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Ey Associated Press:

washington, March 6.—President Wilson, it is reliably stated, will do everything possible to find will do everything possible to find a way to arm the American ships and protect them in other ways from submarine danger, despite the Senate's failure to empower him with the authority.

The Attorney General is expect

so that prompt action may be tak- and four for conviction. en on armed neutrality bill, an ex-tra session of Congress may be ex Knox county and was killed Chist here and one in Jersey City, and

messages from all parts of the was killed. The trial of Douglas country, criticising bitterly the for the killing of Mitchell was set With the arrest of the two other Senators who thwarted the action for March 20. The second trial men whose names were temporarof the President on the armed neu for the Reed killing was set for ily withheld, it was reported that trality bill.

AUSTRIAN SUB

By Associated Press:

London, March 6 .- The American Ambassador at Vienna has been handed the Austrian reply to the unrestricted submarine warfare, according to a Reuter dis-

The reply says the neutrals are responsible for the losses they suf-

fer by entering the submarine zone After saying the Austro-Hungar ian government is "essentially in accord with the American government with reference to the endangering of the neutrals' lives, the reply asserts "that the principle reply a of freedom of the seas that the neutrals should enjoy in war times refers only to neutral vessels and not to neutral persons aboard enemy vessels."

GERMAN SPIES ARRESTED physician, and Dr. Ernest Schun- oill for Sweetwater. ner, an alleged German have been

Police say they have confessed ing scenes of congress. that they plotted, under the direc. tion of Wolf Vonigel, to invade In dia via China.

ed by mines or submarines. Of this number, sixty-one ships were in the present building. of 1,600 tons or over, and thirtythree were under 1,600 tons.

German submarines captured or sunk,, the admiralty says, will not Martin, of Virginia, was selected Horn, the German reserves who be made public.

It was officially stated that at Democratic caucus. advanced stages of construction.

kel today to attend a meeting of say. The Orduna carried one hun-the Executive Committee of the District Sunday School Conven-eight Americans. tion of the Abilene Presbytery The convention proper will meet in Merkel April 24, 25.

ed shortly to advise whether the of the case of State versus George they said, that he participated in won the suit in the Supreme court President can legally arm ships Douglas charged with the murder the explosions on Black Tom Is- to regain possession of the vessel without authority from Congress. of Joel Reed, resulted in a hung land in New York harbor and and its cargo. The court held that the resolution collapsed. An extra session of congress bejury at Benjamin last week. The
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restriction because the Appam tions, if for no other purpose, Judge J. F. Cunningham of Abillion dollars' worth of property violated American neutrality. ems certain.

If the Senate amends the rules The jury stood eight for acquittal Upon

pected within two or three weeks. mas Eve night, at Knox City, at brought them to police headquar-The Government is receiving the same time that J. J. Mitchell ters as alleged accomplices.

> ter in connection with the killings were dismissed. Winter is supposed to have driven Douglas from Guthrie to Knox City on the day Works in Hoboken.
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> Terrell of Cherokee contended that the constitutional rule did not apply to impeachment. "The lin, are lawyers and all but two of Works in Hoboken. Guthrie to Knox City on the day Works in Hoboken. of the killing.

ABILENE TO VOTE

to vote on a \$100,000 bond issue Kolb questioned sharply at poto be used in building two cardinal lice headquarters is said to have roads across the county, one north confessed he conspired against the west. The last named road would complete Taylor county's link of Kingsland explosions. the Fort Worth-El Paso highway which our people are much interested in.

Some of the citizens of Sweet-New York, March 6 .- Dr. C. water are somewhat concerned nearly a year ago charged with a half day's run. Hanador Chakiaberty, a Hindoo about the fate of the post office conspiracy to destroy British mer

arrested on charges of conspiring to have died like most of all the American harbors. to set up a military expedition other post office bills that were inagainst foreign countries on friend cluded in the regular bill as that room, the police say they found ly relations with the United Stat- bill failed to get through amid the one pound of Trinitrotuluol, one will be in dreamland and prefers The committee is not empower. vent this investigation by a point

The Sweetwater Bill will rise again in the new congress bigger than ever. The bill is certain to

MARTIN LEADER Washington, March 6.—Senator

ious ship yards, all in more or less AMERICANS REACH LONDON corpus suit in the Supreme Court liner Orduna, which left here on at Boston for the alleged transpor-Rev. G. W. Beck went to Mer-el today to attend a meeting of sar-

LOYAL TO UNCLE SAM

In Merkel April 24, 25.

San Juan, March 6.—Porto Rico

W. E. Henderson is in from

Hamlin. Says his work is pro
gressing nicely and he expects to
finish up in two or three weeks.

LAWS CONSTITUTIONAL Ident Wilson nominated Brigadler ing of the resolution, Moore of An Washington, March 6.—The Su
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Hoboken, N. J., March 5.—An By Associated Press: alleged plot agalyst the life of Washington, March 6.—Sena-German reservist from Mexico. In ate manifesto favoring armed neu a hotel where Kolb had engaged a tralities explained to the Senate room were found two bombs, that they had not been in a conhave been sent tonight to the Pres bill.

have confessed that he conspired and not congress were responsible. "a plot to blow up President

Knox City, March 5.—The trial plosives. Kolb told detectives, ship, Appam, at New Port News

Upon information declared to

the police were investigating all-

Find Explosives

Two bombs completed and nitro ON ROAD BONDS glycerin and pieric acid were I to the police. Kolb said he was Abilene, March 5. Agitation 36 years old and had "no occupahas been started in this county for tion." Papers found in his room, the purpose of calling an election were seized.

bombs were the "height of in-state for the benefit of all inter- has been organized. were contained in tubing wrapped ed way. around with copper wire.

Hotel Has "Record."

rested is the same one at which ler had rooms prior to their arrest chant ships by placing bombs on (The bill for Sweetwater seems them before their departure from

Under a washstand in Kolb's to make the trip. confusion that witnessed the clos- pound of nitroglycerin, eight or not being disturbed. Remember ed to bring in articles of impeach- of order?" ten feet of copper tubing and nine the key and book are on the out- ment of the governor, but simply In answer to a question from

go through at the proper time as it ered his composure quickly and is besed on merit. If there is a talked calmly but somewhat de-New York, March 5.—Official Federal building, it is in Sweet- in 1914 on a Standard Oil boat, he figures from the British admiralty water as it is almost impossible told detectives and later "went to during Februray, ninety-four British merchant ships were destroy. The vast amount of mail here from New York a long time ago. Since ish merchant ships were destroy day to day in the present crowd- then he has been employed in saed conditions that are unavoidable loons in New York and Newark, he said.

COURT HOLDS GERMAN

Washington, March 6 .- Werner majority leader of the Senate by dynamited the International Bridge, at Vanceboro, Maine, in nineteen fifteen lost his habas New York, March 6.—Cunard in which he sought to avoid trial

> peal that his German army commission exempted him from Amer. can prosecution.

LAWS CONSTITUTIONAL

resident Wilson has been uncov- tors Vardeman of Mississippi, and ed here, according to detectives Kenyon of Iowa, two of the twelve who today arrested Fritz Kolb, a senators, who did not sign the sen which the detectives said were to spiracy to prevent action on the

Senator Williams, replying, said Kalb is alleged by the police to regardless of their motives, they

BRITIS HGAIN SUIT

In the man's room were found a Washington, March 6 .- British number of bombs and some ex- claimants of the German prize

W. Clark Loses Auto

may be illustrated by the fact vestigate.

and, on investigation, found the wash or prejudice the governor.

ock Monday and, after locking only speculation. The hotel where Kolb was ar- his garage, hung the key on a nail just outside the door. He also The belief here is that the inves-Lieut. Robert Fay, formerly of hung the book of left handed in- tigation will not consume a great behind a point of order. the German army, and Hans Schil structions beside the key. There deal of time, inasmuch as the

Part of the proceeds of the pro tem. nning a little low.

most highly in every way as be house this year. you see the show tonight .

LIGGET NOMINATED Washington, March 6 .- Presi-

TTEMP TO SENATORS MAKE SPEAKER FULLER AP-KILL PRESIDENT A STRONG DENIAL DOINTS COMMITTEE

elude the Davis' resolution on a pass on. oint of order, the house adopted Williams of McLennan took the

ngs a difference of two votes as the resolution contemplated, would have changed the result, but after the point of order was .

R. Bryan of Midland, W. E. Pope open the flood gates of political of Nueces, Bruce W. Bryant of slush.

Pope and Thomason of El Paso, closely he stays with his busi ed in favor of the resolution to in-

its members, and one that would He finally discovered his loss not be expected either to white-

auto in a ditch two blocks below W. A. Hanger of Fort Worth and south, the other east and President's life and that he took his residence where the parties will be the chief attorney for gov part in the Black Tom Island and who stole the machine had aband ernor Ferguson during the hearned it after trying, in vain, to get ings. The attorney for the legis-According to members of the it to run.

New York bomb squad the two Mr. Clark asks the Reporter to termined by the committee after it is makes specific charges and make

the other fitted to explode by the ed man, he has a left-handed ma- earliest opportunity and name a question ignition of a fuse. The explosives chine and it is run in a left hand-chairman and secretary. It is fore east that Bledsoe is likely to be

Two Lines of Probe.

plenty of gas in the car for a charges to be investigated come under only two heads, Governor against the point or order. As president of the Chamber of Ferguson's dealings with the Tem 'ommerce, Mr. Clark will be glad ple State Bank and his use of ap- governor say from that rostrum o drive over the city during the propriations for the mansion and that the bridle's off' he declared, ay with anyone who might wish other appropriations. The opin- "and I appreciated that in the ion is expressed that it should not governor. How then can his After 11 o'clock each night he consume more than a week.

> to bring back a report as to wheth Spradley he called attention to the orfalse. Any charges that will be out that the house has great latimade, if any are made, will be by tude in impeachment proceedings. a vote of the house.

governor will be automatically sus the charges. pended from office in the meantime and he will appoint some one

uch with the play recommend been present at any session of the did not make any charge.

's worth and help a good cause resolution was read for the third and the people are helpless.' time since being introduced.
Ferguson in Hall

seat near Bagby of Lavaca. dent Wilson nominated Brigadier ing of the resolution, Moore of An tion, and there are a number of

Austin, March 5 .- The charges should be required to pass on such gainst Governor Ferguson will be a point of order and declared he nvestigated. After a hot fight to would leave it up to the house to

the resolution by a vote of 87 ayes floor in defense of the point of order. He declared no good could At one time during the proceed- come from such an investigation

Williams Opposes

William declared that the legisout of the way the opposition to laters were not assembled for political purposes. He said he did Speaker Fuller named the fol. not care whether the governor lowing committee to conduct the wanted an investigation or not, investigation as provided by the nor whether T. N. Jones wanted resolution: W. H. Bledsoe of Lub. it, or who wanted it. The legislabock county, R. L. Carlock of Tar- ture had other business to attend rant county, W. M. Fly of Gonzal. to and ought to attend to it. He s, R. E. Thomason of El Paso, E. said the investigation could only

Haskell, D. S. McMillin of Gray. Davis and Peddy at different son and Barry Miller of Dallas, times raised the point of order Five of the members of the committee are prohibitionists and four are antis, but only two of them.

times raised the point of order that Williams was not discussing the point of order but the entire question.

Terrell Supports Move

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Texas and he is making good them. Fly and Pope, are from North and West Texas. Most of s job for six days in the week. the members of the committee vot stitutional quibble!" he exclaim-"You who are raising this question can only do so consistently on either of two grounds. some one stole his auto last The committee is regarded here Either you are the governor's and it had been gone several as an eminently fair one, irrespectiveness and believe these charges be the Clark been my tive of the political adillations of are true, and you want to squelch them, or you are enemies of the governor and want to put him in

O'Banion took the floor and delared he had never filed charges genuity." One is a time bomb and ested that, while he is a right hand The committee will meet at its are entirely different and the the speaker.

Mr. Clark bought him a \$1.00 named chairman, though this is "Come clean, Mr. Moore, and say to this house you don't want the governor investigated. Don't hide

Peddy for Trial.

Peddy of Shelby took the floor

"Only the other day I heard the friends come here and try to pre-

er they find the charges to be true fact that the speaker had pointed Hawkins of Runnels spoke

Under the law, in the event impeachment proceedings are Peddy and Hawkins, both of brought against the governor be- them university men, declared the fore the senate by the house, the university had nothing to do with

Author Takes Floor.

Davis of Van Zandt took the to serve in his place as governor floor and pointed out that the two resolutions were not the same. "I cose entertainment at the Sweet | The house took up consideration made these charges against the ater Theatre tonight will go to of the Davis resolution bringing governor. I believe they are true charity fund, which is now charges against the governor at 2 and I know some of them are uning a little low. Those who have kept close in with the largest crowd that has to these charges and Mr. O'Banion

"If you sustain this point of org clean, moral and worthy of The speaker laid the resolution der you are saying to the people of patronage of our best people. before the house immediately af- Texas that the laws and constitu-Remember you get your mon- ter calling the house to order. The tion can be flagrantly violated

Canales contended that the two resolutions are not the same. He Governor Ferguson occupied a pointed out that there were many charges in the O'Banion resolution At the conclusion of the read-that are not in the Davis resolu-

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These plants will sell Friday at 10 cents each \$1.10 per dozen.

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NOTICE

noon) on Saturdays.

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Fine Cattle For Ft. Worth

Dr. O. O. Stephenson inspected 16-dtf s lot of eattle for J. D. Dulaney and Mose Newman Monday afternoon, preparatory to shipping

Mr. Dulaney is sending down eight thoroughbred Herefords and

take notice when they reach Fort Worth.

Monday afternoon the ladies of head. Phone 157 .- Will Hubbard. the Central Presbyterian church met with Mrs. S. D. Myres for their regular business meeting.

26-tfd The result was as follows: Pres ident, Mrs. C. A. Rosebrough; We can supply you with your vice president, Mrs. B. L. McDonrequirements of Fresh Meal and ald; secretary, Mrs. Reed; Treas-Hulls .- Peoples Cotton Oil Com- urer, Mrs. B. C. Dulin; secretary 20-tfd of literature, Mrs. J. E. Barrick.

After the Society's adjournment Misses Bessie Warren and Melrose Myres assisted the hostess in erving a refrehment course. Lenox soap 7 bars for 25 cents, ment Misses Bessie Warren and

J. I. Mrs Johnson Passes away

After an illness of about one 16-dtf week with measles Mrs. S. E. John son died early this morning at the CAN WELD ANYTHING UNfamily residence in the Orient ad-

lose our business at 12 o'clock the home this afternoon, conduct DAY. ed by G. S. Hardy of the Methodist church of which the deceased had long been a faithful member. See Us for Tanks Interment followed in the City

> three sons and one daughter as follows: E. L. and Ira Johnson of Longworth and Albert Johnson and Mrs. Ed Barnes of this

Mrs. Johnson is survived by

5 pounds Arbuckle coffee, 90e -Davis Cash Grocery.

L. B. Alford, State manager of Join our "Hooser Club" \$1.00 the Studebaker with headquarters 26-tfd in the interest of their business.

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Friday, Mesdames Gerald Fitz- to go on. gerald, D. E. Burke, S. I. Ed-

A large basket was lined with self.

pink and covered with green and when the gifts had all arrived the cover could hardly be persuaded

When their "labor of love" was wards and C. A. Engle invited a complete the four platters carried number of friends of Mrs. Gra- the basket over to Mrs. Robertham Robertson, nee Miss Catherine Holmes, to join them in preparing a "surprise shower" for her. hardly find words to express her-

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The committee for the entertain ment of the conference to, meet neal this morning where he will here tomorrow night at the Meth-conduct quarterly Conference to- pr.ACE NO. 2. ollist church have met with suc- day, and is expected to return on cess in the location homes.

Dr. J. T. Griswold went to Mary the Orient tonight.

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Announcement Column

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The following have announced for City Offices in the approaching that if the West Texas Agricul-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. L. ROSS

FOR MAYOR

J. D. SLOAN JIM GRISHAM. R. A. RAGLAND

FOR WATER COMMISSIONER PLACE NO. 1.

RUS RHODES JOHN H. MEYER

W. W. GIBSON J. H. R. LAGOW

May Build

Fort Worth, March 4 .- That the Santa Fe railway system will soon be operating into Midland generally rumored in Fort Worth in railway circles. This long desired entry will begained proved residence property, also by the purchase of a small road mproved farms and ranches at and the building of a twelve-mile connecting link, according to the

The Santa Fe is now building an extension of its lines from Lub bock to Blythe, and announce that 5-4d-2wp ninety days, ready for the operation of trains. Simultaneously, FOR RENT.-Furnished rooms the Midland & Northwestern, a or light house keeping. Close in. privately owned enterprise, is being built from Midland to Seminole. The two roads will terminate FOR SALE .- A nice two seated at points only twelve miles apart

29-w-d-tf chase of the Midland & Northwest ern, as it is proposed, a twelvemiles extension will be built from Hand Furniture Store. Phone 684. ends of the roads now under con--M. T. Bowden, Mgr. 11tfd-w struction, and thus the entrance of the Santa Fe into Midland will

12-dtf The Second road accomplished. The SantaFe more than a year ago purchased approximately 200-000 acres of rich farming land in 13-tf try should make those sections one the best farming communities

TEMPEST IN A TEA POT

FOR SALE.—At a Bargain, One Sarily exercised over the fact that four cylinder touring car, fully President W. B. Bizzell of the Agreement of the Agreement of the Break of the Agreement of the A ricultural & Mechanical college at Bryan will have the direction of 5-tf-d-w the West Texas Agricultuarl and Mechanical college in hand, as will be seen by a news paper dis-

The Standard regards any fight dent Bizzell of the Agricultural and Mechanical college as pure uncombe. The legislature passed J. I. Payne and get a "Sure grip Texas Agricultural & Mechanical ollege with the full understandg it was to be a branch of the Agricultural & Mechanical college at Bryan: that it would come unr the control of the same board at manages the Bryan instituon, and that the president of the ryan institution would be the di-

cting spirit in its government. The Standard takes the posion that President Bizzell was seeted to fill the position he occues because of his fitness; that, therefore, he is bound to be a road-minded scholar who would ot allow any opinions he held to efore the West Texas Agricularal & Mechanical college was an horized by the legislature body o influence him in the managenent of the newly created insti-

To hold otherwise would be to ply he was a narrow-minded litical barnacle on the good ip of State just for what materbenefits he receives. The Stand d has observed throughout any years that educators of the pe of President Bizzell have all elements of manhood that are sential to the common weal; hat his type of manhood has the urage to bring victory out of efeat ,and ventures to predict ral & Mechanical college is left the wisdom and discretion of resident Bizzell that in the course of a few years it will rank second. not equal, with the Agricultural and Mechanical college at Bryan, of which he is now the shining light and leading spirit.-San Angelo Standard.

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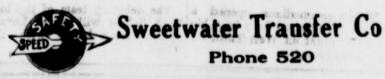
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sion at the City Hall this after-

Mrs. L. C. Vinson was confined to her room Monday with La

Luther Watson is still confined day. to his room with measles.

byterian Evangelist, is in the city here today.

ry Ennis , will be given tonight Worth, Texas, is in our city today. the opening session of the Evangeat the Sweetwater Theater.

short illness of pneumonia.

died in Abilene Sunday after

have been shipped in the country. make their future home

tent last night on West Third St. Friday for a debate with that

William Wight is home from business trip from Midland.

Mrs. C. W. Watson is home from

Judge Boydston of Anson, is

here on legal business.

little child is quite sick with meas- Mays of Hamlin are to be married

M. A. Joy, a prominent financier leave tonight via the Orient to be of Terrell, is here on business to- present at the nuptials.

J. F. Greene of Big Springs, T. Rev. J. E. McLean, noted Pres- and P. Traveling Accountant is

Dr. W. M. Smotherman, assist of Missions of the Methodist Epis The "Night O' Laughs" by Har ant State Veterinarian, of Fort copal church, South, will preach at porter will have more to say in re-

..... Dr. Moore is one of the leading Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hilton are preachers of his church and a man Miss Jetta Hammer, age 28, home from two weeks trip to New every way well equipped and full

Blair's commedians opened a The debating team of the local week's engagement here in a big High School will go to Loraine school

The Reporter is promised a full

listic conference tomorrow night.

account of the event.

Leading members of the Metholist church from all over this sec tion of the state are to be the guests of Sweetwater people dur- is a "Drummer Philosopher," ing the two days meeting to begin loyal "Knight of the Grip." at the First Methodist church to morrow night, when Dr. Moore, of Nashville, Tennessee, will make the opening address,

tors as they come in tomorrow. Thursday night.

-Davis Cash Grocery.

CHECK PINK

J. H. H. Higginbotham, repres Sam N. Hardy, son of Rev. G. enting the Agricultural Depart-S. Hardy, pastor of the Methodist ment at Washington, D. C., is here Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bradford's church of this place, and Miss Lila today on very important business. It will be remembered that Mr. tomorrow night in the town of Higginbotham has been the efficient government cotton grader it is officially announced. Hamlin, Rev. Hardy and family at this place for the past two seas

> He is doing a different work for the present. He is now doing Bouchavesens on Somme front last Bouchavesens on Somme front last what he can to assist in preventing high was repulsed, it was official-Dr. J. M. Moore of Nashville, Boll Weevil. Tennessee, Secretary of the Board

Mr. Higginbotham will be here tomorrow or longer and the Regard to his special line of work.

BOB TAYLOR IN TOWN

R. J. (Bob) Taylor has been of valuable information, and our in town the past two or three days people would do well to hear him. He is not the famous Bob Taylor A nursery inspector is here to-day inspecting a lot of trees that moving to Quanah where they will day night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Jenkins are Bishop Monzon will preach Thurs of Tennessee, for he is dead. This one is from Brooklyn, N. Y. He ly his muse tunes his lyre and he monia. breaks forth in song; though he The funeral services will be held R. B. Ayers of Big Springs, T. says of himself that some pay him by Rev. G. S. Hardy at 4 p. m. this and P. Train Master, came in last a dubious compliment by saying afternoon at the grave in the City night. hat there is more truth than poe- Cemetery. ry in what I write."

> book" interspirsed with prose and a tent south of town. verse, wit and humor, entitled | 'The Commercial Nomad.' He s a young man of rare gifts, and

DIES OF PNEUMONIA

W. H. Jobe came in last night Pastor Hardy stafes that homes from Scranton where he was callhave been secured for the visi- ed Sunday on acc of the death tors as they come in tomorrow. of his uncle, W. Harve Jobe, age Bishop Mouzon will speak 56, who died after a ten days' illness with pneumonia. Mr. Jobe was met in Abilene by two brothers and two sisters, who also at-5 pounds Arbuekle coffee, 90c. tended the funeral, which took 28-tf place Monday.

WAR NEWS BOLL WEEVIL FROM FRONT In Big Court

By Associated Press:

GERMANS FAIL Paris, March 6.—The Germans failed in an effort to drive the French from the trenches which the French recaptured yesterday,

BRITISH REPULSED attack on the German lines east of getting results. ly announced today.

one is from Brooklyn, N. Y. He This morning at 2 o'clock, Ida, possesses many of the character the 3 year old daughter of Mr. from Nolan today and reports istics of the Tennessee Bob. He and Mrs. L. W. T. Stout, died af about 100 cases of whooping is a rare humorist, and occasional ter a few days illness with pneu-cough in that part of the county.

The family have not been in Mr. Taylor has "perpetrated a Sweetwater long and are living in

Divorce Day

The big court is grinding away today on the divorce proceedings is that docket was taken up this

At 4 o'clock this afternoon the appearance docket will be taken up when most of the cases will be

set for the term. The grand jury is hard at work Berlin, March 6.-The British and from outside appearance are

PLEASANT SURPRISE

Saturday afternoon the Junior choir of the First Presbyterian church had their regular practice with Mrs. S. I. Edwards. At the conclusion of the rehearsal Mrs. Edwards gave them a happy surprise by passing hot chocoliate and cake and gave them permission to make candy which was a very "sweet pleasure."

Dr. Richardson was in the city

Will Lowe of Merkel is here to-

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