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SWEETWATER, TEXAS, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15 1917.

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Governor Ferguson Speaks

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Governor Ferguson denied in toto every charge made against him. He invited investigation. He challenged any man to prove the

son's resolution. Darkness found the senate still in session discussing what procedure to follow in disposition of Johnson's charges. Debate over the resolution took up the entire time of the session this afternoon and personal accusations and char ges were frequent.

That impeachment proceedings are not unlikely is apparent. As was pointed out in the debate during the afternoon, the senate has no authority to institute impeachment proceedings. These must originate, under the constitution of Texas, in the house and the senate must sit as a jury.

JOHNSON'S CHARGES

Senator Johnson created a sen the lieutenant governor of the re The opinion was written by sponsibility of naming the com rison and Buchanan of Seurry.

It is charged in the resolution allowing certain deficiencies; that

"It has been specifically charg-

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Austin, Feb 14—"If these charges be true I am a crook and a grafter and should be removed from of fice; if these charges be not true, then the man who preferred them should resign."

Such was the statement of Governor James E, Ferguson when voluntarily, he appeared in person before the senate of Texas this

The Nolan county churches have One of the greatest Baptist institutions of the state is located at
Abilene and will profit in a special
way by the campaign now being
conducted in this immediate ter

Mr. Bagby, anti leader, raised
points of order which were inserted in the record. They were
technical and made for the purtreaties of 1799 and 1828, it was
declared at the state department

T. Y. Adams Member of Nolan County Campaign Committee.

Maryneal Happenings

Roy Arledge is still suffering

appendicitis. Mr. Willis Barbee made a busiess trip to San Angelo Saturday Mr. Roy Prim and wife motored own from Roscoe Sunday in their

w Ford. Mr. Keele went to Upton Coun Sunday to look at the country. Mrs. Gaither from Merkel spent

aturday with Mrs. Barbee. The Missionary Society is going to have a basket supper Friday ody to come.

The rain Tuesday night was apreciated by every one.

C. A. McClintie is home from a usiness trip to Midland.

Senator Johnson, after chargd to the governor's campaign ex to practice some songs. enses in 1914, asserts that prac ucational institutions of the state claims that under the Ferguson portance for themselves and for administration some insurance their children of being in Sunday ed," and 'vit is now here charged' the West Texas Normal college, of meeting their requirements. Washington, Feb. 15.—Repressays the resolution, "that through have been withdrawn from certain They greatly desire that there entatives of thirty railroads have

AMERICA WICKEDLY TEMPT-ING GOD. SAYS GER. PAPER

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AT PARIS

SHIPS SUNK

London Feb. 15 .- British steam

VESSELS SUBMARINED sailing vessel, Ainsdale, was submarined off the Irish coast Febru mediate step. ary fifth. The crew was rescued.

Austin, Feb. 14 - Submission practically all been reached and was set as a special order for Friby the time limit, March first day morning at 10 o'clock by the Senator Johnson of Hall had in every church in the county will House after devoting all this morn troduced a resolution charging have had the matter presented ing to an argument over parlia-

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mittee never considered the en extensions, as asked by Germany. grossed bill, and hence that its present report on the question is not regular

glad to show you before you buy, the avoidance of actual war, -Heath Tailoring Co. 14-2d-1w

hight Feb. 23. Be glad for every Side Christian church Sunday af. chinery, the dispatch adds. The ing a Sunday school. There was a good attendance despite the cold weather. A committee was ap.

The Lyman M. Law, Captain weather, A committee was appointed to elect officers and to decide on the literature to be used, departure from Stockton, Me., for consisting of R. S. Baxter, Jess Palermo. She was owned by the Hemby, J. E. Wood, Mrs. S. D. Benedict Manson Marine Comons and control them by politi- Myres, Mrs. R. A. Henderson and pany of New Haven, Conn. Her al boards under the domination Mrs. C. B. Doolin. This committee gross tonnage was 1,300. She was nd influence of said James E. is to meet Thursday night and built in 1890 at Weethaven, Conn. make up their report.

It was also decided to meet at that special interests contributthe church Friday evening at 7:30

in excess of its real value, and would attend, and feeling the imnoney, the proceeds of policies on School have decided on this plan

Amsterdam, Feb. 15-The Lokal Anzeiger of Berlin expresses the hope that the cabled reports that American merchantmen are sailing in defiance of the submarine blockade are unfounded.

The paper says "plan for such sailing at the bottom amounts to nothing less than most wickedly tempting God."

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While the news aroused a deep feeling and added to the tension Paris, Feb. 15.—Gerard and it appeared doubtful whether staff arrived here this morning there is ground for any action, as from Berne. They were met by Whitlock, while in Bulgium is 19 to 10 the senate tonight voted ginning Jan. 1, of the current the American Ambassador Sharp. practically only representing American relief work.

> PRESIDENT WAITING can rights might lead President Washington, Feb. 15.—British any time, it is stated that he has no definite plans for such an im-

> > When he will go before Congress will depend entirely upon circum

The opinion is growing among officials that such a step won't be deferred long.

AUSTRIAN SUB

New York, Peb. 15 .- Captain Legislators McDonough, of the American seb coner Law, cables the maris transportation company, "Law was destroyed by the Austrian submarine. The crew is safe on Cagliari, Sardinia."

OLD TREATY

Washington, Feb 14-While the United States considers that Ger

It was indicated, however, that Mr Bagby contends that the com there would be no reaffirmations or

NO PEACE

Berlin, Feb. 14.—Positive denial is made here that Germany in a NOTICE.-We have just received note to the United States or other our spring samples and would be wise is inviting suggestions for

It is reiterated that there can be no talk or thought of recession from the program of submarine warfare already carried out. ...

AMERICAN SHIP

Rome, Feb. 15 .- The American Schooner Lyman M. Law was sunk on Feb. 12 off the coast of Sardinia by a hostile submarine, says a Stefani dispatch received at Cag liari, Sardinia, today.. The vessel A meeting was held at the West was loaded with agricultural maternoon for the purpose of organiz crew of twelve, of which eight

Chatfield, was last reported on her

ARRIVES SAFE New York, Feb. 15.—French line steamer, Rochambeau, which

The people of the West Side be left here February fourth carrycally 13,000 acres of state farm ing so far away from the Sunday ing a hundred passenger including have been purchased at price. Schools which they otherwise ing a score of Americans, arrives

EMBARGO ON EXPORTS

New Arrival at McDavid's. Just received one big shipment from New York of Ladies' Middy Blouses and Middy Suits, all the very newest and latest styles and assorted colors in trimmings. Middy Suits regular \$5 vales, special this week \$3.95, and \$4.50 values at \$3.49. Big assortment of Ladies' Middy Blouses, trimmings well assorted colors, regufar \$1.50 values, special this week \$1.10.

Remember these prices hold good only this week. Sale closes just as advertised, Saturday night. R. V. McDavid.

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 13 .- Ov.

igarette advertisements.

FIGHT OR TICK

The county commissioners' meet

the tick will be intenser all along

Besides this the court allowed

some bills and did routine busi-

Only three more days it

to select your choice in a b

LATE NEWS

Cone Johnson

at that place.

Washington, Feb. 12.-Cone partment, resigned today to re- progress of the country. sume the practice of law in Texas.

Watson is on Trial

Waco, Feb. 12.—The trial of J. as, was commenced on January 1 ing wo today. field, Texas, this morning.

Watson is the son of T. R. Wat- lows son, convicted here Dec. 1, 1916, of Brownfield, Texas, 40.83 miles; the murder of the State Bank Com Blythe, Texas, 4.27 miles. There ing Monday in February session, missioner John S. Patterson and will be a station between Lubbock decided that the cattle fever tick! sentenced to serve ninety-nine and Brownfield but the location must get out of Taylor county beyears in the penitentiary.

in Freestone county against T. R. by March 1 and track laying will tra inspectors to aid in the work of Watson and another of his sons, W begin out of Lubbock at that time eradication. Some will probably the department of state makes the R. Watson. The indictment charg the contractor expecting to lay be added about March 1 and others es T. R. Watson and J. E. Watson surface complete 15 miles of track early in the fall. The fight against with assault to murder State Bank per month Examiner Eldred McKinnon at the time Mr. Patterson was fatally tension to Blythe will be in opera-

caller at the Reporter office today, Perry in the grocer business and and states that the cattle and other would be pleased to have my stock of all kinds are doing well friends call on us. We are located

Don't fail to visit our music a nice fresh stock of groceries and room and see and hear the finest will make it to your interest to this give us a trial.

town.-Adam Schang, West side

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T. H. Sears, General Superin-Brownwood, Feb. 12 .- W. D. tendent of the Santa Fe, with head Brownwood, Feb. 12.—W. D. tendent of the Santa Fe, with head eralls of light tan butchers cloth death authorities to give the services of a federal health Austin where a meeting is to be the services of a federal health authorities to give the services of a federal health authorities to give the services of a federal health authorities to give the services of the new that is the interest of the new three services are the services of the new three services are the services of the services of the services of the new three services of the officer to Brownwood for the purpose of launching a campaign
against mosquitoes. City health

Comperse to take place tomorrow Mr. Sears

the Hotel Muchleback. They will be in two pieces, a blouse and trous ers of the same material. The trous ers are caught at the ankle with a officials, the Chamber of Commerce and other organizations have made favors the discontinuance of the favors t ing mosquitoes this coming summer and Kansas City and to have it run from Sweetwater via Amaril-

most desirable route. The Santa Fe people are always Johnson, solicitor of the State De on the alert to keep up with the ing to Samuel J. Whitmore, presi- Germany restores the pledges giv dent of the hotel company.

The extension of the South Plains & Santa Fe Railroad from wouldn't be surprised were house lie Germany's proposals submit began in the District Court at Fair upon up to this writing and dis-field, Texas, this morning. tance from Lubbock are as fol-

> has not been definitely decided. fore the year 1917 dies.

Indictments also were returned The first 15 miles will be graded The court voted to employ ex-

It is planned that the entire extion by the early part of July next.

Henry Withers was a pleasant I am now associated with W. A. in the corner concrete building piano. Don't fail to call a them.—C. C. Heck, West

Fresh oysters all this week at follows:

the line.

The City crocery Co. - rnone 18. Respectfully, I. R. Wallis. or 444.

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en in the Sussex case. "In fact, they're so sensible 1 The state department made pub Lubbock southwest to Blythe, Tex wives to adopt them for the morn-ted in a memorandum by Dr. Paul ing work about the house," he said | Ritter, the Swiss minister, and also the government's reply, thereby confirming fully the announcement made by the Associated Press late Saturday.

The state department gave out a statement as follows:

"In view of the appearance in the newspapers of Feb. 11 of a report that Germany was initiating Store. negotiations with the United States in regard to submarine warfare following statement:

"A suggestion was made last Saturday afternoon by the minister of Switzerland that the Ger man government is willing to nego tiate with the United States pro viding that the commerical block ade against England would not be interfered with.

Put in Writing

"At the request of the secretary tiful see of state this suggestion was made ade of in writing and presented to him 3-2td by the Swiss minister Sunday night. The communication is as

13-3td ernment has been requested by the German government to say that the latter is now, as before, willing to negotiate formally or infor mally with the United States providing that the commercial block ade against England will not be broken thereby,

> "This memorandum was given immediate consideration and the is in Roscoe today. following reply was dispatched to-

U. S. Reply

" 'My Dear Minister: "'I am requested by the Pres ident to say to you in acknowledg ing the memorandum which you were kind enough to send to me the eleventh instant, that the government of the United States would gladly discuss with the Ger man government any questions it! might propose for discussion were it to withdraw its proclamation of the 31st of January, in which, suddenly and without previous intimation of any kind, it cancelled the assurances which it had given this government on the 4th of May last, but that it does not feel that it can enter into any discussion with the German government concerning the policy of submarine warfare against neutrals which it the German government renews its

A. H. Fortner.

of weeks with his daughter, Mrs. only 75 cents per gallon at Perry.

Wallis Cash Grocery. assurances of the 4th of May, and acts upon the assurances.

"No other interchange on this subject has taken place between this government and any other government or person.

LADIES AUXILIARY

The ladies of the Central Presbyterian church held their regular Auxiliary meeting with Mrs. Geo. Parker Monday afternoon.

In the study of the "Four Gospels" the ladies are having special lessons on the life of Christ, direct ed by their pastor, Rev. Beck.

At the conclusion of the study a short business session was presid ed over by Mrs. Myres the president. The date for the first Progressive Tea was fixed for Wed nesday with Mrs. McDonald.

During the social hour a delightful program of phonograph music was enjoyed. The meeting concluded with a course of hot choo olate and cake. Mrs. Knight enjoyed the hospitality of the afternoon with the Auxiliary members

E sell Meal and Cake. make all grades. want your business. IRE us your orders. ACO COTTON OIL MILL ACO, TEXAS.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Tanlac for sale at City Drug

Mrs. W. F. Dupree is confined to her room with La Grippe.

Just received, all kinds of gar-

den seed .- Davis' Cash Grocery. tf J. Waggoner has put on a new

Kerosene oil 10 cents per gallon t Perry's Cash Grocery.

dray wagon.

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here on business today.

Peanut butter in bulk at Perry's

Cash Grocery. W. H. Jobe is in Sylvester on

Nice oranges at 20 cents per doz

en at Perry's Cash Grocery. Mrs. D. T. Brady is visiting in Houston for a few days.

Joe Holder is still confined to improved. his room with La Grippe.

T. O. Kinsey has returned from visit to Bell county.

It pays to pay cash for your groceries. Perry-Wallis Cash Grocery

H. P. Simmons is home from sev

eral weeks in El Paso. T. Vard Woodruff attended court at Roby yesterday.

Lemons 20 cents per dozen at Perry's Cash Grocery.

The little child of E. M. Black is quite sick.

and that will be the Selz .- Hern- 13-2t. don Shoe Co.

Choice eating apples 20 and 15 cents per dozen at Perry's Cash business with Sweetwater's mer-Grocery.

Mr. Bryant of Whitewrite came

John W. Lynde of Fisher county transacted business in the City Monday.

Mr. Thos. Trammell is reported to hove rested better last night than for two weeks past.

The small child of Mr. and Mrs. Clark of Abilene was buried at Roscoe today.

Tom Neill of Trent is sepnding the week in Sweetwater drinking our famous mineral water.

John Meyers is having substantial improvements made on his res idence in south Sweetwater.

Fine assortment of candies and the price is right at Perry-Wallis Cash Grocery.

S. A. Brown of Santa Anna is here on business and will leave to night for Crowell.

Just a little out of the way but we will made it to your interest to buy groceries at Perry's Cash Grocery. Phone 71.

Judge W. W. Beall returned from Eastland this morning where ie went Monday to hold court for Judge Burkett.

W. M. Bright is home from Abilene where he was called on account of the critical illness of his mother whom he left but slightly

Rev. G. S. Hartly left last night for Clarendon for a few days to help his son Louie get himself settled on his farm.

C. C. Dana, General Passenger Tax Assessor George Sheppard through over the Santa Fe en route to points South.

> Purchase a cash coupon book and give Perry's Cash Grocery a chance to save you money on your grocery bill.

> G. H. McGuiri, Tariff inspector of the Santa Fe, headquarters at Arkansas City, Kansas, is here on business.

Our phone number is 71. Our motto is Quick sales and small pro Get the best shoe, at the price, fits. Perry's Cash Crocery Co.

> A. L. and W. F. Hollowell of the Nolan community are transacting

A limited amount of that fine in this morning to spend a couple ribbon cane syrup and the price is

BUD BROWN

ED WILKINSON

City Grocery Company

First door west of Hubbard's

We now have a complete stock of fresh Groceries; also all kinds of fresh Fruits and Vegetables.

We will appreciate your business We want your Produce

City Grocery Store Phone 444 Phone 152

Just Received

LADIES

Spring Suits

Sport Coats

SOUTHERN Mercantile Comp'y

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before the senate of Texas this morning, twenty minutes after Senator Johnson of Hall had introduced a resolution charging him with violation of the banking laws of Texas, corruption in the purchase of a state farm, receiving campaign funds from the brew

ic funds of the state Governor Ferguson denied in toto every charge made against him. He invited investigation. He son's resolution.

Darkness found the senate still in session discussing what proced ure to follow in disposition of Johnson's charges. Debate over the resolution took up the entire time of the session this afternoon and personal accusations and char

ges were frequent. That impeachment proceedings are not unlikely is apparent. As was pointed out in the debate during the afternoon, the senate has no authority to institute impeachment proceedings. These must originate, under the con-stitution of Texas, in the house and the senate must sit as a jury.

JOHNSON'S CHARGES

Senator Johnson created a senwas the order made today by the sation when he introduced the res ase of Wiley H. Norwood from ment of a committee of five sena-Jones county, convicted of killing tors to make a sweeping investiga the lieutenant governor of the re-The opinion was written by sponsibility of naming the com Presiding Judge Davidson and con mittee, the resolution names it, curred in by Associate Judge Mor the five senators being Dean, Hud row, Associate Judge Prender speth, Lattimore, Johnson of Harrison and Buchanan of Scurry.

It is charged in the resolution allowing certain deficiencies; that Lera B. Cook, age eleven, old-harmful, prejudicial, inflamma-bers of the boards of the state educational institutions of the state

"It has been specifically charg-

the Baptists of Texas launched the greatest educational campaign of schools in as many ions of the state, they set about the raising of \$1,000,000,00 in eash to be applied to the operation and belter equipment of all of these By Associated Press:

payment of all outstanding indebt

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It was stated by senators who corner of Texas is sought for a

> ty have the individual counties Governor Ferguson Speaks
> Austin, Feb 14—"If these charges be true I am a crook and a grafter and should be removed from of fice; if these charges be not true, then the man who preferred them should resign."
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> Such was the statement of Governor James E. Ferguson when voluntarily, he appeared in person before the senate of Texas this practically all been reached and practically all been reached a

practically all been reached and was set as a special order for Friby the time limit, March first day morning at 10 o'clock by the every church in the county will House after devoting all this morn have had the matter presented ing to an argument over parlia-One of the greatest Baptist insti- mentary technicalities.

T. Y. Adams Member of Nolan County Campaign Committee.

Maryneal Happenings

Roy Arledge is still suffering appendicitis.

Mr. Willis Barbee made a busiess trip to San Angelo Saturday Mr. Roy Prim and wife motored own from Roscoe Sunday in their

Mr. Keele went to Upton Coun Sunday to look at the country Mrs. Gaither from Merkel spent aturday with Mrs. Barbee.

The Missionary Society is going have a basket supper Friday ight Feb. 23. Be glad for every ody to come.

The rain Tuesday night was reciated by every one.

C. A. McClintie is home from a usiness trip to Midland.

erguson.

Senator Johnson, after chargd to the governor's campaign ex to practice some songs.

AMERICA WICKEDLY TEMPT-ING GOD. SAYS GER. PAPER

Bogota, Columbia, Feb. 15.—
Government has replied to President Wilson's note repecting Ger. Washington, Feb. 15.—It is stat

that peace between Germany and America will not be broken.

The reply expresses the hope the German authorities to lower the American flag over the American seguing the American flag over the American seguing the American flag over the American seguing the following t

AT PARIS

SHIPS SUNK

London Feb. 15 .- British steam er, Cilicia, is sunk, Lloyds announ Washington, Feb. 15.-While it

VESSELS SUBMARINED Washington, Feb. 15.—British sailing vessel, Ainsdale, was submarined off the Irish coast Febru mediate step. ary fifth. The crew was rescued, Ambassador Page cables.

Austin, Feb. 14.-Submission

conducted in this immediate ter technical and made for the pur treaties of 1799 and 1828, it was pose of laying a predicate for postoday that the government will sible legal action attacking the val idity or the legality of conformity continue to live up to the spirit of the procedure in the House on of the old conventions the resolution.

Mr Bagby contends that the com mittee never considered the engrossed bill, and hence that its present report on the question is not regular.

NOTICE.—We have just received note to the United States or other our spring samples and would be wise is inviting suggestions for glad to show you before you buy. the avoidance of actual war.

weather: A committee was apmake up their report. It was also decided to meet at

g that special interests contributthe church Friday evening at 7:30

es in excess of its real value, and would attend, and feeling the imucational institutions of the state claims that under the Ferguson portance for themselves and for administration some insurance their children of being in Sunday money, the proceeds of policies on School have decided on this plan ed," and 'vit is now here charged' the West Texas Normal college, of meeting their requirements. Washington, Feb. 15.—Repressays the resolution, "that through have been withdrawn from certain They greatly desire that there entatives of thirty railroads have the boards which control the State banks in which they were deposi shall be the entire absence of de made a "gentleman's agreement"

Amsterdam, Feb. 15-The Lokal Anzeiger of Berlin expresses the hope that the cabled reports that American merchantmen are sailing in defiance of the submarine blockade are unfounded.

The paper says "plan for such sailing at the bottom amounts to nothing less than most wickedly tempting God."

Washington, Feb. 15 .- It is stat ed that Brand Whitlock, American minister in Belgium, has been requested through not ordered, by

ian legation at Brussels. While the news aroused a deep feeling and added to the tension Paris, Feb. 15.—Gerard and it appeared doubtful whether staff arrived here this morning there is ground for any action, as from Berne. They were met by Whitlock, while in Bulgium is the American Ambassador Sharp. practically only representing American relief work.

PRESIDENT WAITING

Federal court at Abilene. His lia voted to table the Johnson resolution that such action was taken organized appeal that the Baptists assets at the same figures.

The crew was landed. Also is still indicated that the accumulation of the violations of American rights might lead President. can rights might lead President Wilson to go before congress at any time, it is stated that he has no definite plans for such as im-

When he will go before Congress will depend entirely upon circum-

The opinion is growing among officials that such a step won't be deferred long.

AUSTRIAN SUB Legislators McDonough, of the American se coner Law, cables the mar transportation company, "Law was destroyed by the Austrian submarine. The crew is safe on Cagliari, Sardinis."

OLD TREATY Washington, Peb 14-While th United States considers that Ger tutions of the state is located at Abilene and will profit in a special points of order which were in. way by the campaign now being serted in the record. They were declared at the state department

> It was indicated, however, that there would be no reaffirmations or extensions, as asked by Germany.

> > NO PEACE

Berlin, Feb. 14.—Positive denial is made here that Germany in a

-Heath Tailoring Co. 14-2d-1w It is reiterated that there can be no alk or thought of recession from the program of submarine warfare already carried out. ..

AMERICAN SHIP

Rome, Feb. 15 .- The American Schooner Lyman M. Law was sunk on Feb. 12 off the coast of Sardinia by a hostile submarine, says a Stefani dispatch received at Cag liari, Sardinia, today. The vessel A meeting was held at the West was loaded with agricultural ma-Side Christian church Sunday af. chinery, the dispatch adds. The ternoon for the purpose of organiz crew of twelve, of which eight ing a Sunday school. There was were Americans, says the message a good attendance despite the cold have been landed at Cagliari.

The Lyman M. Law, Captain pointed to elect officers and to de. Chatfield, was last reported on her cide on the literature to be used, departure from Stockton, Me., for consisting of R. S. Baxter, Jess Pelermo. She was owned by the Hemby, J. E. Wood, Mrs. S. D. Benedict Manson Marine Comons and control them by politi- Myres, Mrs. R. A. Henderson and pany of New Haven, Conn. Her al boards under the domination Mrs. C. B. Doolin. This committee gross tonnage was 1,300. She was and influence of said James E. is to meet Thursday night and built in 1890 at Weethaven, Conn.

ARRIVES SAFE

New York, Feb. 15.—French line steamer, Rochambeau, which The people of the West Side be left here February fourth carry-The court today agreed with the governor, it is charged, "has penses in 1914, asserts that prace the governor, it is charged, "has penses in 1914, asserts that prace ing so far away from the Sunday violated the spirit of the law and tically 13,000 acres of state farm ing so far away from the Sunday ing a hundred passenger including a hundred passenger including the image of the spirit of the law and tically 13,000 acres of state farm ing so far away from the Sunday ing a hundred passenger including the image of the spirit of the law and tically 13,000 acres of state farm ing so far away from the Sunday ing a hundred passenger including the image of the spirit of the law and tically 13,000 acres of state farm ing so far away from the Sunday ing a hundred passenger including the spirit of the law and tically 13,000 acres of state farm ing so far away from the Sunday ing a hundred passenger including the spirit of the law and tically 13,000 acres of state farm ing so far away from the sunday ing a hundred passenger including the spirit of the law and tically 13,000 acres of state farm ing so far away from the sunday ing a hundred passenger including the spirit of the law and tically 13,000 acres of state farm ing so far away from the sunday ing a hundred passenger including the spirit of the law and tically 13,000 acres of state farm in the spirit of the law and tically 13,000 acres of state farm in the spirit of the law and tically 13,000 acres of state farm in the spirit of the law and tically 13,000 acres of state farm in the spirit of the law and tically 13,000 acres of state farm in the spirit of the law and tically 13,000 acres of state farm in the spirit of the law and tically 13,000 acres of state farm in the spirit of the law and tically 13,000 acres of state farm in the spirit of the law and tically 13,000 acres of state farm in the spirit of the law and tically 13,000 acres of state farm in the spirit of the law and tically 13,000 acres of state farm in the spirit of the law and tically 13,000 acres of safely in Borbeaux.

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Stockholm, Jan. 20.-Food conresulted in long queues of buyers to \$1.20 a pound. standing for hours in front of the

stuffs controlled by the Govern eked out with turnips.

One Egg in Five Weeks It had been hoped to allow one over, is all but indrinkable.

expropriation for control by the these cards, pelled to open each can before sell small children. ng it, so as to force the buyers to consume it at once and not hoard

いい。西郷 Cheapest Meat 60c Pound

of all kinds in the Greater Berlin 15 1-2 cents on the local market municipalities runs from 5 1-4 to 8 3-4 ounces. The cheapest varie 6 1-2% MONEY ties cost about 60c a pound; the

Goose fat costs \$1.80 a can for a full particulars. can of 17 3-5 ounces, and is the can be bought without a card. Texas. Extending his investigations the

orrespondent heard expressions DON'T Buy until you try-Don't r last visited the front in July he men's rations were ample in | Read it first in the Dall Reporter

every respect, and there is no reas Plumbing that Pleases OTTO CARTER'S today. There is a deadly monotony about meals in the agerage household. Breakfast generally consists of rolls, marmalade (often made of pumpkins), and a decoction of roasted acrons, rye chicory and what-not that goes by the name of coffee. There is no litions in Germany have changed real coffee left. Some tea at high greatly for the worse in the last prices is still to be had, but the five months. The correspondent poorer people drink a brew of lind of the Associated Press, who has en blossoms, raspberry leaves or been away from Germany since the leaves of other shrubs or trees. first week in August, has just re For the "second breakfast" there turned from a stay of three weeks is a dry bread. Dinner generally in Berlin. He found that many consists of boiled potatoes with staples of food had altogether dis salt, some kind of boiled vegeta appeared from the markets others bles and, on perhaps two days of had grown so dear that they are the week a tiny piece of meat. Fish feet taht our customers feel more beyond the reach of any but the takes the place of meat on other than satisfied and talk about us to well-to-do, the daily allowance of days, unless one can buy a goose potatoes had been reduced to ten at \$1.56 a pound (they cost \$2 a ounces, and that either a shortage pound just before Christmas), a of flour of a disordered distribu duck at \$1.44 a pound, a turkey at tion of it among the bakers had \$1.32 a pound or a hen at \$1.08 sequently we are able to tare out

No More Bottled Beer

Supper is the problem in the Maximum prices of the food average houeshold. Generally there are no potatoes left over from noon ment are still very low for pota and if there are there is no fat in toes and bread, and comparative which to fry them. The usual Ger ly low for meats. Potatoes cost only 72c the standard bushel of ed of cold meats, sausage, cheese sixty pounds, and bread a little less than 3 1-2c a pound. But the standard bushel of some and butter, and beer. There is than 3 1-2c a pound but the standard bushel of some at, no cheese and no saupotato allowance is insufficient for sage, no butter on four or five persons who have little but bread days of the week no more bottled and potatoes to eat and has to be beer and many saloonkeepers re- prices in Sweetwater-please read fuse to sell beer to be consumed off the premises. The beer, more-

egg a person each two weeks in There remain then, only bread Greater Berlin but the last one and fish, fresh-smoked bred or egg allowance was made some five canned. And the problem of cost weeks ago and another is not promised until February. When the correspondent left Berlin in Aug. ust it was still possible to buy sac a pound for small fresh water cheese. Since the end of August bass. Dried salted fish costs 36c there has been no cheese on the market. It is said that considrable quantities are being imported weeks the city authorities place from Holland, but it goes apparent on the market small tins of sardin ly to the front except for small es, one of which may be bought on quantities allowed the restaurants presentation of the municipal leb ensmittekarte or provision card. Another serious reduction of Each family, no matter of how available foodstuffs has been the many members, has only one of

Government of all canned vegeta Pepper-costs \$6 a pound and small gweetwater LAUNDRY CO. bles. Four of five weeks ago the raisins \$6.08. Sacoharine dissolved dealers were permitted to sell a in water has taken the place of fractional part of their stock, but sugar for sweetening coffee and only two cans on each bread card tea in private homes as well as Permission to sell a further part restaurants. Milk is ordinarily is expected to be granted auto available in limited quantities onsoon but the dealers are to be come ly for invalids and very aged and

COTTON GOES LOWER

The cotton market is about 20 points down today with the result The weekly allowance of meat that midling basis is quoted at

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tions continues to be the lack of ers, I can make loans on lands at fats and oils. The weekly allow the rate above mentioned and cas ance of butter and margarine to give you the best service ever ofgether is a little less than three fered in the West. Abilene inounces a person. The Associated spector, Abilene attorneys, Abil-Press correspondent paid \$3.12 ene MONEY, no red tape, no frills for about two-thirds of a pint of no delays. Terms, brokerage and hazlenut oil to be used for frying, expenses reasonable. Write me for

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lowing new officers: President, 118. Mrs. G. H. Bunton; First Vice President, Mrs. A. L. Reynolds; LOST .- One dark bay mare, half Second Vice President, Mrs. E. V. Second Vice President, Mrs. E. V. shetland with blaze face and saddle marks on the back, Finder man; Cor. Secty., Mrs. P. W. Ham please phone 500. man; Cor. Secty., Mrs. P. W. Ham please phone 500. ilton; Treasurer, Mrs. S. I. Edwards; Parliamentarian and Cri- FOR SALE .- Good work horse. tic, Mrs. Smothers; Press Repor- Seven years old perfectly gentle ter, Mrs. Roy Headrick; Library at a bargain. A. M. Fryar at end of Chairman, Mrs. W. T. McCoy.

At the conclusion of the business session the club members en FOR SALE.-House hold goods joyed a social good time. Refresh A. M. Fryar at north end of Lo ment plates on which was prettily arranged a most appetizing luncheen course was passed by the FOR RENT.—Four thostess assisted by her sister Miss with bath. Phone 696. Delma Wilson.

WATSON ACQUITTED

By Associated Press:

Waco, Feb. 15 .- J. E. Watson was acquitted of forgery this morning in the Fairfield district court. Other cases against Watson his father and brother were post poned until the April term of court.

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DR. ZACHERY ENDS HIS LIFE lief.

News was received in Ballinger Monday of the death of Dr. C. A. Zachery, of Crews. Dr. Zachery took an overdose of chloroform between ten and twelve o'clock Sunday morning and died from the effects of the medicine. Justice of the Peace Tally, of Crews, held an inquest and rendered a verdict in accordance with the a | Monday afternoon. bove facts. The funeral was held Monday and the remains laid to rest in the Crews temetery.

Dr. Zachery had been a citizen later moving to Crews. For some sime he had been in bad health and was carried to the asylum FOR SALE. Clothes worth the where he was given temporary re money -Phone 251.

Mrs. Zachery is a teacher in the Crews school. Besides her two children survive. They have the sympathy of many friends in their sorrow .- Ballinger Ledger.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The Methodist ladies held their regular Bible study at the church

Mrs. Dawson directed the lesson on the book of John in such a way that each member felt it was good to have been there. A good of this county for perhaps fifteen attendance was present though years. He located at Rowens some of the regular attendants where he practiced for some time, were detained at home on account of sickness.

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Just received, all kinds of garden seed.—Davis' Cash Grocery. tf

-Davis Cash Grocery. 15-2td at the Reporter office today.

Tanlac for sale at City Drug

Springs samples just arrived .-Heath Tailoring Co. 14-2d-1w

Bulk Peanut Butter.-Davis

Fresh oysters all this week at the City Grocery Co .- Phone 152

Special prices on oranges Sat- several days. urday.- Davis' Cash Grocery.

Get the best shoe, at the price, and that will be the Selz .-- Herndon Shoe Co.

Just received our new line of spring and summer samples for both wen and women, Come in and ing Plant. 14-4td

Clothes cleaned at our plant are free from that gasoline smell. Phone 97. Steam Dry Cleaning

Special prices on oranges Saturday.-Davis' Cash Grocery. 15-2td.

For Quick service in cleaning phone 251.—Heath. 14-2d-1w

Ladies spring samples just arrived.-Heath Tailoring Company 14-2d-1w.

Bulk Peanut Butter.-Davis ash Grocery. 15-3td

We are as near as your Phone. No trouble to call and get your work. We have automobile deivery.-Heath Tailoring Co. Phone 251

Just received our new line of both men and women. Come in and choir will meet at the church this beauty. The four end men acting might month.

Miss ing Plant.

WANTED .- Second hand tent .-A. M. Fryar at end or North Lo-

Our service is the best.-Heath family. Tailoring Co. 14-2d-1w

Cash Grocery.

Phone Heath Tailoring Co .- 251 We will do the rest. 14-2d1w

NOTICE OF FIRST MEET. ING OF CREDITORS

In the District Court of the Unit. ed States for the Northern Dis trict of Texas, in Bankruptcy

OFFICE OF REFEREE

Abilene Texas. IN THE MATTER OF Thomas McCoy Bankrupt

No. 548 in Bankruptey

To The Creditors of Thomas Mc Coy of Dora in the county of Non at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said ereditors may

K. K. LEGETT,

are moving here from Crowell.

PERSONALS

S. W. Kennedy was a passenger

Judge R. W. Haney of Abilene is a business visitor here today.

R. L. Hall, editor of the Black-Saturday will be Orange Day, well Times, was a pleasant caller

> Judge J. H. Cochran killed a fine 200 pound porker Wednesday

> Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Price, owners of the Roe Ranch are here from Chicago for a few days.

> The County Clerk has failed to issue a single marriage license so

The local understakers have had no report of any one dying for

J. C. George is reported quite ill at the family home in the West part of the city.

The Jamisons beautiful bunga low on the West side is nearing

E. M. Black, manager of the look them over. Steam Dry Clean- Burton-Lingo Lumber Co. of this place, is in Abilene today on busi-

> J. N. Kilman, state manager of the Singer Sewing Machine Co. spent yesterday in Sweetwater on

Hon. Don. H. Biggers passed

W. A. Roberts, electrician of 14-2d-1w Dallas is here for the purpose of installing the T. & P. telegraph part will open with a catchy mel-

14-4td evening at 7:30. All members are with a slap bang. requested to be present.

Mrs. Holland, of Canyon City, came in last night en route to Min with bright catchy costumes. One 15-dtf eral Wells, and while in the city of the pleasing numbers in the was the guest of P. C . Moore and

C. N. McGaffey will leave for Bulk Peanut Butter.-Davis Post City tonight where a Praeby him, Friday night. James Another pleasing number of the Knight local deputy at Post will assist in the organization.

been on a visit to her daughter, of Sweetwater.

Mrs. Alba Hutchings, and Mrs. The Mores to

few days in Cisco and Albany. ment successful.

Meanwhile Mr Brazill is preparing This sparkling Abilene, Texas, Feb. 14, 1917 later and will make that their future home.

The big steel beams supporting an and District aforesaid, a bank the upper floor of the new freight rupt. Notice is hereby given that depot were tested out yesterday on the 14 day of Feb. A. D., 1917 They are supposed to bear up sev the said Thomas McCoy was duly enty five pounds to the square adjudged bankrupt, and that the foot. More than two hundred first meeting of his creditors will pounds to the square foot were be held at my office in the city of placed on them and they were Abilene, Taylor County, Texas, on found not to have varied the frac the 26th day of Feb. A. D. 1917, tional part of an inch.

Sweetwater council 436 Practor attend, prove their claims, ap-point a trustee, examine the bank last night. The Gold and Silver rupt and transact such other busi- contest was put on and both sides ness as may properly come before start out with the determina-said meeting. eash prizes are being offered and Referee in Bankruptcy. the contest is to close with a sup per. The council is growing fast, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Templeton new members being added to each



A most frequent visitor and a most exacting guest. You will often see the time when

Opportunity Looms Big with possibilities. Will you be able to meet the exactions?

A Bank Account Started Now Will Help



which takes place in a New York

The second part you will see pretty girls flash across the stage show is "Seaojs at the Shore" from "Prince of Pilson." At the rise of the curtain the young lad ies and gentlemen will be seated selves into a living stage coach. performance is the Indian Maids

The Moose took an unanimous Evins Osburn and returned this vote to give 10 per cent of the morning. ty's and are doing everything in

dates not being fully decided on.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Miss Opel Perry, daughter of Mrs. Ruth Perry, in Southeast Sweetwater, was tendered a most enjoyable birthday party by her mother on the occasion of her ninth birthday. Mrs. M. D. Wil-Marvelous Melage of Mirth and His, her Sunday school the Brady, Making a Musical Meal that will Melt in your Mouth."

The local order of Moose numcia Fitzgerlad, Clara Belle Willis, Davis, West Mary Willia Leal Davis, lis, her Sunday school teacher Hon. Don. H. Biggers passed through on the Santa Fe, Austin bound. He has matters of public interest in view.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Headrick vis ited Mr. Headrick's sister, Miss Jewell Headrick who is quite ill with apendicitis.

Mrs. G. W. Cox of Snyder spent the night in town and went over to Abilene today to visit her child ren who are in school there.

The local order of Moose number of Mosse number 1044 have made arrangements with at the stage the big gest Musical Extravananz and Min strel show ever staged in Sweetws ter. The show is to be one of the grandest performances of it's kind ever presented in this city and with the talent selected we know whereof we speak. The show is not one of the old time minstrels, with a few end men 'cracking' jokes and a few hurray songs, but every number is novel in the extreme and is rehearsed until it is needless to say that the festivities were heartily indulged in by every one present; and all went treme and is rehearsed until it is every one present, and all went away with joyous good wishes for many returns of the happy occassystem in the new freight station. ody song by the entire company, ion. Some even wished that she might have a birthday once a

> Miss Opel was the recipient of many dainty and valuable pres-

BRIDGE LUNCHEON

Tuesday afternoon Mrs. J. Me-Alister Stevenson entertained at Bridge, honoring her father and mother, Judge and Mrs. Fred Cock erel of Abilene. A number of in on the sands at the sea shore and teresting games were enjoyed. 15-3td torian council will be organized at the close they will form them The hostess poured punch through out the afternoon and served a most delightful luncheon. Those might local deputy at the sist in the organization.

Sist in the organization.

In their war dance. The cast will include some forty or fifty of the best Musical and Dramatic talent best Musical and Dramatic talent ris, Mrs. S. I. Edwards and Mrs. R. T. Hunter.

BAPTIST AID SOCIETY

Mrs. W. F. Brazill is visiting a their power to make this entertain rist ladies divide their society on According to custom the Bap-This sparking comedy will be the Second Monday of each month to move to Albuquerque, N. M. under the direction of Mr. Harry separate meetings. Monday the where Mrs. Brazill will join him Ennis of Los Angeles, Calif., who West Circle met with Mrs. Isham comes there well recommended Wright, the East Circle with Mrs.

from various states where he has worked. He carries a pretty line of costumes and electrical effects.

The entertainment will be the at the Sweetwater Opera house the latter part of the month, the dates not being fully decided on.

E sell Meal and Cake. make all grades. want your business. IRE us your orders. CO COTTON OIL MILL ACO, TEXAS.