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TURKISH ATROCITIES WORSE

By Associated Press.
Washington, July 29.—Information that the Turkish atrocities in Armenia are worse than they have ever been has led the State Department to consider making new representation to the Turkish government.

British Win Over Germans

Norfolk, July 29.—Federal Judge Waddill today declined the libel proceeding for the possession of the captured British liner, Appam, in favor of English owners and against the German prize crew which brought her here. The court held the German Government lost all claim when she brought the Appam into neutral waters Hampton roads, for purpose laying up the vessel indefinitely.

COUNTY CONVENTION ENDS DORSES AGAINST NAT'L PROHIBITION & WOMAN SUFFRAGE

The Nolan County Democratic Convention met in the Leulla Building this afternoon at two o'clock. John H. Cochran, Sr., was elected chairman and J. C. Hopkins, Secretary.

Judge Yantis Carried County

The Reporter contained an error in its report of the race of Associate Justice between W. R. Hall and Judge J. E. Yantis in Nolan County. The error was made in copying Sweetwater which put the Yantis votes in the Hall column and vice versa.

Judge Yantis Carried County

Judge Yantis carried the Sweetwater box by a vote of 432 to Hall 216. He also carried the county by 915 to 657 for Judge Hall.

SENATE PLEADS FOR THE IRISH

By Associated Press.
Washington, July 29.—By a vote of forty six to nineteen the senate today adopted a resolution requesting President Wilson to transmit to the British Government an expressed hope that it would exercise clemency in its treatment of Irish political prisoners.

Richard Ivey Was Killed

Rufus Wright received a message from Athens last night stating that his brother-in-law, Richard Ivey had been killed by unknown parties. Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Ivey, of Plainview the dead man's parents passed through Sweetwater this morning for the scene of the tragedy.

Scurry County in Primary

The results of the primary in Scurry County last Saturday were as follows: Congressman 16th District, Blanton, 644; Smith 588; Grisham 115.

Gov. Ferguson Filed Account

Belton, Texas, July 29.—Governor Ferguson spent three thousand four hundred forty-three dollars and eight cents in his campaign for renomination according expense account filed today.

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New Supt. of the Oil Mill

Oscar Laney of Willis Point is here to assume the superintendency of the Oil Mill at this place. Mr. Laney is one of best equipped men for the position he holds in the State and the new managers of the local Oil Mill are to be congratulated on securing his services.

T. C. Donnell Thanks Voters

To the voters of Sweetwater especially do I want to extend my thanks for your hearty support for Commissioner. I have the honor of carrying the best any man Roscoe man has ever carried in Sweetwater.

NEW YORK EPIDEMIC REMAINS UNCHECKED

By Associated Press.
New York July 29.—The combined efforts of both state and national health departments are baffled in their efforts to combat the epidemic of infantile paralysis that has been raging in New York for five weeks and which has claimed more than 750 children as a result of its ravages.

W.V. HAMILTON'S PACK SADDLE

New Prince is constantly adding to his already large list of relics, collected during many years past. Almost anything ever used by people in Texas during the past century may be seen in his collection.

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SUBMARINE ATTACKS VESSEL

Rome, July 29.—The Re D'Italia, six thousand vessel of Italian Registry, was attacked by Teutonic submarine on morning of July twenty third, while steamer was on voyage to New York.

MENACE, ANTI-CATHOLIC PAPER, IS DYNAMITED

By Associated Press.
SPRINGFIELD, MO., JULY 29.—THREE BOMBS EXPLODED BENEATH THE FLOOR OF THE BUILDING OF THE MENACE PUBLISHING COMPANY THIS MORNING AT AURORA, MO.

CANADA QUARANTINES AGAINST EPIDEMIC

By Associated Press.
Ottawa, July 29.—The Canadian Government today placed quarantine on children, under sixteen years of age, coming from New York City and vicinity as bar against introduction of infantile Paralysis into the Dominion.

FISHER COUNTY WHEAT CROP

The wheat crop of Fisher county has been estimated at fifteen or sixteen cars. Twelve cars of this wheat was sold to buyers in Rotan, most of this was bought by Geo. W. Young at an average \$1.00 per bushel, netting the people the neat sum of \$12000.00.—Rotan Advance.

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Repres. Race Very Close

The race for Representative of 121st District is very close between E. R. Spencer and C. P. Woodruff and it will require the official count to decide the winner.

50,000 HORSES TO MEX. BORDER

Fort Worth, July 29.—One railroad alone has moved more than 16,000 horses to Fort Sam Houston during the past four weeks, eighty carloads or thereabouts are now on the road and an equally heavy movement is in sight.

Motor Truck Strikes Car

L. H. Shelton is back from a business visit to Big Springs. He reports a fine rain there yesterday afternoon and a good shower this morning from beyond Roscoe back to Sweetwater.

Lubbock Asks About Calvert

Thos. F. Hodge, Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, is in receipt of a letter from the Chamber of Commerce of Lubbock, seeking information in regard to the way by which W. C. Calvert succeeds so well as farm Demonstrator of Nolan County.

3 Zepplins on English Coast

By Associated Press.
London, July 29.—Three Zeppelin Dirigibles participated in a raid this morning on the east coast of England. It was officially announced this afternoon. There were no casualties.

BOY IS SENT HOME

Cecil Wolf, 14 years old, who quit his home at Blackwell, Texas, and came to San Angelo to "grow up with the country," was Thursday sent back to the house of his father, Perry Wolf.

HOUSEHOLD FURN. CO.

The Store Of Satisfied Customers



ALL PORCH SWINGS AND CEDAR CHESTS ONE-THIRD OFF THIS WEEK. DON'T MISS THESE BARAINS.

A LITTLE
Grogan Mineral Water

Taken thirty minutes before each meal carries cleansing comfort to the entire alimentary tract. It is as gentle in its action and refreshing in its effects as though it was drawn from Ponce De Leon's much-sought Fountain of Youth.

There is in every container of GROGAN MINERAL WATER a purity of which its crystal clearness is only a symbol. Its careful and thoughtful preparation by NATURE is only equalled by the generous quantity allowed each customer.

More Mineral in water--More water for Money

FIVE GALLON ORDERS DELIVERED TO ANY PART OF THE CITY.

**Grogan Wells & Boone
Institute of Message**

**...ROY E. FOX...
POPULAR PLAYERS**

ONE BLOCK WEST OF TABERNACLE

One solid week, under canvas, with new repertoire of high class plays and all modern electrical effects.

**TONIGHT
"Browns In Town"**

Vaudeville between acts

ADMISSION 10 and 20c



Quality First

RING OUT THE CHEAP; RING IN

QUALITY

I asked a shoe man the other day why it was that shoes were so much higher in price than they used to be.

"Shoe leather has gone up," he said. "Most people think that's the reason. But it's only one reason.

"People are buying better shoes than they used to. They want more comfortable shoes. Better fit. They want longer wear and more style. They want some individuality, too."

I thought to myself: Well here's a condition just like the one we are experiencing in the automobile business.

Nearly every 3400 r. p. m. we have sold this year has been to someone who has driven a lower priced car.

I know for myself that it pays to buy better shoes as well as a better car.

But it seems that the great big buying public has the same idea, too.

I'm particularly strong for the 3400 r. p. m. Chalmers because she's got tremendous endurance.

There are now more than 1,000,000 miles of use in owners' hands behind her—and that tells a lot.

Besides the factory writes me that she has a record of service of 99.21 percent perfect.

If you never had a run in her let me know. I want you to get this thrill whether you have any idea of buying or not.

**Fulwiler Electric Co., Distributors
Abilene, Texas
Local Agent Wanted**

**Noted Fugitive
is Captured**

Columbus, N. M., July 28.—Guy Johnson, arrested at the Saturday evening on suspicion that he was Guy Hartman, of Fort Smith, Ark., wanted in connection with the frauds in the state of Arkansas and who jumped a \$20,000 bond, confessed, according to Capt. D. Schalek, chief of the army intelligence bureau, today that he was a man.

The prisoner's statement, here, follows:

"I am Guy Hartman, an ing and anxious to waver and go to Arkansas for trial."

"At the time of my flight in 1915, I was under a \$20,000 bond and to appear for trial May 21, 1915, and to

Went to Juarez, Mex., and from there to Cuahua City, where I remained but a few days, leaving for Temosachic, Chihuahua, where I secured work on the Acklen ranch. I stayed on this ranch from March, 1916, until March, 1916, until the Villistas showed up in that territory and the other ranch hands and I were compelled to flee.

"I hid from Villistas. We remained in hiding in the mountains until the morning of April 11, when news reached us that troops were in Mexico. On the morning of April 12 I made my way into the American camp and volunteered my services as a scout.

"Scout for Seventh Cavalry. I was accepted and assigned to the Seventh cavalry, continuing in that organization until I was taken all ten days ago and the army physicians ordered me to Columbus for treatment. At the border I was taken to custody.

"God knows I am glad this is over," said the prisoner, "he was being led away, 'I'll sleep better of in the night."

"An interesting feature of this case is that Hartman, or Johnson as he was known in Mexico, was supposed to have been killed by Villistas in the mountains not far from Temosachic months ago. Early in January what was declared to be his body was found. Surrounding it were many empty cartridges. At some distance away were the bodies of five Mexicans. There were evidences the American had put up a terrific fight for his life.

Government agents who made an investigation were satisfied the body was that of Hartman, and wide publicity was given the incident. The agents said they had no doubt Hartman in reality fled from the Acklen ranch because he had obtained information the United States authorities were after him.

The question now is: Who was the man who was killed?

STATE INSTITUTIONS NEED MORE MONEY

By Associated Press. Austin, July 28.—Texas will have to add a half million dollars to its disbursements for supplies and merchandise used by the state, eleemosynary and other institutions. This is because of conditions brought on by the European war.

State purchasing agent George Leavy has practically completed the task of awarding contracts for the supplies brought through his department and while the exact figures are not available now, it is estimated that the cost to the state will be \$1,750,000 in round figures as against \$1,250,000 for the previous year.

In many instances it was noted that the cost of commodities had increased without relation to war conditions.

Mrs. J. H. Grimsley left for her home in Weatherford this morning after a visit to her daughter, Mrs. W. M. Bright.

**FREIGHT RATES
ON THE GRAIN
ENHANCE PRICE**

By Associated Press.

"This sharp rise of grain prices in consuming markets is the consequence of the immense enhancement in the cost of carrying from export to import countries. I will take just one example. The rate of freighting for a ton of grain from Buenos Aires to Genoa, Italy, was in June, 1914, 9.98 francs, while a few weeks ago the rate was 245 francs or 25 times more.

"Every man interested in agricultural matters has become anxious as to the serious drawbacks caused by these enormous fluctuations in ocean freights and at the initiative of David Lubin, the United States Congress has adopted resolutions requesting this Institute in Rome to study the matter in all its bearings and to invite the governments of every country to participate in an international conference with the view of making suggestions on the stabilization of ocean freights.

"This world-wide war has invested the freight question with paramount importance, and it must have results for agriculture quite as far-reaching as those looked for in other directions.

"I should like to say that, in my opinion, and from a national point of view, among the ultimate results of this war, will be the increasing interest taken by governments in the development of agricultural wealth, namely, by the encouragement of co-operation and association, by promotion of instruction on agricultural matters, by the creation of many model farms and agricultural intelligence bureaus.

"So may this vital national industry be built up at last, on its legitimate foundation, on a really scientific basis.

"From the international point of view, I feel convinced that the Institute in Rome, already embodying the principle of international co-operation, will in the future obtain from governments such measures as the stabilization of the rates of ocean freights, the enforcement of regulations against adulterations of foods and seeds, the international protection of birds useful to agriculture; and in many other ways the road will be open for the Institute to assist in the development of agriculture.

"All will lead definitely to moderate prices for the citizen and to the benefit of the general public. The general adoption of such measures means economic progress and social welfare, in short the organization of the lands of this earth so that all may live better."

Loving Cup

Now on display in our window awarded us by the Chamber of Commerce through the Federation of Womans' Clubs for the

**Cleanest and Neatest Store
IN SWEETWATER**

We appreciate your trade and will always give you neat and clean eatables.

**Davis Cash Grocery
No. 307---PHONE US---No. 308
Sweetwater, Texas.**

P. C. MOORE

Cash Grocer

Feed and Groceries

Get Our Prices On Flour

Was your tailor?



YOU can arrange to have your tailored to order suit and overcoat for Autumn delivered whenever you want them—but we advise you to

**Come in and Select
Your Pattern Today**

GET first choice of the handsome and exclusive woollens from Ed. V. Price & Co.'s line and have us send them your measure.

Reasonable Prices



Let Us Furnish Your Home

We have a large stock of Furniture and Housefurnishings for you to select from, and are making some very attractive prices at this time in order to reduce our stock of

HIGH GRADE FURNITURE

If you need a piece of furniture of any kind do not fail to visit our store. We want your business.

J. I. Payne Undertaking & FURNITURE COMPANY

WE'RE PROUD

of our knowledge of the business. We know how to move goods and our experience in the storage business give us a right to bid for your patronage. Store this statement away for future reference. When you need us telephone—we'll respond quickly.



Sweetwater Transfer Co.
Phone 520

Sweetwater Theatre

Tonight

"THE VAGABOND"
Two Reel
Charlie Chaplin Special

"With A Life at Stake"
A beautiful drama of love and romance in 2 acts
Admission 5 and 10 cents

M. Landreth of Claytonville is in the city today accompanied by his daughters, Misses Lula, Iva and Irma Landreth, Bertie and Edna Taylor and Lula Thompson of Longworth. The young ladies spent the day shopping.

Mrs. L. H. White arrived yesterday from Loraine, where she has been visiting her mother since Mr. White came here where he is assisting his brother in making preparations to open up their business on the North side of the square.

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Cleaning pressing & altering
South Side Square Phone 320

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Some desirable lots, close in, a dwelling, a section of land within 3 miles of Sweetwater at \$8.00 per acre or some good farms call and see
WIGHT & HARP

ROBERT S. GLENN
Architect
Campbell Building
Business Phone 136
Sweetwater, Texas

Church Programs

CATHOLIC CHURCH.

Catholic Church
9 a. m. Holy Mass Sunday, July 30th.
Position of Mass with sermon. "Ex-
pement."
Four p. m.
Jossary and Benediction.
M. Keller, Rector.

CENTRAL PRESBY.

Sunday School
ed lessons, July 29:45 a. m. with grad.
Morning at 11 o'clock with
sermon on "Ship at 11 o'clock with
tion." Working out our Salva-

Evening s-
sermon "The Devil's Counterfeits."
Prayer at 8:30. Subject of
All are invited Wednesday at 8:30
services of daily invited to all the
will find a homelike church and
heartly welcome.
E. W. BECK, Pastor.

METHODIST CHURCH.

Sunday S-
Supt. School 9:45 a. m., J. L. Ross
The 11 o-
ing service sermon and the even-
by the pastor at 8:30 will be conducted
Special r. Rev. G. S. Hardy.
for both music has been arranged
Prayer se services.
at 8:30 evening Wednesday evening
medately 11 o'clock. Choir practice im-
Woman following.

for their Missionary Society will meet
ble study Monday afternoon

CHURCH OF CHRIT, WEST SIDE.

Bible
Lord's sson, 10 o'clock.
Singing
evening class meets every Sunday
Pract 7:30.
evening singing every Wednesday
The 7:30.
vices. All invited to attend all ser-

SUNDT BAPTIST CHURCH

Supt. School, 9:45, A. D. Ellis,
The
service will be no regular preaching
of Pastor on or evening on account
Nolan, Adams being in meeting at
Pray
at 8: meeting Wednesday evening
Lad p. m.
meet. Aid and Mission Society will
Bible the church for their regular
study.

SOUTHERN PRESBY- TERIAN CHURCH

W. ay School at 9:45 o'clock a. m.
Taylor, Supt.
ser- will be the usual preaching
8:30 at 11 o'clock a. m. and at
Engl. m. by the pastor, Rev. C. A.
day week prayer meeting Wednes-
Thing at 8:30.
in the Ladies Aid Society will meet
time of Mrs. Tom Hubbard.

SEOND BAPTIST CHURCH

Supt. R. L. School 10 o'clock a. m. John
Pres. Supt.
by B. ing at 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m.
Pray Rogers.
Lad Meeting Thursday evening.
noon Aid will meet Monday after-
o'clock.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Bible
Supt. School 10 a. m., J. H. Bright
Pres.
Serm 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m.
the Chrste 11 a. m., "Children and
Toph."

A 8:30 p. m. "Christ shall Rule."
dered musical program will be ren-
come. these services. Everybody

T. F. WEAVER, Pastor.

EPV RTH LEAGUE PROGRAM

Epv
League will meet Sunday
the M at 7:30 in the Basement of
Tordist church.
Nation how Missions Bless Our
Lead Luke 19.
Song Mrs. Glass.
The stand up for Jesus.
man. ssing of Purpose.—Mrs. Lis-
The Fortner ssing of Stewardship.—Mrs
The H
dall. ssing of Sacrifice.—Mr. Ken-
Hymn
Our Faith of our Fathers.
Sentek in Africa.—Miss Gotcher.
Song Prayer.—
Bened
lon.—

T. W.
munity, still of the White Flat com-
attend th in Sweetwater today to
tion. Mr county Democratic Con-
to the Neill has been a subscriber
five yearlly Reporter for twenty
mornng and called at the office this
of the p meet the new proprietors
Pr.

Let M
tin work day & McMurry do your

Six-Shooters used in Court

(Post City Post.)

The case of Sims vs Sims has attracted the attention of the District Court during the greater part of this week. This is a case for divorce on the part of Ed Sims against his wife, who was formerly Gladys Johnson. They have been living apart for something like two or three years. Mrs. Sims has filed suit for divorce in Snyder. The issue in the case is the possession of the children.

Sometime back an injunction was taken against Mr. Sims with reference to the property and the custody of the children. A good deal of excitement and bitter feeling was aroused in account of this injunction. The case was called for trial Tuesday morning in the District Court of this county.

On Monday morning, being the day court convened for the third week of the term in Post, both parties and their witnesses were in Post. Ten or fifteen witnesses were present for each side. More or less unpleasant feeling was evidenced by the parties and their witnesses.

It was soon discovered that each side was well armed having pistols, winchesters, and shotguns of almost every description. In the hotel lobby, much excitement was felt when a call came from the upper story for an officer. The witnesses were in the upper story, at least a good part of them.

Officers J. S. Cash and Sheriff Robinson responded to the call. As we are able to gather the facts, Mrs. Sims and one Mr. McMeans were standing in the hall having quite a heated dispute, each party having drawn a pistol. Mr. Cash, requested the lady to give him the gun that she held in her hand. She refused, and, in a scuffle that followed, a shot was fired, which barely missed Mr. Cash. The lady then dropped the gun, and the same was turned over to Sheriff Robinson.

The officers, assisted by Mr. Rogers, John R. Williams, and others then proceeded to get both factions to disarm. After some argumentation this was agreed to, and the "artillery" of one side was placed in the First National Bank, while that of the other faction was placed in an office on the street.

The case was called for trial Tuesday morning. Sheriff Robinson, anticipating trouble of some kind, searched everyone who entered the courthouse. Miss Annie Rodgers was deputized for the purpose of searching the ladies, there being some eight or ten ladies present as witnesses.

This case has attracted much attention from the fact that both parties are from families that have long lived in this section of the west, and have many friends throughout the country. Both parties are ranchmen living in Garza and Scurry counties.

This case, however, came to an abrupt end on Tuesday afternoon when Judge Spencer continued the same pending the action of the Scurry County court.

A queer state of facts existed. Mrs. Sims had filed suit in the beginning in the District Court of Scurry County for a divorce, and Mr. Sims had appeared and answered in the case there in Scurry county.

Later, after an injunction had been served on Mr. Sims, and after various other mishaps and unpleasantness had arisen, Mr. Sims filed suit for divorce against Mrs. Sims in Garza county, and the question arose as to which court had jurisdiction to try the case under the facts given.

Six months actual residence is required to give jurisdiction in matters of divorce. Mr. Sims attorney, Judge Beall, contended that Mrs. Sims, not having lived in Scurry County six months, could not be heard in an action for divorce in that county. Her attorneys, Higgins & Hamilton, maintained that since Mr. Sims had appeared and answered in that court he there by gave jurisdiction to it, and was bound to the January Term of the Court submit to that court. Judge Spencer simply continued the case to await the action of the Scurry County court.

The point raised was a very difficult one, indeed, and was one that has not been settled in Texas. Both parties and their attorneys, witnesses, and friends left Post Tuesday evening. If the court in Snyder holds that it has no jurisdiction, the case will perhaps be tried in this county.

M. L. Moody, and three daughters will come tonight from Stanton to join his wife who is at the bedside of Mr. Fowler, her father, who is still very low with pneumonia.

Mrs. Tobe Crawford, of Fort Worth returned to her home this morning after a visit of several days with Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Mauley.

CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR RENT.—Two large down stair rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Phone 529 7t-c

Fox typewriter for rent or sale on easy terms. Phone 136. 7t-pd

FOR SALE.—Good windmill, tower and brass cylinder, also water tank and pump.—J. A. J. Bradford, 7t

LOST.—Leather handbag containing important papers signed by N. McNeil of Haskell and valuable pistol either in Sweetwater or on the road between here and Haskell. Finder will be suitably rewarded for return to above address or for information leading to its recovery.

See Monday & McMurry for every thing in tin work and plumbing.

NICELY Furnished bed rooms for rent. All conveniences. Call 377. 7t

LOST.—A black hog, weighs about 200 pounds. Reward for its return.—M. L. Nix.

FOR TRADE.—A good ranch and \$3900.00 cash to trade for mercantile stock.—J. A. Fox, Hereford, Tex. 25-3t

LOST.—Tuesday night in East Sweetwater an Elk's pin with diamond setting. Finder please return to the Reporter office and receive reward.

FOR RENT.—Desirable South front upstairs bed room, nicely furnished.—Phone No. 377.

NOTICE OF REWARD

A reward of \$25.00 for the apprehension and conviction of any person or persons, defacing or damaging any building, school or property belonging to the Sweetwater Independent School District.

25-8t SCHOOL BOARD.

NOTICE.
On account of the depreciation and damage to both building and grounds the Natatorium will be closed from this date.

25-8t SCHOOL BOARD.

You can't clean and press clothes with out tools if you know how. And you can't clean and press without the tools if you don't know how. We know how and have the
Men's two piece suits
The Steam Dry Cleaning Plant,
Louis D. Galbraith, Mgr.
East Side Square Phone 97.

Story of War Told Pictures

The greatest moving picture ever taken happens to fall to the lot of Wilbur H. Durborough—the official press photographer of the War Film Syndicate.

The scenes for this feature picture "On The Firing Line With The Germans" will be seen at the Sweetwater Theatre next Tuesday and Wednesday.

One never knows what hardships are encountered until they have gone over the field of warfare with Mr. Durborough, where over five million actors (the armies of seven nations) take part—with all the pomp, panoply, heroism, combined with bayonet charges, captures, retreats, cavalry dashes, artillery duels, burning cities and trench warfare—with intimate peeps at the fighting monarchs, royal families and military chiefs.

History as it is made at the Cannon's mouth being recorded by the camera with such unmistakable accuracy that even at this distance we get the spirit of it all.

"On the Firing Line with the Germans" are the only official Motion Pictures sanctioned and endorsed by the Kaiser himself, are at once most realistic and convincing and a priceless educational opportunity the world enjoys for the first time showing war just as it is. Don't forget the date and place—Sweetwater Theatre, Tuesday and Wednesday, August 1st and 2nd. Admission 10 and 20 cents.

ANOTHER DESERTER.
Leslie S. Johnson of Field Hospital Corps No. 1, now stationed at Fort Bliss, was taken up as a deserter here Monday and returned to the post Tuesday in charge of Constable J. J. Riden. Johnson enlisted in Elmira, New York.—Loraine News.

REPLACING ALL INFERIOR EQUIP.

San Antonio, July 28.—By August first, all state troops in the southern department now doing duty on the Mexican border, will be fully equipped with new paraphernalia and accoutrements if the present rate of inspecting the federalized national guard is continued.

General Funston intends to replace it was announced from Fort San Houston, all inferior equipment of the state troops with new supplies from the gen-

eral stores, so that the guardsmen "may go anywhere with the regulars." The quartermasters department and ordinance department, as well, have been busy during the last week issuing equipment.

Trainloads of equipment, consisting of uniforms, guns, and tents have been moving out of San Antonio for the past three weeks. Fast inspection of the state troops at Fort Sam Houston has also been done under the supervision of Lieutenant Colonel George O. Cross; inspection General of the southern department.

After passing inspection each company is reported to the war department as ready to take the field.

PERSONALS

Judge J. H. Beall in Abilene today.

Joe Jones, of Dora, was trading here yesterday.

Frank Pittman of Galveston is trading in the city today.

W. B. Smith is visiting Blackwell this week.

W. K. Beall has been home on the south side.

H. F. Campbell is quite sick at his home in East Sweetwater.

Jim Staart is here from Wills Point to accept a position with the Oil Mill.

Fred Montgomery, of Kingsworth, was meeting his friends here yesterday.

D. C. Cage, of San Angelo, has spent the last three days in the city on business.

City Federation meeting Tuesday, August 1st at 4 o'clock in the tabernacle.

J. H. Wyatt, of Tohoka, was out yesterday in Sweetwater looking after business matters.

Mrs. Bertha O'Keefe who visited Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Craft in Blackwell has returned home.

Miss Aline Fisher left this morning for Abilene to visit Mrs. P. Wooten for the week end.

Miss Jesse Robertson has returned from a visit to her cousin, A. H. Geer, at Buffalo Gap.

Earnest Bryan has returned from Blackwell where he spent a few days putting up an awning in front of the Fitzgerald building.

Miss Pearl Robertson is expected home tonight from a visit to her aunt, Mrs. H. A. Ellis of Fort Worth, and her grandmother, Mrs. J. L. Robertson, of Merkel.

Judge John H. Cochran, State Decker, paid this office an appreciative visit today. The Judge is taking a very active interest, as usual, in the election returns.

FIRE PREVENTED.

What might have been a disastrous fire yesterday was prevented by Mrs. George Parker using her presence of mind. When Mrs. Leach's stove caught fire, during her absence from home.

Mrs. Parker heard the children screaming and rushed over to find the flames reaching the ceiling. She immediately turned the hose through the screen wire and put it out in a few moments, otherwise the house would have been in flames before the fire boys arrived.

HOT WAVE IS UNCHECKED

By Associated Press.

Washington, July 29.—The hot wave is spreading over the central part of the United States with temperature ranging from 96 to 102 degrees. The wave is expected to reach Atlantic coast by tomorrow.

THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE DECLARE NOMINEES

The County Democratic Executive Committee met today at one o'clock in Chairman Geo. T. Wilson's office and canvassed the returns of last Saturday's election.

By incessant work for several days this week, Mr. Wilson has all the figures compiled and tabulated in nice form ready for the committee's inspection and approval when they met today.

The figures showed the successful nominees to be the same as the list published already in the Daily and Weekly Reporter.

Judge H. C. Hord was declared the Chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee from the returns and his term of office began today.

The members of the Committee, from all over the county, were very grateful to retiring Chairman Wilson for his untiring efforts in looking after matters that have come up for the Committee's consideration during his term of office.

Gen. Funston is Blamed

By Associated Press. San Antonio, July 28.—Whichever way the Mexican situation turns General Frederick Funston never lacks for gratuitous advice as to how to conduct the affairs of his army in the field and along the border. It pours into his office at Fort Sam Houston in a continuous stream of mail.

Letters from all parts of the United States arrived daily. Some blame the general for not having war with Mexico, while others place on him responsibility for all border troubles. Some praise him for keeping out of war.

Advice is the freest commodity General Funston receives. Details of military campaigning are outlined to him with precision, while the perils of the Mexican interior are prescribed by persons who claim to know the country well.

No Bathing in City Lake

There is a city ordinance against bathing in the old City Lake which is being violated. City Marshal W. R. Johnson asks the Reporter to call attention to the law in regard to the matter and states that he will have to enforce the same.

SUPERINTENDENT ROSS IS GRATEFUL

I hereby tender my sincere thanks and express my keenest appreciation to the many loyal friends who supported me in my race for County Superintendent. My work has required so nearly all my time that I had very little time in which to see the people, yet over 800 people stood loyally by me. I shall put the same careful thought and earnest service into the work, as I have heretofore done until my term expires. Very truly, J. L. ROSS.

Republicans in Session

The Nolan County Republican Convention is in session as the Reporter goes to press. The proceeding of the meeting will be given in Monday's paper as the convention did not meet in time for today's paper.

NOTICE.

To Whom It May Concern: All parties are hereby warned not to accept or in any way purchase, handle or otherwise acquire from J. C. Hopkins or any other person, the following notes: Three notes for the sum of \$66.66 each, executed by Edwin L. Tate and payable to the order of J. C. Hopkins, dated on or about July 13th and due in one, two and three months from date. I will not pay them or either of them. EDWIN L. TATE.

BOY FALLS FROM TRAIN

Thos. L. Rogers of 1004 Evans Ave., Fort Worth, Texas, who was riding a freight train carrying horses to the Mexican border, was knocked from the top of the train about two and a half miles west of Cisco last Friday morning, while the train was moving at the rate of 50 miles per hour.

The boy was riding on top and was conversing with two guards when the conductor came along and inquired as to the boys fare, and in an encounter that followed the brakeman hit the boy in the stomach and he fell to the ground. When he came to, he tried to make his way to the home of J. V. Smith about a half mile away, but when in about 100 yards of the house he became exhausted and unconscious and fell.—Cisco Round-Up.

Read it first in the Daily Reporter.



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