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INPORTANT MEETING CALL-HEAVY ED FOR 10 A. M. TOMORROW

\$250 each.

Several more cattle deals have

J. S. Arledge has sold to A. R.

Sumrale a registered Hereford

male calf for \$125. Claude Har-

graves has shipped two cars of sil

steers to the Fort Worth market,

him 8 1-4 cents. Mr. Hargraves

realized a nice profit from feed-

They averaged 705 and bought

A minority report, signed by Mr

Mendell and three others, recom-

out. This means a debate on the

and incidentals, and \$300 for labor

at the Mansion. All of this is con

Abilene, Feb. 16 .- Returning

thirty-nine bills of indictment for

felony offenses, the special grand

for pandering one for criminal assault, one for theft by conversion

Crime Rife

session waiting for them.

and one for theft.

A meeting of the local club of the Good Roads Association is call the Good Roads Association is call ed for tomorrow at ten o'clock in the rear of the Texas Bank & Trust Company. A phone message this morning announced that W. B. Starr of Midland and other officials of the Fort Worth-El Paso Highway would be here at that hour to take part in the meeting. L. O. Dudgeon, .. days and others are in prospect.

President of Nolan County Good Roads Association.

LATE NEWS

By Associated Press:

MEASLES EPIDEMIC San Juan, Feb. 16.-A severe epidemic of measles has broken out in San Juan, seventeen hundred cases being reported.

FAILED

Washington, Feb. 16.-The proposed increased postage rates on newspapers, magazines and provision for one cent postage on drop letters have been eliminated from postal bill.

PASSES SENATE

Austin, Feb. 16.-Hudspeth's

ANOTHER TRUST

Washington, Feb. 16.—Print out \$2,850, declaring the same to paper manufacturers have sub-have been "illegally expended."

With this exception the general ter.

Cunningham & Oliver are the attentity as a cunningham & Oliver are the attention of the cunningh federal trade commission a prop- deficiency bill was favorably reosition the action on which will re ported. lieve the present prohibitive pric-

The details of the report are un mended allowing the items struck

announced.

However, the commission's report is understood to show that
there is no shortage of paper of

Depositories for County Funds demned by the subcommittee's re Abilene, Feb. 16.—The county port, which was adopted by a macommissioners' court has awarded jority of the main committee. the contract for county depository to the fiscal year ended Aug.

The fiscal year ended Aug.

The Philadelphia, first American liner to to the Citizens National and of \$4,500 to have been allowed by leave Europe since Germany's description.

AMOUNT

Amsterdam, Feb. 16.—A Berlin newsparer says a new German war credit bill to be introduced coming day morning. tional, the Citizens National and of \$4,500 to have been allowed by the First State Banks of Abilene on the basis of 3 6-10 per cent on daily balances. The contract is Of that amount, it says \$4,315 was daily balances. The contract is of that amount, it says \$4,315 was for two years, and the Farmers & expended, only \$235 legally, and expended, only \$235 legally, and gers. Thitry-eight were Ameri-levy. Merchants Bank is to have 40 per lists items it refuses to accept. cent and the other two thirty per cent each of the funds of the coun

The F. & M. Bank as designated the depository for county school funds at the same rate of interest. Forthe purpose of keeping the funds equalized the court authorized the treasurer to issue transfer checks on the written order of the F. & M. cashier, approved by the county judge.

Abilene is the best place in Texas for the location of the West Texas A. & M. College, There is no question in our mind about that We find our county ri being a fact Abilene can get the crime and in our short session it were killed. school if it can convince the locating committee that what we have than a beginning of the needed in ditu, daughter of Menelik. posed of good men who want to vestigation. We find it necessary part of Texas to the best advantage. Our claims should be care-Abilene can afford to pay as much as any other town when it comes for this grand jury to remain in to that, a thing that we do not indorse. The school should be located without regard to donations .-Abilene Reporter.

Try a Reporter "Want Ad."

By Associated Press:

Havana, Feb. 16 .- Heavy fightng last night between the rebels and government troops is reported near here.

Several rebels were killed.

been pulled off during the past few Temp Lewis has sold two twelve months old registered hereford male calves to Rufe Whiteside for

By Associated Press:

Paris, Feb. 1-Americans in Aus age fed coming two years old tria have been warned from Wash- today by Governor James E. Ferington to leave that country.

Attorneys for Mrs. Leona Mc-Gee Thursday refiled a suit in district court against the Texas and Pacific railroad asking for \$40,-000 damages for the death of Mrs.

By Associated Press:

London, Feb. 16.-The Lloyds announce the submarining of the Britsh steamers, Greenland, Long. scar, and Kyunsti and the sailing ships Percy, Roy and Trawler.

GOVERNOR FILES

for \$50,000 damages was filed here country. guson against the San Antonio Ex press for publication of allegations made concerning him during the recent campaign.

The suit is based upon the same charges for which Governor Ferguson brought suit against C. H Morris, C. E. Meadgen et al. These latter suits have been disaissed by the plaintiff.

TULIA IS CANDIDATE FOR NEW A. & M SITE

Tulia, Tex., Feb. 16 .- The citizens of Swisher county through ent. Austin, Feb. 15.-The House McGee's husband, Virgil Arthur their Young Men's Business Lea-Committee on Appropriations this McGee, who was struck and killed gue wired Governor Ferguson and the yard late Monday afternoon tion into Mexico. statewide tick eradication was passed by the Senate.

It now goes to House.

ANOTHER TRUST

Committee on Appropriations this by a train just west of the city other members of the locating when she became chocked on some by a train just west of the city other members of the locating when she became chocked on some board of the proposed West Texas tempted to swallow. The fam ily priations asked for the Governor's term asked for \$50,000 damages.

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By Associated Press:

In the absence of any information, marine officials believe she passed safely through the zone.

SHIP SAILS

New York, Feb. 16.—Anchor Minister of finance Bey is quot-line steamer, Tuscania, carrying ed as saying that since the outfourteen cabin passengers, includ- break of war, Germany and Aus-Glasgow today.

INVESTIGATES

Washington, Feb. 16 .- Amerijury made its report at noon Thurs can gunboat, name of which is day to District Judge Joe Burkett withheld has arrived at Santiago, and adjourned after six days work Decuba and explored the harbor Among the indictments were fif- and found it free from mines.

bootlegging, six for forgery, two harbor had been mined. STORMING TIME

London, Feb. 16.—Abyssinia is having a stormy time since the quiry has been sent to Germany lished as a result of the same. In its report the grand jury, death of Emperor Menelik. Civil through the Spanish embassy, at war has broken out and in one bat- Berlin, regarding the delay of the books have been added to the libra We find our county rife with the nearly twenty five thousand departure of the second trainload ry during the past few months by

NO ACTION TAKEN locate the school where it should the regular grand jury for many be placed in order to serve this be placed in order to serve this reasons, one reason being that a State Department officials said ber other Acmricans. good many out of county witness- that no instructions had been sent es are needed to complete investi- warning Americans to leave Austhe county by passing such inves- en such action on his own initia. Chamber of Deputies to appro- the afternoon and night: tigations to the regular term than tive.

GERMANS GAIN

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Holzhous-er are in the city today from Mary neal looking after business mat-ters and visiting.

attack on Champagne yesterday, ent year.

This is an increase of nine hun-dred milion franc. over first quar-front, taking 858 prisoners.

London, Feb. 16.—Germany has made a new loan to Turkey of 42, 500,000 Turkish pounds, according Amsterdam dispatch.

ing four Americans, sailed for tra-Hungary have advanced to Turkey seventy nine million

ANOTHER BREAK

London, Feb. 16.—Negotiations between Ambassador Penfield of teen for burglary, thirteen for A recent dispatch said that the Government are reported to have funds for its support except free broken off.

MAKES INQUIRY

of former American officials from friends who have found that they has been impossible to make more The new ruler is Empress Zau-Germany for Switzerland.

The train should have left mun- private library. ich early this week, carrying eigh. However, it requires some real cial year-including September.

FRANCE NEEDS MONEY

SUBMISSION AGAIN MEETS DEFEAT BY UNCHANGED VOT

oad of catalogues for a prominent Chicago mail order houes. This office handles about three car loads year for this firm, an item of no

mall sum. It is an indication of he immense amount of business one in this part of the country by one company alone, and also Brenham, Texas, Feb. 14.—Suit indicates what is going out of the

Tuesday morning when little Eth- Funston announces. d Clark, three years of age, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Clark living near Champion, died as the result of a peculiar accid-

an X-ray examination was made his wife. but still it was impossible to locate | According to Spencer, Salazar then proceeded rapidly to Abil- take to the border, one where physicians did all in "Tell the American people that their power to locate and remove Jose Yne Salazar is going to vis-the offending matter but all to no it then shortly an distribute a avail. A tube was inserted into few pounds of lead in their midst. he windpipe so as to render breath "Just as soon as the forces I

There is no more worthy cause or pounds, payable in eleven years af institution in Sweetwater than the ter peace shall have been declared. public library. It is maintained for the good of the people by furnishing the very best class of read ests from future raids. ing free to all who may desire it. The library has no source from Vienna and the Austro-Hungaria which to secure the necessary

will offerings. The good people of Sweetwater have been generous along this line Washington, Feb. 16 .- An in .- and great good has been accomp-

Quite a number of additional could spare these books from their

ty six former American consuls money to keep the library in the October, November, December and Sweetwater Theatre on next Tues- board. Of these, 47 were fatal. day afternoon and night.

By Associated Press:

Austin, Feb. 16.—Submission of the bone dry resolution was defeated in house today by a vote of ninety three to forty one. The measure needed two more votes to

Four present did not vote. Three members were absent

By Associated Press:

San Antonio, Feb. 16 .- Americans patrols on border west of Columbia are being strengthened A sad death occurred early as a result of the recent raids, Gen.

MEXICAN ARRESTED Brownsville, Feb. 16 .- A Mexican woman has been arrested here The little girl was playing in for alleged smuggling of ammuni-

Mansion. By such action it struck Cunningham & Oliver are the at- county as a suitable place for the Clerk took the little girl in his car kill all the American men, accord and rushed to town. Dr. Young ing to "Bunk" Spencer, the Amsucceeding in giving partial tem-perary relief but was unable to can wife, was captured by Sala-locate the offending sobstance. He zar's force at Ojito. Spencer reach accompanied Mr. Clark and the ed the border Wednesday to oblittle patient to Sweetwater where tain a ramson for the release of

the cause of the trouble. They gave him the following message to

ing more easy, and preparations am expecting reach me, I shall GERMANY NEEDS ENORMOUS | Wer - made to perform an opera- strike some American city or town tion, but before that could be done and no American force or Carran-Amsterdam, Feb. 16 .- A Berlin the child died, death occurred be za will prevent me from carrying

"Columbus will be as nothing compared to my strike.

'During my stay I will make every effort to protect American women and children, but the men of 'Gringoland' will have to take

The Warren ranch interests are understood to have agreed to pay \$15,000 ramson for Spenser and is wife. Spencer returned to Sal azar shortly after meeting his em ployers, declaring Salazar had threatened to kill the woman up on Spencer's failure to come back.

The ramson it was understood would be paid in monthly installments and its payment would insure protection on the ranch inter

By Associated Press:

Austin, Feb. 16 .- During the first five months of the present fis-

During this same period, 3,005 fully and honestly presented which will doubtless be done and that, can be had with less expense to Ambassador Penfield had taking a compensation by insurance the afternoon and night:

Paris, Feb. 16.—Minister of fin-Billie Burk, in "Peggy" a six claims were filed with the board and a total of \$375,746 was paid out as compensation by insurance priate nine billion, five hundred Only a small fee for admission companies writing this class of in and seventy four million francs to will be charged. Sweetwater peo- surance. This sum does not include cover Government's expenditures ple will have the opportunity of \$54,122 paid out by the companies Berlin, Feb. 16.—Beginning an for the second quarter of the pres spending a most pleasant hour and as medical expenditures doctor doing good at the same time. bitls, medicines and hospital fees, J. T. Hughes visited Abilene to-day. which would bring the total up to \$230,868, according to figures given out by the state board.

Edwin Clapp SHOES

100 pairs of Edwin Clapp Shoes, new styles, are now on sale at

\$6.50 and \$7.00

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Have just received a big shipment of beautiful Siks

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The Jersey Cloths now Shown in Our Window



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Goers of a Busy World

ter today.

The commissioners' court is in ession again today.

rom yesterday.

oday on business.

s at Roscoe again today.

W. L. Futch is in Bip Springs

H. Winkler is transacting business in Bronte today.

J. C. George is reported unimproved today.

Mrs. George Sparks is spending he week in Roscoe.

Billy Smith is reported sick with 'Store.

The local High school basketball am is in Loraine this afternoon r a game with the team there.

The street forces are doing some

oleman county are here from a trip to New Mexico.

Earl Mashburn has about recovred from a severe attack of pneu-

Farmers in town today report ng since the rain.

Premier Co. is to be here for the next two or three weeks.

he east did not reach here till Cash Grocery. twelve o'clock today.

Sheriff Russell of Lamesa was the state agent from Huntsville.

G. C. Shultz of Fisher county is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Joe Holder today.

Mrs. Bud Gotcher will leave on the morning train for Brownwood the eye specialist for treatment. | Plant.

Geraldine Gotcher is progressing urday.-Davis' Cash Grocery. nicely. She has enrolled 30 pu- 15-2td pils to date.

ber for a new barn which he is head. building on the place he recently purchased from J. C. Seal.

J. K. P. Harris, one of the big eattle men of Maryneal, and Justrice George Eatwell spent Thurs day in the city.

W. C. Calvert states that he has over sixty lambs from his hundred head of sheep bought in the

A hedge is being planted out round the lawn of the Hefner Sanitarium, and additional shade trees are being set out.

Joe Lee Ferguson of Hale Center, brother of the Governor was in town a little while last night on his way to Austin.

The youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. John Dynch is quite ill with pneumonia at their country home about 8 miles from the city.

The Calendar Circle of the First Methodist church will meet with Mrs. W. W. Davis next Monday afternoon. The subject for study will be Japan.

A. I. Berman returned last night from Cuero where he was called! several days ago to see a sick brother-in-law. He left his relative much improved.

Mrs. Myrtle Mewshaw, expression teacher in the Abilene school.

ness visit to San Angelo. He re ports the whole town aroused over ♦ Gathered Among the Comers and ♦ the prospect of securing the new West Texas A. & M. School.

A. O. Dryer came in from El Thos. Trammell is reported bet. Paso this morning and will be here several days on business. Mr. Dry er reports that his wife's health The cotton market is unchanged has greatly improved since going to El Paso.

The Christian ladies will enter tain with a colonial tea at Mrs Ragland's the afternoon of the 20 Tax Assessor George Sheppard Every one is cordially invited to

*************** BUSINESS LOCALS

Saturday will be Orange Day Davis Cash Grocery.

Cleaning and pressing. Satisfacion guaranteed. Phone us today.

157. Will Hubbard. Tanlace for sale at City Drug

Just received, all kinds of garden seed .- Davis' Cash Grocery, tf FOR MAYOR

Saturday will be Orange Day Davis Cash Grocery. 15-2td

Tanlac for sale at City Drug

v.- Davis' Cash Grocery. Get the best shoe, at the price, Pillow slips . .

he ground in fine shape for plough and that will be the Selz .- Hern Bed Spreads .. don Shoe Co. W. C. Seamen of the Frantz For cleaning, pressing and re-

pairing, Phone 157.-Will Hub-Bulk Peanut Butter.—Davis The early morning train from

Just received our new line of here yesterday with a prisoner for both men and women. Come in and look them over. Steam Dry Clean

Clothes cleaned at our plant are free from that gasoline smell. where she goes to Dr. Anderson, Phone 97. Steam Dry Cleaning

The Mexican School under Miss Special prices on oranges Sat

Our new Kahn samples are here. W. T. Scott is hauling out lum-head. Phone 157.—Will Hubbard.

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426 acres, close to town.

2400 acres close to town, \$12.50

4 room house on paved street, \$1300.00

10 room house on paved street,

4 room house on South Side,

6 room house in Orient, well improved, \$2500.00.

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LOST-Strayed or stolen, Here-

ford cow, about 8 years old with ball face and stocking legs. Reason able reward for information leading to her recovery .- F. F. Watt, Roscoe, Texas.

Anson, Feb. 16 .- Marvin Waldlustre. We pay special attention sion teacher in the Abilene school, rop, age nine years, son of Mr. and to white fars. Send yours here and is spending the day with Mrs. J. E. Mrs. Jay Waldrop, of this city ingitis. He was taken sick Wednes day morning with what was F. M. Hefner is doing a commend thought to be a severe case of able thing in planting shade trees measles. The attending physician around his premises, putting out Dr A. M. K. Jones became convine hedges and otherwise beautifying ed that the case was meningitis his yard. His example is worthy this morning and County Health of emulation.

Officer has quarantined the house.

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Announcement Column

Rates \$7.50, Payable in Advance

The following have announced for City Offices in the approaching April Election:

FOR CHIEF OF POLICE.

J. H. BOND W. H. GARDNER CHAS. STARR. J. F. DICKSON W. R. JOHNSON

FOR CITY SECRETARY. W. H. BARTLETT.

J. D. SLOAN

LAUNDRY NOTICE

We have not advanced our linen prices in Sweetwater-please read

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spring and summer samples for SWEETWATER LAUNDRY CO. The Nicest Laundry in Texas

No Bundles takes at Above prices

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CAN WELD ANYTHING UN-

DER THE SUN BUT A BROKEN

HEART OR THE BREAK OF

See Us for Tanks

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GEO. T. WILSON

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If You have Shoes Repair work or

Want Made to Order boots or Choes,

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SWEETWATER LAUNDRY CO.

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Satisfaction or your Money Back

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Sweetwater

Laundry Compy

Just received our new line of John McCracken has put on a Bulk Peanut Butter .- Davis spring and summer samples for float wagon and asks for a share 15-3td both men and women. Come in and of your business. Prompt and efook them over. Steam Dry Clean Rejent service is his motto. Phone



The Difference

Between watch repairing. and watch fixing, or watch tinkering can be told best by you when you have your watch Repaired and it keeps good time and satisfaction is the result. We repair watches in a way that you will always be satisfied. Be cause we want you to return with your next job.

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Is what your expression will be if you let us do your Jewelry repairing. No matter what it is we can fix it if its Jewelry. When others have failed we make them keep time. Special attention to high grade work.

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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

Big Stock of New Goods

We are just in receipt of a big lot of

New Art Squares, Linoleum, and Window Shades

And are in position to make you some very attractive prices on these goods. CALL AND SEE THEM

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Phone 10

Phone 11 Northeast Corner Square-Payne's Furniture Old Stand

We have a full stock of Fancy and Staple Groceries.. We han- Floyd Miles, press agent for the B. M. Jones. dle White Face Flour.

We have choice Pea Green Alfalfa Hay, choice bright Johnson mass meeting idea which has been and water. Phone 207, Nolan Coun Hay good Prairie Hay, Bran, chops, oats, shorts, cow feed in fact all kinds of feed.

We have auto delivery. We sell for less for cash. See or phone us before you bay.

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San Angelo must take heroic FOR RENT.—Four room and immediate steps in the matter with bath. Phone 696. of securing the West Texas Agricultural & Mechanical college, last week of the revival. This sug FOR RENT .- Five room house gests to The Standard that the with bath, sleeping porch lights advocated by City Commissioner ty Abstract Company. Henry E. Jackson and others could Properly advertised and boosted, coe, Texas. The Standard believes that big tab ernacle could be filled with cit. WANTED. Two or three furnishing the college at San Angelo with children .- Phone 696. all the energy and influence they are capable of generating.

or city asking for it. There is go- at once, Ring 351. ing to be an scramble for it; it is as in the history of the State or will be rewarded .- Mrs. Mack That's putting it strong, but an Murphy at Sweetwater Theatre. analysis of the proposition will 15-3td. bear The Standard out in taking this view of it.

San Angelo stands as good, if not a better, chance to get the college as any other town or city, but FOR SALE .- Three good work it is going to require every ounce horses; five young mules from 2 of strength we can command, be to 4 years old; four good mares cause other towns and cities are and colts. Prices reasonable.strengthening their forts and are Adams Machinery Co., Sweetwa getting ready to fire their big guns from the topmost vantage hill when the time is ripe, which it will be soon, and San Angelo must be hoe Store and get the best .- The as well "prepared" as the rest and Selvetter "prepared," if possible, and The Standard believes it is possible.

San Angelo Standard.

Miss Lucile Smith of White wright who has been guest of her aunt, Mrs. B. S. Burke, at Mrs. F. G. Robertson's left on last night's train to visit in Pecos' as she is en route to El Paso.

econd and subsequent insertions,

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WE HAVE experienced men to do turniture repairing, crating and shiping goods. toves polished and set Satisfaction guaranteed. Terms reasonable.-Household Furniture Co.

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FOR RENT .- 3 rooms, with private bath, for light house keeping or couple without children. Phone

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esidence phone 221 .- J. Waggon-

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lots, land, haul. Have good mule team and equipment.-Phone No.

married man, Experienced in book erred. Best of references. fraid of work .- Box 816 Sweet-13-6tdp

FOR SALE .- Good work horse. Seven years old perfectly gentle at a bargain. A. M. Fryar at end of north Locust st.

SALE.-House hold goods A. M. Fryar at north end of Lo-

cottage 14-tfd

FOR RENT .- Two rooms one un-Announcement is made in The furnished for light house keeping, Standard today in the article by for couple without children. Mrs.

be carried out in good advantage FOR SALE .- Some fine milk cows one day next week, using the tab. Gives from 3 to 5 gallons. Every ernacle as the place of meeting cow guaranteed. Sam Davis, Ros-

zens of Concholand who would get ed or unfurnished rooms for light back of the proposition of locat housekeeping for couple without

\$30.00 will buy a good two seat-The proposition of locating the ed carriage in good condition, runcollege is not one which is likely ning gear is fine shape and will to be handed out to the first town last for years. A bargain if taken

by far the biggest proposition that LOST.—On the streets somewhere has fallen in the path of West Tex Wednesday a cameo broach. Find by far the biggest proposition that LOST .- On the streets somewhere

> Lady's purse, owner may have same by paying for this notice.

> ter, Texas.

But hoes at the Herndon

DON'T Buy until you try-Don't sell until you tell-New Second Hand Furniture Store. Phone 684. 11tfd-₩ -M. T. Bowden, Mgr.

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Office Phone 600 Office up stairs Campbell Building

Tomorrow---Saturday---the last day of McDavid's Big Dissolution Sale. Sale closes tomorrow night at 10 o'clock. All goods at Actual Cost till sale closes, just as advertised. It's bargain day. R. V. McDavid. . . .

tra session of the present legisla- ing. ture will have to be called in order | Their guest list extended beto pass the general appropriation youd the club membership and inbills, is the belief of many legisla- cluded forty-four guests of both tive leaders. Whether this session young ladies and young men who will be called at the end of the enjoyed an evening of rare pleas present session or during the sum- ure with "Hearts" as the divermer months is a matter of conjec- sion

dollars a day will have expired.

up pending legislation.

MILES GROCER IS BANKRUPT making a most pleasing picture.

gaged in the grocery, bakery and restaurant business at Miles, Runnels county, has filed a voluntary highest and John Majors won the for the establishment of the West ed States federal court, northern dolls. disktrict of Texas. The instrument ler, Miles attorneys.

about \$7,000 and his assets at ap- gave selections on the Victrola dur tral point, soon after the adjournproximately \$6,000. The major ing the evening. portion of the latter amount is cov ered by mortgages, however, and the hostesses served brick ice only about \$100 worth of property cream, centered with red hearts this institution is assured many is scheduled as being exempt .-San Angelo Standard.

FEDERATION NOTES

The City Federation held a business meeting at the City Hall Tuesday evening.

chief topic of discussion.

SANS SOUCI VAL. ENTINE PARTY

One of the most brilliant socia affairs of the season was the Valentine party given under the joint hostess ship of Misses Doris Mus grove, Berta Glass, Edna Kilsey, Estelle Stiles, Rith Hamilton and Austin, Feb. 16.—That an ex. Minnie Fowler Wednesday even-

Mrs. B. L. McDonald kindly lent until the sixty-day period of five artistic in its gay valentine decora tute to act in his stead. tions of hearts, cupids and arrows, It is contended that it will take on 'walls, curtains and entwined that portion of West Texas lying at least sixty days more to clear about, the colanades. Red blos west of the ninety-eighth meridian

Ten tables were placed for the George Weber, who has been en games, about the rooms and after WILL CALL MEETING SOON

as presented before Deputy Clerk friends by giving several voice P. C. Coleman of this city, who is Jesse Couch by Jennings & Big. numbers she was in exquisite president of the campaign comvoice and was hearitly applaudinitee, said he would call a meet-ed. Little Miss Bessie Warren ing of that committee at some cen

> At the conclusion of the games, legislature. and angel food cake. Cupid's ar. other towns than those avowedly rows were given as plate favors. already in the lists, will hoist their At a late hour the guests thanked lighting rods in the hope that the the hostesses for a lovely evening locating commission may strike and the stars twinkled knowingly them.-Colorado Record. as cupid stormed more than one citadel on the walk homeward.

Mrs. Wight the first vice president presided. Plans for the entertainment of the District meet this morning for a casket for a ginning at 10 o'clock A. M. and ing of the club Federation which small child that had died there, closing at 6 P. M. They will have convenes here in April was the The name of the parents of the pies, cakes and candy. Don't miss chief topic of discussion. child was not given.

Austin, Feb. 15 .- Governor Ferruson has signed the bill creating the West Texas Agricultural and Mechanical college, which carries an appropriation of \$500,000.

The bill is now complete, having been passed first in the house, then in the senate by a vote of 19 for o five against.

An amendment to the bill pro-It is said sentiment of the mem- her lovely home to the young lad vides that in the event the gov-bers of the legislature favor not less for the occasion and assisted ernor, who is made a member of vides that in the event the gov. remaining in session at two dollars them in entertaining. The whole the locating commission, cannot a day. It is now only three weeks reception suite was beautiful and act, that he may appoint a substi-

The college is to be located in soms mingled with the valentine and north of the thirtieth parallel. emblems in the dining room all The bill carries the emergency

petition in bankruptcy in the Unit men's prize, both were kewpie Texas A. & M. College, and the assurance that the governor would Miss Ruth Morgan delighted her sign the same at an early date, Dr. ment of the present session of the

Now that the establishment of

PIE AND CAKE SALE

The Ladies Aid of the First Presbyterian church will hold a

The People's Store

We Keep the Price Down

Large shipment of Shoes just received. These were all bought before the advance, and we can save you money on your shoe purchases. Many other goods coming in, and we are crowded for room. Come and buy now while the prices are down. Prices will advance when present supply is sold out.

LADIES SPRING SUITS

New Spring Suits are coming in now, and are selling fast, they are all beauties and the prices are very moderate.

NEW SPRING WAISTS

Special lot new spring Waists for a few days only, we will sell \$1.50 Waists at only\$1.19 Ladies Waists new line beautiful \$2.00 sellers for a few days only on sale at\$1.48

LADIES SILK WAISTS ON SPECIAL SALE

\$6.00 Crepe de Chine Waists \$4.95 \$5.00 Crepe de Chine Waists \$3.85 \$4.00 Crepe de Chine Waists \$3.15 \$3.50 Crepe de Chine Waists \$2.85 \$3.00 Tub Silk Waists.....\$2.48

CLEAN SWEEP SALE MEN'S

SUITS

25.00	Suits	now			*			\$17.50
22.50	Suits	now						\$16.85
20,00	Suits	now						\$14.85
18.00	Suits	now						\$13.48
15.00	Suits	now						\$11.45
12.50	Suits	now					*	\$9.85

MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS SPEC-IAL SALE

I big lot \$1.25 shirts new spring line on sale for a few days at 95c All winter underwear, wool shirts sweaters, corduroy pants at Reduced Prices. See our line of Phoenix Silk Hosiery. It wears.

All Remaining Ladies' Winter Suits and Coats Going at Half Price

People's Store

H. Winkler, Mgr.

Just Received

LADIES

Spring Suits

Sport Coats

SOUTHERN Mercantile Comp'y

BIG LAND CASE | filed and lived on these lands as long as 8 or 10 months, and the court's decision affects them more or less seriously.

to compel the Commissioner of the present, the matter of the sale of past few years. Land Office to award four tracts university lands. of University land in Andrews Co. to Mrs. Edith Poole. The court re congratulate the Honorable J. M. working with cattle on his father's fused permission to file the suit, Caldwell, whose decision, almost ranch six miles east of Melvin, and thus holding that the university three years ago, is in exact accord was driving cattle on a horse when

Many files have been made on university lands in Andrews county, depending upon a favorable result of this suit for the petitioner and the effect of this decision is to day from his ranch south of town. jury was of such nature that all have to move off.

of the 70th judicial district, and have fallen. Mr. Boothe says ents at Rio Vista, Johnson County. Chas. Rogan, of Austin, and Clay many people out his way will sow He also visited other points and ton Bros., whose lease was attack spring oats right away as it is reports a general good time. He ed, were represented by Hons. J. thought the danger of a freeze has says they are having an abundance M. Caldwell of Midland, and N. about passed. A. Stedman, of Austin.

the effect of this decision will be to set at rest the leases of the university land until some future law is enacted, providing for the sale thereof.

It may be further stated that almost all of the university land men tioned above has been settled upon by various persons, especially of Midiand and Andrews counties, and manyof the big ranches of the country had been placed in jeopareountry had been placed in jeopar-dy thereby. Beside the Clayton Bros'. ranch, commonly known as Clabber Hill, among others affect ed are the O. B. Holt ranch, the Scharbauer Cattle Company's "5WLS" ranch, the J. S. Means ranch, and some that we do not at present recall. Some settlers have

or less seriously.

GOOD RAIN

hold that persons so filing have no He reports about 3-4 inch of rain the medical skill in the world rights to award and they will first of the week out his way and could not have saved his life. The settlers were represented by down around Maryneal where the Hon. Chas, Gibbs, now judge more than one inch is reported to extended visit to his grand par-

(Ballinger Ledger.) Settlers filed under the law of Charley Noyes, the nineteen-1887, and under the lapped lease year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Gus claim, which has been held invalid Noyles, died at Brady Sunday by the supreme court's decision morning at five o'clock from in-A case of much interest in the been given in detail, would be of on him late Friday afternoon. The Midland country was passed up interest, but The Reporter goes to news of the death was received in on Wednesday by the Supreme press before same can be obtained Ballinger shortly after it occurred Court. This was the case of Mrs. in the event, even, that one has and brought sorrow to the friends Edith Poole vs. J. T. Robison, com been given. The telegram that of this family in Ballinger, where missioner, et al., pending on mo. conveys the above information is they have made their home for a tion to file petition for mandamus merely a decision, settling, for the good part of the time during the

From the best information ob-In passing, however, we wish to tainable it seems that Charley was lands could not be awarded to the with that of the Supreme Court.— his horse ran over a calf, or the petitioner.

Midland Reporter. calf ran in front of the horse, tripping his mount, and in the fall the young man's neck was dislocated. He was hurriedly carried to Brady Walter Boothe is in the city to- for medical attention, but the in-

> W. E. Roberts returned from an of rain there

MONDAY and McMURRY PLUMBIN