# Wichita Weekly Times.

### VOLUME XX

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NDREDS OF CITIZENS SEARCH

NEGRO BRUTE WHO AT-

LLIN COUNTY TEACHER

Unconscious Near School House

Kinney, Tex., Mar. 11 .- Miss Min-

Turner, aged 19 years, a teacher

Rowlett school house, 18 miles

of here, was discovered uncon-

s near the school this morning.

n she recovered she said a negro

attacked her and knocked her

This Morning-Had Been At-

tacked and, Robbed.

News Service Special.

TACKED WHITE WOMAN.

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WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS, MARCH 12, 1909.

FATAL PISTOL DUEL IN A SAN ANTONIO RESORT.

**PASSED IN HOUSE** By Associated Press. San Antonio, Tex., Mar. 11 .- Early this morning as the result of a pistol duel in the house of Maud Campbell, between two officers and two men who entered the place with a determination

to 'clean it out,' J. J. Mack, aged 37 years, is dead and Avery Bernstein, aged 38 years, was shot just above the heart. Policeman Robbins was badly wounded and Detective J. E. Stowe was SEVERAL TOWNS IN RACE

slightly injured. Following the shooting the police raided the place where Bernstein and Mack stayed, and arrested three men. William Morris, George Gleason and William Ward. The place is believed to be the headquarters of a gang of

crooks. The police are investigating.

Real Estate Transfers. E. J. Ward has sold to T. M. Smyre his residence at the corner of Eleventh of McLennan, Frio, Uvalde, Fayette, and Grace streets. Consideration \$6500. T. M. Smyre to E. J. Ward, house and lot at 1629 Tenth street. Consideration, \$2,500.

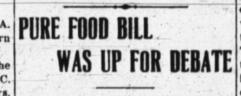
G. L. Moore to C. H. Thompson house and lot northeast corner of 8th Street and Lamar avenue. Consideration \$4,000.

Moller obtained a reconsideration of Mrs. R. E. Clopton to J. B. Stokes, the vote which passer, the bill amendhouse and lot southwest corner of ing Galveston's charter, requiring poeventh street and Lamar avenue. Conlice officers to give a thousand dollar sideration, \$3,300

bond, and succeeded in killing this J. M. Hooper to O. B. Cecil, house and lot southwest corner of Sixteenth The house finally passed the bill street and Lamar avenue. Consideraplacing Potter county under the scalp tion \$2,750.

Four Residences Burned in Dallas. Dallas, Tex., Mar. 11 .- Four restfund from the Federal government for dences were burned here this morning.

the Agricultural and Mechanical Coltwo on East Side avenue and two on The senate passed the Greenville Key and Watson, whose homes were believed. burned the East Side, narrowly escaped. Both were slightly burned. The



the resolution failed to state suffi-

AND THE ENGINEER KILLED.

George Simmons states that during the

year 1908 a total of 42 inches was pre-

cipitated. The greatest precipitation

fell during the month of May, when the

rainfall amounted to 121/2 inches. In

WILL GIVE A RECEPTION

Texas News Service Special

is visiting our community and was after the house met this morning a train will be set back and made to ar-Liverpool, Eng., Mar. 11 .- Spot cot- the guest of Prof. and Mrs. Camp yes- resolution offered by Wahrmund, Ad- rive here some time in the afternoon.

MEASURE PROVIDES FOR ESTAB. LISHMENT OF NORMAL WEST OF 98th MERIDIAN.

NUMBER 13.

**BILL-HAS PASSED** 

Site Will Be Selected By a Commission. Proposition Will Be Discussed Tomorrow Night.

Judge Scurry is in receipt of a telegram from Austin, in response to an inquiry of his, stating that the bill proriding for a normal school west of the 98th meridian has passed. The location is left to a commission, and sites and bonuses will be considered by the State.

The matter will be taken up tomorrow night at the general meeting of the Chamber of Commerce in the new city hall.

The 98th meridian passes through the eastern part of Clay county.

Among the citles which are making an active effort to secure the location of this institution are Abilene, Stamford, Amarillo and Vernon. This institution would probably bring as many as 400 students to the city which se-. cures its location and will be worth going after.

MORE ABOUT DOUBLE DAILY TRAIN SERVICE RUMOR.

Double daily train service to Dallas State street. The latter is believed to is assured to Denton if the statement have been of incendiary origin. Messrs. of railway officials in Dallas are to be

W. C. Murphy, the Denton agent, who was in Dallas Monday, says that he was told there by high officials of the Katy road that arrangements were now being made to run a through train from Dallas to Wichita Falls. The new train will pass through Den-WAS UP FOR DEBATE The new train will pass through Den-ton going south about 6:30 or 7 o'clock in the morning and will reach Denton on the return trip about 9 or 10 o'clock at night. When the new train goes on Austin, Tex., Mar. 11.-Immediately it is likely that the present 12:05

Her watch is missing. Officers cate the owner, as no mention of the e left for the scene with blood loss has been made in the papers. ds. The entire section is stirred and hundreds of citizens are as-EXHIBITS ARE ARRIVING FOR ing in the search for the negro. He FORT WORTH STOCK SHOW. likely be violently handled if he caught, as the citizens are deter- Texas News Service Special. ed to end the frequent attacks on ining counties. NY VISITORS AT BARTH BROS.' OPENING.

Thursday's Daily. rth Bros., the new clothing firm ed the doors of their handsome THRASH GIVEN BAIL IN room at 711 Indiana avenue in new Guggenheim building, to the lic last night and between the rs of 7:30 and 11 o'clock welwho were pleased with the hosble reception accorded them.

Each visitor was given a souvenir, ladies a carnation and the gentle- | was made. a novelty pencil. The Wichita thestra discoursed pleasing music in an unobtrusive and informal Mr. Barth and the employes of store made the visitors feel at

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who attended the opening hing and furnishing stores in the le of North Texas, with complete es of the store were especially at tive, being made of old mission pes of show cases for furnishing ds and suits. Mr. Barth wishes to thank those d is more than pleased with the sucof the opening. HISTORIC LAND PURCHASED. ate Now Owns Larger Portion of San Jacinto Battlefield. Austin, Tex., Mar. 4.-Gov. Campbell ay received the report of the pure of fifteen additional acres adining the San Jacinto battlefield, the ce paid for the same being \$1,531. s. Rosine Ryan of Houston, one of commisisoners appointed by the ernor, and Col. Thomas Ball, atney for the commisisoners, were re today and secured the approval of abstract by the attorney general. The land purchased affords a river nt to the battlefield, which the State der the law, has not owned. On this in camped the night prior to the nflict that earned for Texas her inpendence. It is considered the most storical plat contained in the tract. he State now owns practically the tire battlefield, consisting of about 15 acres. It will be fenced and beaufied, in accordance with the act that thorized its purchase. All that now remains to be done is the commissioners to make applition, under oath, to the State treasfer for the payment of the agreed archase price, and to secure the govnor's approval to the application, hich will be forthcoming as soon as e application has been formally filed. The report is signed by S. S. Ashe, sine Ryan and J., S. Rice, commis-

Fort Worth, Tex., Mar. 11 .- Exhibe women by negroes in Collin and its of horses, cattle and swine are arriving today for the Cattlemen's Convention and stock show here next week. All the buildings down town are elaborately decorated. An auto train carrying visitors to the show started from Midland today. THE SUM OF \$2000. Waxahachie, Tex., Mar. 6 .- At the habeas corpus hearing of Luther ed more than fiften hundred visit- Thrash, charged with the murder of May ..... 9.50 J. A. Bell, before the district court, the defendant was allowed bond in the sum of two thousand dollars, which



AFFIRMS DECISION AGAINST

Washington, D. C., Mar. 11 .- The

court of appeals of the District of Co-

lumbia today modified and affirmed the

opinion of Justice Gould of the Su-

preme Court of the District, enjoining

the American Federation of Labor,

Samuel Gompers and others as de-

fendants, from publishing in the "We

Don't Patronize'' list the name of the

Buck Stove and Range Company of St.

\$20,000 WORTH OF SECURITIES.

San Francisco, Cal., Mar. 11.-That

some one was so careless of his wealth

as to lose \$25,000 without making in-

quiry about it is the astonishing dis-

covery of J. L. Samuels, who two days

ago picked up in the store an envel-

ope containing that amonut of valu-

able securities. Samuels has watch-

ed the advertisements, but cannot lo-

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THE LABOR FEDERATION

d one of the most up to date gents' Texas News Service Special. July ..... 9.39 -9.39 9.37-38 Houston, Tex., Mar. 11 .- Mineral Wells today won the next district con-Cotton-Liverpool. cks in all departments. The fix- vention of the Woodmen of the World by a vote of nearly four to one. ton 5.09d. Sales 8,000 bales. Receipts, Beaumont was the only other contest- 22,000 bales. in the latest and most modern ant. Texarkana withdrew. High Close Open The count of the vote for sovereign March-April .... 5.02 5.02 5.01 delegates has not been completed and April-May ..... 5.021/2 5.021/2 5.011/2 the result will not be announced until May-June ..... 5.04 5.03 to came out to the opening last night Friday. There are twenty-seven can- June-July ..... 5.041/2 5.041/2 5.04 didates. Chicago Grain Market. The convention opposes the estab-Wheat- Open High Close lishment of an orphans' home. May ..... 1141/2 115 115 TO DISPATCH BY TELEPHONE. July ..... 10314 103% 1031/ September .... 971/8 97% 97% Telegraph to Be Held Only in Re-Cornserve on Santa Fe. May ..... 681/8 681/4 68. Temple, Tex., Mar. 11 .- The Santa July ..... 671/8 675% 671/2 671/2 Fe Railway company is getting ready September ..... 67 671/2 to supersede the telegraph system of Oatstrain dispatching in Texas by use of May .......... 55 5514 5514 the telephone, according to W. M. July ..... 49% 49% 49% Dowd, superintendent of telegraph, who September .... 40% 41 41 paid this city a visit today. Fort Worth Livestock. The new method is to be adopted as Cattle-Receipts 2000 head. fast as the equipment can replace the Hogs-Receipts 3000 head.

SNOW FALLS CONTINUOUSLY FOR INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT FORTY-EIGHT HOURS IN THE UPPER PANHANDLE.

Loss of Live Stock is

Reported.

Texas News Service Special.

there is some suffering.

this summer.

DEEP AT DALHART

## ERNOR'S SIGNATURE.

SNOW IS TWO FEET SCHOOL BILL HAS

THE DROUTH IS BROKEN MANY LOCAL BILLS PASSED

No Wind Has Been Blowing and No House Holds Busy Session This Morning and Many Bills Were Disposed of.

BILL NOW READY FOR GOV-

Austin, Tex., Mar. 10 .- The house Dalhart, Tex., Mar. 11.-A heavy was set in lively motion this morning now is still falling over Northwest any many local bills were called up Texas and is now two feet deep on for action. Senate bills were engrossthe level in this section. There is no ed creating road laws for the counties wind. It has been snowing continually for the last two days. There Val Verde, Jasper and Lee; also creathas been no loss of livestock, but ing independent schol districts for Wichita Falls, Ballinger, Higgins, Mc-The snow assures a big grain crop Lean, Grandview, and Hereford.

county court of Ochiltree county.

The senate today concurred in the

The bill was engrossed conferring civil and criminal jurisdiction on the

#### Heavy Snow Fall at Amarillo. Texas News Ser. ice Special.

Amarillo, Tex., Mar. 11 .- A heavy snow is falling here today. The snow already covers the ground four inches deep. The snowfall effectually breaks the drouth.

THE MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Cotton-New Orleans Spots. New Orleans, La., Mar. 11 .- Spot cotton easy and 1-16c lower. Middling house resolution accepting the Adams Texas News Service Special. 97-16c. Sales 1,200 bales.

Cotton-New Orleans Futures. Open High Close March ..... 9.45 9.45 9.35-37

and Beaumont charter bills; also the 9.50 9.46-47 Watson bill amending the insurance laws, which is similar to the Robert-July ..... 9.61 9.62 9.57-58 son bill in the house. Cotton-New York Spots.

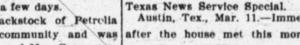
bill.

New York, Mar. 11.-Spot cotton Thornberry Happenings. quiet and unchanged. Middling, 9.80.

Texas to buy a farm. Cotton-New York Futures. Miss Maggie Bryant of Chillicothe Open High Close is visiting her uncles, Messrs. J. C. March ...... 9.50 9.50 9.47-48 May ...... 9.47 9.47 9.44-45 and J. P. Hopkins, and Mr. and Mrs.

erday.

T. W. Bryant for a few days. Miss Edith Blackstock of Petrolia



total loss is \$6,000. Thornberry, Tex., Mar. 8.-Mr. J. A. PURE FOOD BILL Webster left Saturday for Western

### Names of Two Monitors Changed.

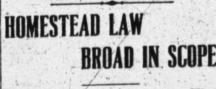
Associated Press. Washington, D. C., Mar. 11.-The vy department has changed the e of the monitor Arkansas to that Ozark and the monitor Nevada to nopah in order to permit the folbattleships and cruisers.

Cotton Seed For Sale. Mebane, Triumph, saved early. Suter. Phone 599-21

other, and dispatchers can famillarize themselves with new conditions. The telegraph is to be held in reserve in case of rush and emergencies. The of land Gens, Houston and Bur- new style of train dispatching will not affect the dispatchers or operators in any manner, as they will simply perform the same duty by phone that they now do with telegraph keys.

Ingratitude.

The Bonham News remarks: "'If-anybody ever had a howl for 'ingratitude' coming to them, Dallas has it. That special train and a wide open town cost somebody a lot of money."



San Antonio, Tex., Mar. 10 .- Exemption of property from the claims of creditors under the homestead law can be claimed by a debtor even though he is not living on the property at the

time execution is sought against it, and even though he may have been absent from it for years, but if he ever in that time let it be known that it is not his intention to go back to the property as wing out of the custom of glying a home, then his claim is forfeited, names of the different States to rules the fourth court of civil appeals in an opinion handed down today in the case of John Lynch vs. J. H. Mc-

Known et al., appealed from Sabine. 11-Stp judgment and remands it for trial.

No sales reported.

Steers-Quality fair. Market steady. Tops sold at \$5.40. Cows-Quality choice. Market was steady. Tops sold at \$4.40. Calves-Quality fair. Market steady. Tops sold at \$5.50. Hogs-Quality choice. Market was

higher. Tops sold at \$6.67.

#### ELECTRIC LIGHT PROPOSI-TION MADE TO ARCHER CITY.

A Mr. Helm of Gilmer, Texas, was here this week after a 20-year electric light franchise in Archer City. In return for the franchise he proposes to furnish 700 candle power of lights on the public square free. As yet no definite arrangements have been made, but we understand our city fathers are favorably impressed with his offer. Mr. Helm is also figuring on putting up a modern brick hotel in our city .- Arch-

er County News. TEN-YEAR-OLD GIRL BURNED TO DEATH NEAR HOUSTON.

Texas News Service Special. Houston, Tex., Mar. 11 .- Mary Ellis,

aged 10 years, was burned to death at her home five miles east of here this morning. She was sweeping in front of a fire place when the flame shot out, igniting her clothing. Her aged grandfather tried to save her life, but was unsuccessful.

R. The court reverses the lower court's Have E. M. Rogers & Co. do your gas damaged. The loss is estimated at reception at the town hall tomorrow fitting. All work guaranteed. 248-tfc \$35,000.

Rev. Melton of Bellevue will begin a meeting at the Baptist church tomorrow night Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Reed went over into Oklahoma Saturday to visit Mr and Mrs. Arthur Stephenson.

reason that San Antonio citizens op-The box supper that was held a pose the concentration of tubercular the school house Saturday night was afflicted patients there and that the quite a success. The ladies are planning to build a fence around the church people want the consumptives segreand put in an artificial gas plant. gated. A point of order was raised against the resolution by Cox who said

Newsy Notes From Frieberg.

cient reasons. The point of order was Frieberg, Tex., Mar. 8.-Mrs. Abrams who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Carey, sustained by the chair. has been quite sick, but was better morning debating the pure food bill, yesterday. The oyster supper the ladies of the refusing by a vote of 77 to 37 to con-

church gave Friday night at the school cur in the senate amendments permithouse was quite a success. They are ting the use of cocaine, caffeine, and planning to build a storm pit at the theine. The measure was sent to the free conference committee. parsonage. Mrs. Maud N. Turner of Cheranchio,

RAILS SPIKED, TRAIN WRECKED. India, will be with us next Sunday in the interest of home missions and church extension, and foreign. mis-By Associated Press. sions. She will speak at the following New Orleans, La., Mar. 11 .- It is replaces: Cashian school house at 11 ported that the Arkansas, Louisiana a. m.; at Thornberry, at 3:30 p. m., and Gulf passenger train, southbound and Frieberg, at 7:30 p. m. Miss Tur- from Little Rock, was derailed by train ner will be dressed in native dress wreckers during the night just after while lecturing.

crossing the Louisiana line twenty miles north of Monroe, and that En-Girl Struck By Lightning and Lives. gineer McDaniel was instantly killed, Windom, Tex., Mar. 9.-Little, Miss and Fireman McGowen seriously hurt

Tolbert, the 12-year-old daughter of J. No pasengers were injured. C. Tolbert, who resides four miles The switch was spiked by the train south of here, while standing near the wreckers.

cook stove washing dishes was struck TOTAL RAINFALL by lightning. The bolt came down the stove flue, splitting the pipe and striking the child in the left foot, tearing the stocking and shoe into strings, leaving them on the floor, while she was hurled some ten or fifteen feet out onto the porch. Outside of suffer-In answer to many inquiries as to ing from the severe shock, the child the amount of rainfall in Wichita Falls;

was not injurêd. FIRE AT GEORGETOWN.

Belton Lumber Co.'s Yards Destroyed Last Night.

June 7% inches fell. Texas News Service Special. Georgetown, Tex., Mar. 11.-The offices, lumber sheds, planing mill and ware rooms of the Belton Lumber Company were destroyed by fire here By Associated Press.

last night, which made a clean sweep of the entire block, including one resi- izens of Oyster Bay have arranged to neighborhood of 1500 pounds. dence. The Commercial hotel was also give ex-President Roosevelt a public.

evening.

with a return trip in the morning ams and Byrne, requesting that the stead of the same afternoon, as is now, senate return the house bill making the case.

an appropriation of \$125,000 for a con-Mr. Murphy was unable to say definitely when the new service would sumptive ward in the Southwestern be put on, but was confilent that the Asylum at San Antonio, giving as their train would be running not later than during the early part of the summer. The service would prove a great convenience to Denton people,-Denton Record and Chronicle.

Welcome Showers.

A good shower of rain, amounting to nearly a half an inch, fell in Wichita Falls 'early this morning and reports received today indicate that the The house occupied most of the rain extended over the entire Wichita country, but at some points the fall was lighter than at this place.

Good soaking showers are reported from Byers and Petrolia. The Wichita Valley reports rain along its line to Abilene. At Abilene a good shower is reported, but at most other points the rainfall was lighter than at this place.

The Wichita Falls Route reports showers all the way from Frederick, Oklahoma, to Newcastle, with heavier precipitation at Archer City, Olney and Newcastle than at other points. showers are reported to have been very light north of Red river.

The shower last night will do much to revive the wheat, oats, fruits and other crops. A regular gully washer is yet needed to place the ground in good condition for the planting of crops.

A Downpour at Denison.

Denison, Tex., Mar. 8 .- A downpour of rain fell here today and will be worth thousands of dollars to the farm-

A Heavy Rain at Ennis. Ennis, Tex., Mar. 8.—A heavy rain is falling here. The farmers are re-joicing over the prospects.

WAS 42 INCHES Freeze Predicted at Dallas. Dallas, Tex., Mar. 8 .- A rain fell here all morning, which was much needed by the farmers. A freeze is predicted and the temperature is dropping.

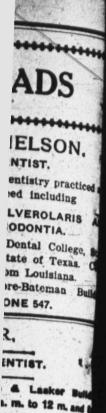
> Waco, Tex., Mar. 8 .- The prolonged drouth was broken here this morning by a rain that assumed cloudburst proportions at 11 o'clock. The rain is widespread and will do good to crops. It is accompanied by a cold wave.

F. T. Jenne brought to town this afernoon a common corn-fed 4-year-Oyster Bay, N: Y., Mar. 11 .- The citold Texas steer, which weighs in the

> Mr. Jenne will ship the steer and have him on exhibition at the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show.

A Fat Steer. FOR THE ROOSEVELTS. From Wednesday's Daily.





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WICHITA WEEKLY TIMES, WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS, MARCH 12th, 1909

NET NOMINATION-ALSO OPPOSES LOEB.

### WITHDRAWS ONE PROTES

According to Reports Texan is Bit. terly Opposed to Loeb and Gives His Reason.

Dallas News.

Washington, D. C., Mar. 5.-Senator Bailey is holding up the nomination of President Roosevelt, and says he will do all in his power to defeat Loeb's confirmation. The name of Mr. Loeb Clark, after touching upon the advisawas sent to the senate for collector of bility of extending the fire limits far the port of New York, but no action beyond the present boundary to insure the port of New York, but no action was taken on the matter by the senate today

Senator Bailey also attacked the which would enable one of the largest nomination of Charles, Nagel of St. and best known lake resorts in the Louis, to be secretary of commerce and which would accrue inestimable benelabor. He based his objection to Mr. fits to the city. He advised first that

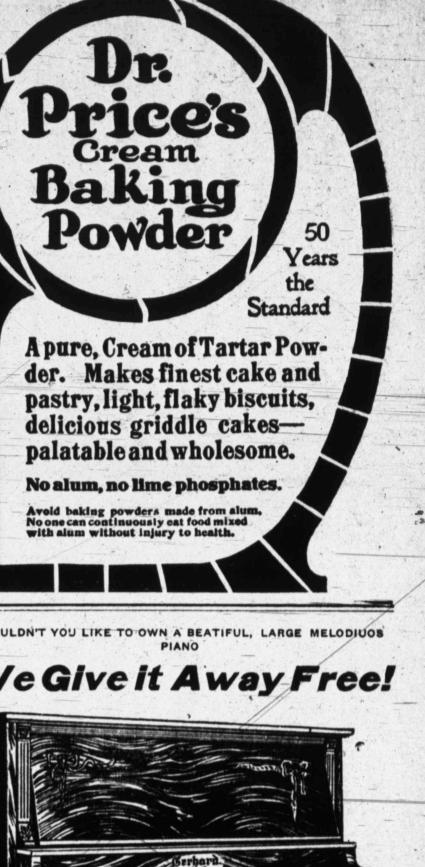
From Monday's Dally. Palmer L. Clark, a prominent figure

**RESORT AT LAKE** 

AN AMUSEMENT

in amusement and pleasure resort lines and the man who developed the St. Joe lake resort into one of the leading of its kind in the country for the Harriman railroad interests, addressed a meeting of nearly twenty of the leading citizens this morning at the office of the Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Clark, together with Mr. Van Brunt, representative of Eastern financial interests, arrived in the city a few days ago with Mr. J. A. Kemp, who succeded in inducing these gentlemen to investigate the advantages of Wichita Falls. Mr. Van Brunt left for the East this morning and according to Mr. Clark's statement, carries with him the impression that Wichita Falls of-William Loeb Jr., former secretary to fers many possibilities now opportune President Receivelt and save he will for development and that he hoped to take advantage of them.

In the course of his remarks, Mr. the stability of the future business district, said that the development of Lake Wichita presented conditions





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horrors of Northern prisons.

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therefore an act of usurped authority

But, worse than this, it was the act of

a moral degenerate. Lincoln sought,

by this Borgian stroke, to arm the

slaves against their masters, to place

in the hands of servile millions arms

to carry the war to Southern hearth-

stones and upon defenseless women

and children. It is to be doubted if any

tyrant or degenerate in all history has

written against his reputation so fear-

Wichita Fails was one of the first,

if not the first town or city in Texas

and Syracuse, N. Y., claims to be the

ful, so black, so damning a crime."

the field

All subscriptions payable in advance. Advertising rates made known on application Wichita Falls, Texas March 12th, 1909. JEFFERSON DAVIS AND ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

The attitude of the South towards the memory of Abraham Lincoln and that of the North of Jefferson Davis is strongly contrasted in an able editorial clipped from the Literary Digest and credited to the Jacksonville (Fla.) Times-Union, which shows pretty plainly that it is the people of the North and not of the South who refuse to forget the bitter memories of the war between the States and contine to wave vigorously the bloody shirt:

The Florida Times-Union takes advantage of the opportunity to contrast the North's attitude toward Jefferson Davis with the South's admiration and praise of Lincoln. To quote in part:

"Southern men praise Lincoln because they admire him. The prejudice against him that was founded on passion has entirely passed away and the South today claims an interest in Lincoln, a man of Southern blood and birth, an American of whom all Americans may of right be proud.

"But the South is considered narrow-minded. Those who do not know the Southern people, but who are confident that they know all things, say, the war is not over in the South. They pose as broad-minded and progressive while they represent the Southern people as living in the loves and hates of first American city to adopt it. It Timbers. the past.

has now grown so popular that nearly "But what of the facts? We have every town or city of any importance seen how the South feels toward Abra- in the United States sets apart one ham Lincoln; how does the North feel day in each year as a day upon which section of the country, and was quite toward Jefferson Davis? Before the every man who takes pride in the city sufficient for all present crop-growing war he was one of the nation's great- which he claims as his home, shall purposes. The fear of a drouth, and as est statesmen and soldiers. In the be tagged and pay whatever in his a natural consequence a small grain greatest battle that Americans had at judgment he sees proper, for the priv- crop failure, is fast disappearing, and that time ever fought he saved the ilege of wearing a tag identifying him- farmers are feeling a great deal more

Emory Speer of Georgia, who ought to So far the investigation of Speaker know better. Rhodes, the historian, Kennedy of the House of Representasays that this buncombe 'may be call- tives has revealed nothing further than ed a stump speech.' It was merely a that the name of some young lady piece of political trickery. Rhodes also stenographer appears on the State's says that it was 'issued for the pur- pay roll and that warrants in her name pose of affecting European opinion.' have been drawn for services she did The same high authority shows by a not render, and that Speaker Kennedy letter of Lincoln's that Lincoln him- was in a position to know that she self did not expect the plan to have had not rendered any service whatever effect except in the border States- to the State when he drew the warrant Delaware, Kentucky, Missouri, and the and sent it to her while she was visit-District of Columbia-and that in the ing in a city four or five hundred miles District of Columbia, the only place in from Texas. If these charges are true, which it took effect, compensation was then it shows Speaker Kennedy up in rather an ugly light. A man can afford paid to 'loyal' masters only. In other words, the offer of compensation, to be generous at his own expense. like the proclamation of emancipation, but when he-takes advantage of the was a war measure, intended to seduce confidence of the people of a great Southerners from their allegiance, not State which has been placed in him to compensate them for spoilation. to squander the State's money in the "But, to be brief upon an unpleas. manner above cited, it is time his conant subject, three charges may be suc- duct should be investigated and excessfully brought against Lincoln, any plained. one of which is sufficient to prove that

There are more than one thousand he could not justly be considered: a wage earners residing within the city limits of Wichita Falls. The families "First, he made medical supplies contraband of war, or approved that of many of these wage-carners do not reside here for the reason that they barbarous measure, in order to cripple by the inroad of disease the foe his ill- cannot secure houses. As a result of chosen commanders could not beat in this condition of affairs a greater portion of the money earned by these men whose families do not reside here "Second, he refused to exchange is spent with merchants in other towns. prisoners of war, thus making inevitable-in the direst condition of the Some man who is satisfied for his mon-South-the 'horrors' of Andersonville, ey to earn a reasonable rate of interest can find no better way to make it which were, however, surpassed by the do it than investing in a few lots and erecting on them neat cottages. There "Third, his emancipation of slaves was confessedly a war measure, for, will be no lack of tenants. At least two hundred more four and five-room as he admitted, he cared nothing for cottages could be made to bring their the negroes and was willing to sacrifice them to the Union cause, throwing owners anywhere from ten to twenty per cent annually on the money invested, and the man who wants more than "The frightful enormity of this crime has not yet been adjudged. The that for his money will be hard to satemancipation was unconstitutional, and isfy.

The Texas country press has kept the democratic faith. In and out of season it has striven for party harmony and success. It has caused wholesome laws to be enacted, while others have reaped the glory. It looked for no material reward, but did believe its efforts were appreciated. But to read the remarks of some men in the legislature, when the right of contract was under discussion, one would think the democratic press the worst foe of the party in Texas. Should party upheavals come in the future, and strange to adopt the "Tag Day" means of things have happened, some of the raising funds for civic improvements. gentlemen now in the spotlight down "Tag Day" originated in England, at Austin may come to have a better opinion of the press .- Bowle Cross

> The rainfall of Monday morning seems to have been general over this encouraged than they had cause to be

#### WICHITA WEEKLY TIMES, WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS, MARCH 12th, 1909

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day, turning a crushing defeat into a self with the great number who believe brilliant victory by his promptness that much towards the beautifying of one week ago. Both wheat and oat of action; and yet, in most histories his home city can be accomplished by crops were showing unmistakable signs of the battle of Buena Vista omits his donating a small sum to a good cause. of dry weather. name out of deference to the prejudices This year the Civic League of Wichita. of the North. Falls has set apart Saturday, March

"'Mr. Davis was one of the best 20th, as Tag Day, and on that occasecretaries of war the nation ever had, sion it will be the mission of the In spite of the disposition to ignore worthy organization to induce every him his name will always be associat- citizen to wear a tag. ed with more public works of national

importance than that of any other man Captain Fitzhugh, one of the lawin America. A magnificent bridge was vers for the prosecution of Colonel built near Washington under his direc- Duncan Cooper and his son for the tion as secretary of war. It is said to murder of ex-Senator E. W. Carmeck, be the longest arch on earth, and yet whose trial is now about drawing to a it stands today massive and strong as close, in closing his speech, referred and get something started. If put up within the last year and bids to the jury as "such a patient, honest fair to rival the pyramids in durabiland intelligent jury." The record of ity. the trial of the case shows that it re-

"Cabin John Bridge is one of the quired several weeks in which to losights of Washington-that city of cate these twelve intelligent men who magnificence. Washington takes a compose that jury and that at least pride in showing it. They tell you that three of them can neither read or Jefferson Davis conceived it and ap- write; four of them can speak and unproved the plans; but that his name

derstand but a few words of English. and five who hadn't read a newspaper has been chiseled from it. "Lincoln was the political opponent since long before the killing of Car-

of the South; Davis was the political mack took place. That the jury has opponent of the North-so far they patience no one will dispute, but as for are even. The North won; the South intelligence, that part of the sentence lost and one would think the victor, does not sound good when contrasted in the joy of success, would forget with the manner in which it was sesooner than the vanquished in the bitlected. Tennessee, however, is not the terness of defeat. Davis was nothing only State which places a premium on but the political opponent of the North; that particular kind of "intelligence,"

Lincoln was more to the South. He confiscated \$2,000,000 worth of South-The Times clasified columns are an ern property; he impoverished 8,000,open market through which many 000 people. He never claimed a legal thousands of dollars worth of real esright to do this and no one can claim it, tate, and every description of property for him. He did it by force, pleading is sold promptly and a minimum cost. the necessities of war as his excuse, Hundreds of houses and rooms are also and the South has accepted the excuse, rented, scores and scores of lost arand now cherishes his memory with ticles returned to their owners and respect and kindly feelings. positions found and help secured. The

"And yet this is the Bourbon sec- average reader has Hitle idea of the tion-the land of men who never forgive or forget-while the liberal-minded people are still teaching that Jeffer- that appear in the classified columns. son Davis was a traitor whom Ameri- Everybody reads those advertisements cans,generation after generation, should and the popularity of this department hate.'

Also the following from the pen of Editor Gonzales, of the Jackson (Miss.) Clarion-Ledger, in review of country are rejoicing over the splendid Abraham Lincoln's credentials as a showers which fell yesterday and last "friend of the South:"

of the paper is steadily increasing. Farmers throughout the Wichita night. While the precipitation was not

volume of business transacted through

the little inexpensive advertisements

'First, there is the blatant claim heavy enough to soak the ground, it that Lincoln offered to recompense was enough to refresh and revive the Southerners for the loss of their slaves thirsting vegetation and give it a new which, no matter what may be our in- start. Down several inches the farmers dividual opinion, were recognized as report that the ground is moist and property by the law and courts. This that the wheat has passed through the claim was repeated the other day by dry weather in good shape.

Nearly every city of any importance in North Texas, with the exception of Wichita Falls, has a monthly sales or trade day, when farmers for miles and miles around come to town to sell produce and buy stock and to buy merchandise. It is conceded that such a day would be of great advantage to Wichita Falls. The merchants, who are the people who would receive the most benefit, should hold a conference

Those who desire to see what this country is capable of producing in the way of fine cattle should see the herd of fifty belonging to R. M. Moore & Son, which will be on exhibition at the O K Wagon Yard on the 12th. This herd will be shipped to the Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth.

In writing to your friends don't fail to speak a good word for Wichita Falls. Every little bit helps.

### Cabinet Makers and Furniture Repairers

J. George Reutter, formerly with the Jourdan Furniture Company, and James Spurrier have opened up a Cabinet Repair Shop in connection with the North Texas Furniture Co., where. they are now ready to repair and refinish your furniture. They also make new furniture of any description, if required, and deal in secondhand iurniture. They solicit your patronage. First Class Work Guaranteed.

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TO THE PUBLIC IN GENERAL that I will move my store to 706 Ohio Avenue, between Darnell's Book Store and Lawler's Barber Shop, where I will refurnish with a handsome set of new fixtures-the best money can buy. I will have more room where I can show the public the largest stock of Jewelry, Clock, Cut Glass, China and many other things too numerous to mention. I realize I have had a bad location for ladies, but now I have the ideal place. Watch for ad. announcing opening of this fine store.

A. S. FONVILLE THE JEWELER

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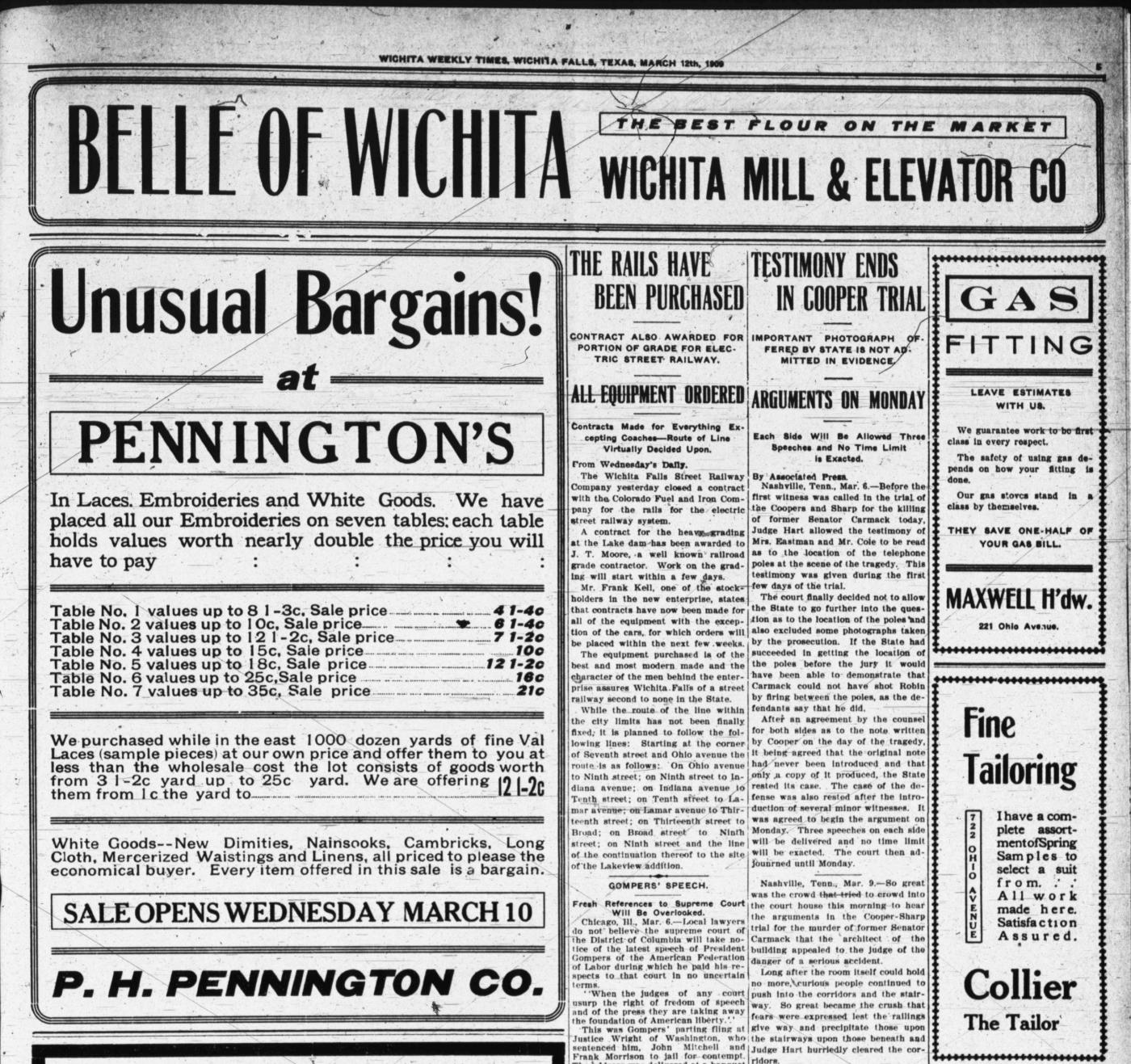
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would be a cleaner town and the clean- Jersey, for the reason, it is claimed, the

ing up would enhance the value of the New Jersey lodge admits negroes to

membership.

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By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court of Wichita County, Texas in a certain cause, No. 3761, wherein C. C. Young and Gott fried Leischner are Plaintiffs, and Christian Christmann and J. L. Jackson and R. M. Moore are Defendants for the sum of \$1991.12 in favor of said C. C. Young, \$922.50 in favor of said Gottfried Leischner, and \$1276.28 in entific treatment unsurpassed. favor of said Moore and Jackson ren-CANE SEED MILO MAIZE MILLET SEED KAFFIR CORN 1909, I have levied upon and will on the first Tuesday in April 1909, being the sixth day of said month at the Court House door in Wichita Falls, ten o'clock A. M., and four o'clock is a great flesh builder, because it was pale and wan, but is bravely at- Prices P M., proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all of the right, title, and interest of all the parties hereto in the following real esate situated J. G. JONES GRAIN CO. ia Wichta County, Texas, and described as Blocks (59), (60), (61), and (62) of the Subdivisions known as the Jones Ranch; Blocks (59) and (60) covering South half of S. P. R. R. Co. Survey No. (3), Abstract 265, and Blocks (61) and (62) cov ring North If every man who owns his own | The Mississippi Grand Lodge of Mahalf Survey (2) S. P. R. R. Co., Abhome would keep the back yard and sons has withdrawn fraternal corresstract 587, levied on as the property alleys free of rubbish, Wichita Falis pondence with the Grand Lodge of New of Christian Christmann.

Sheriff Wichita County, Texas.

J. W: WALKUP.

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ridors. The address was delivered at a banquet

The judge again admonished the auin Gompers' honor. 'If the future holds for me a cell, dience to refrain from any kind of a hen I am resigned,'' he concluded. demonstration and General Meeks began the opening argument for the de-

FOR SALE-At a bargain: We are fense. closing out our plano stock and only

General Meeks said that it seemed have two naw and two second hand to be the State's idea to convict someplanos left. Call and see us. Jackson one, whether they were innocent or 13-2tc guilty. He said: . "I want to say that

Preserves, jellies and jams; to suit never in my life or large practice have ny taste. Ask King & White, 251-if I seen a witness so shamefully treated as was Col. Cooper by Attorney

RICH RED BLOOD.

Bros.

You Will Never Have It as Long as You Have Dyspepsia. Just as long as you have dyspepsia your food will not properly digest, and

the nutritious elements in the food will not be extracted or absorbed, and impoverished or watery blood will follow. This condtion may not be apparent at first, but it will come just as sure as the sun will rise again. 'Any stomach allment, including all

forms of indigestion, can be promptly mack showed a decrease at the opencured by using Mi-o-na tablets, a sci-

fense many seats were vacant. These It stops fermentation, belching gas filled up, however, as the day advancdered in said court on February 1st, and taste of sour food almost at once. The mighty power of Mi-o-na to ined, but there is not nearly the devigorate and restore the stomach to mand for admission that was made yesterday, a red letter day. Mrs. Luperfect condition is known everywhere. Mi-o-na cures by building up-by cius Burch, Robin Cooper's sister who vases, steps, curbing, etc. :: Wichita County, between the hours of banishing the cause. For thin people it collapsed vesterday in the court room

> causes the stomach to give more and tempting to cheer and encourage her purer nutrition to the blood. It cures brother. Mrs. Carmack did not appear-and it sea and car, sickness and vomiting of

> pregnancy almost immediately. E. S. is stated that she is too ill to leave Morris & Co. sells Mi-o-na for 50 her room. General Washington spoke of the edcents a large box, and guarantees it

> 13-15 itorial of October 21st. He admitted to cure or money back.

that Carmack had a right to write editorials about public men, but when he stepped over the bounds and began to atack a private citizen, then he exceedec his rights.

Working himself into a frenzy of or atory, General Washington devoted an CURES CATARRH, ASTHMA, hour to a wild denunciation of Carmack

Fitzhugh in his speech vesterday. The

prosecutor seemed careless as to

whether he convicted or acquitted Col.

Cooper for the murder of Carmack,

but he did seem determined to be-

GEN. WASHINGTON DENOUNCES

Nashville, Tenn., Mar. 11 .- The at-

endance today at the Cooper-Sharp

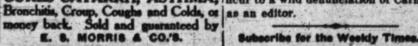
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CARMACK'S EDITORIALS.

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#### WICHITA WEEKLY TIMES, WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS, MARCH 12th, 1909



MANY LIVES CRUSHED OUT IN STORM THAT DESTROYED ARKANSAS TOWN.

### **GOVERNOR** ASKED TO COM

To Scene of Death and Destruction Where Citizens are Helpless From the Shock.

BULLETIN-Memphis, Tenn., Mar. 9. -A dispatch from Brinkley direct says that fifteen white people and more than twenty negroes were killed in last night's cyclone, and that between fifty and one hundred people were more or less seriously injured. As the day of Iowa Park, Texas, and he was laid progressed the relief workers found the bodies of many negroes under the wreckage.

BULLETIN-St. Louis, Mo., Mar. 9. -A special to the Post-Dispatch direct from Brinkley, Arkansas, says that thirty persons were injured, and more than one million dollars in property loss was caused by the cyclone of last night. The city was completely destroyed.

Memphis, Tenn., Mar. 9 .-- Residents by a tornado early last night, are arriving at nearby towns and tell of the catastrophe, in which six white people are known to be dead and probably fifteen injured. The dead are

PORTER FOOTE.

J. L. STERRETT.

HENRY STOVALL.

MRS. PHILLIPS and two unidentified white men.

Brinkley is a town of over 3,000 in habitants, and refugees say that the cent of the residence section was destroyed by the storm.

Relief trains have arrived at Brinkley; but wire communication is interrupted. Reports from Southern and Southeastern Arkansas say a wind storm passed through that section, but damage to property was done

Advices received from Brinkley, Arthe first reports of death and damage from the tornado last night were not overdrawn.

The death list now reaches a total of ten white people and four negroes. Fifteen or twenty persons were more or less seriously injured.

The additional dead are: MRS. BELLE DARDEN.

sketch was born near Nashville, Tenn., February 28th, 1828, died March 4th, 1909, age 81 years and 6 days. He was married to Miss Mary P. Haywood about 57 years ago. There was born to this union 9 children, 6 girls and 3 boys. His wife and 5 children survive him. Margaret, who now lives in Green county Ark., E. N. Budwell, Bettie Baugh, A. A. Budwell and F. J. Budwell all of whom live in Texas. He professed religion and joined the Baptist church about 45 years ago in Tenn. He came to Texas in January,

1890 and settled where he resided at the time of his death. He was highly respected by all who knew him and was one of the best citizess of Archer county and loved by all who knew him. At the time of his death he was a member of the Lake Valley Baptist church and was also Deacon of said church. His funeral was conducted at his residence by Rev. J. W. Morgan, to rest in the Riverside cemetery. A Friend.

More Brick Buildings at Grandfield

Grandfield Enterprise. In last week's issue we spoke of more brick buildings that were about settled upon. We are now glad to announce that two have been settled upon for a certainty, while three more will without doubt be made known to the public within the following week. The Tillman County Bank will have

a two-story brick erected immediatev. Brick is now being hauled upon the ground. They are only awaiting of Brinkley, Ark, which was devasted blue prints to be received from the Jackson is now in Oklahoma press. City. Dr. M. F. Patterson will erect either a one-story or two-story brick building upon his lot just east of the Tillman County.Bank. The arrival of the

blue prints will determine whether it will be a one-story affair. Work will be begun on both and they

will be hurried along as rapidly as possible The Citizens State Bank, also Par-

ker, McConnell & Co., are working out their plans for bricks. It seems settled that they will build brick buildings entire business section and eighty per of large proportions, the only point in issue being the exact location of the sites.

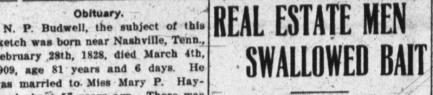
> Notice to Creditors. The State of Texas;

County of Wichita. To the Creditors of V. G. Skeen:

9th day of February A. D. 1909, executed a deed of assignment, conveying to the undersigned all of his property kansas, at 11 o'clock today show that for the benefit of such of his creditors as will consent to accept their proportional share of his estate and discharge him from their respective claims, and

that the undersigned accepted said trust, and has duly qualified as required by law.

All creditors consenting to said as signment must, within four months after the publication of this notice, make



MARILLO BROKERS FIND "JOHN ALLEN" NOT A LAND MAN.



Stranger Set Panhandle Real Estate Circles Abuzz With Activity.

Amarillo, Tex., Mar. 8 .- ' 'I am John Allen of California, and I want to possess title of fifty sections of land in. the Panhandle of Texas," was the statement of a man who drifted into the office of a prominent real estate firm in Amarillo Saturday.

"I have already bought thirty sections, but I want twenty more. What is more, I want to pay cash, for I have had some experience with this 6 per cent business and it eats into a fellow pretty hard."

This kind of talk, backed by the assurance that the title to the thirty sections of land and various letters of introduction and other instruments of credit in his grip could be furnished, set the nerves of the realty dealers go-There was something doing in ing. less than no time, and real estate plats

and maps showing property in Potter and various other counties soon flut. tered and fell at the feet of the suddenly discovered Monte Cristo, with explanations and illustrations by the arm. load, all free and for less than the asking.

This state of affairs might have coninued indefinitely, but for the fact that the mysterious would-be purchaser incidentally let slip the fact that he had done some banking with a Clarendon institution. Burning with anxiety to test the real worth of the find in the person of their prospective purchaser one of the real estate men slipped away and sent a hasty message to the Clarendon banker. The answer that came back changed the trend of thought in the mind of the real estate men, and after some further negotiations, but along another line, they came You are hereby notified that V. G. to the conclusion that it was not a land no one has been reported killed. Much Skeen of the county of Wichita, on the man, but a man who could "land" that was needed. An officer was quiet ly called and in a short time the stranger was in the terrible hands of the law, and now languishes in the county bastile awaiting an opportunity to prove his identity as the bloated capitalist which he seemed to represent

> himself to be. It has developed that the stranger deposited a draft in the Clarendon known to the assignee their consent in bank for \$7,000, and had generously writing, and within six months from drawn against the certificate of depos-the date of this notice file their claim. it. Clothing and other property had

# Not Only in Style

But in workmanship and materials too do our "Benjamin" Clothes surpass those of other merchants in this city. I They were MADE IN NEW YORK where Style has its origin, where the master tailors of the country work and where the finest woolens of the country are marketed. ¶ Alfred Benjamin & Co. who make our clothes are the leading tailors of New York. Their work is unsurpassable. A "Benjamin" for Spring

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CHARLES FRANZE. MISS CLARA ROSE. MR. HOOD.

MRS. HOOD, an unidentified man and four negroes. .

A mass meeting was held at Brinkley today and a telegram was sent to Governor Donaghey, asking him to come to the scene. The governor left Little Rock at once.

The report that a passenger train on the Cotton Belt was blown from the track near Baucum is denied. The train is safe.

#### NOTABLE ABSENCE OF DOGS FROM THE STREETS.

#### From Tuesday's Daily.

The canines which have been wont to trot about the streets in great numbers in all degrees-not pedigrees-of mongrelism, were notable on account of their absence this morning, due to the order of the council, published yesterday, to the effect that all unmuzzled dogs running at large would be killed without any questions being asked as to their ownership.

It had been thought that many of the dogs roaming the streets were ownerless, but it now appears that this was an erroneous impression and that no dog was so worthless but that somebody cared enough for it to keep it off the streets.

The dealers who had on hand a stock of dog muzzles are reaping a harvest. Orleans, a victim of strychnine poisand there seems to be a disposition on oning. His body was found in bed at the part of the citizens generally to a hotel. He left a note saying that he comply with the order of the council. intended to end his life and saying

MINERAL WELLS WANTS NEXT WOODMEN CONVENTION.

Houston, Tex., Mar. 9 .- Over three thousand Woodmen are here today for the convention of the district composed of Texas, Arizona and New Mexico." The opening formalities were held this morning at the auditorium. Beaumont and Mineral-Wells are active candidates for the next assembly.

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prescribed by law, with the undersigned, who resides at Wichita Falls, Texas, which is also his post office address Witness my hand this the 10th day

of February, A. D. 1909. E. H. INGRAM w-9-4t

Allendale News Notes.

Allendale, Tex., Mar. 8 .- Rev. O. J. larmonson, the Baptist minister, preached last night to a crowded house. Having resigned on account of bad health, it was his last time here.

ministration and regrets very much half-pint bottles. having to give him up: He will go to Southwest Texas for his health.

Mr. Will Allen of the Falls came out and spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Allen. Mrs. R. V. Gwinn and children of the Falls are visiting Mrs. Gwinn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Allen. Miss Ida Gwinn, who has been attending the Baptist college at Decatur

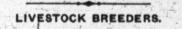
account of ill health.

#### DIDN'T WANT ANYBODY TO

BOTHER ABOUT BURYING HIM

Galveston, Tex., Mar. 9.-Telegraphic advices were received here today that a man believed to be Charles Vandervert of this city was found dead in New that he didn't want anybody to bother

about burying him. He was 45 years of age.



The Times Publishing Company has received from the engravers a number of choice jack and stallion cuts, and is prepared to turn out bills of any size and quantity on short notice. Breed-

their orders LOGAN APPOINTED BANK EXAMINER AT LARGE.

Washington, D. C., Mar. 6 .- Comptroller of the Currency Murray has appointed J. M. Logan one of the national bank examiners in Texas, as bank examiner at large for the State. The comptroller has decided to appoint four such examiners.

Farm Loans Call on Anderson & Patterson, 618 Eighth street. 12-2tc

been purchased by means of this paper now believed to be valueless. The Clarendon institution is joining with Amarillo parties in efforts to sift the matter to the bottom.

#### PRANG'S SALOON ROBBED.

As a Result Several Negroes are Now Under Arrest for Bootlegging. Saturday night some party or parties entered the back door of John Prang's saloon, located in the Mulberry Row district, and supplied themselves with The church has prospered under his a good lot of whiskey in quart, pint and As a result of this robbery Num

Shepherd, Claud McFry, Noa Bennett, and Sarah Garner are now under arrest and warrants have been issued for a half dozen or more other negroes on the charge of "bootlegging" whiskey. In the case of Sarah Garner, the negress, several bottles of whiskey were found secreted on her premises. and the presumption is that these bottles of whiskey are a part of the stolen goods from Prang's saloon

These arrests were made early yes returned home last week, being com- terday morning, and before night the pelled to give up her school work on other negroes charged with bootlegging will be arrested, and if possible evidence secured from some one or more of them that will lead to the arrest and conviction of the parties who robbed the Prang saloon.

For Sale.

Registered Poland China pigs and gilts. Pedigrees free. No better breeding. Second sire Corrector, Second World's Fair champion. R. H. SUTER, Owner. w 3m

Death of Mrs. Kiel. From Monday's Dafly.

Mrs. Kiel, wife of Mr. Louis H. Kiel, died at her home 4 miles east of the city last night of cancer of the stomach. At this time it is not known at what hour the funeral will take place, except that interement will be at Riverside cemetery at some hour tomorrow morning.

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nan do to housework. Address H ers should see our cuts before placing Willis, Route 4, Wichita Falls. 12-1tp

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Among the many attractive things for women in our dry goods department there are a few that deserve special mention this week.

1st. READY-TO-WEAR LINGERIE. In that line we have the newest and swellest of the Pinks, Lavenders, Whites and Blues. The materials are rich and excellent values, while the styles and workmanship are the best that can be produced for the price. In fact, you will get more for your money at our store this week in Lingerie than you can anywhere else in town.

2nd. MESSALINE EMPIRE GOWNS are on the way now and will arrive soon and be ready for your inspection-wait for them.

3rd. DRESS AND WAIST PATTERNS. The new Messalines, Foulards and Taffetas are things of beauty. They are put up this season in both dress and waist paterns. The designs and coloring are such as to make them becoming to all complexions and figures. The price fits all pocketbooks. You can't afford not to have a pattern now. Call and see them:

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city.

#### the employes of the Wichita Falls post office have been working for over a year was cleared away Saturday night, when Joe Wigham, one of the clerks, and one of the popular young men of the town, made a written confession to Postal Inspectors Charles G. Kinzel and A. J. Bennett, admitting that he had rifled many letters containing money and other things of value and die.

that he had been doing this for the past twelve months or more. Young Wigham was placed under arrest and was later released under bond for his appearance before the Federal commissioner at Dallas today, where the rederal court is now in session. It is probable that he will ask for an immediate trial.

Owing to the fact that both of the nspectors connected with the arrest of young Wigham are well known to the employes of the local postoffice, the utmost caution and secrecy was necssary and the detection and arrest of Wigham is regarded as an exceptionally clever piece of work.

Following complaint that letters and packages mailed at this postoffice containing money and articles of value were being rifled and their contents missing in whole or in part when they reached their destination or that all trace of them was lost after they were mailed here, Inspectors Kinzell and also the general pasenger department for by one-half of the product turned Bennett reached this city on Wednesday of last week and unknown to any of the employes the office was kept under close surveillance day and night by the inspectors who were on watch alternately and who viewed the interfor of the postoffice through a knot hole in the wall of a small room where they were screted.

They worked several days without any tangible results, but on Saturday Inspector Kinzell saw young Wigham unseal and rifle no less than thirty letters. On Saturday evening several decoy letters containing marked bills were mailed by the detectives, who saw the money extracted by Wigham

Following this the inspectors laid the results of their investigations before Postmaster Bacon and Wigham was called in and searched and not only the decoy letters, but thirteen others that had been taken from the mails were found in his possesion. Later the young man made a complete confession and has since restored, so far as he could, articles and money taken

from letters and packages. It is said that Wigham had lived berond his means and that in order to meet his obligations fell under the

temptation offered by the mails. Snow From Chilicothe North. Denver freight trains coming in from

snow. Yesterday the railroad men re- Everyone should encourage the work port the ground from Chillicothe north and lend their ald in developing the caused his death. His skull was fracto Texline was covered with three oil prospects in the Electra vicinity.- | tured and a part of the bone driven

duties for a railroad, and who is charged by reputable men with having embezzled

money entrusted to his care: This of Mr. Taft,'' remarked Mr. Roosevelt man, whose name has been bandled o Senator Root. about the States, this man whose dark and devious ways have been uncovered dared send to an honest, upright jourvas splendid.'' nalist a threat that if his name appear ed in the paper again one of them must IOWA PARK FARMERS

neighborhood congregated to hear the

proposition of the Citizens Dairy and

Ice Cream Company of Wichita Falls.

Fifteen farmers have already been

tive interest in everything tending to

develop their section and have given

every encouragement to the creamery

and the farm demonstration work un-

dertaken in part by our Chamber of

On to Plainview.

There is said to be a crew of men

on every five miles of the Stamford

and Northwestern Rallway out of

Stamford, and that new crews are be-

ing added as rapidly as they can be

secured. It is expected that this line

will be extended to Plainview, cross-

a vast territory that is now entirely

finest agricultural areas. in Central

Graham, Tex., Mar. 6 .- Luther

Brown, aged 34 years, a farmer, was

kicked in the head by a cow this

morning, receiving an injury which

KILLED BY COW'S KICK.

YOUNG COUNTY FARMER

Commerce.

West Texas.

into his brain.

REARRANGE OFFICES.

Denver to Get Additional Floor in Fort farmers in the Iowa Park district along Worth National Bank Building.

An enlargement and rearrangement of the general offices of the Ft. Worth Park Commercial Club, where over fifand Denver City will begin at once. Three floors of the Fort Worth National Bank building will be occupied instead of only portions of two. The general passenger department will be Manager Burnett and Secretary Gohlke moved from the Moore building, cor- attended the meeting. ner of Tenth and Main streets.

enlisted in sending their product to a The auditor's ofree and the freight local station to be established by the claim department will use the entire seventh floor of the Fort Worth Na- citizens of Iowa Park, attendant to be furnished by the creamery here. Dairy tional building. General Freight Agent W. F. Sterley and his department will cattle will be placed with a number be located on the fourth floor, where without cash payment, same to be paid into the creamery will be installed. The commercial club is taking an ac-

The office of General Superintendent George F. Cotter will be moved to the sixth floor. Oliver Colston will use the room now reserved for the directors. The general freight agent's office will be turned into a directors' room and an additional room beyond it will be built for Mr. Cotter.-

Under the new arrangement, work on which will begin next week, the general offices will all be in the same building .- Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

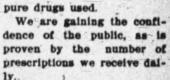
Location for Oil Well at Electra. From Saturday's Dafly.

Sanders Walker drove the stake locating the spot where the oilwell will ing the counties of Stonewall, Dickens, Crosby, Floyd and Hale, splitting be drilled and it was christened "Walker No. 1." devoid of railway facilities and tra-

This location is about 1,000 feet south of the old oll well and in the versing a section that is one of the Waggoner pasture where we understand this company control a lease of about 6,000 acres.

The drilling rig is still on the car, but we understand will be unloaded as soon as the derrick is completed. We hope to have more information to pub-

All prescriptions carefully "My, that was an inaugural address compounded; nothing but "Yes," responded Mr. Root, "It 17. INTERESTED IN DAIRYING. Hearty co-operation on the part of dairying lines was pledged last evening at a general meeting of the Iowa ty of the members and farmers of the



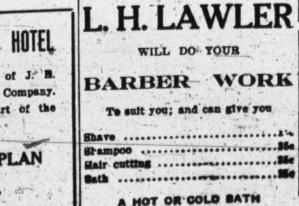
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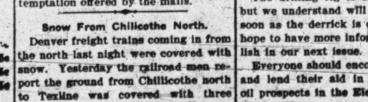


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#### WICHITA WEEKLY TIMES, WICHIT A FALLS, TEXAS, MARCH 12th,

### Personal Mention.

From Friday's Daily. George Byers, from Byers, Texas, was here today on business. J. R. Evans, a business man from Burkburnett, was in the city today. Mrs. S. E. Durden left this afternoon

for Oria, Texas, to visit relatives. Mrs. R. Morgan of Burkburnett was ng the local visitors in the city to-

M. J. Talbott of Petrolia was here today meeting friends and transacting

A. R. Duke returned last night from St. Louis and New York, where he had been to purchase stock.

Mrs. R. V. Gwinn and children today went out to Allendale to spend a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Aller

The friends of T. J. Boyd will regret to learn that he is quite sick with the grippe at his home, 1514 Eleventh street

James A. Freeman of Grandfield, Oklahoma, was in the city today en route to Bonham on a visit to relatives and friends.

Dr. Coons returned last night from Archer City, where he had been to see Mr. F. M. Power, who is quite sick with blood poison.

Mr. I. Ryder of Kansas City, Mo., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Barth, 1007 Lamar avenue. Mr. Ryder is the father of Mrs. Barth.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucian Frith and little daughter from San Angelo, arrived in the city today on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McGlasson.

Mrs. P. H. Pennington and little daughter, Miss Louise, who have been visiting at Dalhart, arrived home today and are stopping at the Argyle.

E. B. McHam returned this afternoon lows at the meeting of the State Grand this city. Lodge.

Mrs. W. H. Ramsey and little daughvisiting her brother, J. H. Burnett of of Rebekahs. this city, left this morning for Houston, where they will visit relatives on their return home.

Messrs. W. A. Thornton, J. R. Glasscock and R. H. Yowell, prominent citizens from Lebanon, Kentucky, who have been in the city the guests of iting Mrs. P. S. Tullis and other friends Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Thornton, left this returned home this afternoon. afternoon on a prospecting trip to Amarillo.

#### From Saturday's Daily.

W. H. Taylor, a business man from Holliday, was in the city today.

E. J. Mercer of Oklahoma City was transacting business here today.

J. B. Evans, from near Burkburnett, was transacting business here today. C. C. Holden of Grandfield, Oklahoma, was in the city today on business. J. C. Adams, editor of the Petrolia Round-Up, was in the city today on business.

the J. S. Mayfield string of lumber yards, who has been here for the past three or four days, left this afternoon for Vernon to look after the company's interests at that place. Mr. Mayfield's headquarters are at Dallas, but he formerly resided with his parents in this city, and he is well pleased at the rapid growth of Wichita Falls, which, in his opinion, is the best town in Texas, and is attracting more attention from men of capital than any other town in the State.

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Mrs. Andrew Wyllie, who has been visiting relatives in Shreveport, Louisiana, returned this afternoon.

Henry Dodge and family of Roswell, New Mexico, are in the city visiting his mother, Mrs. Susan Dodge.

Mrs. S. A. Patterson of Petrolia was in the city today with her little son

to be treated for blood poison. F. M. Power Sr. is seriously ill at from Galveston, where he had been to his home in Archer City. Mr. Power is represent the local lodge of Odd Fel- the father of Mrs. A. S. Fonville of

Mrs. W. P. Brooks has returned from Galveston, where she had been to atter of Sedalia, Missouri, who have been tend the State assembly of the order

> Piner Avis will leave tonight for Hot Springs, Arkansas, for a visit with his father, J. D. Avis, who is there for the

> benefit of his health. Mrs. E. M. Newton and children of Vernon, who have been in the city vis-

Rev. A. J. Bush and family are now

neatly housed in Judge Carrigan's new house, 1006 Austin avenue, where they will be glad to greet their friends. Judge Robert Kerr and wife of Colo-

rado Springs, who have been visiting relatives and frineds in Archer CRy, passed through the city today en route

home. T. M. Perot of Philadelphia, Pa., is in the city looking after his real estate interests here. Mr. Perot is very favorably impressed with the growth

of this city. A. J. Bush left today for Childress to and Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

rustworthy citizens, was here today Bank left this afternoon for Vernon to

visiting Mrs. D. R. Montgomery of Fort Worth, returned home this afternoon. Mrs. A. D. Magner of Fort Worth who has been visiting her father, Mr. J. T. A. Fleming, and family, returned

Mrs. H. B. Landrum of Petrolia, who has been visiting relatives in San Antonio was in the city today en route home

ietta Milling Company, who has been visting his wife in this city, returned to Henrietta this morning.

Tennesse, who is prospecting in Texas for a business location, was in town today and is much pleased with this city.

Mrs. Wylie left this morning to vis-

Mrs. J. M. Bland left this afternoon to visit friends at Byers.

Joe Kierst, a prosperous farmer from near Iowa Park, was here today on business.

David Rodgers, postmaster at Jolly, was here today looking after business matters.

Waldron, Arkansas.

E. M. Lasker, vice president of the National Coffee Company of Ft. Worth was in the city today on business.

& Orlopp, architects, left this afternoon on a business trip to Grandfield, Oklahoma.

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KAHN THE CLOTHIER

Dr. R. L. Miller and wife left this their son, Stewart Miller, of Amarillo, today. were in the city today on their return norning for Fort Worth.

W. E. McKain, a business man of from a business and pleasure visit to Corpus Christi. Newcastle, was in the city today. Sheriff W. S. Britton of Knox county was in the city today on business.

city today. Mrs. L. Furlman came up from Austin last night to look after some busi- zen of Grandfield, Oklahoma, is here

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J. E. Ledbetter, president of the

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n Vernon. W. W. Coleman is transacting business in Henrietta today. J. H. McReynolds, Petrolia's liveryman, was here on business today. Dr. C. C. Pratt and J. H. Rayborn of Dundee were transacting business in he city today. Miss Ethel Cobb left this afternoon for Amarillo to visit her sister, Mrs. A. 3. Stinnett. Messrs. M. Dodson and J. G. Hardin of Burkburnett, were transacting business here today

Judge J. H. Barwise of Hartley, who has been visiting relatives in this city, returned home today.

Mrs. Evan Jones is visiting with relatives at Weatherford. She will be absent about one month. Sanford Wilson, one of Archer City's

ttending to business matters. William Huff of the First National

attend the Merchison-Kell reception. Miss Addie Woodhouse, who has been

home today

C. A. Robecca, manager for the Hen-

M. S. McDougal of Lawrenceburg,

From Tuesday's Daily.

t friends in Dalals.

Mrs. J. M. Davis has returned from her visit with relatives and friends at

Evan Jones Jr. of the firm of Jones

Abe Marcus has returned from visit to St. Louis with his sister. He also made a business trip to Chicago

From Monday's Daily Miss Sadle Kell is visiting relatives STRIKE A GOOD CIGAR

