SPECIAL TRAIN WILL BE RUN FROM FREDERICK, OKLA., TO OLNEY.

FAVES HERE AT 8:15 A.M

Big Auction Sale of Town Lots in Metropolis of the Young County Coal Fields.

Schedule of Special Train. Leaves Frederick 5:30 a. m. Arrives Wichita Farls 8:15 a. m. rives Olney 11:15 a. m.

The train will leave the Katy depot perity." bout 8 o'clock tomorrow morning the auction of lots at Olney will started until the train reaches

On the return trip the train will eave Olney in time to reach Wichita Special to the Times. alls before supper

This lot sale has been extensively dvertised and prospective purchasers

Many people from this city are planing to visit Olney tomorrow and to hose who have never visited that secion, the richness of the soil and the vidences of prosperity and developent will be a revelation.

Ofney, situated in the midst of a plendid agricultural country, with im-mense deposits of coal, the mining of which has now begun, lying almost at the very edge of the town, and a new railroad already in operation, and many other advantages, is regarded as me of the most promising new towns West Texas and tomorrow will be big day in the history of the town.

The sale will be conducted by the nway-Henry Company of Okłahoma ity, who have conducted successful in some of the best towns in this ction of the country., In the towns conmany has conducted sales the have since doubled and trebled in pictures. the and it is believed that none of Christ to Save Men, have a better future or present ther, for that matter, than Oiney,

SHAW URGED TO RUN FOR GOVENOR

special to the Times

A SECRECION OF THE PROPERTY OF

Dallas, Tex., May 11 .- A report was rilated nere today that a number of night. xas business men and farmers are sing to induce N. A. Shaw of Bowie 10 make the race for governor er against Gov. Campbell. His has declare that Shaw is inclined to de and a definite announcement will run is expected in a few

TO FIGHT PROHIBITION.

iquor Men Enlist Support of Business

Men in Fight. The Times has received a copy of a nmunication in which the North exas Business Men's Democratic An-StateProhibition Committee requests ohn L. Wortham to assume the manment of a campaign against the evenient for State, prohibition and a copy of Mr. Wortham's letter of plance, inclosed with the follows sold at \$5.00.

To the Democracy of Texas: We ve that the laws of Texas regu- \$5.30@\$5.47. ng the liquor traific form a basis the most enlightened system of corting the evils of the traffic yet ded, and that in their eventual perion will be tound the best and most sfactory solution of this vexatious

We declare our approval of the looption system, because it guaranto the county and the subdivisions the county the right of local selffernment; and our approval of the ncipal of the Baskin-McGregor regun law, because in its enforcement rderly regulation of the liquor is guaranteed to the law-abiding amunity where local option does not vall, and where it is not desired by majority of the qualified voters; te prohibition election or the subon of a constitutional amendment

Because it will but revive a con ery dangerous to the peace and iness welfare of the State, and ich was decided by a vote of our in 1887, which vote established hat of local option. that of local option.

inder a system of regulation of the went lower today.

liquor traffic, of which the Baskin-Mc Gregor law is a part, has demonstrated alone that the traffic can be conrolled and regulated, but that a regulated traffic is infinitely preferable to a surreptitious traffic.

Because it is desirable at this time, when the State is struggling against conditions that have suspended its commercial and industrial activities and has filled the stoutest optimist the happy and prosperous period that was so parshly determined. was so harshly interrupted by the recent panic, and it seems to us to be the patriotic duty of every thoughtful citizen to turn his back upon any agitation or controversy that, in the very nature of things, must plunge the State into a turmoil as fierce as any inter necine quarrel that has ever threaten ed the peace of the State, or that tends to array county against county, community against community, citizen against citizen or neighbor against neighbor.

Arrangements have been made by and give us their aggressive and unrehich a special train will be run over mitting support in protest against this ferent individuals and a good start the development of South America:

Wichita Falls and Southern to Ol- movement that will embroil the State was made. to accommodate the in a flerce controversy that will deowd going down to take part in the stroy its tranquility and will delay indefinitely the return of peace and pros-

NEGRESS'51 YEARS OLD CHILDREN NUMBER 25

May 11 census, found a negro woman who is re already arriving here to attend the 51 years old and has a family of twenty-five children.

well attended, some 300 men and boys being present and one made a public profession. A deep interest was man-

The sermon on the "Fight of the Faith" was treated in the peculiarly practical manner which characterizes Rev. Bush's sermon.

The speaker then made the point that compansionship and associations make or mar men more than anything When these are hurtful they else. should be cut off at any cost. The audience last night was large,

filling the rink to its capacity and a deep interest was manifest.

The song, "The Holy City," was ren

dered with good effect by Brother Ridthis part of the country in which enour, and was illustrated by twelve

The sermon on "The Mission of in a clear and forceful manner.

Three responded to the message, making fourteen who have thus far made professions. We are hoping for a great meeting. Come and help us realize this.

Sermon at 8 p. m. each day this week. Don's fail to hear the afternoon sermons then you will want to attend the night services. I do not think I have seen more unsayed men at a service since I have been in Wichita Falls, than were at the meeting last

praying and hoping that many of these may be saved this week.

Let there be an united effort on the part of all the children of God to this

A. J. BUSH, Pastor.

TODAY'S MARKETS.

cattle receipts today were 11,000 head, breaking all records in this market.

Beef Steers-Receipts, 6,000 head, mostly from South Texas. Quality me-Market slow and dium to choice. wer. Tops sold at \$6.50.
Butcher Cows—Receipts, 1,600. Qual-

ity choice. Market slow and lower at \$2.50@\$4.00. Calves-Receipts, 1,100. Quality medium. Market active and steady. Tops

Hogs Receipts 3,000. Quality was the phere choice. Market active and steady at

Chicago	Grain !	Market.	
Wheat-	Open	High	Close
day	1051/2	1051/2	101
uly		921/8	90%
September		87%	8634
Corn-			21
day	731/2	731/2	71 1/8
uly	643/8	64%	63 %
September	62%	62%	621/2
Oats-			
May	. 55%	55%	55
uly mis men	4756	47%	47
September	371/2	371/2	371/8
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Kansas Ci	ty Grain		
Wheat-	Open	High	Close
May	96	96	94%
uly	85	. 85	83
September	82	82	80%
Corn-			
May	67%	67%	65%
fuly	6U 1/2	601/2	59 7/8
lentember	5886	58%	5814

May

MONEY TO HELP BUILD NEW OPERA HOUSE IS BEING RAISED.

Large Fund Should Be Secured From Sale of Seats For the Opening Performance.

At the mass meeting at the Chamber of Commerce rooms this morning it each give to and get from the others, was decided to raise a part of the not merely things of material value, \$16,000 necessary to carry out the building of the proposed new opera intellectual and spiritual welfare of us We therefore call upon the demo- house by the sale of seats for the first all. In the century that has passed crats of the State of Texas to join us performance. A number of seats were the development of North America has, subscribed for at the meeting by dif- on the whole, proceeded faster than

was made subscriptions for seats and this com- world will see such extraordinary demittee is now at work and is meet. velopment in wealth, in population, in

ing with substantial encouragement. project would be known at the earliest possible moment.

The citizens of Wichita Falls are great proposition that is for the benefit of the public and the Times predicts that the present case will be no exception which can only come when there is to the rule.

The Christian Revival. The men's meeting at the rink was LAY CORNER STONE OF PEACE TEMPLE a large crowd.

By Associated Press.

Washington, D. C. May 11 -Presimerce, which is to erected as a tangible evidence of the desire of twenty; one American republics that war shall be no more in the western world. Following addresses by President Roosevelt, Secretary Root, Ambassador Nabuce of Brazil and Andrew Carnegie, the cabled sentiment expressing hearty approval of each of the presidents in the twenty republics will be read.

Cardinal Gibbons and Bishop Cranston will pronounce the invocation and benediction on the work that is to be done, and on the United States.

The marine band will furnish music specially prepared for the occasion. The exercises are scheduled to begin shortly after 3 o'clock and will occupy an hour or more.

Superintendent McNew Resigns.

O. McNew, superintendent of the Wichita Falls public schools for the past two years, and who had been reelected and had accepted a third term We were rejoiced at this and I am had the board of trustees called together last Saturday afternoon and tendered his resignation.

His reason for this action was a destre to return to Mineral Wells and destroyed by fire two days ago. The again take charge of the city schools loss was \$200,000. News of the conat that place at a better salary than he flagration was brought by a courier. sire to return to Mineral Wells and at that place at a better salary than he was getting here.

While the school board was loath to release. Mr. McNew from his contract, Special to the Times.

Fort Worth, Texas May 11.—The total would be a considerable loss financially. to him, it accepted his resignation and will elect another superintendent.

The schools of this city have made great progress under the superintendency of Mr. McNew, who was popular with both pupils, teachers and patrons

The President's Address. The President spoke in part as fol-

This is a memorable occasion for all the peoples of the Western Hemis-phere. The building, the cornerstone or which we lay today, emphasizes by its existence the growing sense of solidarity of interest and aspiration among all the peoples of the New World. It marks our recognition of the ed by curious thousands, who trampled need to Knit even closer together all the republics of the Western Hemisphere, through the kindly bonds of mutual justice, good will and sympathetic comprehension.

At the outset, on behalf of all of us I wish to thank Mr. Carnegle for his generous gift—a gift to all the nations of the New World, and therefore preeminently fitting as coming from one who has so sincerely striven for the cause of peace among nations; for while we have yet a long path to tread before we can speak with any certainty of the day when wars shall cease from the earth, we of this Western Hemisphere, by movements such as that symbolized by this building, have taken great strides toward securing

permanent peace among ourselves. In the next place, as president of this republic I greet the representatives of all our sister republics to the south of us. In a sense, you are our Because the experience of Tex- Big decline in wheat; all positions ple, for you represent a more ancient civilization on this continent than we

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do. Your fathers, the Spanish and Portugese explorers, conquerers, lawgivers and commonwealth builders, had founded a flourishing civilization in The tropics and the South Temperate Zone while all America north of the Rio Grande was still unmapped wilder-Your people had founded Ameri ican universities, were building beautiful cities, were laying deep the foun-dations of future national life, at many dicerent points in the vast territory stretching from the Colorado to the Plata, before the ships of the French man and the Englishman, the Swede and the Hollander, had found permanent havens on the North Atlantic seacoast. For centuries our civilizations grew each in its own way, but each sundered from the others. Now we are

growing together. More and more in the future we shall but in the century that has now open-A committee was appointed to solicit ed I believe that no other part of the all that makes for progress, as will be This committee was instructed to seen from the northern boundary of complete its work by tomorrow night, Mexico through all Central and South so that the success or failure of the Aferica; and I can assure you that the people of this nation look with the most profound satisfaction upon the great growth that has already taken not in the habit of laying down on any place in the countries which you represent-a growth alike in political stability and in the material well-being political stability.

Thornberry School Picnic.

The picnic given by the patrons of the Thornberry school at the Thornberry bridge last Saturday was a very enjoyable event and was attended by

In a baseball game between the Thornberry and Frieberg teams, Thorn-Prof. E. P. Haney, principal of the

dent Boosevelt today will lay the corpublic school at Byers, was one of the ner stone of the First International visitors and made a talk that was Temple of Peace, Friendship and Commuch appreciated. Among the other visitors were Miss Daisy Camp of Stoneberg, and Miss Teresa Bentley of Wichita Falls.

Before the picnic was adjourned a resolution was unanimously adopted soliciting Prof. Kemp to take the school for another year

A NEGRO TRAGELY.

Kills Woman at Gainesville and Then Blows Out His Own Brains.

By Associated Fress.

Gainesville, Tex., May 11.—Charles
Hopkins, colored, shot and killed Maud Brewer, also colored, today and then took his own life. He placed the muzzle of the revolver in his mouth, pulled the trigger and blew out his own

CAMP CROOK DESTROYED.

South Dakota Town Wiped Out By
Fire Two Days Ago:
the Associated Press.

Deadwood, S. D. May 11.-Camp rook, a town of 400 population on the Liftle Missouri river north of here, was The flames swept from one end to the the other of the village and only a few buildings were left standing.

FORGING LINKS IN THE EVIDENCE

By Associated Press.

La Porte, ind., May 11.—The picking up of shreds of evidence which are redied upon to connect Ray Lamphere with the death of Mrs. Guiness and three children and perhaps the fate of Andrew Helgelein will be the main object of the authorities today. It is not fully determined whether there will be further excavations for bodies today. Yesterday the Giness farm was visit-

over the ruins of the burned house gaped at open graves in the Guiness yard and struggled to tear down the doors of the barn, where the disarticu-

lated remains lie. Several of the out-of-town visitors were seeding information concerning missing friends or relatives and some further information regarding the pos sible identity of the unknown victims of the farm resulted from their inquirles.

The m from Olaf Lindboe of 610 LaSalle avenue, Chicago. He said that his brother, Thomas, worked for Mrs. Quiness three years ago, and that the last letter which he had from him contained ter which he had from him contained information that Thomas intended to marry his employer. Olaf wrote to the woman a little later, and she replied that Thomas Lindboe had gone to St. Louis, and that she had had no word from him. Olaf Lindboe viewed the unidentified corpses, but was unable to find any likeness to his brother in the decaying buildes of bones and flesh.

SEVERAL SMALL TOWNS OVER IN NORTHWESTERN OKLAHO-MA WIPED OUT.

SEVERAL PERSONS DEAD

Only Meager Details Have Been Learned of the Storm Damage About Woodward, Oklahoma.

8y Associated Press.

Woodward, OR., May 11 .- A succession of tornadoes swept over the district lying to the southwest, south and southeast of this city late yesterday alternoon and last night.

Seven towns are reported to have suffered damage of more or less ex-They are Grand, Arnett, Vici, Mutual, Estelle, Cooley and Richmnod. Casualties are reported to have resulted at each of the places named. At Arnett one person was killed and

half a dozen fnjured, one fatally. At Vici a physician named Hauser was fatally injured.

At Mutual Arthur Sibel and wife and everal others were seriously injured. Grand, the county seat of Ellis county, is said to have been badly wrecked. The towns of Estelle, Cooley and

Richmond are also reported to have been devastated by the storm. All of the places named are twenty five miles distant from any railroad. The wires are down and it is difficult

to obtain details of the damage and loss of life. The villages where the damage is reported are all small places. So far as can be learned the tornado traveled

across four counties and covered a dis-

tance of seventy-five miles. Destructive Storm Near Tulsa. Tulsa, Ok., May 11.—A terrific wind storm passed over northeastern Oklahoma last night. Several houses were unroofed and many small buildings

were blown from their foundations. Orchards in the surrounding country were practically devastated. No casualties have been reported.

Family Narrowly Escaped Death.

Special to the Times.

Gainesville, Tex., May 11.—A heavy wind visited this section this morning accompanied by a heavy rain. wind blew down the residence of Tom Nance and the family narrowly escap

Other Towns Hit By Tornado.

By Associated Press
Woodward, Ok., May 11.—At Little
Robe, southwest of here, a Mrs. Hale was killed. The little town of Cestos in Dyer county is reported to have been wiped off the map. No details from there are obtainable.

ADMIRAL EVANS GIVEN AN OVATION

By Associated Press.

Reno, Nev., May 11 -- While Admiral Evans car waited at the Southern Pacific depot here yesterday, more than two thousand Reno people stood on the platform and cheered the veteran. He acknowledged the greeting by raising the curtain of the car window and bowing his thanks.

Sy Associated Press

Salt Lake City, Utab, May 11.—A party of officials in a special car will leave here today to greet Admiral Evans during his stay in Ogden and present him with a memorial. The delegation includes acting Governor Tingey and a number of Federal officials.

PREPARE FOR CONVENTION.

Vanguard for Big Republican Gathering Reaches Chicago. By Associated Press.

Chicago, Ill., May 11.-Active prep arations (for holding the republican national convention commenced today when Chairman New opened headquart ters. Elmer Dover, secretary of the sational committee, and Bergeant at Arms Stone of the convention, have also arrived.

There are 25 Business Houses Already moving into the townsite of Oiney Texas. The whole country is affame with interest in the Jown. Oiney will be the grand center of business between Wichits Falls and Cisco, Auction sale of town lots on Tuesday, May 12th.

A Rare Opportunity to Buy Valuable town lots in Olney, 'sexas, at your own price, Tuesday, May 12th, at auction. These lots will double in valne in eogdays 20834 7 308-35

ophone 333. The Wichita Falls Laund Company.

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Editor of the Times:

After reading the article in Friday's Times entitled "What Present Day ethodism is Expecting of the Young Person," and knowing how that this same article has put the church in a false light in other communities, being the official representative of this great body in this city, I feel it my duty to give to the public the real attitude of the church in this question.

There is not enough sentiment in either the laity or the ministry of the church against section 248 of the discipline to attract even the attention of he church press. While one of the New York conferences took some acion recommending the rewording of the section, they never had the remotest idea of taking away any of its Last Wednesday our general conference met for a three weeks session in the city of Baltimore. While the delegates are assembling there from every quarter of the globe in what is the mightiest law-making body on the face of the earth, being composed of duly elected delegates from every State and Nation in the world, there will not be a single man or wo-man there that will raise a hand against this section.

The question of worldly amusements was forever settled when this section of the discipline was drafted at the suggestion of John Wesley at the organization of the Methodist Episcopal church in 1784, based, as every other part of the discipline is, on the Holy Scripture. At the last general con-ference held in Los Angeles four years ago, one party was foolhardy enough to suggest the "letting down of the bars" against theatres, dancnig and card playing; and immediately our great hosts of young people from all over the world poured such a flood of cablegrams, messages and petitions upon the conference that the morely might know the question should be reversed to read as ionows. Young People Demand (not expect) of

Thank God, there is a mighty host of young people coming up from every Methodist Episcopalian home from every clime, reared around the family altar, schooled in the sacred principles of the primitive Christian church, the holy scripture and the faith of the fathers, that have had the courage of their convictions to refuse to do or say anything that cannot be said or done

Methodism.

in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ. The church was called into being to spread Scriptural holiness throughout the earth, and every Christian knows that the Holy Ghost cannot dwell in the heart of a person that wastes their time and abuses their physical being with liquor, cards, theatres, dancing or any other diversion that is out of har-mony with those Christian activities that stand for the development of the Highest Testament Standard of Ex-

We do not desire to deprive our (Continued on Page 9.)

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New Railroads Through West Texas. St. Louis, Mo., May 11.—A special dispatch to the Globe-Democrat from

Austin says: It has developed as a result of the visit to Texas of Gen. G. M. Dodge of New York, chairman of the executive board of the Colorado and Southern milroad, that the Yoakum-Hawley interests which control that property, have in contemplation the building of new north and south line in this State, which is to serve as a feeder for the main line between Fort Worth and This road is to be an extension of the Colorado and Southern anch line which now runs south from Wichita Falls to Abilene, Texas, a disfince of about 150 miles. It has been ceided by B. F. Yoakum and assorates that the line will be extended south from Abilene to Uvalde, where conection will be made with the South-Pacific. From Uvalde the new line ill run southeast to a conectidon with St. Louis, Brownsville and Mexico Sam Fordyce. The distance been Abilene and Uvalde is about 200 and between Uvalde and Sam of proposed line of about 425 miles, ich is to be built as soon as the He was at the head of the

Col. Dodge is a veteran railroad construction forces which built the Texas and Pacific, the International and Great Northern and the Colorado and Southern through Texas. He has been in the State for some time, making a careful investigation of the territory and probable traffic that will be afforded the proposed line. He visited I valde, where the new nne will cross the Southern Pacific, and obtained valnable data bearing on the project. The routement the proposed line runs 150 miles west of any existing north and south railroad in Texas. It will traverse a territory that is rapidly setthing up with farmers and which is now entirely lacking in railroad transportation facilities.

It has been frequently stated by Mr. Yoakum that that portion of western Texas through which this new line is to run is the most inviting field for railroad building that exists today in the United States. col. Dodge fully agrees with him in this opinion.

subscribe for the Times!

Nine Cases on the Docket.

The corporation court is grinding out a heavy business today. This morning there were nine cases on the docket for a hearing today. Four of these were negro vagrants, one a Mexdean for public intoxication, two neguage, another negro for assault upon his wife and the other a white man charged with a misdemeanor.

Hail and Rain Last Night. A hail and rainstorm swept over Wichita Falls last night. The hall was only of a few moments duration. The rain that followed was not heavy and will be of some benefit to the newly planted corn and cotton

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Big Profits are Made.

By purchasing real estate at first prices and selling at an advance that comes inevitably in new town in a rich Olney, Texas, offers right now, this very day, an opportunity of a fortune. Lots will be sold at auction on Tuesday, May 12th.

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B. D. Donnell.........City Editor Wichita Falls, Texas, May 11th, 1908

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For County Judge M. F. YEAGER,

For Sheriff and Tax Coffector: A. M. DAVIS. 1 W. WALKUP

For District and County Clerk W. A. REID. For County Treasurer:

TOM W. MCHAM. For County Tax Assessor: W. J. BULLOCK.

J. P. JONES. For Constable, Precinct No. 1: PETE RANDOLPH.

For County Attorney: T. B. GREENWOOD.

LET US NAVIGATE RED RIVER.

A convention of serious importance is to be held at Shreveport, La., on June 19 and 20, denominated the Congressional Red River Improvement Association. A circular announcing the convention states the following as the objects of the association:

(I). To restore navigation to Red river; (2) to improve and develop the river, its valleys and tributary territory from mouth to source; (3) to study the various problems involved in the improvement and navigation of the siver and the reclamation and cultivation of its valley; (4) to secure the construction of permanent levees and the protection of its banks; (5) to secure the enactment of a comprehensive engineering project under which appropriations may be effectively expended for the permanent benefit of the stream; (6) to organize the people of the entire Red river valley in behalf of these purposes; (7), to secure adequate appropriations from the Federal government and all other possible sources; (8) to see that appropriations are expended in the most effective and economical manner; (9) to securee the locatoin of a Federal engineering office at some convenient point on the river in order that the government engineers may give an the government work thereon constant personal supervision. and the assignment of the river to a separate engineering district; (10) to do all other things necessary a make Red river what nature intended it to be, the fundamental trunk waterway of the Southwest, to the end that transportation rates may be reduced to a minimum and one of the richest sec tions of the earth brought into easy and profitable intercourse with the markets of the world."

Since the Federal government has taken up the Trinity river, a very small stream compared with the Red river, consistency would dictate that also improve the Red. And since the project of road improvement, the peo-ple of the Southwest are out of it if they do not secure development of their waterways at Federal expense. This organization proposes navigation Red river from its mouth to its source-a non-partisan work in which the people of four State sare interest

That there will be an effort made to to prohibition is a settled fact, but it will fail and should. The regulation of the liquor traffic is a moral, and not a political question, and is one that every elizen should be entitled to a vote on. Next year in all probability the same desistance will submit to a rate of the people an amendment to he State constitution prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors, and that will be the proper way to settle the Many who voted against local option did so for the reason that the county adjoining licensed the sale of figuor, and therefore argued that it

would be doing their own town and county an injustice by driving trade away from it. State prohibition will do away with that argument, and if those who voted against local option for reasons set out above are consistent they will vote for State prohibition when the time comes or resort to an entirely different argument by saying that one county or section of the State should not be permitted to govern the will or public sentiment of another county or section of the State. If the movement to submit an amendment for State prohibition of the liquor traf-fic is submitted next year, there is good reason to believe that it will carry a large majority.

The county commissioners are in session at the court house. The reports of the county tax collector and of the county treasurer are being examined and audited.

"Grape Freeze," 5c, at Ralph Dar

The Imperial barber shop and bath rooms are still improving. just installed one ceiling fan and two buzz fans for the comfort of the bath room pairons. We will try at all times to give you the best and show our hearty appreciation of your frade, 3:0-3t T. M. SIMS, 712 Indiana ave.

Undertaker David R. Anderson, digging in his garden near Tom's River N. J., unearthed two large hams.

A Candy Walking Stick.

The Times acknowledges with the compliments of the Crescent Candy Company receipt of a beautiful candy

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WANTED-The Times wants 100, ladies in Wichita Falls to call the paper up over the phone and each give us an item of news. Our number 167-Will you do it?

DOGS-Some more of those yellow Lewellyn setter pups for sale. \$10 for males; \$5.00 for females. Anybody can tell you about them. C. Dean, R. F. D. No. 2, Wichita Falls.

FOR SALE-The Darnell home, corner Austin and 16th streets. Eight rooms, sidewalk and curbing around place, electric lights, etc.: A bargain. See Ralph Darnell for partculars, 210-tf

Carroll, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Taylor, died in this city vesterday morning of measles. Funeral services were conducted from the family residence at .10 o'clock this morning. The parents have the sympathy of many friends in the loss of heir little child.

A negro who had presented a money order payable to P. H. Pennington Company to the cashier at the St. Charles restaurant for payment Saturday afternoon was arrested a few hours later by the officers and is being held while the matter is being investigated.

Harry Robertson will let the conract this week for a new-house to be built on Thirteenth street near the school house.

Mollie Bailey's Show left this afternoon over the Wichita Falls and Southern for Olney, where the show will exhibit tomorrow.

The public schools in Wichita Falls will close next Friday for the summer vacation. The term now coming to a close has been one of the most sucessful in the history of the schools, J. T. MONTGOMERY.

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Have You Been to Olney, Texas? If you have, you know it to be one of the richest agricultural spots that lays out of doors. Besides, within 12 miles of Olney is the richest coal de posit in the whole southwest. Let nothing prevent you from being in Olney Tucsday, May 12th, the day of the auction sale of town lots. 308-30

Who get in on the ground floor and make large profits by purchasing lots

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Caution, The public is warned to be more careful an davoid coming in contact

with our electric light wires. The day current was started on May 1st and will be continued all summer, and it is therefore dangerous for workmen or others to handle the live wires. WICHITA FALLS WATER & LIGHT.

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People who are fond of eating plover are warned against serving them at this time, because there may be danger-of poisoning. Farmers in many instances have been using strychnine to kill prairie dogs, and the little birds stand a fine chance of getting hold of some. So far, no reports of poisoning brough this channel have come to this office, but it is better to be on the safe side and let them alone for a time.-Eschitt Banner.

To the Ladies of Wichita Fa.ls.

I wish to say that I have set aside Tuesday of next week from 2 to 9 p. m. as "Ladies' Day" and on this occasion will serve them with ice cream or any kind of soft drinks free of charge. Remember the date.

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AMARILLO LIQUOR ELECTION CASE

special to the Times.

Amarillo, Tex., May 9.—By decision of the supreme court this week, the application of Z. Z. Savage et al., of Amarillo, for a reversal of the decisions of the lower courts that the injunction granted early in January in the local option election case by Judge Lewis Fisher of Galveston be dissolved, is refused. The plaintiffs will have fifteen days in which to move for a rehearing before the court. The proceedings in the supreme court are the last resorts in sustaining the injunction secured by the saloon men of Amarillo to prevent the publication of the order putting prohibition in effect, but, although the plaintiffs have lost in the court every step of the proceedings from the lower courts through the various hearings, they have gained the chief consideration for which they were working and have prevented the putting of prohibi-tion into effect till the trial of the con-By the term of the original injunction, its provisions extend only to the trying of the contest and as this will begin next week before the district court here, the present decision of the suprenie court does not shorten the time of the original injunction.

Alfalfa in Clay County.

Henrietta Review.

George King, superintedent of the county farm, was on Monday showing some samples of alfalfa grown on the farm that were in themselves fine, showing a thrifty growth. All over the country this plant has been for years growing in favor with farmers, and its importance is more and more recognized until now one of the questions of any region soliciting immigration is a question referring to this valuable feed plant.

The test of this first cousin of the clover family that has been made on the Clay county farm has been a severe one, and an experimentation that covers the ground as to our locals soils excepting as to the better qualities of soils that generally rule here. first planting was on a nook of land next the creek of the most uncompromising quality. Mr. Bentley calls it "buckshot" land, a tough clay with a little gravel, which in a dry time cracks badly and can hardly be mark-ed with a pick. It is in every view from a farmer's standpoint an undesirable spot of land; but the alfalfa planted on that patch three or four years ago has lived, and has given up several valuable crops and now has a heavy growth over two feet high, rank and in bloom. Two or three times it has been burnt perfectly dry above the surface and apparently dead, but under succeeding rains has smiled forth again in healthy growth.

Crop Conditions at Electra.

Jos.—Kirkpatrick invited the News editors to take a drive with him last Sunday afternoon to look at his crop conditions. On the trip we saw fields of wheat, oats and corn that were far above the average for this season of the year. Oats are headed nicely and it is no trouble to go into a field and get a handful of sample heads which will average over a foot long. The oat yield will be immense and no doubt there are fields in this vicinity that will go 100 or 110 bushels to the acre. We are not putting this as an average of the general oat yield, but it is safe to say that the average yield will be surprising.

Wheat has a long head and we are not going to try to estimate the average yield, but it is an assured fact that the three elevators in Electra will be taxed to their utmost capacity in handling the crop. Our largest elevator has a capacity of 60,000 bushels and two smaller ones have a capacity of about 25,000 bushels. We will be able to handle a large quantity of grain.

Summer Drinks.

The question of cooling summer drinks is of importance, perhaps, to most persons. The refreshing in fluence of acids is well known. From the amount of acids contained in a large percentage of our foods, it seems that they are essential to the human body. Many persons find relief from drinking sour lemon julce in cold water unsweetened. Others must have it more palatable. A person who has suffered long from drug poisons will receive wonderful benefits from sweetened lemonade. It acts like magic on the diseased stomach. There are persons, however, who have too much acid in the stomach, and these drinks are really injurious. The degree of acids to be used must be a matter of taste and physical condition. Hot drinks while aiding in the washing out waste materials in the body, also increase perspiration. The tend to increase perspiration. best sour drinks are lemonade, raspberry vinegar, orangeade, root beer, grape juice and some kinds of soda All of these drinks are nonalcoholic.

There are 25 Business Houses.
Already moving into the townsite of Oiney, Texas. The whole country is aflame with interest in the town. Oiney will be the grand center of business between Wichita Falls and Cisco. Auction sale of town lots on Tuesday, May 12th.

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young people of the innocent pleasure that is so necessary to the unfolding and joy of the young life, yet we will ever warn and guard them from those things that do not tell of the Kingdom

of Heaven.

The writer is a young man and enters heartily into the joys and sympathies of youth, but while we breathe into our lives the beauty of this world, let us build character for that more beautiful and joyous eternity that knows no end.

R. E. FARLEY, Pastor of First Methodist Episcopal

Church.

Frederick Koenig, a new comer in America, bought a farm from John Engle near Clinton, Iowa, and was surprised to find that Engle's daughter was not included in the purchase.

All Aboard.

Those wishing to atten dthe Farmers Union picnic at Lake Wichita on Friday, May 15th, will do well to secure their tickets in advance and avoid the rush at the depot. Tickets, 25c for the round trip, are on sale at the following places: P. H. Pennington's, the Nickel Store, Ralph Darnell's, B. C. Williams' barber shop, L. H. Lawler's barber shop, Fred Carter's barber shop and T. M. Sims' barber shop. 310-4t

aged 13, frequently runs away from home, in order, he says, to get his name in the newspapers. He gets his ideas of making escapes from novels.

Odd bugs with immense wings and protuberances on their heads which have been discovered near Evansville Ind., have been called "Merry Widows."

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PERSONAL MENTION

W. T. Huff of Devol, Okla., is in the visiting relatives.

Mrs. A. L. Huey left this afternoon for Archer City to visit friends. Mrs. M. A. acornberry, or Thornberry, Texas, was shopping in the city

Joe Terry, one of Harrold's wide awake business men, was here on business today. Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Harrison return-

ed today after a business trip to Henrietta and Bowie. E. A. McCleskey, a prominent citizen of Iowa Park, was transacting business

Mr. and Mrs. V. S. Ray will leave in the morning for Marlin, for the bene-

fit of Mrs. Kay's health. Mrs. H. G. Jackson returned this af-ternoon from Plano, where she had been visiting relatives and friends.

Jeff Deering, the popular manager for the Vernon hotel of Vernon, was transacting business in the city today W. E. Brothers Jr., operator for the Fort Worth and Denver at Quanah, is in the city visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brothers.

Capt. Will A. Miller and wife of Amarillo, who have been visiting their son, Dr. R. L. Miller and wife of this city, left for their home this afternoon. J. W. Council, a traveling shoe sales-man of Silver City, New Mexico, has been visiting his father-in-law, Rev. A. J. Bush, and family during the past

Sam Scaling, Wes Clasbey, W. A. Reid and Ed. B. Gorsline are at Childress today attending the Installation of an Elks lodge there.

Messrs. A. F. Blue and J. Roscoe Hyatt left Saturday night for Galves ton and other points in South Texas They expect to be gone several weeks. The Misses Alide Neeley, Mattle Hardy and Mesrs, C. W. Hendricks, P. Avis and Mark Walker comprised a party which motored over to Henrietta bound and be convinced. Johnnie Belcher, 11.
Miss Jettie Donald, one of the teach-

ers in the public schools of Bowie, afa pleasant visit with her friend, Phone 423. Miss Minnie Young of this city, re-turned to her house today. Mrs. W. M. Shaw of Cotulia, Texas,

who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Rock Jr., of this city, left the afternoon for Petrolia to visit her daughter, Mrs. M, J. Talbott.

Sheriff Davis returned from Fort Worth Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Davis, who underwent a surgical operation there. Mrs. Davis is much better but her condition is still serious.

James Young, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Young of this city, left this afternoon for Childress, where he goes-to accept a position as bookkeeper for the Childress Water and Light Com-



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Wichita Falls,

Postmaster T. F. Berner of Henriet-ta and J. L. Hickson of Gainesville were in the city today en route to Clarendon to attend the district republican convention, which convenes in that city tomorrow.

W. H. Featherston, vice president of the W. B. Worsham Banking Company of Henrietta, was in the city today en route to Clarendon, to attend the dis-trict republican convention, which convenes in that city tomorrow

Mrs. E. I. Napler, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Ruth, of Apacne, Oklahoma, are in the city, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Marlow. They are on their return home from Oaxaca, Mexico, where they had been visiting Mrs, Napier's daughter, Mrs, J. A., Mor-

The Baccalaureate sermon.

Before an audience which completely filled the large auditorium at the Baptist church yesterday morning, Rev. George L. Bush of Catnesville, who is conducting the Christian revival here, delivered the baccalaureate sermon to the graduates of the Wichita Falls high school. (The sermon was a splendid discourse and while especially fitting for the occasion, was appropriate to all persons. The discourse was one of the best ever heard in this city.

The commencement exercises will be held in the Baptist church next Friday night.

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