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han ANGEICO,
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## Stewart \& Son. <br> Dij Gouls Nowius and Peed.

From Cedar Hill.

## Regular Correspondent.

 dar Hill comenity ce time, and thinking the readers of the Rustler would like to hear. rom us I will give a few dotsWe are getting along erigt We are getting along alright so Serip was wort new administration. Serip was worth 60c on the dollar as soon as Est. Davis was elected jadge, and I guess it will not be long before it
lar for dollar.
ar for dollar.
The Cedar Hill sehool opened the 31st of October, with Mise Lacile Stephens, teacher, and has
gotten along fairly well, but amal attendence, owing to the fact that some of our good citizens have moved off, ant J. I. Westfall living ${ }^{\text {so far off is not nending. }}$ Sterling lane and brother s ld out their place to silas Connor, and have moved to Doabie Mountain Fork. Some say two whil come in where one leaves.
Sunday School at Cedar Hill every Sunday morning. Prayer meeting in the evening. Prat Sat
ing every secoud Sanday aud S. urday night before by the Pastor, G. O. Berrymau.

Success to the Rustlabrand ite

## Bunk. <br> bons is doing a good <br> wagon jard buciness with the old Eikhorn wagon vard in $\mathrm{S}_{2}$. An <br> The people of Coke are invited to examine the lasge and varied stock of dry goods and close pric- es offered by Crayton and Rob. ee ontered by Craytion bins of Balliager.

W. C. Lock, who lives on Wild Cat, delivered mine head of cattle to Knos Batfild, last week for

## Commander J. L. Robinson,

 this U. C. V. Camp, wan in fron his home near Ft. Chadbourue, Monday. He did not forget to renew his acquaintance with the the county paper.
## Fresh Fruits at J, C. Turner's

Miltou O'Daniel was in San An gelo the other day, and brongh home one of those tine Lueding J. S. Miles.

Stop at the webb Hotel when in Lee
Askansaw call and will sell yon groceries cheaper than any house either.

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ing us a photo a Life Size Portrait Crayon, Pastelor Water Color Por trait free of charge. Small phot promptly returned. Exact llkeness and highly ar tistic finish gua
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way company from all points oil ${ }^{\text {Th }}$ Thomas.
its line, December 20th, and 21st., 11 Song
the same as in former years. It SATURDAY, 9 A M. should be borne in mind hat pas- I How high should the course sengers have the choice ot three of study go in the rural schools? cateways via this line in going S, B. Williams, back to their old home for chirist. 2 Oral Physiology for Primary nas and New Years namels: New Grades: Miss Willie Chambers. Orleans, Shreveport and Memphis It is with a fecling of pleasure and pride that we offer of pleasure and 4 R passenger service in the Soutb.
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rip and want to know the cheap.
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Agt., Igt., Fort IVorth, Texes

How To Look Goul
Good looks are really mo than skin deep, depending entire oa a healthy coudition of all the
vital organs. If the liver is enac-
e, you hure a billions look; if
your stomach is disorered, yon
are effic look; if your kidueys
look. Secure good health, and
you will surely have good looks. "Electric Bitters" is a good Alterative and Tonic. Acts directly ative and Tonic. Acts directiy
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Program For Teacher's Institu At Sanco, Friday ald Saturday Jauury 13th and 14th.

1. Soug.

Recitation; Miss Lacy Ben Keruegay.
3 Mission of the Public School;

## w. Garduer.

## 1 Song.

; Texas History-Era of Discos
eries and Missions; Miss Amelia

## .

Tesay; Miss Emily Thomas. Texas Ihstory: Era of Filhba ters; Miss Alvia Ingram.
8 Song.

Value of Mental Arithmatice A Stone.
Work preparatory to firat ook in Language: Miss Lucie

SATURDAY 2 PM
How to keep small children busy: Mrs. Vida Hallmark.
2 Value of fant fluding in the
school roous: B H Ross.
3 Injury to pupils by the unpre-
pared teacher: Miss Wilkins.
Incentives to stady: J L/ Ross.
Necessity of a County Supt: Necessity of a County Supt: B
Smith. U Smith.
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aty: Judge Chapman.
SATURDAY NIGHT.
Exercises by pupils Sanco
Coke Connty people will get good groceries and good treatment, when they trade with Baldwin and Carter, Ballinger.

Oar usnally wide awake Bronte correspoadant failed to materialze last week.

## Sanco Observations

Since the protracted courting xpedition to your city Mr. Nait* or we have somewhat lecorered and hopeas mnch for the good people of Robert Ler.
We did enongh courtiag to last is antil next spring, when we will takea few more lessone-willing

At present our little onen are taking lessons under Prof. S. Byrd who is starting off well with the Sanco sehool. After this is ont we will likely secure the services of a music teacher, Miss Mattie Webb the blind lady, who has much satistaction in teaching maz. ic at Silver recently.
No news of marriages, sickucss or complaint.
Stock in good condition bat water getting scarce with bright prospects of continued drouth.

Sanco.
Deeds Filed For Record.
H. A. Chapman and wife to the Divide neighborhood two acres purposes $\quad y 1.00$
T. J. Smith and et al to Divide neighborhood two acres of land for church and cemetery purGreer Perpy to L. W. Fielid quit elain deed to 160 acr.m school lyud, 5 miles east of Kov. ert Lee. $\varepsilon \geq 10$ e0 R. P. Perry to L. B. Mars?ly Lot 17, Bluck 15, in Robert Lare, Tex as.
M. B. Pulliam to W. J. Ehiune 538 acreg of laud, other considema
tions and



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## LOCAL CHIPS.

Mr. Lawler, who lives down the river a few miles, was in Tues day attendivg to business, Mr. Frming, from the Valley tial citizens, were in town Tues w cetirmeut, was in Tuesday. day
School books at Mrs. Ingrams Judge Perryman visited Bronte Monday, in the interest of several of his cliente.
Mrs. W. P. Walling and her mother Mrs. Pice, were shopping in Robert Lee, Monday.
Wiley G. Byrd was attending to business in town, Monday.
J. W. Caudle, of the Valle, Yiew ecmmunity, was in Monday attending to business.
A. J. Pettit, of Bronte, was in town Monday, and while here pleasantly remembered the Rustler.
"Daddy" Dancer headed a long caravain over to Angelo last week.
No ranch, farm or stable can of ford to be without a can of Nuss bammer's Antiseptic Stock Oint ment.

Willie Stewart went over to An gelo, last Monday, io have another operation performed

Rev. W. O. Burr, a most excel tent citizen, who renales near Ft. Chatbourne, attended, ihe M. P Conference, here last Sat, and Sun. Mias Willie Chambers, a stylish young hat was between bere and bout hal was betreen sere caud
J. F. Roboma, one of Broute's good merchatits had his name inarrted
urday.
urd
Prof II. T. Cartor, who teaches nchoot near Tényson, was in town la Saturday. Baldwin\& Carter for inargaing is groceries.
J. E. Millican, from near Edith was in thwn Moneay last.
Mrs. W. W. MeElros, of Sweetwater, is visiting reiatives and friends in Robert Lee.
Tom Cress, a youag man from MeLennan county, is opening blacks mith shop in town.

We saw Hon. E. C. Rawlings in San Angelo the other day. $H$ maid:"Ive been reading Arkan saw Smitb's locals in the RuSTL ER and today bought my first. bil from him, I like, and expect to try him again."
C. A. Ransey, a pleasant young man from Evelyn, Travis count Texas, arrived in our county las Saturday, on an extended visit his sister, Mrs. Mitt O'Daniel.
If you want a free sample Nussbaumer's Antiseptic Stock Oinment, read the ad in this issue,

Dr. Martin's house looks fift per cent better, since it has two coats of fire proof paint over the roof and sides.

Arkansaw Smith is doing a fiu business in San Angelo, and ca save yon money on groceries. Try him.
The aged Judge A. P. Me Carty was in town Tuesday, from his home north of Hayrick Mountain.
8. C. Wilkins and D. L. Buch auan made a busiuess trip to An gelo a few days ago.
w. C. Lock pleasantly rememtered the Rustier this week.
L. F. Scarborough and $w$ : R
Pressler, two of Sanco's substan
J. S. Miles, the wagon and bug ey man of Can Angelo, is a hust er of the first water.

Baldwin \& Carter, Ballin, buys for cash, and can therefore sell cheap groceries.
J. H. Campball, of Sanco, dro ped in the Rustler office, Sat. and had his date set forware aarother year.
Notice the "Fair" ad in this is sue. Coke County people, who visit Angelo, cannot afford to leare without seeing this lovely display of goods.
An interesting letter from th divide, in this issue is weli worth reading.
A large stock of ladies dress goods, at prices to suit every body, at Craston and Robbins, Ballinger, Texas.
Groceries gaursanteed fresh at Baldwin and Carter's, Ballinge Texaa.
Jack Adkins, of Sanco, paid
the newspaper a pleasant call
tew days ago.
A. S. Labanks, of Bronte, was in Robert Lee tast Monday and called to see the Rustler. We are always glad to see men of his

## Gin Notice

After November the 1st the Robert Lee gin will commence ginuing cotton each week on coursdays and continne till all
coton yard is ginned.
H. W. Walton

Marion Cobb and wife, a couple of estimable people from Valley View, were shopping here TuesMr. and Mrs. j. D. Hallmark,
Mreasant people from near Edith,
were in town Tnesday.
Our merchants are strictly in rome of them are receivi
goods, by the wagon load, every day.
Why can Arkansaw Smith sel so cheapt He pays cash and sell for cash and has tresti goods al the time.
W F. Buchavan is figuring on put ting in a system of water works for Robert Lee. We will be
The Coke County people are in vited to patrouize Frank Gibbons wagon yard when they visit San Angelo.
Marshall H. Davis, a Great Uncl
of the editor was down 'I hursday from
his fine ranch on the divide in Stering county. He comes to Coke for Whe
When in Ballinger call and see be stock of furniture, at Crews nd McGregor's. They have gig stock of every thing in the rniture and Undertakers line.
Some of there prices are given here to show the good people what they can do in the way of aving your 30,300 . A god bed The best lonble cane ap to 7. br bes donbe cale chair A first class sewing for 2.00 nirst charsed for asice n all other When in Ballinger examine thei goods as to quality, get all thair prices and you will be convince hat they are in the lead.
His Honor, Judge Byrne. of Sanco
attended to business in the capitul, attended to busimess in the capita, several days thits week.

The editor of the Rustler while iin San Angelo a few days ago, Sropped in to see J. S. Milen, the buggy, wagou and harness man of hat city, and found Mr, Miles ry busy nnpacking and markin his goods, consisting of four or five cars of buggles, wagons and harness, just receined. After in him stop ouser to him, we made the two makes of wagons he now has, in stock; one the New Capial, the other a less price wagon, reminedinghans, that took the
he last St. Louis Exposition Mr. Miles told us in the conversa ron, that wagons had been sold too high in San Augelo, considering their make, and this was the ons so that the public can ge something worth their mones. He substantiates this by offering to refund to any one, buying either a "Capital" or "Luedinghans" wagon of him, $\$ 10.00$ withiu weive months, if they can show good cause why it is not better than any other ever bought in San gons and noticing the extra heavy tires, Bois dare rims, and the simple Californa brake, we can rec
commend, to our Coke County
prople, that Mr. Miles has exactly
gone in San Angeio, or West Tex-
J. A. Kalb, who lives on Oak Lee, Taesday.
Jadge M. H. Bavis, anctioned off a year old mole last Tuesday
and got $\$ 14.00$ crst: for the littl nule. W.C.
W. 1. Clawso oar Justice the P cace, has hought 160 acres half wile froa town, which he will

## Attention! ExConfede

"The Campaigns of Walker's Texas Division" in a book of 314 pages, bound in silk cloth, price 81.50 and can be obtained of H. 1). Pearce, Ballinger, Texas. Only a few copies of this interesting book can now be ootained. A copy of it can be seen the RUs ther office.
To kilt sand fleas on your dog or your chickenis use Nussbaumers Antiseptic Stock Ointment Prof. F. E. Thomạs and John Gardner spent Monday and Tuesday
I. M. Bennick returned Monday afternoon, after spending severa days in the Tennyson neighbor hood.
For rope burned horses use Nussbaumer's Autiseptic Stock Ointment.
Phillip Gwym came over from San Angelo, Monday. His fine horse was sick when he arrived and died during the night. We wish him better lack next tit ver to buy cattle.
The display of holiday goods a he Central Dru; Store, San An gelo, is a thing of beauty.
Kev. Simon Lane preached an able sermon last Sunday on "Sane tification." Text, First Thessalowians, 23 rd chapter, 5 th vers . It always interests and instructs
most of us to hear most of us to hear Bro. Lane.

Watches! Watches!
We carry the finest line of Watches, Clocks and Jewelry in West rexas. Cali and inspect our stock tefore buy Crawford \& Crawford. 'CHE .JEWVELERS.,

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Geo. Allen,
 ROBERT LFE, 1 : 1 : TEXAS W. L. Blake, near Bonham, lost hla
barn by Are. The residence of Jim Harris, at
Moody, with contents, was destroyed by tire.
The Italian bark Razeto, which pui
Into Galveston in distress, into Galvest
condemned.
C. A. Langford, the first white child forty-fifth birthday on the 21st. The residence of Weston Weatherby
our milles south of Bonham, was deroyed by fire.
aderal prisoners in jail at Calver cell was sawed off the door
D. L. Byrd's residence at Jacksou
ville burned. Loss $\$ 1000$; no ville bu
Preparations for the inaugural bal Ises to be a most elaborate affalr. John Kallen, a Bohemian farmer re-
siding near Elingu, Fayette county, aged 72 years, dropped dead.
Jesus, Salazar, a Mexican tamale vender, was shot and killed at Pales-
tine. Ex-Policeman Gus Moore was laced under arrest.
The tax roll of Cameron county was of $\mathbf{\$ 1 4 3 , 1 9 2}$ under last year
A young man named J. Hale wa-
going through Jonesboro, a suburb of Greenville, when he was struck by some
one on the head with a hatchet and The dwelling of Dr. W. H. Cain was enirely destroyed by fire at Calvert.
Loss estimated at $\$ 2500$; partialiy
H. Raymond's jewelry store at Calvert was robbed of a tray of gold
watches valued at several hundred dol-
c. Propet, a brakeman on the Texas and Pacifle rallway, fell from a train
in the suburbs of Bonham, and two
cars passed over his left leg, necess1tating amputation.
The San Antonio and Aransas Pass
Railway company pald the comptroller 8911.27 on $\$ 91,126.93$ of passenger earn
ings for the ings for the quarter ending Sept. 30 .
The wife of Joe Hillburn, living near Kllgore, was badly burned. She wa
washing clothes and her wearing ap parel caught fre.
 occupted by Mr. Tom Blaylock. Long s
loss is $\$ 1000$. Blaylock lost his furiloss is $\$ 1000$. Blaylock lost his
ture. There was no insurance.






 Was $\$ 1,150,000$
one year ago.





Capt. Robert H. Patterson of th United States artmery has been ap


The Texas Southern, formerly th
Paris, Marshall and Sabine Pass rail.
Paris, Marshall and Sabine Pass rail-
way, has just recelved a new engina way, has suffictent rails to extend the road over three miles, the road at present
beng twenty miles in length and runbeing twenty
ning out of Ma
erly direction.


fiat cars at Gainesville belonged to the
tollowing parties: Fifty-two bales to
Nelms \& Smith, Gainesville; fitty
Nelms Smith, Gainesville; fitty-
three bales to C. T. Rountree, Sher-
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man. The cotton being in the cus-
tody of the Misourl. Kansas and Tex-
ao rallway, had on it the accustomed
A convention of real estate dealers

By the Blowing Up of a Boiler on a River Craft in California Several Lives Are Lost and Many Injured.

Stockton, Cal., Nov. 28.-The most
disastrous, river accldent disastrous river accldent in the history
of Stockton occurred yesterday morning at $4: 20$ o'elock, when a part of on? of the boilers of the river steamer T. about 6 o'clock Saturday night, was blown out, killing five and dangerous-
ly wounding eleven ly wounding eleven persons, while
probably fifteen or twenty others were more or lessbadlyhurt. The Walker is owned by the California Navigation
and Improvement company, and ran between San Francisco and Stockton Dead: John Tulman, captain; W Blunt, agent in charge of shipping
Worsson the Mostory: Watson Henry of Stockton, engineer of the Walker; A. Henry
freman.

Ferdtnand Law of Seattle ded at o'clock yesterday evening at the re-
celving hospital, making the sixth Wou
Wounded: George P. Smith, Mas face and body; James Corcoran, decis hand, will probably die; Jack Holbert,
Jack Perry, watelimen, badly scalded; Coratti Dominice, deck hand, scalde hand, burned about the head; G. Fopplano of San Francisco, a passenger injuries of the breast; Edrard Paul
Jones, stevedore, ccalded about the face and hands: Martin McCartery of San Francisco, deck hand, burned
about head and body: lana of San Francisco; John Ferger of Stockton, deck hand, head cut and The majority of the passengers were in bed when the explosion occurred,
and were awakened by the report, which was as loud as a cannon roar
People rushed from thetr rooms in their night clothes and found th whole forward portion of the steamer's upper works blown away. Th
electric lights had been put out, an the escaping steam enveloped front portion of the boat untll it was
imposeible to see how much of the boat had been carried away The screams of the men who were locked in their rooms near the pilot
house were heartrending. Capt. John
Tulan had been blown from his bed Tulan had been blown from his
againgt the door of the stateroom againgt the door of the stateroom, and
was so seriously infured he could not One of the employes of the boat se-
cured an ax and cut the upper part of the room away and finally remorer him, but not until he was virtually
roasted allive. When pulled
roasted alive. When pulled out the
flesh dropped from his bones in large
pleces, and althoush he was excruciatingly he bore it bravely, and excruclatingly he bore
not a groan escaped him
taken out of the steam.

## Watson Henry, the chief engineer, and his wife were in their room near

 and his wife were in their room nearthe pilot house when the explosion occuried. Mrs. Henry was blown
through the roof. The flooring was blown upward and she was hurled
wits great violence a distance of
twenty feet toward the bow then twenty feet toward the bow of the
boant. She was horritly crushed by
the force of the explosion Her in Her injuries proved fatal at $12: 30$ yes-
terday afternoon. Her sufferings were so intense that she begged the
physicians in attendance to end her IIfe, but all that could be done was to
deaden the pain by the use of nar-
cotics.
Mr. Henry was terribly scalded. He
was thrown some distance away, bu not as far as was histance wife. Hay, but
He died
shortly after being brought to tider shortly after being brought to this
city. Mr. Blunt was instantly killed.
He was atander He was standing on the lower decik,
as he intended making a landing short distance above the place wher the explosion occurred. Daiy was in
the hold of the boat when the accident occurred. The escaping steam
completely enveloped him, scarcely a
portion of his body portion of his body escaping the
scorching vapor. He died at the hospital. The sixth annual stag party was
$\begin{aligned} & \text { given Thankgiving by } W \text {. } \\ & \text { Jones at }\end{aligned}$ at Temple. with Jones at Temple, with about 150
guests present. These entertainmepts
are given each Thankentor the business men of Temple.

SOUTHERN NEWS.
ville, and were united by the two Just ices of the
honds.
Ed Ross shot and killed his wife and Ehn Walker four miles from Paduca , and then shot himself.
The dwelling of Joe Hagan nea
Morganfleld, Ky., burned and Mrs, Ha san was burned to death.
Carlisle and swine breeders met $y$ electing a full set of officers. George Rush, aged 99 years, and Mrs. wedded near Little Rock years, wer The Arkansas State Baptist conven tion held its 1898 session at Little
Rock. Much business was transacted. Eight coaples eloped from Kentucky ono morning recently before breakfast
to Indiana's Gretna Green, JeffersonElijah Creech and Thad Martin, far mers, attempted to cross White river,
near Fayetteville, Ark. One of them near Fayetteville, Ark. One of them
lost his balanee and fell overboard, capsizing the boat and thr
other out. Both drowned
Miss Clarice Swartz of Hagertown heets, wrapped herself in bed and the the bed on fre. Thoush horribly burned she never uttered an outcry
lingering about three hours.
Milton Garvin's home
ounty, Tennessee, was destroyed by fire and his four children, ranging in
age from 1 year to. 7, perished in the ames. The parents were absent at the
barn, but could not reach their chil dren in time to rescue them. Rev. J. H. St. Clair was reported
dead by a coroner at Decatur, Ala., that official rendering a verdict that the
clergyman suiclded by taking fifteen grains of morphine. The reverend gen
tleman, however, proved an alibl by appearing sound and well next day. W. O. Finney and son fought a street
duel at Milledgeville, Ga., with W. B and J. R. Stanley, brothers. The elder
Finney was killed, his son seriously wounded and the Stanlexs, mortally
yontide. The affair was the outcome
Charles Thomas was lodged in fa at Hopkinsville, Ky., charged with
cilling Samuel Word, a neighbor, over he ownership of a small piece of mon-
then y. The affair happened at a church
estival at Roaring Springs, Thoma shooting
Mrs. Harry Bradley, whose husban ran a saloon at Savannah, Ga., smash-
ed the plate glass mirrors of the esed the plate glass mirrors of the es-
ablishment into atoms and turned nearly all the liguor out. Mr. Bradley
ne
gave her husband $\$ 3000$ to start the gave her husband $\$ 3000$ to start the
saloon. He got to drinking heavily nd neglected the business. She final steps.

New York, Nov. 28.-When the peo
pe of New York awoke yesterday morning they found the blizzard which as raging when they retired was stil h progress. The storm, whlch began
with a soft, sleety snow on Saturday noon, increased gently as the day wore
on, with heavier snowfall, the wind blowing a gale at midnight. There
was a slight abatement of the wind yesteriay morning, but the snow still ell and drifted high, and the temper honigh the blizzard would continue al
day, but at 10 oclock there was breaking away in the west, and fnally
the storm ceased altogether, and the everest blizzzard since the memor-
able one of March, 1888, came to an and. The wind blew at the rate
afty-nine to sixty miles an hour durThe fall height of the storm. r burean reports, was about ten inch a, Phitladelphia nine inches, Bosto
ix inches, Portland, Me four ix inches, Portland, Me., four inche
Abany a little over an inch.
At Roston and throughout New Af Roston and throughout New En-
land the bilizzard raged with gre John Beckhem had a lef, cut of in
he Terrell. Tex., ofl mill.

Substan oe of Mesonge.
Washington, Nev. 26.-President Mc Kinley has nearly completed his mes
sage to congress. At the cabinet meetsage to congress. At the cabinet meet
ing yesterday, he talked over with his ing yesterday, he taked over wisers some of the sections of the
advil
document The message this year wil document. The message this year will
be longer than usual in order to perait the president to tell of the conduct and results of the war.
There are only a few sections yet un hese is that which will refer to th result of the peace negotlations a Paris. This section the president will leave unwritten until the last momen in order that he may be able to inform the congress of the exact status of ou its reassembling.
In describing the conduct of the war of the figures heretofore used by $\sec$ etary Alger in detailing the magnttude of the task that confronted the United States in the raising and equipping of n army of 295,000 men on short no vere made, the president will say tha were made, the president will say that
the country is to be congratulated on he generally efficient manner in which his work of mobilization was per ormed and on the evidence that it pre㩆ted to the world of the resources of he United States. He will lay the ere made to the inexperience of som of the officers of regiments and partly
the iuability of the men themselves take care of themselves in the field. He will refer to the fact that in order
to definitely locate the blame so that similar mistakes may be avoided in the ation committee, whose report whe eady he will promise to transmit to ongress.
He will recommend the enactment of additional legislation to bring the mi touch with the war department and will also recommend that the regula army ie increased in numbers to 100 , 000 men .
The president will give the navy un-
stinted praise for its efficiency in its tinted praise for its efficiency in its work during the year. He will recom
mend that the office of admiral be reated by congress and that Rear Ad inl that position. He will also recom mend that the army transport system, which will become hereatter a necesIshment, be placed to charge of th navy, as the case in European coun
In the case of Hawail the presiden will suggest the organization of a territorial form of government, togethe
with the abrogation of the contract laIn system.
In Porto
In Porto Rico, the Philipines and talan he will recommend that mill
torms of government be maintain ed until congress has an opportunlty through commissions to be appointed
by it, to investigate the conditions in by it, to investigate the conditions in
each tsland. of Cuba the presiden will say that the American military government must be maintained there
untill the Cubans are ready to organize government of their own. mend the building of the Nicaragu canal under the auspices of the United
States, and will indorse the plan of tates, and will indorse the plan of
making a great national university making a great national universit

a feature of the message will be the aresident's statement as to how he has

xpended the $\$ 50,000,000$ placed in his bands by congress at the beginning of the war for national defense. The
treasury department under the presient's instructions has kept a separate oo that the president will be able to show where every dollar of it has gone.

Terater
Washington, Nov. 26.-A Texas man In the person of Dr. Hadra of San An-
tonio has pulled down an apointment in the army. He has been made as sistant surgeon and will probably be
asisgned to duty at Fort Sam Hous asisgn.
ton.

Elkhart. Ind., Nov. 26.-While a par y of twelve people were returning rom a ball at Otis on two handcar mail. East Chestertown, Wm. Seban-
ski and Wm. Kempter being killed outIght, while Sebansk's two daughters agod 13 and 15 respectively, were prob-
ably fatally injured. others of the
party fumped and escaped injuoy. Three carloads of cotton parifally
burned at Nolagvale

New York, Nov. 26.-A alspatch Tom Havana says: The greatest ac-
tivity prevails at the Havana arsenal tivity prevails at the Havana arsenal the insurrection for patrol of the shores and rivers are being docked preparatory to sending them home or selling them. The Alfonzo XiII, the Nueva Espana and the Diego Velasquez, now at different ports of Cuba.
will come to Havana harbor to awalt here the coming of the auxillary cruisers Meteor and Rapldito, which will arrive Dec. 10. Columbus' ashes will placed on board the Rapidito and bout Dec. 18 the fleet will proceed to Spain. Besides the ships
mentioned the fleet which will cross mentioned the fleet which will cross
the Atlantic will comprise the Donde de Venadito, the Infanta Isabel, the Marques de la Ensada, and these torpedo boats: Marques de Molins, Marin Yanez Pinzon, Alonzo Yanez Pin The first Fillipinos.
The first stop will be made at Marand where honor will be paid by the French to Columbus' memory. The same thing will be done at the Cape erde islands, and the fleet will then oceed to Cadiz as usual.
Probably Havana will be policed by zation of the army, or as andividual members recruited into the service of the United States. Gen. Menocal has sked whether on in the matter, and asked whether on the departure of the Spaniards he would be able to form a body of men to preserve order in the
towns. He replled affirmatively, and there the matter rests at present. In addition a scheme has been moot d to form a body of mounted police for service th the province, to bo
drawn from the Cuban army. Gen. Menocal's opinton regarding a suitable ancer to command this force has been this connection Lieut. Col. J. Strampes, an American from New Orleans, who has served three years in the Cuban army, and was commander of Gomez infantry, a body of picked men, espo-
cially selected for thetr work, having served directly under the commanderserved dir
in-chief.

Incrense ef Consin
New York, Nov. 26.-A special from Condon says: The Russian garrisons
in China are to be largely increased next spring, according to advices from Odessa, based upon authoritative military informatlon.
The military establishment at Port Arthur, the strongly fortfled post at
the entrance to the Gulf of Pe Chl LS which China has virtually ceded to Russia, will be raised to 50,000 troops of all arms.
nus of the is to be one termi-
trans-Siberian rallway, where there will be an open port the year around.
The force to be sent to Talien Wan may be inferred from the fact that barrack room is to be provided there for
$15,000 \mathrm{men}$. This ts the point on the Liao Tung peninsula of Manchuria, not far from Port Arthur, which Great eign hands. ign hands.
The dispute over it threatened at
one time to lead to war, as it is a vital point for British trade throughout Manchuria.
Such movements of troops ewill amount to virtual occupation by Rus-
sia of Manchuria. The territory east sia of Manchuria. The territory east
of Liao Tung will be cut off completely from China proper by a Russian millary trocha, so to speak, ruuning from ,

Madrid, Nov. 26 .-After visiting the doen regent yesterday in order to conher husband, which occurred on Nov. 25, 1885, the ministers met in council. They were occupled exclusively with the peace question, and eventually the
ministers unanimously approved the instructions to Senor Montero Rlos, president of the Spanish peace com-
mission, drawn up by the foreign and mission, drawn up
council ministers.
Postoffice at DeKalb, Tex., was burworth of 1 -cent stamps taken.

New York, Nov. 26.-The sailors and marines of the battleship Texas, to the number of several hundred, held their lyceum. Capt. Sigsbee of the Texas in which 400 couples participated. Capt, Sifsbee was voe
ing the march.
 Sayers was tendered a banquet by the hanged for the murder of Tom Crain Commercial club of this city. Covers were latd for 105 guests and a number
of visitors from various parts of the state were present. J. E. Farnsworth were the toasts:
Welcome, Mayor J. H. Traylor. Audress, C. L. Wakefie
Dallas Commerclal club. "Texas from a Business Standpoint "Cattle Interests and Texas." J. D. Childs. Cattle Men "How shall we Ge "How Shall we Get the Balance of
Trade in our Favor?" James Moroney. "Citizenship of Texas," Mr. R. E. L. "The Horse in Texas," Mr. Henry Exall.
"The Hog," Hon Barnett Gibbs. ganization," W. mlingworth. "The Texas State Fair," Capt. Sydney
Smith. Smith.
"Dalla

> Smith. "Dallas," Mr. w. c. Connor. "-The Ideal State." Hon. Ge
"The Ideal State," Hon. George N.
Aldredge.
Major Sayers was given an ovation
Major Sayers was given an ovation "Texas from a Business Standpoint," and his remarks from start to finish
were liberally punctuated with ap were liberally punctuated with ap-
plause from his interested listeners. plause froin his interested listeners.
Col. J. F. Elliott was programmed Judge Reagan to speak in his stead. The judge thanked the club for Inviting him; said he fought Indians on VII-
lage creek near Dallas, fifty-two years lage creek near Dallas, fifty-two years
ago represented Dallas in the legislature and afterward in congress.

Bady Burned.
Be., Nov. $28 .-$ Mrs. B. F. Self, Italy, Tex., Nov. 28.-Mrs. B. F. Sell,
wife of the superintendent of the oil mill here, was badly burned Saturday
night. Her clothing was ignited from a heater in her room at the Windham hotel. She ran from her room and was met on the stairway by Mr. her, but failed to hold her on account
of the flames. At the bottom of the stairway Mr. Windham and Mr. Martin succeeded in arresting her filght and with blankets and water soon ex-
tinguished the flames. Her physicians inguished the flames. Her physicians
pronounce her injuries very severe, though not fatal. She is burned from her feet to her head, but the deepest burns are about the lower ex-
tremities. Mr. Martin's hands were badly burned while extinguishing the flames, his left hand being burned al-
most to a crisp. Mr. Windham is also suffering from a severely burned hand.

## Awful Aceldent.

The 2 -year-old son of J. A. Caslin of El Paso met with a shocking accident. button hook in his hand he tripped and fell. The sharp end of the button hook penetrated his left eye cavity just above the eyeball and was driven in fully two inches by the force of the
fall. The hook reached the brain and became entangled among the optic scious, but suffered treribly, and it was necessary to chloroform it before the necessary to chloroform it before the
shoe hook was withrawn. The acc-
dent totally destroyed the child's eye. ent totally destroyed the childs eyo

Stre!kert \& Co. of Brenham has probably made one of the largest singlo It recuired thirty-six box cars for the shipment, and three locomotives to pull the train. There were 2000 bales of coton in the consignment, which went to Galveston. It will be exported in part der to Reval, Russia. The entire lot of cotton was brought to Brenham by wazon. Every car was decorated with
fags and streamers. The train was nearly a quarter of a mile long.
hanged for the murder of Tom Crain
He died game, to the last protesting hat he did not kill Crain, and insist ing that his life had been sworn awa His neck was broken.
The parting of Shaw and his of
nother and sisters a few minutes before the death warrant was read was lore the death warrant was read was
most affecting scene, and he came
nearer breaking nearer breaking down then than at
any other time.
To see his mother' any other time. To see his mother's
bended form and wrinkled face bendbended form and wrinkled face ben
ing over her erring boy, kissing him ing over her erring boy, kissing him
last good-bye, exemplified the fact tha
a mother's love endureth even unt death.
"I don't care for the execution sio
much," said Shaw a few minutes afte his family left, "as I do for leaving
my old mother and sisters. Don't my old mother and sisters. Don't le
them suffer, boys," he continued to the crowd in his cell." "God knows I would like to live to take care of them. Yes,
I would like to live if I could, but now that the time is so close I rant it to
be over with. You may tell Bill (meaning Sheriff Stewart) I am ready." There had been a steady downpour of rain all morning, and an overcoa left the jail door. The gallows wa in the rear of the jail yard, and in hree minutes Shaw stood on the scaf
fold. For about five minutes he talked rold. For about five minutes he talked
to the people on the gsllows with him. He declared, "I did not kill Tom
Craln." In his written confession he says Lee Wilson did It.
Elder W B .
Elder W. B. Carnes of the Christian church offered a fervent prayer. Thi
was the only time the condemned was te only time the condemned ma
weakened. His knees trembled, an
Se reached out and held to Deputy
Sheriff D. O. Pollard till the good ma finished. Then he braced up again.
They then pinioned his arms and lega "Do you want to say anything,
John?" asked Sheriff Stewart in a very "No, Bill," he replied. "I wish you well. 1 am Innocent of killing Crain
for his wife, and it is hard to leave my people. I don't want to try to be a
hero on the gallows." He began smiling, and noting the him, said: "This takes nerve, boys, but I'm not smiling because this is funny; I always smile when I'm in
crouble. Bill," turning to the sheriff, rouble. Bill," turning to the sheriff,
fix it so that it will break my neck. His expression changed here and he said: "I have had my life swor
way. I did not kill Tom Crain." He asked then to adjust the cap, and then said, "Let it go."
At 11:46 Sheriff Stew At 11:46 Sheriff Stewart cuf the rope and John B. Shaw, dressed in a neat
fitting suit of black, with turned-dow fitting suit of black, with turned-down ollar, black tie and black gloves, wa
shered tnto the presence of his God In seventeen minutes County Physicia
D. Rucker pronounced him dead.
"Six Deendes in Texas."
Austin, Tex., Nov. 26.-Ex-Gov. Lut bock's memoirs, or "Six Decades in
Texas, wwill soon be ready for the pub-
lic. In his book given a sketch of the long life and his varied experience in Texas since he ame to the state in 1836. The memoirs are not history proper, but a per-
sonal experience in business, politics and war, with enough historical slde The old ex- it interesting.
The old ex-governor in hts time was
lerk of the second congress, the comptroller of the Republic of Texas, a frontier ranger, for sixteen years district
clerk of Harris county, president of he senate of the Republic of Texas, as sistant adjutant general of Gen. Whar Idd-de-camp to President Jefferson Daris and fellow captive by the enemy the eight month' prisoner at Fort Del aware.
Cov,
ook of ante-bellum politics be a text
Now Mombers.
Austin, Tex., Nov. 26.-Gov. CulberAnstin, Tex., Nov.
son yesterday appointed Walter Calwell of Austin, Judge D. s. Chesser,
Sr., of Georgetown, members of the board of directors of the Confederate home, vice W. H. Richardson of Ausin and
signed.
signed
The
The above resignations grew out of
he trouble between the governor an the board over the electlon of a sunerintendent for the home to succecd ien. Hardeman when he died. The governor recommended and asked that
Rutus Y. King of Belton be selected Rutus Y. King of Belton be selected,
and the board elected Henry E. Shel-

Now Telephone Butlating.
Waco, Wac, Tex., Nov. 25-Charles J. Glld
den, president; E. K. Baker, supertn endent, and George W. Foster, special agent of the Southwestern Telegraph and Telephone company, arrived her westerday, and were in conference
with leading citizens. They came on elephont buscuess. be soin erty from J. D. Shaw for its new build
ing. The purchase consists of a valand Washlngton streets. The com pany will put its wires underground ind bring its service up to that at Dal las and other frrst-class points. The
foundation of the new building will be made without delay, and it will soon b ready to move into from the present
解 ustin avenue. The company bough he land in fee simple, and paid cash erday afternoon.
It was to secure the site, chieffy, th brought Presid
party to Waco.

El Paso, Tex., Nov. 25.-Two hug vins of ore, one of them forty-seve feet in width, carrying gold, silver and
copper, have just been discovered by Charles Blanchard, rallroad agent at ort Hancock, this county. The dis calns on the other side of the Ri Grande, in Mexico, almost opis sit Fort Hancock.
The ore from the two
veins eins assays $\$ 400 \mathrm{in}$ gold and 300
ounces of silver and 30 per cent copper to the ton. Blanchard has resigne is position to develop his mines The land on which the strike was
made lles in the Mexican free zone, and can not be owned by an alien. In or-
der to possess himself of the claims Blanchard entered into partnership with Gov. Ahumada of Chihuahua and
Gen. Hernandez, commander of the Gen. Hernandez, commander of
Chihuahua milltary department, an the claims are held in their names.

Sherman, Tex., Nov. 25.-Intelligence has reached this city of a bold burglary at Clarksville, Red River county, last night about
thrown that place into a state of exatement. About that hour four or dence of a widow whose name can no on the door, and the lady's daughter answering, was knocked down and se
verely bruised. The men then loote verely bruised. The men then loote
the house and secured about $\$ 500$ an fled. One man suspected has been detained. Bloodhounds were used, an a trail taken up by them ended at An-
nona, a few milles east of Clarksville through which place a freight train due to reach Texarkana Junction at a. m., had
the posse.


Sherman, Tex., Nov. 25.-Ed. John
Daws and Evans Winningham, four brothers, ranging respectively from 18 to 24 years of age, are in Houston Wednesday night, and are held on com-
Whail, where they were plater plaints filed in the justice court by herift Shrewsbury, charging them
with the burgary of the store of $\mathrm{W} . \mathrm{w}$ Day at Sunbeam postoffice, Grayson
connty, about twenty-two miles from Sherman, and near the Collin county Sherm
line.

Gainesvile, Tex., Nov. $25 .-$ Two flat cars of cotton of fifty-two bales each eft standing on the track by the conpress platform burned last evening. I longed to, or the amount of insurance on it. he burning cotton was moved amptyon unloaded. No other cotton wa injured.
store Burns.
d, Tex., Nov. 25.-A fram
Brownwood, Tex., Nov, 25.-A frame
business house on East Broadway, ocbusiness house on East Broadway, oc
cupied by Mrs. Groom, milliner, was apied by Mrs. Groom, mimner, was
completely destroyed by firè about 11 o'clock Wednesday night. The building was supposedly caught from fta
left in the stove at the close of the ay's business. Prompt action on the part of the Bre company saved the a
joining bulldings. Total lose on stock and building $\$ 1250$. No insurance.

North Texse Confarence.
North Texas Methodist conterThe North Texas Methodist confer-
ence Is in session at Greenville, Bishop
Galloway presiding. The attendanco Galloway presiding. The attendance
very large, and much interest bein is very large
meplewted.
sayerv' Appointmonts.
Bastrop, 'Tex., Nov. 24.-Gov.el
Bayers announces he will make the folowing appointments:
State
State revenue agent, Joe Lee Jaml
son of Bexar county, son of Bexar county.
Secretary of state, D. H. Hardy
MeLennan county. Assistant attorne
Assistant attorney general, Robert A Private secretary, N, A. Cravens of Adjumary county.
Adjutant general, Thomas Scurry
Dallas county. Dallas county.
Superintende
Superintendent of penitentiartes, Assistant superinten
fiary at Huntsville, J. C. Smither tiary at Hunts
Walker county.
Financial agent for penitentiarie W. M. C. Hill of Dallas county. Commissioner of insurance, statistic Travis county.
Superintendent public buildings an grounds, Sam Harlan of Travis county Major Sayers will recommend to the respective boards for appointment th
following: following
Superin
Superintendent of deaf and dun! Superintendent of state reformatory . J. Tankersley of Bell county. Superintendent state orphan asy
T. H. Bowman of Howard county H. Bowman of Howard county. Superintendent of insane asylum Superintendent of tnsane San Antonio, M. L. Graves of McLen nan county.
Superintendent of insane asylum a
Terrell, J. T. Wilson of Grayson Superintendent of Grayson county Becton of Hopkins county Superintendent of Confe
R. Y. King of Bell county.
Live stock commissioners, R. J. K!e
burg of Nueces county, W. J. Moore o
Bexar county, W. B. Tullis of Harde Bexar county,
man county.

Austin, Tex., Nov. 24.-The follow Ing letter is self-explantory:
Executive Office, Austin, Tex 23.-The penitentiary board, Austin Tex: Gentlemen-I beg to advise you
offictally that after very careful conoffictally that after very careful con
sideration I can not approve the pur chase of the Lowood and Norwood iand n Brazoria county. My action is based sonal property and the land are too high and some of the evidence to that The second written proposition sub mitted yesterday by Messrs. Sewall and mitted yesterday by Messrs. Sewall and
Campbell as to the Lowood place, by acres of land for 831,710 , leaving personal property valued at $\$ 8290$, to te purchased by the penitentiary authori thes if they deem it proper, does not
modify the bid as to the price of the land and if the authorities should par
chase the personal property at chase the personal property at the
price named, which is not improbable, the full $\$ 75,400$ would be paid for the entire property.
Subsequently to this second written proposition Messrs, Sewall and Camp ell verbally proposed to reduce theit
id 8400 , but it still appears too bid 8440,
to me.
of sincere regrot iffer with the board of penitentlary price named is more than should be paid is such that I can not yield it
Very truly,
$\qquad$
Corsicana, Tex., Nov. 24.-Tuesda Corsicana, Tex., Nov. 2d-Yuesday Charley Stephens, aged 1 years, and a companion were out hunt-
ing squirrels in the Rakestraw neighing squirrels in the Rakestraw neigh
borhood, and had run a squirrel into a bohood, and had run a squirrel into a
holow tree. An attempt was made to moke the animal out, which failed and young Stephens started to climb Che tree. In order to give him a
"boost," the other lad used his gun as a "scotch," putting the muzzle of it
against young Stephens. While he was thus engaged, the weapon was discharged, the full load of shot entering Stephens' body, killing him instantly,
neinatatement Date.
Tex., Nov. 24.-On Dec. 1 the ight of all corporations, where charhay, to reinstate themselves by paynent of this penalty imposed by chaptheir only remedy after that date will be either to reincorporate or take out a new permit as the case may be in
the first instance, or to seek remedial the first instance, or to
rellet in the legislature.

Hugh Allen, a Dallas county convict, was shot twice and seve
while trying to escape.

Hurt by Realirond.
Corsicana, Tex., Nor. 23.-Lase
Corsicana, Tex., Nor. 23.-Lase
evening as passenger traln No. 6. south-bound, on the Central road, George Helm conductor, was passing Carl switch, five miles north of this city, in Chambers creek bottom. on
time, Dan McPherson, a time, Dan McPherson, a section man,
stepped from the work train that was standing on the side track, on to the standing on the side track, on to the
main track, just in front of the movIng train. There was no time for tue engineers to check the train and Mr-
Pherson was Pherson was struck by the pilot and carried on it over 100 yards before the
train was stopped. He was taken train was stopped. He was taken
from the pilot car and brought to this elty, where he died in a few minutes after being removed from the train to the depot.
The body was not much mangled, ths The body was not much mangled, th9
injury that caused death being injury that caused death being a
ghastly hole in the back of his head.

Fort Worth, Tex., Nov. 23.-Dipping of ticky cattle at the stock yards nas become quite a business, as is evi-
denced by the number of cattle dipped since the promulgation of the orders the quarantine regulations adopted by the Texas sanitary board affecting the process and sanctioned by the gov-
ernor of the state. Last week the ernor of the state. Last week the total number of cattle dipped was 1464 , Estelline, 7; J. K. Hearte Quanah 36; J. E. Lewler, Quanah 39; J. H. Wal lace, Minco, I. T.. C4; A. M. Mize.
Claude, 39; S. Callahan, Claude, 39; J. J. Creemer, Quanah, 10; G. W. Kalis, Quanah, 52; R. T. Harrick, Washburn,
50; $0^{\prime}$ Connor \& Hogan, 50; O'Connor \& Hogan, Guthrie, Ok.
570; M. Hanna, Sweetwater, 558.

Galveston, Tex., Nov. 23.-While endeavoring to act as peacemaker in a difficulty between Thomas Sterling and Edward scott, Whie Garrett was died shortly afterward. All of the men are colored. The troufirst street and Sealy avenue yesterday afternoon. Scott and Sterling the city fail from where they wera transferred to the county prison. Two cases of assault to murder have been
lodged against Sterling, and one of lodged against Sterling, and one of
like character is lodged against Scott. In addition to these, both men are charged with murder.

The construction gang on the Texas
Western rallway has commenced putting down ties in the city of Houston, and as soon as the steel arrives ths
work of laying the rails will begin it is quite certain now that the new. owners of the Texas Western are the Rock Island people, and that the road will be extended from Sealy to Fort
Worth. in this conneetion it may Worth. in this connection it may
be stated as reasonably certain that be stated as reasonably certain that
the Rock Island people are behind the


