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High Karnival will Reign Here for the Next 30 Days, or as long as the Goods Last. We Hope they will all be gone in 10 days. It's a Hot Time in the Old Town "NOW." It's up to you to get in line and lay in your wants at Prices never made Before in the Grand Lone Star State

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Hotel Fire at Beaumont. Bearmont: The Oaks Hotel, a fashenue and Oakland street, was burned by the frantic cries and scratching of te popular tendency to Thursday afternoon. The residence of the family cat, Mrs. C. E. Attlleberger beings suffering under B. Rush Norvell, on the adjoining cor- barely had time to escape from her ner, was also destroyed and other res- burning house with her life. The fire Lepenial is being subscribed idences in the immediate vicinity were occurred at an early hour Monday on to be presented to scorched. The Oaks Hotel cost \$4,800 morning and the building was entirely A. R. who for 40 years has and the furnishings \$15,000. The in- destroyed. The cat sprang upon the surance is between \$5,000 and \$6,000. bed and after awakening its mistress

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It is horrifying to learn from Dr.

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Life-Saving Feline.

DEATH.

Meets Tragic End.

San Antonio, Tex., Feb. 18 .- In th

and an immense audience was present.

crowd stared, horror-stricken.

Found Dead in His Room.

Paris: Mr. and Mrs. Thomas, age

before his mother's death.

able to ride.

"The Girl in Red," being ill, was un

would not leave the room until the Willis Jackson, a negro, who was ar- woman ran from the smoke-filled apartcs how much better off han humans, who have no rested about two weeks ago at Deniment. son, on suspicion of being guilty of the killing of Charles Lee, another An epidemic of the grippe is at pres negro, was bound over to the District ent prevailing among the employes of Court Tuesday by Justice G. F. French the various departments, says an judge has instructed the Austin disnatch without bail. indict society women

PAlay bridge badly, but Cotton Belt Wants a Port. Beaumont: Information is received indelphia wan is seeking a di-Philadelphia wan is seeking a di-ce because his wife has a "shophere that the Cotton Belt was figuring on building to a deep-water port Volunteer Riding a Diving Horse mania." The natural supposition | near this city. Arrangements are said that the man has to spend the reater part of his life on a desert to be under way, but the details have not as yet been closed, and further presence of 5,000 spectators Oscar news regarding the matter is withheld Smith rode one of Dr. Carver's diving by those interested. Is is known here horses, Powderface, to his death yes Resembling in appearance and acon a jack rabbit is a Nebraska calf, that the Cotton Belt has purchased a terday afternoon. The performance ording to all accounts. It has no couple of logging roads between Luf- was being given at the baseball park all, and its hind legs are longer than kin and Beaumont. its fore ones. It gets over the ground

Ellis County Pioneer Falls Dead. Waxahachie: While reading a news. Smith, known as the "boy brouch" tablished at several places in Siberia, paper in the court room of Justice Mc buster," an attache of Carver's show, Knight Monday afternoon, J. F. Por. volunteered to ride the diving horse, terfield, who resides near Waxahachie which leaps from a forty-foot platfell forward on the floor and expired form into a pool of water fourteen instantly. When he went to the court feet deep. With him on his back the room about 1 o'clock to rest he was horse made a beautiful dive. The trying to get a foothold in the Konapparently in good health, and his sud horse hit the water nose first, with region. The professor will next telling us that Great Britain cut den death is attributed to heart failure Smith sitting gracefully on his back. Mr. Porterfield was 74 years old, and The crowd broke into cheers as the off all those arms and legs so she could get photographs of them to rouse public sentiment against Leowas one of the pioneer settlers of El. horse and rider went under the water. lis County, moving there from Ten. The horse came up, but no rider. The nessee in 1856.

> Incorporate to Ship Fruit. Jacksonville: An association to be Paris: James Meacham, an elderly

A cable from Tokio says Japan has not the slightest idea of going to war with the United States. It will known as the Mount Selman Fruit and unmarried man, who made his home Truck Company has filed its charter with his brother near Glory, was with the secretary of state. The pur. found dead in his room at noon Monpose of the association is to better fa. day. He are a hearty breakfast Mon cilitate the marketing of fruit and day morning and appeared to be in vegetables. Other shipping points in in his usual health. After breakfast 1,750,000 children between the ages this county have taken out papers of he went upstairs and remained unti accorporation and organized in a bus his dead body was discovered. Justice living in the United States. But more than a million of them are on iness way. Mount Selman is a pro of the Peace Adams held an inques gressive little town six miles north of and found that death was due to nat rms and district messenger boys, so here on the Cotton Belt Raliroad. ural causes.

> Aged Man Killed by Train. Ferris: An old man named Bigsbee was killed by Houston and Texas Cen- 66 and 62 years, who recently moved tral passenger train No. 5 at Wilmer to this county from Bowie County here. He had gone to the station with died at their home a mile northeas his wife, who was going to take pass of Caviness, forty-eight hours apart of age one the train. By some means he pneumonia, one of them dying Satur was struck by the engine as the train day and the other Sunday. A grow was approaching the station. At last son collapsed and fainted from grie report his wife was still unconscious, when his father died and did not re she having fainted at the time of the gain consciousness until a few hours accident.

GOOD PRESCRIPTION

SIMPLE MIXTURE THAT IS SAID TO BREAK A COLD QU'CKLY.

ingredients Can be Easily Hi chased at Little Cost From Any Good Prescription Druggist and Mixed at Home.

A noted authority on lung trouble advises that as soon as a cold is contracted the following simple treatment should be given. The ingredients can be purchased from any prescription druggist at small cost and easily prepared in your own home. It is said to be so effective that it will break up a cold in twenty-four hours and cure any cough that is curable

Take a half ounce Virgin Oil of Pine (Pure), two ounces of Glycerine, and eight ounces of good Whisky. Shake well and take in teaspoonful doses every four hours.

Be sure that the Virgin Oil of Pine (Pure) is in the original half-ounce vials, which are put up expressly for druggists to dispense. Each vial is securely sealed in a round wooden case, with engraved wrapper, with the name -Virgin Oil of Pine (Pure); guaranteed under the Food and Drug Act. June 30, 1906. Prepared only by Leach Chemical Co., Cincinnati, O .- plainly printed thereon. Only the adulterated oils are sold in bulk; these create nausea and never effect the desired regults.

Senator's Long Life. Senator Pettus was a lieutenant in the Mexican war: he rode horseback to California with the "forty-niners" and was advanced from the rank of major to that of brigadier general in the confederate army. He was admitted to the bar at Gainsville, Ala., when he became 21 years of age. At this time Texas was an independent republic, California was a part of Mexico and Great Britain was disputing the American claim to the Oregon country. Andrew Jackson was then supreme in politics and was yet to succeed in making Polk president of the United States.

Suffered Three Years-Physicians Did No Good-Perfectly Weil After Using Cuticura Remedies.

VERY BAD FORM OF ECZEMA.

"I take great pleasure in informing you that I was a sufferer of eczema in a very bad form for the past three years. I consulted and treated with a number of physicians in Chicago, but to no avail. I commenced using the Cuticura Remedies, consisting of Cuticura Soap, Sintment and Pills, three months ago, and to-day I am prefectly well, the disease having left me entirely. I cannot recommend the Cuticura Remedies too highly to any one suffering with the disease that I have had. Mrs. Florence E. Atood, 18 Crilly Place, Chicago, Ill., October 2, 1905. Witness: L. S. Berger.'

SOME POINTS ABOUT NEEDLES. The Evolved Product of Centuries of Invention.

portant part of that useful little instrument, and there are many points about needles calculated to interest the general public. The daily consumption of needles all over the world is something like 3,000,000, while every year the women of the United States break, lose and use some 300, 000,000 of those tiny tools. Few people while threading a needle have ever given a thought to the various processes through which the wire must pass before it comes out a Yet the manufacture of needles includes some 21 different processes from cutting the wire and threading the double needles by the eyes to separating the two needles on the one length of wire, heading, hardening in oil, cleaning out the sides of AN EXHIBITION DIVE ENDS IN the eye, point-setting, and final polishing. For wrapping purple paper is used, since it prevents rusting. There are many sorts of needles, for surgeons', cooks', glovemakers', weavers', sailmakers', broommakers', milliners' and dressmakers' use. The needle is the evolved product of centuries of invention. In its primitive form it was made of bone, ivory, or wood. Point by point its manufacture has improved, until this little but not insignificant instrument is now one of the highly-finished products of twentieth century machinery and skill .-Zion's Herald

California's Prune Crop. California's prune crop in 1906, was 185,000,000 pounds, against 62,500,000 pounds in 1905. This has only been exceeded once in 17 years. That was in 1902, when the crop was 197,000,-000.

A FRIEND'S TIP.

70-Year-Old Man Not too Old to Accept

a Food Pointer. "For the last 20 years," writes a Maine man, "I've been troubled with Dyspepsia and liver complaint, and have tried about every known remedy

without much in the way of results until I took up the food question. "A friend recommended Grape-Nuts food, after I had taken all sorts of medicines with only occasional, temporary relief.

This was about nine months ago, and I began the Grape-Nuts for breakfast with cream and a little sugar. Since then I have had the food for at least one meal a day, usually for breakfast.

"Words fail to express the benefit I received from the use of Grape-Nuts. My stomach is almost entirely free from pain and my liver complaint is about cured, I have gained flesh, sleep well can eat nearly any kind of food except greasy, starchy things and am strong and healthy at the age of 70

"If I can be the means of helping any poor mortal who has been tronany poor mortal who has been from bled with dyspepsia as I have been, I am willing to answer any letter enclos-ing stamp." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read the lit-tle book, "The Road to Wellville," in pags. "There's a Reason."

against the United States, which was brought as an original action in the supreme court of the United States, was decided by that court Monday by dismissing the state's petition to be adjudged the owner, as trustee, for the Missouri Kansas & Texas Railway of coal and farming lands in Indian territory. The court's opinion was handed down by Chief Justice Fuller. The question involved in the Indian Territory land grant case was the validity of the railroad company's right which many legal and political pattles have been fought. The controversy dates back to 1866, when Congress made a donation of ten sections. or 6,400 acres of land in Kansas per mile of road in that state. This was transferred to the Union Pacific railroad company for the construction of a southern branch running from Fort Riley southward toward Fort Scott through Kansas and Indian Territory and undertook to make the same

tinguished by treaty or otherwise.' The Missouri, Kansas & Texas company comes into the case as the suc cessor of the Union Pacific, and Kansas appeared as the trustee for that company under the congressional act, ing been awarded long ago it was entirely eliminated from the suit which covered the grant in Indian Territory only. The land involved lies entirely within the bounds of Creek nation and

the Italian government arrived here Tuesday night and will depart Wednednesday morning for Denver, where they will be joined by the Italian consul-general preparatory to a tour of the Southwestern states for the purpose of investigating conditions there with the intention of establishing colonies of Italian immigrants.

> Railroad Improvements Abandoned. Chicago, - Owing to railway legislation and the difficulty of raising money as well as the increased cost of labor and material, the Chicago Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad has temporarily abandoned improvements and extensions, for which the management expected to spend betwen \$6,-000,000,000 and \$8,000,000.

San Francisco, Calif. - The 600 Japanese coolies who came in on the

Prosecution of Joseph Leiter. Duquoin, Ill. - Prosecution of the case against Joseph Leiter wealthy coal operator, on the charge of criminal negligence in the operation of his colliery at Zeigler, was begun Tuesday in the circuit court

Children Die in a Fire, Montreal, Quebec, — Principal Maxwell and 16 children perished in a fire Tuesday afternoon in the Hochelaga school of the protestant school commission.

Santo Domingo Treaty Ratified. Washington. — By a vote of 43 to 19 the Senate Monday night ratified the Santo Domingo treaty. This was one more vote in the affirmative than was required. Senator Clarke of Arkansas and Senator Patterson favored the party and were the only demo crats for it.

Agreement Between Spain and France Madrid. — Spain and France have he matter of the organization of the

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"Mr. Stires," he said to the "I want to thank you for signin name to my poem in this week per. It encourages a fellow wh gets proper credit for his work." Oh, that's all right, Johnson, sponded the editor. "We thoug was about time to place the resp bility for that poetry where i longed."-Youth's Companion.

Important to Mothers. Examine carefully every bottle of CAST a safe and sure remedy for infants and ch

Germany's Beet Sugar. The production of beet sugar in German empire in 1906 is estin by the International Sugar Statist sociation to be 2,157,200 metric (2,204.6 pounds each), against 445 metric tons in 1905, a le nearly ten per cent. Austria-Huns beet sugar crop is 11 per cent.

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Receives Carnegie Pension.
Judge C. C. Cole, of Des Moine for many years dean of the Drak University law school there has ceived a Carnegie pension of \$1,280 year. He was graduated from the Harvard law school.

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HE FEELS ANOTHER FIT COMING ON.

An outbreak in Cuba is feared, according fand .- Washington Dispatch.

STEVENS QUITS THE CANAL

"Patriotism" Also Failed to Offset a Larger Salary.

President Announces Army Engineers Will Be Placed in Charge-They Cannot Resign.

addressed to Chairman Shonts of the Isthmian canal commission, Tuesday, is power, under existing law, transferred to the engineer branch of the army the responsibility for the further construction of the Panama canal. He also formally recorded the abandonment for the present, at least, of contract on the percentage system. Another feature was the announcement of the resignation of John F. Stevens as engineer in chief of the canal construction. Mr. Shonts is in New York where he will Wednesday preside at a meeting of the directors to be held in trust and afterward of the Pana na railroad company of which he is president, and will, it is expected formally resign that office.

The president intends that there shall be an entire reorganization of the commission with three army offimembers who are to have charge of the engineering features of the canal work. The chairman and engineer in chief of the commission will be Major G. W. Goethals. His associates will be Major Du B. Gaillard, and Major William L. Sibert, to rank in the orcomparatively young, ambitious and

energetic. Senator Joseph C. S. Blackburn of Kentucky, who retires from the United States senate on the 4th of March is to be made a member of the re-organized commission.

Steel Cross Ties Condemned. Philadelphia. Pa. - General Manager Atterbury of the Pennsylvania Railroad company has ordered the removal of all steel cross ties now in use on the line of the Pennsylvania railroad. This order is the result of the recommendation of the special committee appointed by the general manager to investigate the wreck of the Chicago special near Mineral Point on Friday night when many persons were injured

Italy Favors Reduced Armament.

Rome, Italy.-From the work of Prol. De Martens, Russian Imperiat councillor of state, which has already begun here in connection with the forthcoming session of The Hague tribunal, it appears that Italy, recognizing the necessity for peace, will sincerely co-operate in any movement leading to concord on the question of the simultaneous reduction of armaments or the lessening of the dangers and disasters of war.

Cannot Smoke Cigarettes There. Lincoln, Neb. - The house Tues day passed a bill prohibiting youths ender 18 years of age from smoking cigarettes in public places. A penalty

is provided for violation. Shaw Gets a New Office.

New York. - Leslie M. Shaw, secretary of the treasury was Tuesday elected president of the Carnegie Trust Company of this city, the elec-

tion to take effect March 5.

No Market for Cotton. El Paso, Texas. - Complaint comes from the rich cotton ginning Laguna district of the state of Coahuila, Mexico, that the planters can

find no market for the large crop of cotton raised last year. To Marry an Italian. Cleveland Ohio. - Formal

nouncement was made Sunday night the engagement of Miss Elizabeth Johnson, only daughter of Mayor and Mrs Tom L. Johnson, to Signor Frederico Mariani, a wealthy Italian,

Nebraskan Gets Rhodes Scholarship Lincoln, Neb. — Samuel M Rin-nker, a sophomore in the Univer-sity of Nebraska, was Friday awarded a Rhodes scholarship. He was the unantmous choice in a contesting class

Pace Conference June 1. The Hague. - In an official declaration issued Friday the government of the Netherland set forth its readiness to receive the delegation to the second peace conference on or about

KANSAS HAD NO INTEREST. The Court Holds Trusteeship Did Not Extend Beyond the Boundaries of the State. Washington. - The Stubbornly contested case of the state of Kansas Washington, D. C .- By an order President Roosevelt, as far as lay in company, of vast and valuable tracts the project of having the work done by to land in Indian Territory over

cers of the engineer corps, its leading grant to lands in Indian Territory whenever the Indian title shall be ex-

embraces 516,480 acres.

To Establish Italian Colonies

St. Louis. - Four commissioners of

Six Hundred Coolies Land.

Pacific mail liner Mongolia Monday night were allowed to land, Commissioner of Immigration North stating that he had received no instructions to hold them, the amendment to the immigration bill being not yet in force. An Ancient Warrior Dead.

Piqua, Ohio. - Alexander Green 100 years old, died Sunday, Mr. Green was an officer in the Austrian wars in Southern Spain and Italy in the Grecian revolution in Turkey and in the German revolution of 1848-51.

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Poetess Highly Honored. lle. Andre Corthis, whose poems in volume entitled "Gemmes et es" have won high praise, has chosen poet laureate of France the year past. The honor is one ferred annually by a vote of emint literary people on the most dia-guished poet of the year. Mile. this is still a young woman.

Stimulate the Blood. andreth's Pills are the great blood her. They are a laxative and blood c, they act equally on the bowkidneys and skin, thus cleansing system by the natural outlet of ody. They stimulate the blood enable nature to throw off all id humors and cure all troubles g from an impure state of the One or two taken every night rove an invaluable remedy

each will contains one grain of solid extract of sarsaparilla, which, with other valuable vegetable products, nake it a blood purifier unexcelled. Brandreth's Pills have been in use over a century, and are for sale verywhere, plain or sugar-ceated.

Typical Soldier of Fortune. Though many of the descendants of the Illustrious Edgar Allan Poe inherit ne of his illustrious instincts, it is bably more marked in the case of Johnnie" Poe, who can well be styled a typical soldier of fortune. Mr. Poe onged to the great Fifth regiment of Baltimore and served during the war with Spain, after which he went the Philippines, where he was of-red a commission for efficient work. For the second time, however, he refused the honor and remained a private. At the expiration of his term he came back to this country and wanered to the famous Death valley and from there to the Tonopah district, which he was lured in the late fall by the call of the gridiron.

MYFUL NEURALGIA

Pain Turned This Woman's Hair White but She Was Cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

Do not seek relier from suffering imply, but free your system from the isease which is the cause of your That is the message which former victim of neuralgia sends to lose who are still in its grasp. Hot lications, powders that deaden the Hef but the pain is sure to return with

greater intensity. Mrs. Evelyn Creusere, who has a beautiful home at 811 Boulevard West, Detroit, Mich., suffered for years with neuralgia until she tried this tonic treatment. She says: "My trouble began about six years d I did not rest as I should ut kept up about my many After a time I became so ould not do any work at all. had severe backaches and such dreadful headaches in the back part and top of my head. My eyes were cally tired and at times I saw black

asily tired and at times I saw black pots before them. I consulted sev-eral doctors but without the slightest that my hair turned white.

"I lost continually in weight and strength and was almost in despair when a friend recommende? Dr. Willams' Pink Pills. I tried them according to discretens and soon began

cording to directions and soon began to feel relief. At the end of three onths I had gained ten pounds in eight and had no more trouble with r nerves. I have been in perfect p nerves. I have been in perfect ealth ever since and can heartily parmend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills."
Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by Il druggists, or sent postpaid, on resept of price, 50 cents per box. six exes for \$2.50, by the Dr. Williams So., Schenectady, N. Y.

DISLIKE LAND ENTRY ORDER. THE DOINGS OF CONGRESS

Mr. Steenerson Calls It "As Arbitrary As Any Ukase Issued by Czar of Russia."

Washington, D. C. -The house in committee of the whole, placed it-self squarely on record Friday in favor of limiting the power of special agents of the department of the interior by a vote restricting the use of the appropriation of \$250,000 covered by the undry civil appropriation bill to pay the salaries of such agents. By a vote of 104 to 170 the committee adopted an amendment offered by Mr. Mondell (Wyc.) and debated for two hours.

During the debate the work of the special agents was severely condemned and the orders of the president regarding final proof on homestead crittcised as working unnecessary hardships upon settlers.

Mr. Cuchman of Washington, In championing the Mondell amendment, said he regarded the secretary of the interior "as an honorable, honest and high-minded and well-intentioned,' but added: "I do believe he is suffer ing from a very severe case of suspicion regarding the integrity of the people of the west."

Mr. Gronna of North Dakota told of the hardships occasioned by the two now famous orders of the president suspending final proof on homestead entries until expert examination could be made.

Mr. Steenerson of Minnesota thought the president could not have known the hardships that would follow his order of December 13, 1906; otherwise he did not believe it would have been issued. He made the assertion that Mr. Pinchot had inspired the drastic order "which was as arbitrary as any ukase issued by the czar of Russia.

Argues Standard Ouster Suit. St. Louis. - The closing arguments in the ouster suit of the state against the Standard, Republic and Waters-Pirece Oil companies, were commenced Monday before Special Commis sioner Anthony. Attorney General Hadley opened for the state. The defense will be represented by Alfred G. Edy, of Chicago; Frank Hagerman of Kansas City, and H. S. Priest, of St. Louis. At the conclusion of the arguments the evidence in the case will be submitted to the supreme court together with a recommendation from him as to the proper judge

Smallpox in Missouri Legislature.

Jefferson City. - Representative W. J. Salts of Phelps county, was taken down with smallpox while in his seat on the floor of the house of representatives just at the noon recess Friday. Salts had ben feeling badly for several days. He had sat all morning in his place in the house near the main aisle and every person who passed in or out of the house came within a few feet of him. As soon as it was known that a man with smallpox had sat on the floor of the house all morning there was talk of a possible adjournment of this ses-

Perkins Wins on Appeal.

Albany, N. T. - The peals Tuesday decided in favor of George W. Perkins, a vice president of the New York Life Insurance company and a member of the firm of J. Pierpont Morgan & Co., in the matter of the charge of grand larceny made against him in connection with the payment of funds of the New York Life to the republican national campaign in 1904. Both the opinions expressed by the judges agree that the expenditure of the New York Life's money for campaign purposes was illegal and improper.

Limitation of Armament Not Likely. Trondhjem, - King Haakon, at an after dinner discussion of the coming conference at The Hague, said he recognized that there would be extreme difficulty in arriving at an international agreement on the reduction of armaments, but thought the conference should seek to reach an agreement prohibiting the employment of airships and submarine vessels in

Big Pasture Bidders' Checks Deposited Lawton, Ok. - A. W. Maxwell, receiver of the United States land office, received Saturday the first consign ment of checks deposited by successful bidders which amounted to \$9,000. These checks will be collected from the banks issuing them before the final receipts are issued to the entrymen

One Court-Martial's Work. Riga, Russia, - The court-martial at Tukum, which has, been trying insurrectionists have concluded its labors. Seventeen men have been sen-

tenced to death Senator Dolliver's Brother Dead Fort Dodge, Iowa. - Victor B. Dolliver, 46 years old, a brother of Senator Dolliver of Iowa, was found

dead in bed Sunday afternoon.

Honduras Has Declared War. City of Mexico. - Word reached here Friday night that Honduras has formally declared war against Nicaragua. President Bonilla is at the head of the Hondurean troops and is marching on the frontier of Nicara-

No Action in the Bailey Case. Austin, Texas. - The legislative nvestigation of the charges against Senator Joseph W. Bailey was not considered by the lower house of the legislature Tuesday.

Met Death in Gale.

London, - The worst disaster for many years in the history of the busy cross-channel traffic between England and the continent occurred during a violent gale shortly before 6 o'clock Thursday morning when the Rotterlam mail steamer Berlin, from Harwich, to Hook of Holland, having safely weather the hurricane was wrecked as she was entering port. With one single exception all her passengers and crew, numbering 143 persons,

Items of Interest From the National Capital.

More Important Happenings in Sen-ate and House During the Past Week.

Reed Smoot Remains.

Washington.-Senator Reed Smoot retains his seat in the United States Senate. This was decided Wednesday by a vote of 42 to 28, ending a long contest. Eighteen senators were paired, making the actual standing on the resolution 51 for and 37 against. Senator Smoot did not vote and Senator Wetmore was absent and not paired.

The Smoot resolution was called up soon after the senate convened. Every seat in the galleries was filled and during the actual voting the standing room on the floor of the senate was crowded by members of the house and employes of the senate. Seldom had there been a proceeding affecting the standing of a senator that has attracted such marked attention. In the audience were representatives of a number of prominent women's organizations which have been active in circulating and having presented petitions of remonstrance against Mr. Smoot. These women secured many thousand signatures to their petitions,

Senate Appropriates \$365,000,000.

Washington, D. C. - The senate Monday passed the agricultural appropriation bill, carryng nearly \$10,-000,000; the postoffice appropriation bill, carrying \$210,000,000; the penson appropriation bill, carrying \$145, 000,000 and the bill authorizing the establishment of an agricultural bank in the Philippines. The principal fight over the agricultural bill took place on the Beveridge amendment requiring the packers to pay the cost of administering the meat inspection law. This amendment was defeated on a point of order. Mr. Beveridge secured the adoption of an amendment which requires the date of canning and inspection to appear on the label of the can containing meat products.

Rush Ship Subsidy.

Washington, - Ship subsidy secured a marked impetus Monday in the house, which just before adjournment adopted a rule that will probably insure the passage by the house of the Littaues substitute for the senate bill and may result before the final adjournment in positive legislation. The rule was reported by Mr. Dalzell in the shape of a resolution providing that the compromise bill shall be considered with debate limited to five hours and that the final vote shall be taken not later than next Friday af. ternoon at 3 o'clock. The rule was adopted by a vote of 138 to 122, 24 republicans voted with the democrats in opposition to the rule.

Cost of Government. Washington, -It costs just a little

more than twice as much to run the as it did ten years ago. One session of the Fifty-Ninth Congress by the time it has completed its labors will have appropriated more than both sessions of the Fifty-fourth. Ten years ago the per capita cost of government was \$9, now it is \$12.50.

Filibustered in the House.

Washington, - Smarting under what they considered unfair treatment, the democrats resorted to a systematic series of objections against provisions in the sundry civil bill Thursday in the house. They compelled the republicans to maintain 100 members, a quorum of the committee

The House Hears Eulogies. Washington. - Eulogies on the lives of the late Senator Russell A. Alger of Michigan and the late Representative Zeny Cullom Adams of Wisconsin; William S Flack of New York and J. H. Ketcham of New York were pronounced Sunday in the house, which convened to pay tribute to the states-

Two Veto Messages.

Washington, - The veto messages of two house bills were received from the president Tuesday, one of them negativing the Kiowa pasture townsite bill, and the other a bill for the relief of a civilan who served in the Civil war.

, Conferees Appointed.

Washington, -Conferees were appointed by the house in the postoffice appropriation bill after an ineffectual effort had been made to recede and concur in certain Senate amendments relating to the pay of rural letter car riers and railway mail employes, Another Measure Signed.

Washington. - The president Friday signed the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill, the first of the regular supply measures to be acted

on by congress. LaFollette Wins a Point.

Washington, D. C .- Mr. LaFolletment requiring that all postal cars be ple. equipped with electric lights by January 1908. He also secured the adoption of a provision requiring the average weight of mails to be divided by the whole number of the days of the week instead of six days, in arriving at the amount to be paid for railway mail transportation. The claim was made that the adoption of this amendment will accomplish an annual saving of \$5,000,000.

An Investigation Postponed.

Washington, - The senate com mittee on Pacific railroads Friday ailed to get a quorum to consider Senator Heyburn's resolution direct ing the committee to make an investi gation of the recent re-organization of the Northern Pacific Railroad company. It was the opinion of the ould be postponed until next session of congress, as it was agreed that no action could be had during the short time that remained of the

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Clung to Old Fashions. Augustus Squire, for 65 years & member of the Cutlers' company, London, whose death, in his ninety-third year, is announced, always burnt candles in his house, for he would never have gas or electricity laid on. He never sent a telegram in his life, never used the telephone, and hardly ever rode in a train, traveling by bus, carriage, cab or boat.

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"The next time she comes to with her tale of woe," affirmed the girl severely, "she won't see us, if we catch a glimpse of her first." AILING WOMEN

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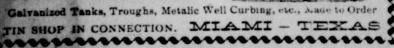
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The Knights of Pythias banquet

Dr. Meeks, dentist, will be in Miami all next week. If you want a good meal go to the

The Odd Fellows have a banquet

slated for April 24th. Attorney Coffee eft yesterday on

J. S. Wynne and Bert Larl of

One's countenance beams with

satisfaction after eating a meal at the Miami restaurant. Judge Hendricks and District At-

torney Kelly returned Wednesday from court at Panhandle, Mrs. Ewing entertained her Sun

Next week the teachers of Roberts. temphill and Wheeler counties meet at Miami for the Tri-county ty.

The many clerks in the closing out sale of the Johnson Mercantile Co's, store are surely kept on the

That's here. Then in Price, too, we can be is improving, having gained four the railroads as to effect general

T. J. Boney leaves today for San Antonio to attend the meeting of the Odd Fellows. Mrs. Boney accompan- would be occupied as a homestead.

Dr. Norwood, dentist, has spent

Wm Crosby, one of the old time printers of Indiana, stopped over at Miami for a few days He thinks best that he has ever met and seen. the has had the pleasure of working in 31 states at the trade.

Some of the citizens of the north portion of Gray county are petitionng against the proposed passage by the legislature of the bill restoring civil and criminal jurisdiction to the County Court of Gray County.

Geo. M. Moon has traded his resi-Westbrook for some land in Ochil tree county. Mr. Westbrook will move with his family to Miami at once, and we thus gain another valuable acquisition to our town. We are glad too, that Mr Moon will continue to make Miami his home. Mrs Moon will leave in a few weeks to be gone several months for a visit to her mother, who is in declin ing health.

Sheriff Ramsey returned Monday from a trip to Falls County, where he went after Herman Jahns, who disappeared from Miami something over two years ago, while a charge of forgery was pending against him. Mr. Jahns returned voluntarily with Sheriff Ramsey and was glad to get back bome. The whereabouts of sheriff by one of his attorney's, who

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Miliami Town Amarillo, where he has been greater, we attribute to the fact that the people do know the conditions that prevail; with which they are so well satisfied that they william, the son of Mr. and Mrs.

W. S. Martin, returned Thursday from Amarillo, where he has been since undergoing an operation for an abcess over a month ago. But had actually exist here, if they did, now he has fully recovered.

Our New Railroad

in the developments of the proposed new railroad for Maimi The notes for the bonds have about all been signed up on the basis of the agree ment reached between our citizens and the railway people. The new road would open up a wondrfully rich and resourceful section and make

times with us even more prosperous than at present Two civil engineers and corps of surveyors are still working in the field between Miami and Mobeetie.

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A Period of Inflation

ed interview today is quoted as say igin in high executive authority is Logan Coffee, now holding down being made throughout the country. general financial conditions and a continuation of over great prosperi He says we are living in a time of great inflation as during the green back days following the civil The prices of labor and comment. He believes there is some

modities cannot go on forever increasing without a day of readjust The big sale of the Johnson Mer-justification for the public hostility A. M. Renner, 10 mites south of eantile Co., is now on, as will be ev-against the railroads, but the condiidenced by a perusal of our front tions complained of are not so bad or so universal as claimed. The A letter from Dr. Brice, who is at tendency to go to extremes will so business. Then all will suffer to- Wheeler, Texas

Grand Lodge Independent Order of soon every available foot of land

News reached here today of the this week in Miami. Dr Norwood death of a negro workman Monday is in partnership with Dr. Fields at at the Santa Fe bridge construcand the terrifi air pressure necessury to keep the water out of the compartment overpowered him. He was brought to the surface but nevthat lhe people and the country are er rallied and after several hours d'el from the shock.

The caissons for the new bridge are being sink to a debth of over ninety feet in the quick sand bed of order to keep the water from coming in and stopping the work air has to or address be forcel into the cylinders and kept at high pressure. It is difficult for a workman unacustomed to the dence property in Miama to Tas. pressure to stand the strain and prostrations are comparatively frequent but the men usually revive when brought up to the open air. The negro who gave way Monday was working in one of the deepest shafts where the pressure is at the highest notch. - Amarillo Herald.

There is a bill before the Texas legislature which proposes to to out-law notes that are not rendered for taxation. This question of taxing the note for purchase price and the article purchased both, has always been a bone of contention. For instance; If a man should buy a farm and give his notes for it, under the presont law both the land and the notes would be subject to taxation. Theo Mr. Jahns was made known to the retically, the man who holds the notes would pay the taxes on them, it said, is confident he can clear him but, as a matter of fact, the man who bought the land would really pay the tax as well as the regular tax on the land, the tax on the notes Williams have opened up a real estate office at Pampa, and the later of the land. It is hard to get away ter two have another office at White Deer. They have arrangements always the man who pays the whole with several agencies in the north of the tax and rent bill of the countries. and east, who propose to send some colonies to the Panhandle and thus give this section, what it so badly burdens of others is manifestly unjust, whether we are able to remend a remedy or not.—Ex.

To the People of Miami and Surrounding Panhandle There is nothing particularly new Country.

Canadian, Texas, Feb 27, 1907 .-This to notify you that the writer, after a continuous and successful career of 32 years in the mercantile business, has concluded to retire from the merchant's world. Therefore, I now place the Johnson Mercantile Co's., entire mammouth stock of general merchandise at Viami, Texas, consisting of every-thing needed by the people, on sale at what it will bring. Now is your chance to load up with a year's sup-Was A Success

Hundreds stood in line—Thousands of dollars went to the cash drawer—wegon loads of goods went drawer d dr.wer-wagon loads of goods went son Mercantile Co., are requested

Dr. Meeks in Miami Next Week

Dr. Meeks, dentist, will be in Miami next week, March 5th to 9th inclusive, and will have his office in New York, Feb. 25 .- Fresident the front room of the building form-William Truesdale, of the Delaware, erly known as the Miami House. As Lackawana & Western, in a publish. to the merits of his work he asks that you make inquiries of the many day school class by a party at her ing that a campaign of agitation people for whome he did dental home last Thursday night. against the railways, having its or work when on a former visit to Miwork when on a former visit to Miami, and would ask that you come claim in Beaver county, spent the ormer part of this week in Miami being made throughout the country. early so if your teeth need special at the same time there is a spirit of treatment he would have time to unrest and distrust regarding the give the treatment and finish the work while here.

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If you want a good meal go to the

The Odd Fellows have a banquet lated for April 24th.

One's countenance beams with satisfaction after eating a meal at

the Miami restaurant. Judge Hendricks and District Attorney Kelly returned Wednesday

from court at Panhandle. Mrs. Ewing entertained her Sun day school class by a party at her ome last Thursday night.

Logan Coffee, now holding down a claim in Beaver county, spent the former purt of this week in Miami

Next week the teachers of Roberts. Hemphill and Wheeler counties meet at Miami for the Tri-county ty.

The many clerks in the closing out sale of the Johnson Mercantile Co's, store are surely kept on the

T. J. Boney leaves today for San gether. to attend the meeting of the Odd Fellows. Mrs. Boney accompan- would be occupied as a homestead.

Dr. Norwood, dentist, has spent

that he people and the country are best that he has ever met and ever del from the shock. best that he has ever met and seen. He has had the pleasure of working in 31 states at the trade

Some of the citizens of the north portion of Gray county are petitionng against the proposed passage by the legislature of the bill restoring eivil and criminal jurisdiction to the County Court of Gray County.

lence property in Miama to Tas. Westbrook for some land in Ochil tree county. Mr. Westbrook will move with his family to Miami at when brought up to the open air. once, and we thus gain another The negro who gave way Monday valuable acquisition to our town. was working in one of the deepest We are glad too, that Mr Moon will shafts where the pressure is at the continue to make Miami his home. Mrs Moon will leave in a few weeks to be gone several months for a visit to her mother, who is in declin ing health.

Sheriff Ramsey returned Monday

with several agencies in the north and east, who propose to send some colonies to the Panhandle and thus give this section, what it so badly needs, more people. The members of this new firm have lived in the proposed in th Panhandle for years and know the Panhandle for years and know the conditions that prevail; with which they are so well satisfied that they think others should be induced to make their homes here. That the rush for homes in this section is not greater, we attribute to the fact that the people do know the conditions that prevail; with which they are so well satisfied that they william, the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Martin, returned Thursday from Amarillo, where he has been since undergoing an operation for an abcess over a month ago. But that actually exist here, if they did, now he has fully recovered.

Our New Railroad

There is nothing particularly new in the developments of the proposed new railroad for Maimi The notes for the bonds have about all been signed up on the basis of the agree ment reached between our citizens and the railway people. The new road would open up a wondrfully rich and resourceful section and make times with us even more prosperous than at present Two civil engineers and corps of surveyors are still working in the field between Miami and Mobeetie.

First Day of Johnson's

dr.wer-wagon loads of goods went son Mercantile Co., are requested J. S. Wynne and Bert Lart of Goods almost given away, compared Pampa, were visitors in Mani to the former prices.—But quit we must, you get the benefit

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modities cannot go on forever increasing without a day of readjust The big sale of the Johnson Mer- justification for the public hostility A. M. Renner, 10 mites south of cantile Co., is now on, as will be ever against the railroads, but the condior so universal as claimed. The A letter from Dr. Brice, who is at tendency to go to extremes will so the santiarium at Llano, Texas, says check and impede the operation of business. Then all will suffer to- Wheeler, Texas

Grand Lodge Independent Order of soon every available foot of land

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The caissons for the new bridge are being sunk to a debth of over ninety feet in the quick sand bed of order to keep the water from coming in and stopping the work air has to be for el into the cylinders and kept at high pressure. It is difficult Geo. M. Moon has traded his resi- for a workman unacustomed to the pressure to stand the strain and prostrations are comparatively frequent but the men usually revive highest notch. - Amarillo Herald.

There is a bill before the Texas legislature which proposes to to outlaw notes that are not rendered for from a trip to Falls County, where taxauon. This question of taxing he went after Herman Jahns, who disappeared from Miami something over two years ago, while a charge of forgery was pending against him.

Mr. Jahns returned value feet in the content of the purchased both, has always been a bone of contention. For instance; If a man should buy a farm and give his potes for its under the content of the Mr. Jahns returned voluntarily with give his notes for it, under the pres Sheriff Ramsey and was glad to get back home. The whereabouts of Mr. Jahns was made known to the retically, the man who holds the sheriff by one of his attorney's, who it said, is confident he can clear him of the charge. Bert Lard, J. S. Winne and W. M. Williams have opened up a real estate office at Pampa, and the latter two have another office at White Deer. They have arrangements Deer. They have arrangements always the man who pays the wnole with several agencies in the north of the tax and rent bill of the coun-

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