produced in feet high, covering a space perhaps American Homes & Gardens.

## The First Grand Opening of Fall and Winter Goods.

We will Open Up on September 11th and will place on Our New Shelves in Our New Building

## \$8,000 worth of Bran New Goods

Consisting of Dry-goods, Clothing, Boots & Shoes, Hats, Caps, Gloves, Etc. Also Underwear for both Young and Old. Ladies Long and Short Coats and Ladies Under and Over Skirts. These Lines Are All Complete.

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### We Are Getting in Our Stock of Fall and Winter Dry-Goods, Shoes, Hats & Caps and Other Attractive Goods.

Cotton Flannel 5 cents per yard and up New Line Wool Suiting, single pattern-New Line Wool Waisting, single patterns New Line of Tram Silks Dundee Suiting-New Line of Cloaks-Boys School Caps, 25 cents and up-Boys Knee Pants, 25 cents and up-Ladies Fleeced-Lined Union Suits, 35 cents and up-A New Line of Mens' Work Shirts-Ladies Fascinators, wool and silk-New Line Ladies Over Skirts and Uuder Skirts-We have a good Ladies black Under Skirt for \$1.00, as good as you ever saw in your life for the price-Gotton Blankets, 50 cents per pair and up Bed Comforts \$1.00 and up-Nice Assortment Battenburg Braid Thread and Patterns-Also Fancy Line of Dollies and Silk to work same.

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Remember our Line of Groceries, Hardware, Oueensware, Harness, Stoves, Etc.

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SESLIE L. LADD. Ed. & Pob

MIAMI.

. . . TEXAS

Peace, however, was worth some sacrifices. Hold on to your Japanese

Maude Gonne has secured her civore. We have forgotten the gentleman's name.

Naturally the druggists' convention did not think much of the various faith-cure methods.

Chicago theatrical managers report a scarcity of chorus girls. Have the millionaires married them all?

If robbers keep on holding up women the latter will have to secure a new brand of repeating hairpins.

However, the Czar is not the first man who has made a hit for a while by standing pat on a pair of deuces. Mrs. Fleming of the Harvard ob-

servatory, who has just discovered a new star, is a star astronomer her-

Some of these days feel as though

ring up the curtain for Indian sum-The author of "Little Citizens," Miss Myra Kelly, has been married and

will continue her work in an improved Seeing an automobile stop short and Berlin Physician Opposed to This refuse to budge reminds one that the non-autoist has joys that the autoist

knows not of. "vegetable juices" of corn are a cure

for almost everything.

The United States produces a barrel of salt for every four inhabitants every year. And yet we all know a lot of people who are altogether too fresh.

Another ridiculous thing about monarchies is that the King is a man who, if he were turned loose on his own book to make a living would starve to body is not kept within bounds, and death.

Lord Curzon, a gentleman of much | thirst.' experience in a managerial capacity, particularly in eastern countries, is open to a lucrative engagement. Address, etc.

in the schoolma'am crop, but it is to help cut.

A rejected lover in St. Louis is now suing the girl to get his presents Still, there are persons who pretend to believe that the age of romance is dead.

The fact that 4.000 Smiths gathered in reunion in New Jersey the other His experience is well worth repeatday is a reminder that the Young ing, as it should point the road to family once expected ta be the biggest | health to many another in a similar in the world-but it was interfered condition.

Blushing may be a sign of genius as one of these "knowledgeous" writers aver, but are you not personally acquainted with many people who can man. biush, yet exhibit no other sign of gen-

From New York comes a hint to those who have the instincts of high waymen without the courage. Get : few hives of bees and install them on the roof of some house near a candy factory.

A Chicago physician has told the school board that he has a method by which poor spellers can be cured. He has noticed in his practice that when people have bad spells they go

Science is doing the best it can in New Orleans, but the inhabitants can't help asking the watchman on the tower if he sees anything of a solitary horseman approaching who looks like Jack Frost.

A Pennsylvania man but 40 years old is the father of twenty-three children. He is now a section boss, but as soon as the President hears about it probably he will be invited to take a seat in the cabinet.

The profits of play writing are so great that nearly all the successful ship does not always indicate friendnovel writers are deserting to the ship. drama. Will this give some of the embryo novelists a chance? Let us prepare for the worst.

Why doesn't George Ade buy the Standard Oil company if he has so much money as all that? He could give away a fable with each gallon of oil and thus make the people happy while he was collecting tribute.

Somebody has made the interesting discovery that blushing is a sign of genius. If one blushes and is baldheaded and has an inclination to do absurd things there can be no room for doubt, for even if one never accomplishes anything for the world's profit or amusement.

It is announced that the dowager empress of China will issue a decree for the establishment of a parliament twelve years hence. She seems to think that China will be different twelve years from now.

That New York syndicate of twentyseven men who married 500 girls for their money and jewelry and then deserted them clearly would come under the head of criminal trusts.

It might be a good thing if there were an early morning eclipse oftener Then more people might get acquaint ed with the beauties of a sunrise

Several more people have failed to swim the English Channel. This will natures of the last be generally regarded as much of a setback for civilization.

Medicines."

The recent campaign against the ase of proprietary medicines, conducted in the columns of The Ladies Home Journal and Collier's Weekly has evoked an answer from the Committee on Legislation of the Proprietary Association. The committee says:

"In considering the question raised by recent attacks upon proprietary medicines, every reasonable man will admit that there is a wide and legitinate field for the manufacture and sale of medicines already prepared for general use and easily obtainable at all times and everywhere.

As a matter of fact these medicines are not patented at all, and the popular use of the word 'patent' in connection with them is a misnomer. Any pharmacist will tell you that practially the only 'patent' medicines in use to-day are those which are manufactured either by forei a or domestic pharmaceutical houses, and which are now almost exclusively dispensed by their prescriptions.

"The medicines which are now the subject of wholesale attack by Mr. Bok and Editor Hapgood are the oldfashioned family remedies properly described as 'proprietary medicines.' They are the favorite remedies among millions of people all over the country; and, notwithstanding the conthe weather man were in a hurry to stant effort of some physicians to create prejudice against them, no one ever yet heard of any of the millions of users of such remedies asking for legislation or other action adverse to

#### DANGERS IN DRINKING WATER. Habit So Often Advised.

Dr. K. Beerwald, of Berlin, is opposed to the free drinking of water so often advised. He says: "Exces-For years some persons have earn. sive water drinking not only produces estly practiced the theory that the temporary disturbance, it also creates direct organic disorders; the heart and kidneys are particularly affected by the excess, and in these cases the vascular system is overcharged and the heart and kidneys overworked. Proof of such a condition is frequently seen in cases of slight injury. A man who suffers frequently from thirst bleeds easily, and we may well consider that excessive thirst is a sign that the amount of fluid in the that this condition must be remedied by opposing the feeling of

#### Discovered a New Star.

Mrs. W. P. Fleming, the famous wo man astronomer at the Harvard observatory, has discovered a new star New York state reports a shortage of the transient variety known to astronomers as Novae. Since 1572, not likely that serious hardships will when the first star was discovered, follow. Massachusetts stands ready only fourteen such stars have been found, eight of which are credited to Mrs. Fleming

Could Get No Rest.

Freeborn, Minn., Sept. 18th (Special)-Mr. R. E. Goward, a well-known man here is rejoicing in the relief from suffering he has obtained through using Dodd's Kidney Pills.

ney Trouble," says Mr. Goward, "that rew life in me and I feel like a new

Dodd's Kidney Pills. I would heartily recommend all sufferers from Kidney Trouble to give Dodd's Kidney Pills a fair trial as I have every reason to believe it would never be regretted."

Dodd's Kidney Pills make you feel like a new man or woman because they cure the Kidneys. Cured kidneys mean pure blood and pure blood means bounding health and energy in every part of the body.

When a man's hat blows off in the street, how he holds onto it after-

USE THE FAMOUS Red Cross Ball Blue. Large 2-oz, package 5 cents. The Russ Company, South Bend, Ind. When you see a woman dragging

a child down the street she is lead-

ing an unhappy life. When Your Grocer Says he does not have Defiance Starch, you may be sure he is afraid to keep it unmay be sure he is alraid to keep it un-til his stock of 12 oz. packages are sold. Defiance Starch is not only bet-ter than any other Cold Water Starch, but contains 16 oz. to the package and selis for same money as 12 oz. brands.

Pity may be akin to love, but kin-

DISFIGURING HUMOR.

Brushed Scales from Face Like Pow der-Doctor Said Lady Would Be Disfigured for Life-Cuticura Works Wonders.

"I suffered with eczema all over my body. My face was covered: my eyebrows came out. I had tried three octors, but did not get any better I then went to another doctor. He thought my face would be marked for life, but my brother-in-law told me to in honor of General MacArthur. On ed and two others slightly hurt in a get Cuticura. I washed with Cuticura Soap, applied Cuticura Ointment, and took Cuticura Resolvent as directed. I could brush the scales off my face like powder. Now my face is just as clean as it ever was .-- Mrs. Emma White, 641 Cherrier Place, Camden, N. J., April 25, '05."

Too many sermons are aimed at the pocket books of the congregation.

Was to Have Been Given Away. It is interesting and pathetic that the volume of poems which Mrs. Payne Whitney has just issued was to

have been a surprise to her father, the

late John Hay. Girl's Terrible Offense.

A governess named Kathie Schmidt is to be prosecuted for lese majeste because she wrote her name in a vis itors' book at a hotel at Gross- Lichterfelde, immediately beneath the sig natures of the King of Saxony and the

## REMEDIES USED BY MILLIONS LICENSE IS REVOKED

Captata Hotville Refused to Lend Ald to Ship in Distress.

ACCIETED FROM OTHER SOURCE.

The Distress of the Sylph Occurred While the Vessel Was Coming up Coast From Florida, Where It Had Been Used by Mrs. Roosevelt.

Washington, Sept. 21.-The failure United Fruit Company's ship Otert, to to persuade them to assume contro steamship Sylph, which was disabled in hope of paying all claims in full. physicians or designated by them in off the coast of North Carolina, on the night of April 12, has cost him REVOLUTIONISTS IN COLOMBIA. his position through the revocation of his license by the United States steamboat inspection service. This President Reyes Has Declared Himself action was taken by inspection officers of Norfolk, Va., on September 12, and the correspondence was made public by the department of com. ports here to the effect that General coming up the coast from Florida, and imprisoned the members of the velt and the White House children gered by this action attacked the for a cruise

> on the incident, details the accident many of the rioters. to the Sylph and his failure to get the Oteri to respond to his signal of dis- have been started in Antioqua. helpless and the Oteri knew it." He ombian minister to Washington, then graphically describes the experi- staying at present in this city. When ences of the night, the failure of oth- informed of the Panama dispatch he er vessels to see the signals from the said: Sylph and finally of the rescue on from her course to New Orleans.

> Evans asked to be towed into safe | finances. anchorage in Chesapeake bay and the request was complied with. The I would surely have been informed Sylph was taken in tow, but its con- of it. I am sure there is no disturb dition was so bad that the Morgan ances in Colombia. liner was compelled to slow down to three knots an hour. The report of Lieutenant Evans closed with this statement:

"I am firmly convinced that had not the El Cid taken us into port the Sylph and all her people would have

The inquiry adduced the fact that Captain Hotville refused to slow own for the alleged reason that at the time the Sylph was spoken the telegraph system on the Oteri became impaired and there was no direct manner of sending word to the

COAL OPERATORS ARE FIRM.

Won't Crant the Demands for Eight-Hour Law.

who has just come from Philadelphia, mands. rave me no rest day or night but using cation, that the operators would not, been in the anthracite region for the few boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills put | under any consideration, grant the de- last two months holding meetings ev "I am happy to state I have receiv- agree only that the present agree- there was a considerable falling off ed great and wonderful benefit from ment shall be continued. Announcement to this effect would be made, campaign the miners' leader is wag he said, after the miners held their ing many of those who dropped out convention in Shamokin, December of the organization are returning. 4th.

SHOW TENT COLLAPSED.

Ringling Brothers' Circus Meets With an Accident.

Marysville, Mo., Sept. 20 .- The big tent of Ringling Brothers' circus colhere. One man was killed, two fatally injured, five seriously hurt and more than two score others

bruised. The wind had blown a gale all day, and when there were 15,000 assembled in the tent witnessing the performance, an extra strong gust the weather bureau says: raised the enormous canvas high ! making repairs.

Collide With Motor Car.

Lisbon, Sept. 21 .- The Oporto express collided with a motor car which was crossing the railroad, and killed its occupants, a husband and wife and their two children.

M. Witte in England. Plymouth, England, Sept. 20 .- The North German Lloyd steamer Kaiser Wilheim II, from New York Septem- homa and Indian Territory. ber 11, having on board M. Witte and

Honors General MacArthur.

colleagues, arrived here.

Tokio, Sept. 20. - Yamagata, chief of the general staff, gave a luncheon was killed, another seriously wound-Wednesday the minister of war will fire that destroyed the Brown flour out Chile with greater enthusiasm Tokio. give an official dinner in honor of mills on the Esplanade. The loss is than usual, and this was due to the General MacArthur.

Sighted Russian Squadron. Secul Korea Seat 20 -- A Russian

Squadron was de'ted Sunday off Svong-Chin, Forea, Its mission was to communicate the terms of the armismen river.

To Receive Miss Roosevelt, Seoul, Sept. 20. - The imperial chamberlain is busily preparing the palace building to receive Miss Roosevelt. The government offices are be on the island of Kauai, for San Fran ing decorated and the long neglect. cisco, in a leaking condition. ed streets are being cleaned.

To Adopt Precautionary Measures. and Antwerp and to adopt precautionary measures against their crews and 62 years of age.

ILLINOIS BANK CLOSES.

Indebtedness, Which Amounts to \$100,-000, Will be Paid.

Springfield, III., Sept. 21. - Th Barry Exchange Bank, of Barry, one of the oldest banking houses in Pike county, closed its doors and a notice posted on the doors announced that it will not reopen until the return of Eugene Smith, the president, who went east to endeavor to straighter out the bank's affairs.

Smith assigned all his holdings t W. W. Watson, a stockholder, and it is expected all the indebtedness which amounts to about \$100,000, will be paid. The bank was also owner of the Barry mills and the packing house which was operated by the Hartman Provision Company.

It is understood that Smith has gon of Captain Hotville, as master of the to the Hartman company to endeave give assistance to the United States of the bank, packing house and mil

Dictator of Bogota. Panama, Sept. 21.-Unconfirmed re merce and labor. The distress of the Reyes, president of Colombia, declar-Sylph occurred while the vessel was ed himself dictator on September 18 where it had been used by Mrs. Roose. supreme court at Bogota. Mobs anpresidential palace and were fired on Lieutenant Evans in commenting by troops, who killed or wounded

The reports say that revolution tress, and says he was "entirely New York. - Diego Mendoza, Col-

"I do not believe there is a word the morning of the 13th by the Mor. of truth in the report. I received a gan liner El Cid, which put, about cable dispatch from Bogota two days Indiana regiment, Governor Hanley, December, 1904, over his own signaago, and it said that the country was the principal speaker, made public ture as auditor of state, asking them The morning had broken with in complete and absolute peace and his reasons for his action in the case to send all passes intended for memnasty weather and falling barometer that President Reyes was engaged in of David E. Sherrick, ex-auditor of bers of the general assembly, statand an increasing sea. Lieutenant the reconstruction of the Colombian state, whose resignation was forced ing that in substance he expected to

"If anything of importance occurred

#### EIGHT HOURS FOR MINERS.

Demands Will Probably be Made at Coming Convention.

Shakomin, Pa., Sept. 20.-President John Mitchell of the United Mine Workers of America, announced that the convention of mine workers of the three anthracite districts at which de mands will be formulated to be pre sented to the anthracite coal companies next spring will be held here engine crew for a reversal of the en- on December 14. The mine workers of the three districts will shortly elect delegates to represent them at the meeting. The decision to hold a convention to formulate demands is similar to the action taken before the Scranton, Pa., Sept. 21.-One of the great strike of 1902, when a convenlargest coal operators in this region, tion was held here to draw up de

where he had a conference with The award of the anthracite coal clared unhesitatingly, and for publi- 31 next year. President Mitchell has mand of mine workers for an eight- ery day for the purpose of strengthen hour day, and that they proposed to ing the union. After the 1902 strike in membership. As a result of the Among the demands that the convention will probably formulate are an eight hour work day for all classes of mine workers, recognition of the union and a yearly agreement with the coal companies similar to the one existing in some of the bituminous

coal fields of the middle west. TEMPERATURE IS COOLER.

Weekly Summary of Government Crop Report.

Washington, Sept. 21.—The weekly summary of crop conditions issued by

Except in New England and the enough to lift all the poles and sup- northern part of the middle Atlantic ports from their positions, and the states, where the week ending Sepwhole mass fell upon the audience, tember 18 averaged considerably show people and animals. All made cooler than usual, the temperature a panic stricken effort to escape, The was above the normal and generally show was delayed here several hours favorable, the week being decidedly warm over the greater part of the central valleys, gulf states and eastern rocky mountain slope. Light to heavy frosts occurred in the Rocky mountain regions, but they resulted

in no serious injury. Corn in Kansas has suffered high winds.

A slight improvement in the condition of cotton is reported from Okla-Nearly all reports indicate a very

light apple crop. Meets Death on Duty.

Toronto, Sept. 21. - One fireman estimated at \$200,000.

Emperor Nicholas Inspects. Viborg, Finland, Sept. 21.-Emperar icholas inspected the new battleship Slava and the cruiser Abrek. Later the emperor received Prince John tice to the Russian forces on the Tu- Obolensky, governor general of Fin-

> American Ship In Distress. Honolulu, Sept. 20.-The American ship Mary L. Cushing has put back here in distress after leaving Fleele,

Killed General Custer. Aberdeen, S. D., Sept. 20.-Rain-in-Madrid, Sept. 16. - The Spanish the Face, one of the leading chiefs port officials have been ordered to in the Custer massacre and who is isolate ships coming from Hamburg said personally to have killed General Custer, died at the Standing Rock agency, S. D., September 12. He was Prominent Painter Disappears.

Rome, Sept. 21 .-- A proffinent painthas been killed in an accident.

Received by President Castro.

Caracas, Sept. 21. - Former Judg er, Francesco Vitalini, who has been W. J. Calhoun of Chicago, who is in spending his vacation in the Alps, has Venezuela as special commissioner disappeared and it is feared that he of the United States, will be received by President Castro.

## TOO ILL TO TESTIFY BEFORE COURT MARTIAL

telegram was read from Acting Secre- an examination and the doctor said tary of the Navy Darling asking that that in two or three days he might he be provided with the daily pro- be ready. ceedings of the court, and also that After deliberation Judge Gear's obof Ensign Wade.

operation was performed. He said seen. that Wade was now weak. His con- Commander Young stated that dition was favorable for recuperation, Lieutenant Yates, now in command of but at present he was not able to the Bennington, had communicated to blood that strikes straight at the cause of stand any unnecessary strain mentally. He said that Wade was able to give testimony, but that a long example to make an inspection of their special tasks. Get the genuine Dr. to give testimony, but that a long ex- adjourned to make an inspection of amination and cross-examination the vessel.

Mare Island, Cal., Sept. 21.-When would have ill effects. The court in the Young court martial convened a quired how soon Wade could stand

a copy of the same be furnished to jection to the testimony of Wade be-Commander Young. The court then ing taken at this time was sustained adjourned and proceeded to the Mare by the court. The judge advocate Island hospital to take the testimony said that Wade's testimony was valuable and he disliked to continue The court re-convened at 10:50 without it, but the court said that otho'clock and Judge Gear objected to er witnesses could be called in the the testimony of Wade being taken meantime. The judge advocate reat this time in the absence of a report quested the court to visit the Benon the mental and physical condition nington and view her boilers. Some members of the court said that such Charles G. Smith, past assistant an inspection was not necessary. The and the tenderness disappeared, I urgeon of the hospital service, was judge advocate said that it would be called by the court to testify regard- seen by the court on going over the ing Wade's condition. He stated that Bennington that the boiler which ex-Wade had been suffering from gan- ploded had moved fourteen feet and grenous appendicitis and that an the collapsed furnace could also be

### **ACTION IS EXPLAINED; CHARGES MADE PUBLIC**

Hamilton, Ind., Sept. 21.-In an ad- | written to the management of several dress at the reunion of the Thirteenth railroad companies in the month of by the governor. Facts and figures have some legislation of personal in were used to show what became of terest to himself before that body, and the money belonging to the state that if they would send their transportawas lost by "David E. Sherrick, audi- tion to him for distribution he would tor of state and common gambler." see that their interests and his were The governor charged that \$10,000 of cared for at the same time. For three the state's money "went by check into weeks the office of the auditor of the hands of the gentleman who was state was made a broker's office for then operating the Casino" at French the distribution of free passes to such Lick. The governor then enumerated members of the general assembly as a list of what he calls "wild cat" se- would receive them. curities, aggregating a face value of "On the evening of the 13th of Sep-\$75,000, into which the state's money tember I was informed by one who went. Following this, he charged that had him, and in whom I have confi-Sherrick's continued absence from dence, that he could not make pay the sessions of the state board of tax ment on the 15th. I then sent him a commissioners "was occasioned by verbal demand for his immediate redrinking bouts and midnight carcus- signation. The next morning his reals around the gambling table, from signation did not come, but some of which he could not recover in time his friends did come and informed to meet with the commission." He me that the money could be raised charged that Sherrick, at the time the only upon condition that the defalcamoney on railroad came up for as tion be kept a secret and that he be sessment, urged that the assessment retained in office. Upon inquiry I whom he was under great obligation, representatives of large railroad inpersonally, could get permanent em- terests in the state; that Mr. Sherrick

ployment with the company if the as- and his friends were depending upon the world saw high society at Tun-President Baer of the Reading, destrike commission will expire March sessment could be kept at \$18,000. them, and that their assistance destrike commission will expire March "Before my inauguration I received pended upon his retention in office. trustworthy information that he had could make no such bargain as that. MADISON UNDER WATER;

> Madison, Kan., Sept. 20. - One of ern Kansas division of the Atchison, the worst floods that has ever been Topeka & Santa Fe. It covered the experienced here is raging now. The counties of Allen, Wilson, Neosho, La-Verdigris has overflowed its banks bette, Montgomery, Coffey Greenwood, and half of Madison, with a popula- Lyon and Elk. All trains have been delayed for the past two days and

> tion of 2,000, is under water. Great difficulty is experienced by they are all late. At this place the the people in getting from their Neosho river is now more than half homes. As far as known no lives have full and is rising at a rapid rate. been lost. Wires are down and there At Independence the Verdigris is

> Fe tracks to a depth of six feet. Topeka & Santa Fe in Greenwood, another very hard rain last night in Lyon and Coffey counties. There is this county, extending as far east as three feet of water in the depot in Wilson and Woodson counties. In Madison; two feet of water over the three days more than nine inches of tracks at Burlington, and three feet rain has fallen in this section and in of water over the tracks at Hilltop. the section tributary to the Neosho All trains on the Emporia branch have and Verdigris rivers. The rain did been abandoned. The rain was ac not extend into Indian Territory at all. companied by a tremendous hail It is dusty in Bartlesville this mornstorm and immense damage has been ing. The utmost limit was within two done all crops in the fields. The ex- miles of the territory line.

for several days. seriously from excessive rains and full and rising at a rapid rate. The Merais des Cyges was rising a foot

The rain extended all over the South- may be expected here. Celebrate Independence. Santiago, Sept. 20. - The anniver-

great prosperity the republic is now enjoying. Santiago is crowded with visitors from all parts of the country.

Trouble Still Continues.

Paris, Sept. 16.-The minister for the colonies has received a dispatch from Dakora, sea port on the French West African coast, saying that the with the government against its ac condition of Count de Abruzzi, the ex- tion in closing the station of the The count is suffering from dysen- the manager of the company.

Criticises Government's Action.

MUCH DAMAGE IS DONE

are no trains into the city. The water rising at the rate of a foot and a half covers the Atchison, Topeka & Santa an hour. When the flood water from all the tributary streams comes down Chanute.-The highest water ever it is feared that the flood conditions known is reported by the Atchison, of last year will obtain. There was

tent of the damage will not be known Ottawa.-A rainfall of more than 3 inches last night following the tre-All roads are impassable and tele- mendous downpours of last week has phone and telegraph communication given this section a flood outlook is interrupted. Every stream is bank which has seldom been equaled. The water from Emporia and Burlington an hour this morning. Points up the will come down the Neosho river, river reported rains all night and a while that from Madison and Hilltop telephone message from Quenemo will go down the Verdigris. Both of said the river was rising two feet and these rivers are now rising rapidly. a half an hour. Serious conditions

Troops Have Been Withdrawn. Yokohama, Sept. 21. - The troops sary of the declaration of Chilean in- which were sent here during the redependence was celebrated through- cent riots have been withdrawn to

Accept Old Wage Scale.

Chicago, Sept. 20. - The Chicago union freight handlers voted to accept the old wage scale and conditions which have prevailed for two years and agreements to that effect Baku, Sept. 20. - Serious outrages were made with fifteen railroads continue here and many of the shops against which strikes have been threatened for the past ten days.

Lodged a Protest.

Caracas, Sept. 21. - M. Wiener, French minister, has lodged a protest plorer, is grave but not desperate. French Cable company and expelling

Valencia, Spain, Sept. 14. - The Madrid, Sept. 16 .-- The press criti- election disturbances here continue. cises the government's action in per- Eight prominent Republicans were nitting the British surveying vessel amon; the wounded during one affray. Goldfinch to carry on hydrographic Sold ers are guarding the clubs and new: aper offices.

#### COOD BLOOD FOR BAD

Rheumatism and Other Blood Dis-eases are Cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

"In the lead mines I was at work on my knees with my elbows pressed against rock walls, in dampuess and extremes of cold," said Mr. J. G. Meukel, of 2975 Jackson avenue, Dubuque, Iowa, in describing his experience to a reporter, and it is not surprising that I contracted rheumatism. For three years I had attacks affecting the joints of my nucles, knees and elbows. My ankles and knees became so swollen I could scarcely walk on uneven ground and a hade pressure from a stone under my feet would cause me so much pain that I would nearly sink down. I was often obliged to lie in bed for several days at a time. My friends who were similarly troubled were getting no relief from doctors and I did not feel encouraged to throw money away for nothing. By chance I read the story of Robert Yates, of the Klauer Manufacturing Co., of Dubuque, who had a very bad case of rheumatism. I decided to try Dr. William Robert Manufacturing Co., of Physics of the Robert Manufacturing Co., of Dubuque, who had a very bad case of rheumatism. I decided to try Dr. William Robert Manufacturing Co., or Physics Co., Pale Books, the Co., or Co., and Co., or Co liams Pink Pills for Pale People, the remedy he had used. In three or four weeks after beginning to use the pills, I was much better and in three mon well. The swelling of the joints work steadily and for eight years I have had no return of the trouble. My whole family believe in Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Both my sons use them. We consider them a household remedy that we are sure about."

What Dr. Williams' Pink Pills did for Mr. Meukel they are doing for hundreds of others. Every dose sends galloping through the veins, pure, strong, rich, red Williams' Pink Pills at your druggists' or direct from the Dr. Williams Medi-cine Co., Schenectady, N.Y.

Troubles of Co-Operation.

William Crooks, one of the labor members of parliament, speaking the other day at the Crystal Palace, touched on one of the radical difficulties of labor co-partnership thus: "I know what they say about co-operation. They growl, 'Ave we got ter work as 'ard fer ourselves as we did fer the guv'nor?' 'Yes,' I say, 'you're your own guv'nors now. Get at it, and work as hard as you can."

A crank is a man who will not permit his neighbors to turn him.

Many an upright piano is a downright nuisance. Try me just once and I am sure to

A man may imagine that his head s going round when in reality it's only the wheels.

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Mother Gray, a nurse in New York, discovered a pleasant herb remedy for women's ills, called AUSTRALIAN-LEAF. It is the colly cartain monthly requisited. only certain monthly regulator. Cures female weaknesses, Backache, Kidney and Urinary troubles. At all Druggists or by mail 50 cts. Sample mailed FREE. Address, The Mother Grav Co., LeRoy, N. Y.

Sedan Chair Still Used.

The good old sedan chair is still it use in certain corners of the world. It is about the same kind of furniture that royalty used in Queen Elizabe allowed to remain at \$18,000 be- learned that some of the men who beth's days. Recently, during the cause in that case a friend of his to were to furnish the money were the Passion week, King Alfonso, of Spain, was carried around in a sedan chair just as the fine ladies were when all

SAYS WITTE IS A BOOR.

Belongs to Opposite Type From That of Baron Komura.

A London writer says Sergius Witte belongs to the mastiff type, Baron Komura to that of the weasel. The Russian envoy's manners are notoriously bad, so bad that he rarely enters the czar's presence without making some courtier's hair stand straight on end. Genial as he is by nature, he is often rough and offhand, and sometimes he is quite brutal in his callousness; he tramples conventionality under foot ruthlessly and calls spades spades in a fashion that his enemies dub indecent. The Jap's manners, on the contrary, are exquisite. His courtesy is as kindly as it is ceremonious, and there is something quite touching in the gentle deference he shows to all whom he meets, even while allowing not one of them to approach him too nearly. Just as M. Witte is a stanch democrat, Baron Komura is an aristocrat by instinct.

HONEST PHYSICIAN.

Works with Himself First. It is a mistake to assume that physicians are always skeptical as to the curative properties of anything else

than drugs.

indeed, the best doctors are those who seek to heal with as little use of drugs as possible and by the use of correct food and drink. A physician writes from Calif. to tell how he made a well man of himself with Nature's remedy: "Before I came from Europe, where I was born," he says, "it was my cus-

tom to take coffee with milk (cafe au

lait) with my morning meal, a small cup (cafe noir) after my dinner and two or three additional small cups at my club during the evening. "In time nervous symptoms developed, with pains in the cardiac region, and accompanied by great depression of spirits, despondency-in brief, "the I at first tried medicines, but got no relief and at last realized that all my troubles were caused by

coffee. I thereupon quit its use forthwith, substituting English Breakfast "The tea seemed to help me at first, but in time the old distressing symptoms returned, and I quit it also, and tried to use milk for my table beverage. This I was compelled however to abandon speedily, for, while it relieved the nervousness somewaat, it. brought on constipation. Then by a happy inspiration I was led to try the Postum Food Coffee. This was some months ago and I still use it. I am no longer nervous, nor do I suffer from the pains about the heart, while my 'blues' have left me and life is bright to me once more. I know that leaving off coffee and using Postum healed me, and I make it a rule to advise my patients to use it." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek

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### TRAFFIC IS TIED UP

few Trains Running on Central Missouri Roads.

TOTATEST RAINFALL IN YEARS.

Missouri Pacific Main Line Blocked by Landslides East of Sedalia-Lexington Branch and River Route Entirely Suspended.

Sedalia, Mo., Sept. 19.-The heavy rain storms of the past forty-eight hours have tied up nearly all of the railroads running into Sedatia. Excepting a pouch of Kansas City news; been received here. At an early hour benefit I derived. this morning the Missouri Pacific bridge over the La Mine river at Otterville went out, and numerous landslides east of Jefferson City put out of business the main line of the Missouri Pacific east of Sedalia.

All west-bound Missouri Pacific come from its early stages, or the presence of danger may be made manifest by excessive menstruation accompanied by Lydia E Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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by excessive menstroation accompanied by unusual pain extending from the ovaries down the groin and thighs.

If you have mysterious pains, if there are indications of inflammation ulceration or displacement, don't wait for time to confirm your fears and got through the horrorsofa hospital operation; secure Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound right away and begin its use and write Mrs. Pinkham of Lynn. Mass., for advice.

Read these strong letters from grateful with the doctor sait that nothing but the doctor and that the doctor will the tumor kept of will the doctor will the tumor kept of will the doctor will the tumor kept of will the doctor will the tumor kept of will the will be w Carlshad this year were Miss Pauline ing. Hundreds of yards of track have Miss McCormick, Miss Mathilde Townfrom here over the main line, but the Kansas City division is tied by

Saturday afternoon and night. As a result all streams are swollen and thousands of acres of the best corn is under water. The waters are still rising.

Versailles. - Ten inches of water have fallen in Morgan county during the last thirty-six hours and this on top of a weeks' almost continuous rains. Never before in the memory of the oldest inhabitant have the streams been so high and the washouts so complete. The county is traversed by many streams, and in the bottom lands the corn is nearly all ruined. The Osage river, which sweeps the southern end of the county, is as high as it was in 1844, while the damage to crops and other property is many times greater than it

was then. Marshall.-In addition to the heavy rains that have fallen here this week this locality was visited with a still heavier downpour last night, which continued until 8 o'clock this morning, during which six inches of water fell as shown by the government indica-

Jefferson City .- For the first time in many years the people of the capital city were denied the pleasure of their Sunday papers. On account of the heavy rains of the last twentyfour hours no trains from either the east or west came in. Corn in the Callaway county bottoms opposite here, in the Osage river bottoms, and in the Moreau bottoms has been great-

ly damaged. Bevier. - During the past twelve hours there has been a constant downpour of rain. Creeks and ponds are probably is equivalent to saying that full. The Middle Fork branch of the Charlton river is now overflowing, covering the mine track of the Bevier Black Diamond Coal Company and doing considerable damage to the roadbed. During the early morning lightning struck the new \$10,000 edifice of Congregational church, doing

much damage to its spire and bel-Topeka. -The Kaw river at the government weather guage touches the 13-foot mark. This is a fall of a half foot since Sunday morning. Soldier creek is within its banks again. The Union Pacific track is clear from To peka east and west.

Emperor Nicholas on Board.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 21.-The imperial yacht Polar Star, which left Peterhof, September 17, with Emperor Nicholas, the empress and their children for a cruise in Finnish waters, is anchored in the roads off Transgund, the port of Viborg.

INCENDIARIES TOOK \$130,000. Got in Their Work While the Home Was Burning.

Los Angeles, Cal., Sept. 18. - The nome of Dr. W. W. Ordway was set on fire and while its occupants were fighting the flames the incendiaries stole a hand bag containing \$130,000 in government bonds and \$500 in gold. They took the money, threw the bag and bonds into the fire and escaped. The bag was recovered before it had been destroyed, although many of the bonds were badly scorched.

Open Other Negotiations.

Copenhagen, Sept. 16. - A Norwe gian diplomatist said to the Associat ed Press that if, owing to the opposi tion of the Swedish government Prince Charles of Denmark should de cline to ascend the throne of Norway negotiations would probably be opened with Prince George of Greece.

Batouma, Caucasia, Sept. 14. -There is growing agitation among the local Mussulmans against the Christians. The authorities have seized uments inciting an outbreak.

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Senator from Minnesota, brilliant or. furter" and "wiener" was, according ator, clever business man, brainy law- to the "Wiener Neue Freie Presse," yer, whose national prominence made offered for sale for the first time in him a formidable candidate for the 1805 and the centennial was observpresidential nomination in 1904, ed in Vienna by the Butchers' Guild. The inventor of the sausage was Gentlemen: I Johann Lahner, who named it for his am glad to en- birthplace, Frankfurt The business dorse Doan's founded 100 years ago by a poor man Kidney Pills. has yielded a fortune to its various The remedy heads. It has always remained in the was recom- same family, and is now conducted in mended to me a Vienna by Franz Lahner, a grandfew months ago nephew of the original Frankfurter sausage man.

Miss Paulding, daughter of the late

Illustrious admiral, has for ten years less and languid; had a dull headache and neu- kept a trade school running at Huntralgic pains in the limbs and was ington, L. I., where their home was, otherwise distressed. A few boxes of and hundreds of children have been the pills effectually routed my aliment helped to learn trades. Now her perparers, not a pound of mail matter has and I am glad to acknowledge the severance is bringing her reward. Dr. enefit I derived.

(Signed) CHARLES A. TOWNE.

Oliver L. Jones has given a building site, and Miss Cornella Prime, of Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Huntington, \$10,000; Miss Paulding For sale by all dealers. Price, 50 has incorporated the school and the building will be at once erected.

> To the housewife who has not yet Ohio State university will soon have a woman's building. It will be planned and arranged by three women architects—Miss Kenyon Hayden, Miss Florence Hite and Miss Mary McMahon. The building will be of the old English architecture in the Tudor style.
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> To the housewife who has not yet become acquainted with the new things of everyday use in the market and who is reasonably satisfied with the old. We would suggest that a trial of Deflance Cold Water Starch be made at once. Not alone because it is guaranteed by the manufacturers to be superior to any other brand, but because each 10c package contains 16 ozs., while all the other kinds contain but 12 ozs. It is safe to say that the lady no other. Quality and quantity must

> > It takes a wise man to look before he leaps out of the frying-pan into the

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"You will remember that I wrote to you last January In regard to my husband's health. It is four months since he quit taking Muli's Grape Tonic for constipation, which he suffered from since birth. He took just 24 bottles of it and is perfectly cured. He is much stronger and has gained considerably in flesh. I cannot thank you enough for Muli's Grape Tonic. 'It is worth its weight in gold.' Just \$12 cured him and he has spent hundreds of dollars with doctors who did him no good. It did all you claimed it would." good. It did all you claimed it would."

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man and child in the city.

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Pope Has a Telephone. A telephone has been installed in the papal apartments in the Vatican. Pius X did not take kindly to this innovation at first, but has found it en-

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The latest thing is to have the wed-Marquis of Bute, who was married anced brow, a thin, oval face, a pair about a month ago in Scotland.

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PIONEER TEACHER OF JAPAN. Saw Workings of Feudal System and

Its Abolition. Rev. William C. Griffiths, D. D., of Ithaca, N. Y., who was the teacher in Japan of Baron Komura, saw the flagship of Commodore Perry launched at Philadelphia, met the members of the first Japanese embassy to America, taught the first Japanese students in the United States, was the first man of Caucasian race by invitation to live and remain in the interior of Japan. was the first called out under the "Charter Oath" of the mikado in 1868 to organize schools on the American principle, and is the only foreign-

It was Miss Zelma Pilson of Wash-

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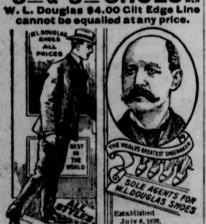
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When he leaves here G. A. Addison try as they may it seems fate was a eris for sale. Apply to expects to locate permanently in Elk gainst them, and one misfortune after

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Cunningham sited J. A. Hopkins and family of Gray county this week. Reports from Wheeler county say otton this year will make about two-

thirds of a bale per acre. Have 100 bushels of good Turkey Red wheat for sale at 85 cents per bushel. - See Joe Heare at the depot. Mrs. J. M. Griffin of Miami is in Mobuetie this week at the bedside of Mrs. Chas. D. Miller, who is quiet sick.

It is estimated that the cotton in Gray county will yield a little better, than half bale per acre this season.

Claud Locke has returned to Miami Old Mexico, Arizona and New Mexico. J. W. Talley, with R. J. Talley as guide, left Tuesday for a prospecting trip in Ochiltree and Hansford counties.

If you have wheat to sell get prices from John Newman, who is satisfied be can offer better prices than other

Prof. W. S. Roberts was down from Amarillo Tuesday on a land deal, and made this office a pleasant and substan- another kept their finances depleted.

have recovered, and as there no new holt on every member of the household,

purchased a section of F. P. Ried of members of the family and who no Wheeler county, also another section doubt resolutely fought back the at-

nesday each month.

daughter, Mrs. Chalk, was quiet sick. citation, contributed \$10. a niece to the editor of THE CHIEF. is

T. D. Hobart was in Miami this week and secured the services of Addison, not be content with even less? the photographer, to spend the first three days of next week taking views

Saturday October 30th will be the last

day to have work done. The time is near at hand to think about stoves. In making your selection consider quality and economy of fuel, as two of the essential features. Good service is what you want, and fuel costs

F. M. JOHNSON. Dentist

Death, and the Wistortune in a Good Family.

ate Silas Wilson, died at her Lome in their plight is such as to call forth the their plight is such as to call forth the deepest sympathy of all our people. Knock his future, knock his present, Try to knock him down to hell. ONE DOLLAR PER YEAR IN ADVANCE About two years ago the head of the house passed away, and while Silas Be a cheap skate, be a piker.

Wilson was a hard working man the Be a stinker by the clock, Wilson was a hard working man the Wilson was a hard working man the ghost of misfortune so whiled in his In this life is just to KNOCK. the path that at the time of his death a mortgage was left hanging over the the little farm, and this was all the earthly See Stone & Houston before buying dren, three girls and two boys. The mortgage was lifted by contributions from the people of Miami and Mobeetic.

Miss Lola Tolbert has returned from the people of Miami and Mobeetic.

The people of Miami and Mobeetic. visit to relatives in Quinlan, Okla.

The boys and girls worked hard to ing dressing I ever found." Soothes

D. F. Kivlehen returned Tuesday provide for the home, the oldest boy and heals cuts, burns and scalds. 25c from a visit to his son, Will, at Curtis, working for wages and the girls and at Central Drug Store; guaranteed. younger boy running the farm. But, A number of Buff Orpington cock

To the Knocker.

Miss Jennie Wilson, daughter of the at Silas Wilson, died at her home in Wheeler county Wednesday and was Get a hammer, do your knocking, burried at the Mobeetic cemetery the following day. The Wilson family have Hit a rap where'er you can. suffered a series of misfortunes and Knock your neighbor, knock his efforts

Fiendish Suffering

goods left to the widow and five chil- is often caused by sores, ulcers and can

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You are Invited to Call and Examine these Latest Fancies in Fashion Come early and make your pick while picking is good.

Typhoid fever came into the home a-The several children having diptheria bout three months ago and fastened its time, and the girl who watched so A Mr. Wallace of Brown county has tenderly over the bed side of the other tack on herself until she saw that her

mission at the bedside was done, was do dental work on the last to take the disease, and her the first Monday, Tuesday and Wed- death is the climax of another sad, very sad, event in the history of this President of the school board re- family. A paper was circulated in Miquests us to announce school will be- mi and something above \$60 was sub- saw the mustard cruet on the table. gin again next Monday. The diptheria scribed to the relief of this family. It Emptying the contents into her handis belived Mobeetie will subscribe liber- kerchief she started up stairs on the Mrs. T. M. Cunningham left on this ally and these will be suplemented by run and entered the first door she morning's train for Rugsby, Colorado, donations from neighbors. Thos. came to. Here she saw in the dim

Miss May Ladd of Bay City, Texas, have comfortable homes, or who able let out a howl and shouted "Woman let in Miami for a week's visit before en. bodied can work for a living, should what in the thunder are you doing? tering the State University at Austin. indeed be grateful. Very few of us There was a shrick, a patter of feet on are satisfied with what we have, yet the hall floor, and frightened half to

Peculiar Disadpearance.

I D Runyan of Butlerville, O. laid the peculiar disappearance of his painful The public is aroused to a knowledge of absent from Miami Monday, Tuesday symptoms of indigestion and bilious-and Wednesday of next week, but will ness to Dr Kings New Life Pills. He cinal tonic, Electric Bitters, for sich

## Mobeetie.

money. A car of Charter Oak cooking and heating stoves just in. Getting a car load freight rate on these will enable Mr. Hickman to sell them at the very closest prices.

Friday September 29th at 3 o'clock in the afternoon is the regular monthly meeting of the W. C. T. U. This will be a "Mothers Meeting." During the business meeting a report from the Cemetery Committee will be heard. Business of importance. All members are asked to be present.

Some of our people seem to think that there being such a large forage crop raised, such as kaffir corn, milos maize, etc. that there will not be a decimal properties.

Mobestic.

A boy looking to be about 17 and a short time I was entirely cured." Guaranteed at Central Drug Store; 50c.

Signs of Longevity.

Every woman has the sign which tells the experienced whether she will live to be very old. Here are some of the supposed signs of longevity: The woman who appears tailer in proportion to the limbs, the heart, lungs and digestive organs are large. The pulse should beat with a full and normal stroke. Limbs and joints should be large and well formed. Those who resemble their mothers may expect to live of the supposed signs of longevity: The woman who appears tailer in proportion to the limbs, the heart, lungs and dignestive organs are large. The pulse should beat with a full and normal stroke. Limbs and joints should be large and well formed. Those who resemble their mothers may expect to live of the supposed signs of longevity: The woman who appears tailer in proportion to the limbs, the heart, lungs and dignestive organs are large. The pulse should beat with a full and normal stroke. Limbs and joints should be large and well formed. Those who resemble their mothers may expect to live of the supposed signs of longevity: The woman who appears tailer in proportion to the limbs, the heart, lungs and digner the boy wended his way to the supposed signs of longevity: The woman who appears tailer in proportion to the limbs, the heart, lungs and digner the love will be a full t IN THE TEXAS PANHANDLE

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Cholera Infantum.

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Ruth, the little daughter of E. N.
Dewey of Agnewille, Va., was seriously ill of cholera infantum last summer.
"We gave her up and did not expect her to live from one hour to another," he says. "I happened to think of Chamberlains Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and got a bottle of it from the store. In five hours I saw a change for the better. We kept on the store of the better. We kept on the last of one small bottle she was well."

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#### Embarrassing Mistake.

The following is told of a couple who attended the Wyoming State fair and cases the school will open again next four being sick of this disease at one stopped at one of the best hotels in

seized with severe stomach cramps and much frightened, but she knew some thing must be done quickly, so without putting on any clothes she started down stairs on the jump with naught on but her "nighty." Running into in response to a telegram stating her O'Loughlin of this place, without soli- moonlight a man lying on the bed who when we see such as this, should we death the poor wife found her room and suffering husband. She told him her troubles and it tickled him so that his cramps took a change of venue.

Public is Aroused.

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