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SOME HOPE TO START FOR THEIR ditional court of such character. HOMES ON EIGHTH OF MAY.

APPROPRIATION BILL PASSED

Without a Dissenting Voice the Senate Passes Guaranty

Austin: With the House through bill by sections, but the measure yet the county. pending in the body and subject to further amendment, many of the mem- has submitted thirty subjects. bers of the Legislature have high hopes that the curtain will be rung down for good next Saturday evening. However, the House didn't have hopes high enough today to induce it to adopt a resolution providing for sine having a clear field, furnished sensadie adjournment next Saturday.

submitting subjects of legislation daily of thing. In the forenoon the House bleached process. and that the air is full of rumors to the solemnly declared that no final ball effect that he will call another special or reception should be given by the session if the guarantee of deposits students of the University of Texas bill doesn't come through in good form, with the official sanction or recog and that he has decided that he will nition of that institution, otherwise no veto the appropriation bill unless it money would be paid from the State shall be cut down, all tend to unsettle Treasury for the support of said insti the legislative mind and to cause the tution. Later in the day, after the legislators to wonder where they "are members had partaken of dinner and

340 to the bill and deduct \$13,993, mak- ban from the ball. ing the net increase \$5554,347.

As the bill stands, the totals are \$4,784,577...66 for the first year and total \$8,710,715.61.

The total amount of appropriations thus far made by the Thirty-First Leg- against H. Clay Pierce, and would enislature, exclusive of the general ap- able the Waters-Pierce Oil Company propriation bill, is \$1,700,317.09, which to return to this State, the Senate Waters-Pierce Oil Company fine paid providing for the issuance of permits into the State treasury, the latter be- to foreign corporations, the conditions ing \$1,718,009.14. This, added to the under which said corporations shall do total amount carried by the general business and methods for the expulsion appropriation bill as it stands in the and exclusion of such corporations as 411,032 made available for expenditure Davidson and others who spoke in

In addition, several other bills carrying appropriations are pending, among them one to appropriate \$100,000 for the penitentiary iron industry, whereas in the Senate it is proposed to appropriate from the general revenue, \$300,000 to complete the State Railroad and to repay the school fund \$150,000. taken from it two years ago for this railroad.

It seems that the total appropriations by this Legislature will reach at least \$10,500,000.

The total appropriations made by the Twenty-Seventh Legislature was \$6,200,000. Increase in Confederate pensions and the establishment and enlargement of various State institutions are the chief causes of the growth in appropriations.

Governor Submits Proposition.

At the request of Judge Pardue and others of San Antonio, Gov. Campbell Friday submitted to the Legislature the subject of additional County or with criminal jurisdiction alone, leg-"appointment" of the Judges of such proposition submitted to the first called session of the Legislature, upon which there was no bill introduced. tonians, who solicited the measure, makes it virtually certain that Bexar signed to be affected by any legisla-Bexar County by the bill introduced tions.

Austin: The House of Representatives Saturday finally passed the general appropriation bill, after making several additions therto, the most notable being the amendment by Mr. Hill and others appropriating \$1,068,900 to pay off State bonds maturing July 1 of the present year. This amendment sertion made by Mr. Mobley that it was a slap at the administration of Gor. Campbell and ir ended to bring upon him the blame of raising the tax

New House Bills.

Bills introduced in House Friday: No. 7, by Standifer (by resuest): Providing for the appointment of Deputy District Attorneys for the criminal district composed of Galveston and Harris Counties.

No. 69, by Fant and Fuller: Providing that any legislator who absents himself from the Legislature on account of illness of himself or family to the above effect for being absent.

ture was vetoed, it will be recalled, on the ground that the civil business of Bexar County did not justify an ad-

Another proposition suggesting amendments to the law passed at the regular session, relating to occupation taxes on retail dealers in intoxicating malt liquors, was submitted in the same measure. The purpose of the proposed amendment is to require a license for each place at which such retail business may be conducted. It is contended that under the law passed at the regular session a license granted a retail dealer in nonintoxicating malt liquors entitles him to the priviconsidering the general appropriation lege of selling his goods anywhere in

Thus far this session the Governor

IN THE SENATE

The Senate Friday failed to furnish its daily explosion, but the House. tion sufficient to satisfy the habitues The fact that the Governor is still of the galleries who relish that sort perhaps felt better, they reversed their DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN NEWS. In considering the appropriation bill action as expeditiously as an engineer by sections the House adopted only reverses a locomotive when he sees sixteen amendments. These add \$68, a broken rail ahead, and removed the

Senate Kills Ward's Bill.

Because of the objections raised by \$3.962,138 for the second year; grand Lieut. Gov. Davidson, who declared his belief that the measure, if enacted, would abate the indictments pending almost equals the net amount of the Thursday killed Senator Ward's bill House indicates a grand total of \$10. may violate the law. Lieut. Gov. riticism of the bill acquitte Ward of any purpose to bring about such result, indicating their belief that some one else had such purpose in view, and, before they had proceeded in Chicago, Thursday. far, lying that charge at the door of the Governor and the Attorney General's Department.

Bank Guaranty Passes Senate.

Without a dissenting voice, except age to farm property. that Senator Real, who was absent, was announced on a pair as opposed the Middle West and South causing gradual abolition of the convict conto the measure, the Senate Friday deaths in some cases and resulting in passed a guarantee of deposits bill injury to many persons and damage appended to the title and enacting to property were reported Thursday. clause of the Alexander bill. It is a In the East snow storms were expersubstitute prepared by Senators Alex- jenced and in Northwestern Pennsyl. year thereafter until all are under emander and Terrell of McLennan and vania the heaviest snowfall of the year combines the features of the original occured. the Senter-Hume bond security bill, as on April 27 by District Judge A. T. board of church extension of the modified in the Meachum-Greer bill.

or the Meachum-Greer bill, or the May- ported to the court to the effect that field Sturgeon bill are not well pleased they have examined twenty-eight wit- crease the loan fund of the board, and Courts for civil and criminal business with this measure, but are pleased be- nesses and have been unable to get to centralize, if possible, much of the cause practically the entire Senate sufficient information to find any true work during the ensuing year. The islation thereon to provide for the has given recognition to the guarantee bill, or to even establish the identity increase of the loan fund is made efprinciple, and by their act asserted of any one present at the lynching of fective by the adoption of a resolucourts. In substance this is the same the necessity of some legislation along the four men here on April 19th.

this line.

Bills In the Senate.

The following bills were introduced in the Senate Friday:

By Mr. Holsey: Providing that all a little less than \$11,000. banks chartered before 1876 shall be placed under the supervision of the horses ever pulled through Texas ar-Department of Insurance and Banking, rived in Fort Worth Monday over the or all other State banks, that they Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railway Wednesday to the effect that officers was adopted, notwithstanding the as- shall be subject to the examination by from San Antonio. It consisted of were apprehensive of another lynching the examiners of that department, but twenty-seven stable cars, containing that they shall not come under the pro- seventy-five racers. In addition to foundation whatever. visions of the bank guarantee law.

Authorizing cities, towns and villages Railway Tuesday morning. to construct permanent street improvements and assess part of the cost Okla., have secured leases on land beagainst property owners whose proper- longing to Col. E. L. Dahoney in the

Alexander-Terrell Bill.

The Alexander-Terrell guarantee c deposits bill, which passed the Senate building was closed Monday night and meeting of the National Oil Mill Su-Thursday, provides that every bank surrendered to workmen, who will perintendents' association to be held and trust company incorporated under make additions and improvements to in New Orleans June 2 to 4. Besides the State banking laws shall at its op- the building at a cost of \$15,000, two- the superintendents it is expected that tion protect its depositors either by thirds of which was donated by the there will be many representatives shall be entitled to his per diem pay, availing itself of the 'depositors' guar- citizens of Temple. The building will from oil mill machinery houses and a provided he gives his written reason antee fund" or of the "depositors' bond not be ready for re-occupancy under large exhibit of machinery and supsecurity system," therein provided. | ninety days.

THE STATE LEGISLATURE and passed by Representative Terren GOOD ITEMS OF NEWS

ENTIRE WEEK'S HAPPENINGS THAT ARE WORTH PASSING NOTICE.

Current Domestic and Foreign News oiled Down to Readable and Small Space.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

The Secretary of the Treasury at Washington has sent a check for \$16,-500 to John A. Bryant and others at Cleburne to pay for the Federal Building site at Cleburne.

Justice Stafford of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia Friday declined to compel Secretary of tions against manufacturers and dealers in flour, made according to the mit the injunction to stand against the

News from Washington that bids will be received on May 31 for the construction of the Federal Building in San Angelo is received with rejoicing. An appropriation of \$120,000 has been made for the building, and it will undoubtedly be one of the best erected in all the great Southwest.

The planning mill of the Lee Lumber Company at Tioga, La., burned at 1 o'clock Friday morning entailing a loss of \$30,000:

at 6c a loaf caused the Master Bakers' Association of Oklahoma to reduce the price to 5c Tuesday.

According to a dispatch to the San Francisco Call from New York, E. H. Harriman is planning a billion-dollar railroad corporpation, to control 12,000 miles of railroad.

A new factor appeared in the situation in America Wednesday, when a call was issued for a mass meeting Fire Tuesday, in New Orleans, which threatened for a time to extend throughout an entire block in the center of the wholesale district, did damage estimated at \$50,000.

missing and eight were seriously injured in a fire which destroyed elevator B of the Illinois Central Railroad

One person was killed and ten injured by a tornado which wrecked a large portion of Douglas, Kan., Wednesday evening. The storm spread over a wide area, doing much dam-

Serious storms at various points in

West of Lehigh, Ok., to investigate Methodist Episcopal Church, South, at federate Veterans. Those who favored the Cureton bill the lynching at Ada on Friday, re- the session Friday, in Memphis, Tenn.,

Preliminary to the meeting of the No one except the authors of the church extension board of the Methomeasure has had time or opportunity dist Episcopal Church, South, which The recent visit of several San An- to give the new bill a critical examina- convened Thursday, representatives tion, but supporters of the Cureton bill from twenty-seven diocese in the ladies of Henrietta who, while in bathare disposed to question its merit be- South and West, representing a church ing on the Little Wichita River, had County is the county particularly de- cause of the fact that Senators who membership of 1,750,000, met in Mem- gotten beyond their depth-both unstrenuously opposed the guarantee phis for a two days' conference to per- able to swim-the chaperon and the tion that may be enacted upon the proposition as wholly unfit have voted fect plans to be presented at the gen- two were drowned. The dead: Mrs. subject. The additional County Court for it. Also, so far as they have stud- eral meeting, looking to the continua. John Lebus, Miss Mazelle Ellis, daughfor civil business, sought to be given led the bill, they find specific objection and enlargement of the work durter of G. M. Ellis; Miss Katherine ing the coming year.

At noon Tuesday with three and a the committee reported a total of only

One of the longest trains of race this train nine cars arrived over the By Messrs. Harper and Sturgeon: International and Great Northern

> Prominent oil men from Muskegee northwest corner of Lamar County and will begin prospecting for oil in in Hawaii.

a few months. The Temple Railway Y. M. C. A.

the local cement contractor Thursday closed contracts for nearly a quar-

ter of a mile of sidwalk in Denton. A new oil well at Jennigs, La., filled 4,000 barrels, Monday. It is owned by FORMER VICE PRESIDENT EQUITthe Producers' Company and is in new

As the result of a political foud in Meadville, Franklin County, La., Monday, one man is dead and four wound

Battling Nelson sent word to New York Wednesday that he would call off his bout with "Packy" McFarland. which was scheduled for July 5 at Colma, Cal.

Sim Sexton, a merchant at Huntsville. Tenn., met instant death there Saturday night, but nothing was known of the tragedy until Sunday morning, when his body was found in a street. Wilbur and Orville Wright will be the guests in London May 3 of the Aeronautical Society of Great Britain. They will, on this occasion, be pre-

sented with the society's gold medal. Cattle shipments from San Angelo Agriculture Wilson to vacate his de. to points in Oklahoma continue heavy cision to institute next June prosecu- this week, the general opinion being that the Federal Courts will not per-State.

> A car load of babies will arrive at New Orleans soon in charge of J. C. Butler, representative of the New York Foundling Institue, who has been in the Southern States for several months

Monday was a gala day for the club ladies of Orange, who are exhausting every means available for the entertainment of the visiting members of the fourth district Texas Federation of Women's Clubs.

Refusal of consumers to buy bread of Great Lakes will begin Saturday, when over 6,000 men, members of the Lakes Seamen's Union, left the boats owned by the Lake Carriers' Associa-

currency, both of the United States hills Friday. nd Italy, was seized by the police and cupied by three alleged counterfeiters. Thus one of the ex-President's fondest

gles of a live wire which was burning gle kings fell before the rifle of his son, Raif, a young blacksmith, was electro- to kill his quarry. cuted Friday on the sidewalk in Hous-

The suits of the Attorney General of Missouri against the International Harvester Company and the alleged lum-Tuesday.

The Senate passed the Lane bill Friday afternoon, which provides for the tract system at Missouri penitentiary. The bill provides that April 1, 1911, the State shall take over into its employ 300 convicts and a like number every ployment by the State.

Measures of far-reaching importance when it was decided to effectually in tion that annually hereafter the sum of \$15,000 shall be set aside from the amount raised by general assessments for the loan fund.

Attempting to rescue two young Weaver, daughter of E. F. Weaver.

Judge Campbell of the Federal Court half days of the seven days Y. M. C. A. at Tulsa, Okla., will decide the propcampaign in Sherman to raise \$20,000, osition of another Grand Jury to reinvestigate the Muskogee town lot cases, by direction of the Attorney

> A dispatch sent out from Ada and published in the morning papers of here is regarded as being without any

in the Buchanan Opera House, destroy- Friday. ing property valued at \$20,000

George W. Woodruff, recently Assistant Attorney General for the Department of the Interior, was Wednes-

Arrangements are being perfected for a large attendance at the annual

HYDE SENT TO PRISON

ABLE LIFE ASSURANCE SO-CIETY IS DEFENDANT.

Defendants Say After the Accident Chauffeur, Also Condemned Sped Away from Scene.

of New York, former vice president of both interior and exterior painting, the Equitable Life Assurance Society, and a simple instrument for detecting and his chauffeur, Ladwice, were to adulteration in the paint materials. day condemned by default. Mr. Hyde The outfit will solve many painting to one month's imprisonment and a problems for every houseowner.

They were charged with running injuring a passenger.

The complainant charged that after he accident Ladwice sped away. Under a law passed last July flight after an accident is a special offense.

Use Balloon to Signal Mars.

herst College, the astronomer who has achieved world fame for his telescopic journeys into space, conductor of the famous astronomical expedition to the Andes and who was the first to accomplish the feat of photographing the double canals of Mars, declared Saturday night that not only does he believe that communication with Mars can be accomplished, but that he al-One of the greatest marine strikes ready has under way preparations for in the history of labor on the chain trying to get a message by use of a

Roosevelt Kills Three Lions.

Nairobi, British East Africa: Four lions are the trophies of former Presitime," rejoined the child. Thousands of dollars in counterfeit dent Roosevelt's camp in the Maru

The iions were bagged and Col. Secret Service agents at New Rochelle, Roosevelt's mighty gun brought three V. Y. Sunday in a house formerly oc of them to earth, each on the first shot. taking up her Bible she read Psalm While making a daring effort to res. ambitions has been realized and he is words: "It is cain for you to rise up cue a small barefoot boy from the tan- proud, too, that the fourth of the junand shock him to death, Ignatius J. Kermit, who, however, took three shots

Texas Offer Accepted. Boston: The world-wide interest and attention stirred up by the plan of Prof. Henry Pickering of Harvard for ber combine on charges of having vio. signaling the planet Mars by means of lated the anti-trust laws of the State, a giant \$10,000,000 reflector will be adwere both continued to the October ded to by the distinguished astronoterm by a ruling of the Supreme Court mer's announcement that in response to an offer made by a wealthy body of Texans he is now ready to set about putting his ideas into practical execu-

Proposed Monument of Peace.

Memphis: A peace monument, to be erected at Washington jointly by the sons of veterans' organizations of the North and South, is proposed in a letter from Edgar Allan Jr., Commander in Chief of the Sons of Veterans, U. S. in Chief of the United Sons of Con-

Big Frost in Cellin County.

McKinney: There was quite a frost n Collin County Saturday night and eports received here from different portions of the county are to the effect that cotton is killed. A number of 'armers in town stated that their coton had been killed and that it would be necessary to replant their crops.

For Waterworks at Cleburne.

Cleburne: Judge Lockett, sitting in pertificates. This amount is to be used the trouble. n extending the mains.

Santa Fe Surveying Corps. Snyder: Mr. Erby of the Santa Fe surveying corps is in the city. Movements of the officials and representa-

inxious to secure the road.

Bullet Kills Society Girl. Birmingham: Miss Virginia Whet-Birmingham, died Sunday from a place, but neither agreed with me, then Fire broke out at Odessa, Thursday wound inflicted by a pistol shot last I commenced using Postum. I had it

Four Men Drown.

Coshocton, Ohio: Swollen by floods esulting from rains the past several day nominated for a Federal judgeship lays, the Tuscarawas River claimed our victims Sunday. Two others alnost dead from exhaustion were resmed as they were sinking in the wirling waters for the third time.

Panama: Dr. Manuel Amador, first President of the Republic of Panama, fied Saturday after a lingering illness. He was 53 years old.

PAINT EVERY YEAR.

No One Wants to Do It, But Some Paint Will Wear No Longer.

When you have a job of painting done you don't expect to have it done over again very soon. But to make a lasting job, several things must be taken into consideration-the proper time to paint-the condition of the surface-the kind of materials to use, etc. All these matters are fully covered in the specifications which can be had free by writing National Lead Company, 1902 Trinity Building, New York, and asking for Houseowner's Painting Outfit No. 49. The outfit also in-Paris, May 3.-James Hazen Hyde cludes a book of color schemes for

Meantime while buying paint see that every white lead keg bears the famous to a public taxicab last week and in. Dutch Boy Painter trademark, which is an absolute guarantee of purity and quality. If your paint dealer cannot supply you National Lead Company will see that some one else will.

PROVED POINT BY HOLY WRIT

Boston: Prof. David Todd of Am- Granddaughter of Gladstone Proved She Had Not Read Scriptures for Nothing.

> Miss Dorothy Drew, who was presented at court a few days ago, was the favorite granddaughter of the late W. E. Gladstone, and among the stories told of her childhood days is the following: One morning she refused to get up, and, all other things failing, Mr. Gladstone was called to her. "Why, don't you get up, my child?" he asked. "Why, grandpa, didn't you tell me to do what the Bible says?" replied Dorothy. "Yes, certainly." "Well, it disapproves of early rising-says it's a waste of Mr. Gladstone was unable to agree, but Dorothy was sure of her ground. "You listen, then," she said, in reply to his exclamation of astonishment, and, 127:2, laying great emphasis on the early."-Tit-Bits.

Judge Will Wait and See.

An earnest plea was made by Attor-Charles Pettijohn to Judge Pritch ard of the criminal court for leniency to a client who had entered a plea of guilty to larceny. The burden of the attorney's argument was that his client was the father of twins and was tempted to theft in order to feed the

mouths of the infants. "Your honor, I will say frankly," said Mr. Pettijohn in closing, "that if I were the father of twins and needed food for my family, I would not hesi-

tate to go out and steal it." "Mr. Pettijohn, when you are the father of twins I will consider your proposition," said Judge Pritchard .-Indianapolis News.

Starting an Endless Chain.

Both father and mother struggled valiantly to teach Effie to repeat the Alexander mutual guarantee bill and The special Grand Jury impaneled were taken by the members of the A., to John W. Apperson, Commander letter "A." The child emphatically refused to pronounce the first letter of the alphabet, and after many vain efforts the father retired from the fight discouraged. The mother took the little girl on her lap and pleaded with her affectionately. "Dearie, why don't you learn to say

"des as soon as I say 'A' you an' papa will want me to say 'B.' OLD SOAKERS

"Because, mamma," explained Effie,

A?' she asked.

Get Saturated with Caffeins. When a person has used coffee for a hambers, finished the hearing in the number of years and gradually dewierworks case Saturday afternoon. clined in health, it is time the coffee He later rendered his decision allow- should be left off in order to see whethng the issuance of \$50,000 in receiver er or not that has been the cause of

> A lady in Huntsville, Ala., says she used coffee for about 40 years, and for the past 20 years was troubled with stomach trouble.

"I have been treated by many physicians but all in vain. Everything failed ives of that road are being watched to perfect a cure. I was prostrated for with the keenest interest by a number some time, and came near dying. When of West Texas towns, all of which are I recovered sufficiently to partake of food and drink I tried coffee again and it soured my stomach.

"I finally concluded coffee was the cause of my troubles and stopped ussone, a popular young society girl of ing it. I tried tea and milk in its properly made and it was very pleas-

> "I have now used it four months, and my health is so greatly improved that I can eat almost anything I want and can sleep well, whereas, before, I suffered for years with insomnia.

"I have found the cause of my troubles and a way to get rid of them. You can depend upon it I appreciate

to Wellville," in pkgs. Ever read the above letter? A one appears from time to time, are genuine, true, and full of historest.

"There's a Reason." Read "The Road

Sterling City News-Record KILLED BY A BOY

W. F. Kellis. Editor and Proprietor.

Entered Nov. 10, 1902, at the Sterling Kity posteffice'as second class matter;

ISSUED EVERY FRIDAY AT STERLING CITY, TEXAS.

knocker. Sometimes a lot of kickers get to righteously beefing about a thing that ought to be done and those whose duty it is to do it get up and do it. We join } the kickers who are beefing about \$ the condition of the Big Springs and Colorado roads, and shall be with them until they are put in . condition for travel. We realize that our commissioners court can not afford to let these matters go by unnoticed,' and we 'don't believe they will. Every member of our court are good, level headed men, and we do not think they Will let this matter go longer than

The tables were turned on some of the innocent, plausible mem bers of the state senate who favored a resolution thanking Davidson for doing his daty. They didn't recognize the fact that that either through ignorance or rascality he had tried to filch Tex. as of over \$300,000 lawyer's fee; a certain other gentleman called him on it, and it was saved for the state. They stirred up a hornet's nest and got stung .- Hamilton

Yes, the Senate "stole an appleoff a apple i-tree; it got stung by a bumble-i-bee."

Attorney General Davidson et al. prosecuted Waters-Dierce Oil Company as he was bonded and paid to do; and, as he did it as he should have done, as any other man would have done who was getting big pay to do it, it struck the Senate that it ought to exub erate on the occassion; so that grand body set about to thank everybody who had anything to do with it. After thanking every body from janitor to Judge for, doing up the octopus, it occurred to somebody that, whereas, Joseph W. Bailey had put the State on to the fact that the charge for attorney's fees was a little over \$300,000 too much, be ought to be thanked; and theh-stung a-

COUNTY COURT

Our County Court convened last Monday. The only case on any of the dockets, except probate; was called for trial. The style of the case was C. W. Trammel et ux, vs San Angelo Nation. al Bank et al. The plaintiff was represented by Jeff D. Ayres, of Sterling City, and the defendant by Wright and Wynn, of San Au gelo. After a very hot legal fight a verdict for the defendant was rendered. Plaintiff gave notice

On Wednesday, the probate docket was taken up and the last will and testament of J. C. Latham, deceased, was admitted to probate and Maston Latham confirmed executor of the will with. out bond, as per terms of the will.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Trammel, of Oklahoma; W. A. Wright, T. C. Wynn, J. W. Lawhon, M. L. Mertz R, A. Hall, Oscar Cain, S. T. Wood, J. I. Nettleton, Tom Cunninghham, of San Angelo; W. J. Mann, of Konobassett; and J. F. Butler, of Snyder, were in attendance upon the court.

There is now not a single case of any kind upon our County Court dockets.

SOME ADVANTAGE AT LEAST.

She-I can never marry you, but we can at least always be friends. He-I suppose that is one of the advantages of not getting married,

Eccentric Jake Schmidt Shot And Instantly Killed By

A Thirteen-year-old Boy Named Claud Williamson

ducks, Roy Lavis, who resides on his ranch on the Divide, hap pened to a painful accident. He had fast shot a dack and ceeked his gun to be ready for more. Just at that moment Mr. and Mrs. Ira killed on J. R. Nasworthy's farm. usnal greetings, Roy, who was voted child and brother. Subscribers fatting to ret their pa- near San Angelo, last Tuesday mounted on a horse, placed the afternoon by a thicteen year-old muzzle of the gun on the toe of

co worker, and his demise as an what they desired to hide. irreparable loss, not only to our Camp No. 763 W. O. W.:

Jake Schmidt, better known as Rodgers and Miss Grace Rodgers most estimable family our deep- juries of Martin county will do

2nd. That we assure them that while he is gone; we are not left

keenly the personal loss of our heir daty will only bring to light

Our penal code denounces such order, but to the community at faifures as a crime, and fixes a large whose best interests at all heavy penalty for those who are HOUSE JOENT RESOLUTION NO. 5 times found in him a most faith- guilty of it. If these commisful and dilligent advocate; there- sioners have wilfally neglected to foro be it resolved, by Sterling perform this duty imposed upon them by law, and for which they 1st. That we extend to his are pate, we hope the court and 'Fisherman Jake," was shot and drove up in a buggy. After the es sympathy in the loss of a de-their full and impartial duty by

> oposed Amendment to the State Con-stitution in Regard to Formation and Taxing Power of School Dis-

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 5 louse Joint Resolution to amend Section 3 of Article 7 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, in regard to the formation and taxing power of school districts

it Resolvee by the Legislature of the State of Texas: Section 1. That Section 3 of Article of the Constitution of the State of rexas be so amended as to hereafter

Sec. 3. One-fourth of the revenue de-

ived from the State occupation taxes

ead as follows

and a poll tax of \$1 on every male innabitant of this State between the ages of 21 and 60 years shall be set apart annually for the benefit of the public ree school, and in addition thereto here shall be levied and collected an annual ad valorem State tax of such an amount, not to exceed 20 cepts on the \$100 valuation, as with the available school fund arising from all other sources, will be sufficient to maintain and support the public free schools of this State for a period of not less than six months in each year, and the Legislature may also provide for the formation of school districts by general or special law, without the local notice required in other cases of special legis lation, and all such school districts whether created by general or special law, may embrace parts of two or more counties. And the Legislatura shall be authorized to pass laws for the assessment and collection of taxes in all said districts and for the man agement and control of the public school or schools of such districts, whether such districts are composed of territory wholly within a county or in parts of two or more counties. And

formed, for the further maintenance of public free schools, and the erection and equipment of school buildings herein, provided that a majority of the qualified property taxpaying voters of the district, voting at an election to be held for that purpose, shall you such lax, not to exceed he any one year o cents on the \$100 valuation of the property subject to taxation in such district, but the limitation upon the amount of school district tax herein authorized shall not apply to incogporated cities or towns constituting parate and independent school districts.

the Legislacure may authorize an ad-

ditional ad valorem tax to be levied and collected within all school dis-

tricts, heretofore formed or hereatter

Sec 2. That the above and fore-going proposed amendment shall be duly published once a week for four weeks commencing at least (hree (3) months before a special election to be held for the purpose of voting upon such proposed amendment on the first ly newspaper of each county in the State of Texas in which such newspa per may be published. And the Governor shalf and he is hereby directed o issue the necessary proclamation for the submission of this proposed imendment to the qualified elector for members of the Legislature. such election all persons favoring such imendment, shall have written or rinted on their ballots the words For the amendment to Section 3, 10 Article 7, of the Constitution in regar to the formation and taxing power q school districts," and those opposed thereto shall have written or printed on their ballots the words, "Agains the amendment to Section 3, of Article V. of the Constitution in regard to the formation and taxing power of school

Sec. 3. That \$5000 or as much there of as may be necessary, be and the same is hereby appropriated out q any money in the Treasury not other wise appropriated, to defray the ex election provided for above.

(A true capy.) Secretary of State

For sale:--Two young full According to the statement of sation bogan toying with the trig. of Andrews county. There were blood Brown Leghorn roosters,

> Lost:-24 sheep. Finder will please 'phone Foster & Barton,

For Sale: -5 spans of coming

W. R. Davie,

LOST .- Dec 4 on Colorado road between Sierling City and with Elgin works, "A M S" cut 200 acre farm for a section or two in back of case. On return of of grazing land. W. W. Watson, watch, finder will recive a suita-T. S. Foster. Sterling City, Tex

Wanted:-To lease a pasture, non; and whereas, we feel very stand, and that their failure to do from 6 to 10 sections. If you bave it, notify this office.

Park harman in the

tricts and Their Bonded Indebtedlection of Taxes to Pay Such Indebtedness

House Joint Resolution to amend Article 7 of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto Section 32, validating school districts and the bonded indebtedness of such dis-tricts and authorizing the levy and collection of taxes to pay such indebtedfless:

Be is Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas Section 1. That Article ? of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new section, to be known as Section 3a, which

shall read and be as follows Sec. 3a, Every school district hereofore formed, whether formed under the general law or by special act, and whether the territory embraced within its boundaries lies wholly within a single county or partly in two or more counties, is hereby declared to be, and from its formation to have been, a valid and lawful district.

All bonds heretfore issued by any such districts which have been approved by the Attorney General and registered by the Comptroller are hereby declared to be, and at the time of their issuance to have been issued in conformity with the Constitution and laws of this State, and any and all such bonds are hereby in all things validated and declared to be valid and binding obligations upon the district or districts issuing the same.

Each such district is hereby authorized to, and shall, annually levy and collect an ad valorem tax sufficient to pay the interest on all such bonds and to provide a sinking fund sufficient to redeem the same at maturity, not to exceed such a rate as may be provided by law under other provisions of this Constitution. And all trustees hereto-fore elected in districts made up from more than one county are hereby declared to have been duly elected, and shall be and are hereby named as trustees of their respective districts, with power to levy the taxes herein authorized until their successor shall be duly elected and qualified as is or may be

provided by law. Sec. 2. That the above and foregoing proposed amendment shall be duly published once a week for four weeks feommencing at least three months before a special election to be held for the purpose of voting upon such proposed amendment on the first Tuesday in August, 1909, in one weekly newspaper of each equnty in the State of Texas in which such a newspaper may be published, And the Governor be, and he is hereby directed to issue necessary proclamation for the submission of this proposed amendment to the qualified electors for members of the Legislature. At such election all persons favoring such amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the words, For the amendment to Article 7 of the Constitution validating school districts and school district bends," and those opposed thereto snall have written or printed on their ballots the words 'Against the amendment to Article 7 of the Constitution validating school

districts and school district bonds."

Sec. 3. That \$5000.00, or as much thereof as may be necessary be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the Treasury not other wise appropriated, to defray the expenses of advertising and holding the election provided for above.

(A true copy. B. TOWNSEND. Secretary of State

LAND WANTED-Within fifteen or twenty miles of Sterling City; and that will average seventy+ five per cent good. My intention is to sell this land to Northern people. I will leave in the near tuture for Illinois to de some extensive advertising in that state. C. W. HECHERT,

San Augelo, Texas.

FOR SALE-230 bred ewes, 5's and up, \$2.50. 350 coming yearlings, \$3 00. 70 lambs, 30 days old, 50cts. Will take one-third penses of advertising and holding the in good young horse stock, or young mules.

M. D. Satherlin, Sriles, Texas.

For Sale :- A lot of laying hens at 30c each. Call at this office.

BULLS FOR SALE I have ten or 'twelve', coming two's, high grade Hereford bulls for sale. Phone or write, R. W. Foster.

Sterling City, Tex

FOR SALE

A Canton disc plow, good as new and in splendid running or-Sterling City, Tex. der. A bargain for \$35. Will take trade. H. K. RAY

> WANTED:-To exchange good Robert Lee, Texas.

> > FOR SALE

240 acres of good valley laud for sale at \$10 per acre, cash. Apply at this office.

The man whose foresight is as good as his hindsight is always right good long sight.

We are getting in a car of Wagons and Buggies this week and we are short on room. Until we can house these vehicles "comfortably" we have decided to recduce the prices for eash, or will give good terms if you need time--this in the face of the fact that wagon factories will advance prices the 1st of May. If you buy now, you not only get the benefit of our short store room, but our long buying. Use your foresight and get a wagon or a buggy now while they are "out in the weather."

LOWE & DURHAM

If you want your team fed, take them to the O K. If you are the market for any kind of Grain or Hay, in any quartity, you had best get prices at the O K before buying. If you want clean stalls and water for your stock, and a good, new house for yourself and folks, stop at the O K, on Southeast corner of Square

Telephone No. 41

R. H. LAYNE, PROP.

boy's sister, a year older than gers of the gun, when it fired and four bills of indictment against at 50e each. Call at this office. himself, they were on the river sent the whole load through the Commissioners Crowder and Tom threw a chunk into the river and toe and terribly lacerating ansplashed water on them, and said other one. ried a club, and when be made him to town, where Doctor Car- of court .- Stanton Reporter. toward the children, the girl told ver attended the wounds of the boy promptly fired the contents wound was rapidly healing. fo a double barreled shot gun into As a result of the accident, Mrs failed to have published a tabular \$250 per span.

"Fisherman Jake" was a stone cutter, and was one of the masons who assisted in building the court house at San Angelo, but for many years he has lived in recluse in an adobe hat on the bank of the Conche; and made his living by fishing.

The Williamson boy readily sur. will likely be admitted to bail.

boy named Claude Williamson. his shoe, and during the conver. and Ex-Commissioner J. S. Mean s

RESOLUTIONS OF RE SPECT

Quite a little sensation was caused Wednesday afternoon by the serving of warrants of arrest on County Commissioners T. S. Crowder, G. W. Tom, L. O. Dann

without a heritage, as we hav

had very forcibly impressed up

on me in our close association

with him, a life that 10 his date

a citizen worthy of emulattor,

3rd. That a page be set apart

on our minute book for these

resolutions, that a copy be sent

to the News-Record for publica-

tion, and that a copy be sent to

Committee

Respectfully submitted,

J. A. Cambie

D. C Durbam

W. V. Churchill \

his family.

and an exemplary christian gen-

walk stood for all that was go

fishing when Jake came up and toe of his shoe, tearing away one three against Dunn and two against Means. The District Judge fixed the bond in each case at that he would kill them and throw Mr. Rodgers took the wounded \$250, which was given and the Sterling City. their bodies in the river. He car- man in his buggy and brought parties bound over to next term It is evident that someone in 3-year-old mules, average 15 ber brother to shoot him, and the sufferer, and at last accounts the Martin county has been las in his bands and promise 16 bands when

duty. If these Commissioners grown, Well matched. Price, the old man's body, killing him and Miss Rodgers walked a dis- statement of the financial condi tance of five miles, baving given tion of their county through moup their seat in the buggy to Mr. tives of mistaken economy, this indictment should remind them! that the pound foolish and penny wise people have a rocky road to the springs a gold watch, size 16

If it was because they wished to keep the public in the dark in On April 1st, 1909, the Almighty regard to the dispositions of the ble reward. Ruler of the Universe, in His in- tax payers' cash, they will doubtfinite wisdom, deemed it proper less learn that these revenueto remove from our midst our bearing animals have a right to rendered and is now in jail, but friend and sovereign J. C. Bran- see how the county's accounts

THE STERLING CITY News-RECORD sened at Sterling City, every Friday.

\$1.25 per year.

W. F. KELLIS editor & proprietor

Advertising rates:-Locals, be per line for first issue and per ine for each subsequent issue. ingle column, See par inch per month. Lauble column, \$1. per inch per month.

Special rates to those wishing large Fine job printing a specialty.

General Directory.

Distaict Officars.

Judge-J. W. Timmins. Attorney-L. H. Brightman Clerk-1. Il Cole, Chart meets 4th Monday after fire aonday in February and September!

County Officers.

Judge-A. V. Patterson Attorney - l'at Kelffs. Clerk-i. B. Chie Bheriff - Harry I'w edle Treasurre-E. I. Gilmere Assessor-Il C. Barnain Enspector-W. T. Conger, Sureyor-W F KELLIS Coart meets trat Monday in Februry, May, August and November.

CHURCHES.

M. E. Church Preaching every second and fourth Spaday at 11 a. m. and 7 30 p. magand fourth Sunday st 7:30 p. Sunday Sabgol- at 9:39 a. m. every Banday.

Rev. S. J. Franks Pastor. B. W. Foster, S. & Supt.

Baptist .- Preaching every 1st 3rd, 4th Banusy in each month at Il o'clock a.m. and 7 p.m. Conferance Saturday night before the 4th Sunday. Sunday school erry Studay at 3 o'clock p.m.

Rev M. L. Lanford. Paster. Prof. L. C. Durham, upt.

Presbyte.ian-Preaching every 3n benday on e.wb month at 11 o'clock a.m. Rev. Black, Pastor.

STERLING CORNET DAND-W. C. Fisher night. Don't fail to attend.

SACIETIES.

Masonio .- Sterling lodge No. 728, A & A. M. meets Saturday uights on or ore the full moon in each month. D.L Slaton Seeffetary B. F. Brown W. M.

Eastern Star-Meets Saturday P. M. 3 o'clock on or before the full moon

> Mrs. B. F. Brown W. M. B. F. Brown Secretary.

County Commissioners.

Com'r. try. No. 1- M. Black,

" 2-A. . A Affard " 3-D. D. Davis

" 4-J. L Glass

Justice Court. Court, Presinct No. 1, mpets 3rd Spt-

Angelo yesterday:

Colonel and Mrs. McEntire the court yard. are at the U Ranch.

25c st Central Hotel.

train on time.

For anything in the millinery line, see Mrs! Douglas.

Born :- Today, to Mr. and Mrs

D. C. Durham, a girl. Pink Abernathy returned from

San Angelo Wednesday. Miss Bena Allard was visiting relatives bere this week.

Commissioners Court meets in regular session next Monday.

If you want an up-to-date hat at the right price see Mrs. Doug-

1.4 off on my entire stock of bats .- Mrs. Cole, at Roberts'

A line of the fuert candies ever seen in this town is now on sale at Hooker & Gilmore's

Mrs. B. F. Brown and daughfriends and relatives.

Meals 25c at Central Hotel. New spring hats at Mrs. Dong-

All kinds of iced soft drinks at Hooker & Gilmore's.

Mats at 1.4 off, for one week .- Mrs. Cole at Roberts'

Miss Ollie Fulcher was a visit-

or to our town Monday. Mrs. H. Knight has been quite sick for the past several days.

Don't fail to see "Booger Red's' wild west show Monday night.

H. Q. Lyles, this week, bought a jersey cow from Prof. Russell for \$65.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Sparkman of Ozona, are visiting relatives here this week.

Ask the man who has been a guest at the Central Hotel where to step.

R. li. Patterson represents "Time tried and fire tested" fire insurance companies.

Ride in Savell's cars. Good service, polite employes and fast time.

We can give you the News-Record and St. Louis Semi-Weekly Republic for \$1.50 cash.

Miss Alma Crain is visiting at the W. R. Barton rench in Reagan county.

teacher in our'public schools, is visiting friends here.

Tax Assessor Durham is interviewing the property owners these days.

Rev. Lanford and family left last Monday for Christoval where they will reside in the future.

Show will open up next Monday

Snyder country is very dry. One week only! For one week

J. F. Butler, of Snyder, who

I place my entire stock hat on the market at 1.4 off .- Mrs Cole

Hunters: - All persons are forbidden to hunt on any lands

owned or controlled by me .-

W. L. Foster. Have your property insured in amendment to the qualified electors for an "Old Line" company—the members of the Legislature. kind that insures. 'Ask "Bert"

See R. H. Patterson for livestock insurance. He represents the oldest company of the kind in the world. El'er J. B. Hooten will preach

about it.

arday in each month. Malcom Black J.P at the Christian church on Saturday before the third Sunday in this month. Come while you can get

your milliners goods at 25 per cent discount at Roberts' store-R. II. Patterson went to San lasts only a week. We learn that the Commission-

Meals, the best in town, for ers Court will take steps to improve the present condition of

O H. Graham has five Iowa Savell Bros. can get you to the men here showing them the coun-2t try. These men are here to invest their plunks in Concho dirt.

No need of that pain in the stomach, why writhe, groan and suffer? Take GRAND MA'S DIARRHEA CURE. It affords quick rellef and is a positive cure for Diarrhea, Colic, Dysentary, Bloody Flux and relieves vomiting and purging.

All persons are hereby notified that my pasture is posted secording to law. Any person or per- left last Tuesday for their home sons who shall hunt, fish, cut or at Como, Texas Prof. Russell haul wood or otherwise trespass has a fine fruit farm in Hopkins County of Sterling ! on lands owned or controlled by county, which escaped the late as vice-president, and Emette Westme, without my consent, will be freezes. He intends to can the brook, as cashier of said bank, each of creek.

The attention of our readers is called to the advertisament in this issue of the Robinson Seed home; and my first volume of & Plant Company, Dallas, Texas, Brann, and my Rubaiyat of Omar said to be the oldest seed house and my March and April numin the Southwest, and who will bers of Watson's Magazine. If [SEAL] WITNESS my hand and notarial send their new 1909 Cutalog to not through with the other things sen on date last aforesaid. ter. Miss Anna, will leave tomor- all who write for it describing I loaned you, don't hurry, out I for for Johnson county to visit the best seeds and plants for the need these. Southern Grower.

GRAHAM & SMITH

Real Estate And Livestock Agents

Any one wishing to sell their property will do well to list with our new hystleing real estate firm. Exchange of property a specialty. Office north side of square.

S. POVNOR

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A. A. BUTHERFORD

COMMISSION DEALERS IN

RANCHES, CATTLE: STOCK FARMS AND STERLING CITY PSOPERTY.

OFFICE IN CENTRAL HOTEL

STERLING CITY, TEXAS

Proposed Amendment to the State Con stitution Authorizing Cities and Towns with a Population in Excess of 5,000 to be incorporated by Spac-Tal Act.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO . foint Resolution to amend Article 1: Sections 4 and 5, of the Constitution of the state, authorizing cities and towns within the State of Texas to be incorporated by special act where the population exceeds five thousand

Inhabitants. de it Resolved by the Legislature of

Section 1. That Article 11, Sections be amended so that the same shall hereafter read and be as follows; Sec. 4. Cities and towns having a population of five thousand or less may e chartered alone by general law They may levy, assess and collect an annual tax to defray the current expenses of their local government, but such tax shall sever exceed for any me year one-fourth of one per cent, Miss Lue Dean, a former and shall be collectible only in current money, and all licenses and occupation taxes levied and all fines, forfeitures, penalties and other dues accruing to

cities and towns shall be collectible only in current money Sec. 5. Cities having more than five thousand inhabitants may have their charters granted or amended by special act of the Legislature and may levy, assess and collect such taxes as may be authorized by law, but no tax for any purposes shall ever be lawful for any one year which shall exceed two and one-half per cent of the taxable "Booger Red's" Wild West property of such city; and no debt shall ever be created by any city or owns unless at the same time provision be made to assess and callect annually a sufficient sum to pay the interest thereon and create a sinking

was here Monday, says that the fund of at least two per cent thereog That the above and fore going proposed amendment shall [be] duly published once a week for foul weeks commencing 'at least' three months before a special election to be held for the purpose of voting upon Tuesday in August; 1909, in one weekly newspaper of each equaty in the State of Texas in which such a news paper may be published, and the Gov-ernor be, and he is hereby directed to

> At such election all persons favoring Of the First State Bank at Sterling For the amendment to Article 11, Sections + and 5, of the Constitution," "Against the amendment to Article 11, Sections 4 and 5 of the Constitution.

Sec. 3. That \$5000, or as much thereof as may be necessary, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of personal or collateral any money in the Treasury not other wise appropriated, to defray the e. penses of advertising and holding the election provided for above. (A true copy.)
W. B. TOWNSEND.

Secretary of State

List of letters remaining unclaimed for the month ending April 30:

Mr. Gunie Low S. J. Ogdon Stonewall Trayweek

Lola Valdrige Hallie Knight, P. M.

Savell's automobile passenger service is as prompt and reliable as the ordinary railroad train. Their arrivals and departures can always be depended upon. they make the trip to San Angelo in from two to three hours. 2

Prof. and Mrs. M. D. Russell prosecuted. 4 2.9 W. J. Mann products of the farm and ship us, do solemny sw ar that the above them to San Angelo.

My big chain-please bring it

R. B. Cummins.

The friends of District Attorney L. H. Brightman will be in- . terested to learn of his marriage to Miss Ada Jones, at San Angelo, last Sunday.

Misses Ethel and Jessie Foster expect to leave tomorrow for Dallas, Sherman and other points. to spend several weeks visiting

friends and relatives. A load of new alfalfa hay was good looking sight on our streets last Tuesday. The hav was raised on the Kellis farm,

and was cut and baled this week. The trustee election resulted in the election of Jeff D. Ayres, J. B. Cole, C. N. Crawford and H. Davis as new trustees of the

Independant school district. GRAND MA'S TEA is a most pleasant vegetable laxative. Cures Constipation, Purifies the Blood, Cures Sick Headacha and Billousness. It will quickly remove pimples, beautifying the complexion and

giving the skin the freshness of youth. For Sale :- One disc harrow. \$32.50. One double row corn, cotton and cane planter, \$22.50 Address J. A. Anglin,

Sterling City, Texas. Wanted :- To let contract to grub 50 acres of land on the rive such proposed amendment on the first or. Apply by phoning or writ-GEO. II. MCENTIRE,

issue the necessary proclamation for Official STATEMENT OF THE FINAL SHIRLD HARDEN HAR CIAL CONDITION

Sterling City, Texas.

such amendment shall have written or City. State of Texas, at the close of business on the 28th day of Aor . 1909, published in the Sterling Chy Newsand those opposed thereto shall have Record, a newspaper printed and pubwritten or printed on their ballots the lished at Sterling City. State of Iexas, on the 7th day of May, 1000.

RESQUECES

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STATE OF TEXAS,	without our permission, will be pros

statment is true to the best of our knowledge and bellef. A. V. Patterson, Vice-President

Emette Westbrook, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 5th day of May. A D. nineteen hundred and nipe

R. H. Patterson, Notary Public. Sterling County, sexas correct; Attest W. H Edulaman Directors.

STATE BANK

SUBJECT TO GOVERNMENT INSPECTION CAPITAL, \$10,000.

We will appreciate your business. Accommodations cheerfully extended.

NOTICE

My big Maltese jack, "Jube" will stand this season at the Pope place five miles northwest of

Price, \$7.50 per season; \$10.00 insurance.

J. L. ALLEN

ABSTRACTS

After several years of tedious work and great expense, I have compiled a complete abstract of title to every tract of land and town lot in Sterling County, Parties wishing abstracts' made to land can obtain them on sheet notice by applying to me at my office in the court house, or by willing or 'phoning me at Siet-

ling City. J. S. Cole, Abstracter

SAN ANGELO & STERLING CITY STAGE AND AUTO LINE.

Auto will leave San Angelo at 7 o,clock every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday morning, and go through to Big Springs, stopping regularly at Hughes, Water Valley, Stetling

and Konohassett. Team line will leave San Angelo at To'clock every Monday, Wednesday and Friday morning bound for Sterling City.

Dr. C. R. CARVER General Practitioner with Surgery and Chronio diseases a specialty.

All express left at Doran Hotel

Calls promptly answered day night. Office first door north o Fisher Bros.' Drugstore. 'Phone 48

STERLING CITY, TEXAS.

LAWYER AND NOTARY PUBLIC.

LOWE & DURHAM Dealers in

STERLING CITY, TEXAS.

Coffins and Caskets

Any person bauling wood, fish ng, bunting or in any way tresspassing on any lands owned or R. W. Foster

Notice to Trespassors

Notice is hereby given, that any person, or persons whe shall hunt, fish, cut or hanl Wood, work or drive stock, or otherwise trespass upon any land owned or controled by us, or either of u without our permission, will be prose-We A. V. Pat- cuted to the full extent of the law,

> Those driving stock down lane must keep in the lane antil across Beal's W.R. Felker

By J. D. La e. mgr.

NOTICE

Any person bauling wood, fishing, hunting, or in any way trespassing on any lands owned or controled by me, will be prose-

W. L. Foster.

TRESSPASS NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that any person who shall hunt, fish, cut or haul wood, or otherwise tresspass on any of the lands owned or controled by me will be prosecuted by the fall extent of the 45 07 A. F. JONES

POSTED.

Our pasture is posted and all persons are hereby put upon legal notice that any one who shall hunt, cut or haul wood or o'herwise trespuss upon any of the lands owned or controled by us will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law,

10 -26-'01 Fisher Bros.

Notice to Hunters .- Posted:

My pasture is posted accord ing to the law made and provided in such cases and all persons are hereby warned and forbidden to hunt, fish, or otherwise tresspass upon any of the enclosed lands Carry in stock fine, complete owned or cont: oled by me, under pain of prosecution to the full extent of the law. J. T. Davis

NOTICE-KEEP OUT.

5-6.'02

Notice is hereby given that any person who shall hunt, fish, cat or haul wood or otherwise trespases on any of the lands owned or controled by me will be pros ecuted by the full extent of the

G. W. Allard.

Posted.

I have posted my pasture ac cording controlled by me, will be prose- to the laws made and provided in such cases, and all persons are hereby warned and put upon notice that any person who, shall hunt, cut and hauf wood or otherwise; trespass upon any inclosed land owned or controled by me, will b prosecuted to the full extent of the law J. S. Johnson.

> TRESSPASS NOTICE Any person bauling wood, fishing, hunting, or in any way tresspassing on any lands owned or controlled by us, will be Proseented.

> > W. R. MCENTIRE & SON

NOTICE

All persons having any interest in house known as the "Hillside School House," in my pasture southaest of my ranch on Sterling. Oreek will present their claims to me at an early date, as I intend to prove said building away soon. W. L. Footer

WARNING TO ALL CONCERNED

Simple and Comprehensive Sign Put Up by Small Boy with a Grievance.

house so easily accessible from the street that they were constantly annoyed by persons ringing to ask where other possible inhabitants of that block were to be found. Finally, goaded to desperation by these interruptions, the family boy attempted to put a stop to the nuisance.

"I guess," said he, complacently, "there won't be any more folks ask. gelo. ing if the Browns, the Biddles or the

"What have you done?" queried Mrs. Langworth.

"Hung out a sign."

And what did you print on it, lad-

'Just five words," replied Harold, proudly: "'Nobody lives here but us.' " Lippincott's.

PROOF POSITIVE.



"Do you really love me, George! "Didn't you give me this tie, dear?" "Yes, love. Why?" "Well, ain't I wearing it?"

Never Fails

There is one remedy, and only one I We always use it and it never fails.

W. M. CHRISTIAN, 50c per box Rutherford, Tenn.

Wanted to Confirm It. Isolde-I don't believe that scandal

about Mrs. Giddyun. Winifred-They why did you tell me

about it? Isolde-I was in hopes that you could confirm it.-London Opinion.

For Colds and Gripp-Capudine. The best remedy for Gripp and Colds Is Hicks' Capudine. Relieves the aching and feverishness. Cures the cold—Headaches also, It's Liquid—Effects immediately—10, 25 and 5% at Drug Sfores.

going fishing.

Lewis' Single Binder Cigar has a rich taste. Your dealer or Lewis' Factory, Peoria, Ill.

By Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Bardstown, Ky.—"I suffered from ulceration and other female troubles for a long time. tors had failed to help me. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended, and I decided to try it. It cured mytrouble and made me well

work." Mrs. Jos-EPH HALL, Bardstown, Ky Another Woman Cured. Christiana, Tenn.—"I suffered from the worst form of female trouble so

that at times I thought I could not live, and my nerves were in a dreadful condition. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound cured me, and made me feel like a different woman. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is worth its weight in gold to suffering women."-MRS. MARY WOOD, R.F.D. 3. If you belong to that countless army

of women who suffer from some form of female ills, don't hesitate to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs. For thirty years this famous remedy has been the standard for all forms of female ills, and has cured thousands of regularities, backache, and nervous

ostration. If you want special advice write foritto Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass. It is free and always helpful.

Make Big Money

On an Investment of Only \$125.00

You can have a pleasant, permanent and profitable business of your own, that will pay you at least \$5.00 a day. I will give you full detailed particulars and show you how you take no risk.

Experience not necessary. Business can be conducted by either man or woman in any town where there is an electric lighting plant.

Duntley Standard Vacuum Cleaners

J. W. Duntley, Fres., DUNTLEY MPG. CO, the lines will be consolidated soon. 405 Plymouth Bidg., . . Chicago

DOINGS OF A GREAT STATE

The outlook for a pecan crop in The Langworths lived in a corner Brownwood section does not seem to be good this year.

Andrews County is receiving many new settlers as a result of large bodies of State school land coming on the market.

A bass weighing six and a half pounds was caught in the Concho on Friday by Tom Watson, of San An-

Good rains fell in the western and Hansons live in this house. I've fixed northern parts of Runnels county, Monday afternoon, breaking a four months' drouth.

> The first passenger train of the Gallatin-Rusk extension of the Texas and New Orleans Railroad came into Rusk Sunday on schedule time.

> Application has been approved in Washington for the organization of the leburne National Bank at Cleburne, Texas with a capital of \$150,000.

Saturday was clean-up day at Pilot Point. The city authorities were aided by the women's clubs of Denton, and ill indestructible rubbish was piled p and hauled beyond the city limits. John B. Grass, a Katy brakeman. running on the north end lost his life in a fire which completely destroyed a rooming house in Denison at an early houre Sunday morning.

Fire, originating in the annex of the E. A. Dryer Furniture Company in Texarkana, Monday night, spread to the adjoining place and caused losses estimated at \$17,000.

Pythians and Pythian Sisters from have ever found, to cure without fail all parts of Texas crowded Beethoven such troubles in my family as Eczema, Hall in San Antonio to its doors Tues-Ringworm, and all others of itching day, when the first open meeting of character. That remedy is Hunt's Cure, the convention of the grand lodge of Texas was held.

School election to issue \$40,000 worth of bonds to build a new school house and for a special tax, was voted on in Longview Tuesday, resulting 165 for and 9 against.

The North Texas Odd Fellows Anniversary Association, which has just had its annual meeting at Collinsville, Grayson County, will meet next year at Aubrey, Denton County.

Saturday was tag day in Mount Pleasant. The day was set apart to the Epworth League of the Methodist Episcopal Church, under whose direction the work was carried out. The 6-year-old daughter of E. H.

Adam had one thing to be thankful Winninger of Clarendon, while crossing for. He never had to weed his pa's the railroad tracks Sunday morning, onion beds when the other boys were was caught by a freight train and her right foot was crushed so badly that amputation was necessary. During an electrical storm, accom-

panying the rain which fell there Tuesday, Sampson Richardson, a well-The average life of a dog is from known colored man of between 60 and 65 years of age, was struck by lightning and instantly killed at Hillsboro.

A valuable cow belonging to J. G. Marshall of Paris, that had been alling for some time, died from an unknown cause. A veterinary surgeon cut her open and found a piece of baling wire in her stomach that had been swalowed while eating hay.

Beaumont was Thursday selected for the 1910 meeting of the grand lodge of Texas Knights of Pythias, and the grand temple of the Pythian Sisters. Beaumont secured the honor only after a hard fight with Waco and Abilene, close contestents for the

The El Paso Fair Association is making an effort to have President Taft! open the fair there on Nov. 1: If the plans are carried out successfully a notable feature of the day will be the greeting across the international boundry line between President Taft and President Diaz.

A Texas and Pacific freight engine was so badly damaged as the result of a collision head on with a Missouri. Kansas and Texas engine in the yards and strong, so that at Denton Wednesday, that it had to I can do all myown leave its train and be towed into Fort Worth dead for repairs.

The Civil Service Commission will onduct examinations at Austin, Dallas, Houston, Waco, San Antonio, El Paso and Brownsville on June 2 and to fill a position in the vacancy in ne position of local inspector of hulls of steam vessels at \$1,500 per year, at Galveston and such other places as they may occur.

Allison Mayfield was elected chairman of the Railroad Commission Wed nesday, at the first meeting of that body since the appointment of Commissioner Williams, who qualified

According to information received from Aguilares. Tex., twenty miles women who have been troubled with east of Laredo, where prospecting for such ailments as displacements, fibroid gas and oil has been in progress for tumors, ulceration, inflammation, ir some time, two heroic gassers have been struck, which, it is claimed, will produce on an enormous scale and will undoubtedly mean the establishment of nany new industries in this section.

That Fort Worth will have another irge factory before the close of the resent year seems now well assured The plant will be that which produces gasoline traction engines and farm implements generally.

The present whereabouts of Q. A. Eflis, a banker of Gatesville, Texas, who disappeared from that city late Sunday afternoon, is a question which s puzzling Coroner Anadolph, many friends of the missing man and his

elatives. The steel connection has been made between the Sherman-Dallas and Denison-Sherman Interurbans, but it is etc likely that it will require all of next cleaning residences, hotels, stores, opera nouses, etc. IKely that it will require all of next Big profit on each sale. Big profit on each sale. Big profit in renting cleaners to private week to allow the concrete to properciaming. Only one representative wanted in each town by settle and to replace the paving write to-day for full information. brick removed. The managements of

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Howard DuBois, the noted mining engineer, told a good story to the Tech men recently, illustrating the "art" of salting a diamond mine. The story was told of a man in South Sarsaparilla cannot be excelled. Africa who, while walking one day over his property, suggested that they assay some of the soil.

In the search that ensued eight rough diamonds were found and offers town." began to fly through the air at a rapid rate for the land, when the host's wife called out to her husband: "Why, John, where are the other two?" The sequel of the story was left to the . imagination.-Boston Record.

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Too Wise.

"Will you take a chance on kissing a pretty girl?" asked the young lady with the raffle tickets at the church fair. The crusty and confirmed bachelor held up his hands in horror. "What, me!" he gasped. "No. indeed. I don't take any such chances as those. Chap took a chance like that one time and six months later he married the young lady."

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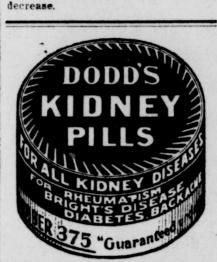
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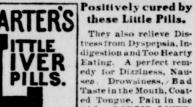
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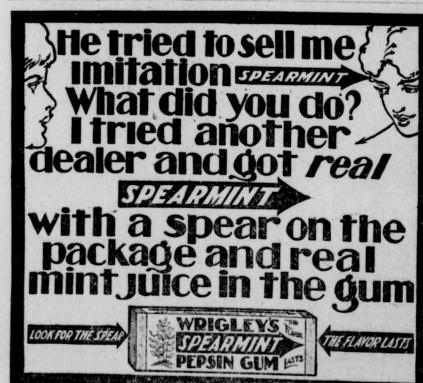


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