CITY MARSHAL TO BE ELECTIVE

COUNCIL REMOVES ALL UNCER-TAINTY BY RE-ESTABLISH-ING OFFICE BY ORDINANCE

CALLED SESSION IS HELD

Ordinance Adopted After Little Debate-Mayor States Position-Gardner Votes Against Ordinance

office of chief of police as an appointstatutes of 1907. Thus has the uncer- leave the country. tainty whether a city marshal be electwho shall serve them.

session of the council. Requests by in- said that the matter, as was stated dividual members of the council for by County Attorney Baskins, was the calling of this meeting were refused by the Mayor who finally called of the court and as he believed the it after three of the members of the defense was in this case entitled to council had presented a written peti- the list of witnesses, he would so

Judge Hughes briefly stated the purpose of the meeting stating that in view of legal complications he believelective office. He declared further his belief that the city council had not the authority to abolish the office under the revised statutes.

Mayor Noble said that he had been · advised by competent legal talent that the action of the council abolishing the office of city marshil and creating the office of chief of police and making the latter office appointive was valid, but of course, the council could take what action it saw fit. He said he believed the selection of a chief of police by appointment was for the best interests of the city and regretted "that politics had gotten into the city guilty of burning the First Baptist

government" again give back to the people the right to name the marshal exclaimed: "Then we'll have to take whatever they give

Quick as a flash Judge Hughes retorted, "Yes, the people will have to take the marshal they give, just like they do a mayor and councilman. They may get the wrong man, but I don't see why they are any more liable to make a mistake there than they are in the selection of a mayor or alderman."

In the meantime City Attorney Householder had drafted an ordinance creating the office of city marshal, which was adopted without further debate, Councilman Hughes, Reed, and Young voting for its adoption and · Councilman Gardner against it. Councilman Richolt was not present.

The ordinance as adopted reads: ORDINANCE No. 166. "An ordinance establishing the of fice of city marshal of the city of Wichita Falls and repealing ordinance No. 73 passed on the 11th day of De

cember, 1905. "Be it ordained by the city council

of the city of Wichita Falls: Sec. 1. That the office of city marshal as provided for by the revised statutes of the State of Texas, be and the same is hereby established in the city of Wichita Falls.

Sec. 2. That Ordinance No. 73 of the city of Wichita Falls passed on the 11th day of December, 1905, be and the same is hereby repealed.

The office of city engineer has also been added to the list of offices to be elected in the notice of election posted over the mayor's signature. The

list now includes:

City Secretary Two Aldermen City Attorney

City Treasurer City Marshal

City . Tax Assessor and Collector City Engineer.

DEFENSE WON FIRST FALL IN NORRIS TRIAL

Special to The Times. Fort Worth, Texas, March 12.—Attorneys for the defense scored a victory in the first legal clash in the Norris case Monday afternoon when Judge Tom Simmons, of the Sixtyseventh district court ruled that a list of the witnesses who appeared before the grand jury for the state should be furnished the counsel for the minister. A. J. Baskin, representing Baskin, Dodge & Eastus, Mays & gressional campaign committee, is Mays, Gillespie & Walker, who have the principal owner of a vast net from the post office safe here this been retained as attorneys for the work of electric railways covering a morning. They used nitro glycerine Rev. Mr. Norris, argued the motion, large section of Illinois.

WEATHER FORECAST

Tonight fair and frost: Wednesday fair and warmer.

County Attorney Baskin and Assist ant County Attorney Baldwin opposed the motion.

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The motion as presented by the defense attorneys urged that the county attorney place in their hands the names of all of the substantial witnesses who testified before the grand jury and on whose testimony the indictment charging the minister with perjury was returned.

County Attorney Baskin said that Over the earnest protest of Mayor while the matter of placing the Noble, the city council last night names of the witnesses in the hands adopted an ordinance abolishing the of the defense attorneys in this instance would not be of serious import, it would set a dangerous preive office and creating the office of cedent as in some cases witnesses city marshal as provided by the might be intimidated or induced to

Judge Simmons gave the attorneys ed by the people or a chief of police ap- until 2 o'clock to cite authorities and pointed by the mayor and the city when the court reconvened at that council been definitely settled and the hour he granted the motion. He people given back their right to say said that to provide the attorneys with the list would prevent possible

This action was taken at a called delay. Continuing Judge Simmons

The Rev. Mr. Norris will go to trial April 1. The selection of that date was formally announced yestered that the council should take such day morning after both the atotrneys action as would leave no doubt that for the defense and the prosecution the office of the city marshal was an had expressed to Judge Simmons the desire that the case be called then. Both expressed a desire for a speedy trial and said that that date was the earliest on which the case could be heard.

> While it is anticipated that the hearing of the case will not consume more than four days the trial will be gin on Monday morning.

Declaring the "safety of the citizenship and the peace of mind of every person in Fort Worth demand that no effort be spared to bring to punishment the person or persons" Church and its parsonage, Judge R. Councilman Gardner following the H. Buck instructed the grand jury of the Forty-eighth district court to spare no effort in seeking to fix the blame. He told them that all of the evidence gathered by the grand jury of the Sixty-seventh district court would be placed before them for consideration. The new grand jury convened yesterday morning.

> Judge Buck, in touching on the burning of the church and the pastor's residence, defined the crime of "arson."

A ringing arraignment of the "pistol toter" and instructions to indict men held for murder who accomplished their designs with the aid of concealed weapons were included in Judge Buck's charge. He declared that too often the deadly six-shooter has claimed its victims in this county recently and said that until the pistol carriers were strenuously prosecuted murders would not cease.

The judge's charge on the subject of arson follows: "Arson is the willful burning of any building, edifice or structure in-

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ANOTHER FEDERAL VICTORY REPORTED in the

Rebels Sald to Have Been Defeated in Battle Near Torreon Today.

Washington, D. C. March 12.—Rumors have reached the State department that the Mexican federals have near Torreon.

This report came from Consul General Hanna at Monterey. He said he had heard that Torreon had been relieved. In southern Mexico one thousand rebels are reported holding Guadaljara. In the State of Jalisco and two small bands of maruders are reported roving in that State.

Michigan "Drys" Meet. Lansing, Mich., March 12.-A two lays' convention of Michigan "Drys' opened here today with former Governor Glenn of North Carolina and several other noted anti-saloon workers on the list of speakers. The chief purpose of the demonstration is to impress upon the State administration the necessity for legislation against the brewery-owned saloon and against the surety bonding law, which gives one bonding company a monopoly of the business in Michigan.

Representative William B. McKinley, chairman of the Republican con-



ANNETTE KELLERMANN TO FIGURE IN PANAMA POSTER.

T may seem strange that the choice of a model for the chief figure of the Panama exposition poster should have fallen upon the young woman who is popularly known as "the Australian diving Venus," but Miss Annette Kellermann, whom the artist, Charles Macauley, has asked to pose as "the spirit of the west." is the daughter of an American woman, though she herself was born in the antipodes. Miss Kellermann has for some years been one of the most popular of vaudeville stars, but she is more than a tank swimmer. She has many distance and endurance records to her credit. She has been a professional swimmer since she was fifteen. Her height is five feet seven inches; her weight about 145 pounds. She is beautifully proportioned, and the artist's choice will be applauded by the thousands whom she has delighted by her grace and skill.

TWO WHITEWRIGHT MEN ELECTROCUTED

Live Wire Charges Clothes Line, Killing Ira Davis and Bob Mayo

Whitewright, Texas, March 12 -- A live wire that had fallen across s clothes line caused the death of two men here yesterday evening at 7:40 o'clock. Ira Davis, a telephone lineman, and Bob Mayo, a carpenter. were electrocuted within a few seconds of each other. The accidents occurred in the back yard of Ira

Mrs. Davis, wife of one of the dead men, was severely shocked while attempting to free her husband from the wire that killed him and but for the efforts of Postmaster Lon Davis, she, perhaps, would have met death in the same manner as did her hus-

No one saw Mr. Davis come in contact with the wire, but his shouts attracted others near by, among them Mr. Mayo, who was on his own prem ses more than fifty feet away. It was while the latter was making a dash to render assistance to the lineman that he met his own death, defeated the revolutionists in a battle though at a point several steps away from Mr. Davis when he touched the wire.

Wind, it is thought, caused a hanging wire to come in contact with that in the vard.

Mr. Davis leaves a widow and one A widow and two children child. survive Mr. Mayo. Up to a late hour no arrangements had been made for the funerals, though both bodies will probably be buried late today.

BRYAN SPEAKS AT OHIO CONVENTION

By Associated Press. Columbus, Ohio, March 12.—Bryan spoke favoring the initiative, referendum and recall here today at the Ohio Constitutional Convention.

Postoffice Robbed. By Associated Press.
Como, Texas, March 12.—Burglars stole eight hundred dollars in money

FORRESTER HAS **ACCEPTED OFFER**

FORT SCOTT, KAN, MAN WILL BE NEW SECRETARY OF CHAM-BER OF COMMERCE

SALARY \$200 PER MONTH

New Secretary Wires He Will Ready to Assume Duties On April 1.

J. C. Forrester of Fort Scott, Kansas, today telegraphed his acceptance of the position of secretary of the Chamber of Commerce proferred him at a meeting of the directors last week. His telegram of acceptance was as follows:

Robert E. Huff, Chamber of Commerce,

Wichita Fallas, Texas. Your proposition accepted. I will eport for duty April 1.

J. C. FORRESTER. Mr. Forrester visited Wichita Falls last week and met with the directors of the Chamber of Commerce, and they were most favorable impressed with him.

Mr. Forrester was for a number of ears commercial agent for the Unbeen secertary of the Commercial Club at Fort Scott. His salary here will be \$200 per month.

VOTE IN SENATE **NEXT THURSDAY**

Fate of Steel Tariff Revision Bill Will Be Decided In Upper House.

By Associated Press. Washington, D. C., March 12.—The House adopted a resolution calling upon the Department of Justice to say whether it is investigating any smelter trust and whether the American Smeltering and Refining Company is connected with the investigation. The Senate finance committee tariff revision bill.

STOCKHOLDERS HOLD MEETING

WICHITA SOUTHERN LIFE INSUR ANCE COMPANY DECIDE TO INCREASE CAPITAL STOCK FROM \$115,000 TO \$137,500.

ADD \$22,000 TO SURPLUS

New Directors Elected to Fill Vacancles-All Old Officers Re-Elected With Exception of Secretary.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Wichita Southern Life Insurance Company was held in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce Shares of stock to the number of 552 were represented by proxy and 362

It was decided to increase the capital stock of the company from \$115, 900 to \$137,500, and the surplus fund rom \$60,000 to \$82,500.

Eleven directors were elected to fill vacancies caused by expiration, and the following were elected: J. E. Daniel, James Duffy, F. W. Griffin, C. J. Koonce, J. D. Avis, G. S. Meyer, P. P. Langford, W. R. Ferguson, M. L. Ramsey, A. M. Smith and A. B.

Following the stockholders' meeting a meeting of the board of directors was held, at which all of the old officers with the exception of that of secretary were re-elected. For secretary Arthur B. Huff was elected in

place of E. B. Pate. Among the stockholders active op position was manifest toward the action now being made by the older foreign insurance companies for the repeal of the Robertson insurance law and each pledged his effort and influence towards retaining the law on the statute books just as it is

The report of the officers showed the first year's report to have been exceptionally prosperous for a new company, during that time it having writen more than a million of insurance without having a single The officers were also congratulat-

which the company had ducted during the year. The following is a list of officers

and directors of the company: J. A. Kemp, president; E. P. Greenwood, vice president and general manager; R. E. Huff, vice president; Frank Kell, vice president; W. T Campbell, vice president; W. P. Pon der, vice president: H. H. Halsell vice president: James Duffy, vice president: A. B. Huff, secretary; W M. McGregor, treasurer; J. T. Montgomery, general attorney: Dr. J. E. Daniel, medical director; C. W. Dor-

sey, superintendent agencies. Directors are: J. A. Kemp. R. E. Huff, W. T. Campbell, J. G. Hardin W. O. Wright, T. H. White, W. M. Coleman, Dr. J. E. Daniel, Frank Kell, W. M. McGregor, R. L. Edwards, W. W. Linville, F. M. Power W. E. Sanderson, C. W. Snider, E. P. Greenwood, J. T. Montgomery, W. P. Ponder, H. H. Halsell, J. P. Goodman P. P. Langford, James Duffy, F. W. Griffin, C. J. Koonce, J. D. Avis, G. S. Meyer, P. P. Langford, W. R. Robertson, M. L. Ramey, A. M. Smith,

Nineteen Texas life insurance com- FOUR BOOTLEGGERS panies held their stockholders' meet ing today-second Tuesday in March and there were probably three thous and or more stockholders in attend ance at the home office of the various companies.

There were four Texas life com panies transacting business in the State when the Robertson bill became a law. Today there are nineteen Texas companies, members of the Texas Life Convention, and the com bined assets of these companies total more than ten million dollars. They issued new paid for business during 1911 in the sum of forty-eight millions and had more than one hundred on Pacific, but for the past year has and sixteen million dollars of insurance in force at the close of the year. They are writing new business at the rate of five millions a month and expect to place sixty millions of paid for business on their books during 1911. Texas companies combined have about eight million dollars invested in Texas securities, and under the operation of the Robertson law outside companies transacting business in the state have invested more than ten million dollars in Texas mortgage loans during the past three years—a sum ten times greater than the combined holdings in Texas mortgages of the twenty-one with drawing companies at the time they left the state.

The Robertson bill, which so stirred up the State at the time it was enacted into law, was amended by the succeeding Legislature, and again that a re-hearing will be asked of the to explain why he wouldn't have the agreed to vote Thursday on the steel amended and merged into a general insurance code at a later session.

The law retains the investment feature, however, and it is this feature of the law that has added more than ten million dollars to the mortgage loans in Texas, held by life insurance companies domiciled outside the state. The amount of such loans carried by the twenty-one withdrawing companies was less than a million dollars.

AUTOMOBILE PARTY HAS NARROW ESCAPE DEATH WAS INSTANTANEOUS

Katy Switch Engine Backs String of Cars Into Automobile-Machine is Badly Wrecked, But Occu-Pants Escape.

Last night at about eight thirty o'clock, an automobile owned and driven by H. O. Hudzietz of the firm of Hudzietz & Archer, on Wall street, was struck by five freight cars attached to a Katy swithc engine and the machine was badly wrecked, the occupants escaping injury in an almost miraculous manner, as all five Carlsbad; was twirling a six-shooter of the freight cars passed over the machine before the switch engine was brought to a stop.

The accident happened as the party composed of Charles Neeley, J. Knight and H. O. Hudzietz were driving across a railroad crossing in the Katy yards, and owing to the darkness of the night and the fact that the switch en gine was backing towards them, the headlight being turned in an opposite direction and away from the automobile, the driver did not notice the approach of the train, he himself being fully occupied in steering the machine out of the mud preparatory to crossing the railroad track.

The first warning which any one in the car had that a train was near was when the automobile was struck by the first freight car backing upon it, the occupants of the machine being thrown heavily to the ground by the force of the impact. The automobile, which is a yellow Buick car, when seen this morning plainly showed the effects of the collision, the whole tonneau having been wrenched from the body, both lamps being shattered, and the ear being damaged in a number of MAY APPEAL BECAUSE other ways. All of those who were riding in it at the time of the accident were fortunate in escaping serious in ed by the stockholders for the very jury, said one of the occupants of the able and economical manner in car who considers himself lucky in that he was only a little shaken up when the car was overturned.

Sugar Men on Trial.

Associated Press. New York, March 12.-The Govern ment's case against the American Su gar Refining Company charged with violation of the anti trust law was opened today with three hundred wit esses under subpoena.

Federal Prosecutor Wise announced hat the defendants who are officials of the company, are charged with the violation of a "law handed down by God to Moses in the tenth command

To Discuss Border Situation With Taft

By Associated Press. Washington, D. C., March 12 .-Senator Culberson has arranged to discuss with President Taft tomorrow the Mexican border situation. Many telegrams have been received from Texas Chambers of Commerce ask-

ing for troops.

JOIN ROAD GANG

County Court Is Grinding Big Grist Several Cases Cleared From Docket.

The county road gang has been inreased by the addition of four bootleggers. Following the conviction of Joe Sheffers by a jury in the county court yesterday on a charge of selling intxocants at Electra, a prohibit ed district vesterday afternoon and the assessment of a penalty of a \$25 fine and a jail sentence of 20 days. Tom Reed, Ed Henderson and Sam Sanders plead guilty to the same charge and the court assessed the same penalty in each case.

Upon the motion of the prosecut ing attorney the cases against W. C. Burkhart and Jack Gordon were dis missed.

This afternoon the trial of Lizzie Hart, alias Lizzie Harris, charged with running a bawdy house was taken up. Testimony in this case was concluded at 3 o'clock. Other cases of a similar character

against other defendants will be tak en up in the morning. Rehearing May Be Asked.

By Associated Press. Washington, D. C., March, 12 .- Attorney General Wickersham indicated today that there is strong likelihood Carmody's counsel who did not offer United States Supreme Court on the colonel. Carmody is suing for \$30,-"patent monopoly" case.

ACCIDENTLY SHOT

WHILE TWIRLING SIX-SHOOTER ONFINGERS, GUN IS DIS-CHARGED AND BULLET ENTERS HIS BREAST.

coldent Took Place at Carlsbad, N. M .- Funeral Will Be Held at Benjamin, His Old Home.

Mrs. T. W. Roberts has received telegraphic information from her brother, Burk Burkburnett of Fort Worth, stating that their nephew, Roy Burnett, had killed himself accidentally this morning at Carlsbad. N. M.

It seems that Mr. Burnett, who owns a ranch 60 miles southwest of in his hand, as cowboys sometimes do, when the gun was discharged, the bullet entering his left breast, killing him almost instantly.

The deceased was about 32 years of age and formerly resided at Benjamin, in Knox county, where he was mauried to Miss Jones, daughter of the late Dr. Jones, a prominent physician and ranchman of that section of the country. He leaves a wife and two children surviving him.

Information received here today is to the effect that the funeral will take place at Benjamin. The remains will be shipped from Carlsbad to Benjamin via Amarillo and Chillicothe, and the 'funeral will probably take place on Friday or Saturday.

Mr. Burnett was quite well known in this city, and the news of his death, occurring as it did, was a great shock to his many friends. Among those who were more intimate with him is Mr. S. T. Scaling, who had visited Mr. Burnett on his ranch near Carlsbad about six weeks ago.

DUTY TOO LOW

ecision of Court Opens Way for Man ufacturers to Secure More Protection.

By Associated Press. Washington, D. C., March 12.—The United States court customs appeals rendered a sweeping decision that an importer may appeal from an assessment of duty by the collector of customs on the ground that a duty is too low. Experts say this means manufacturers may import a test shipment and appeal to the customs court to get more protection through higher duties.

WINDOW SMASHING NOT ATTEMPTED

New Jersey Suffragettes Confine Their Attacks to Verbal Outpourings

By Associated Press. Trenton, N. J., March 12.-Contesting bands of women swarmed through the New Jersey capital today, one throng demanding suffrage and the other dissenting. The ladies confined their attacks to verbal outpour-

Starling Enters Denial.

Austin, March 12 .- State Labor Commissioner Starling in a letter to Gov. Colquit today challenged the report from the Federal department of commerce and labor that conditions in the Texas mills are deplorable, that the wages paid put most of the employes' names on the list of loan sharks.

No Agreement Reached.

Associated Press. London, March 12.—No agreement was reached in today's coal strike conference which adjourned until tomor

WOULD NOT ACCEPT ROOSEVELT AS JUROR

Ex-President Peremptory Challenged By Attorney For Plaintiff In Damage Suit

Mineola, L. I., March 12.—Theodore Roosevelt today was drawn as juror number seven in the damage suit of Michael Carmody against the New York Central Railway. He was immediately challenged peremptorily by



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Ex-Governor John D. Long of was assistant secretary, has been se Massachusetts, who was Secretary of lected as president of the Taft the Navy when Theodore Roosevelt League of aMssachusetts.

CABINET CRISIS

will be quit?"

(By Ed L. Keen, London correspondend of the United Press). London, March 12.-That England is on the eve of a cabinet crisis is generally admitted. The absorbing question in the political world now is not "how long will Asquith retain

the premiership?" but "how soon

Discouraged in his efforts to make he two ministerial wings of the Liberal party-moderate and radicalflap together, Herbert Henry Asquith, M. C., is growing weary of the job which he inherited nearly four years ago from the late Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman. Belief is general that the present cabinet will not outlive the current session of Parlia ment, for Asquith's resignation would mean, of course, the entire reorganiza ion of the ministry.

The lack of team work in the cabinet has become steadily more ronounced. Hopelessly divided or he question of woman's suffrage, the ministers are attacking each other's opinions on the stump. There is the 'little navy" and the "big navy" faction. The radical wing, led by Lloyd George, chancellor of the ex chequer, is out of sympathy with the mperial policy of Sir Edward Grey he foreign secretary. Naval Secre ary Churchill, formerly a little navy nan, astonishes the public by sud denly changing front. In a speech at Glassgow he advocates increasing he ratio of British naval supremac ver the continental powers. At'the ame time War Minister Haldane wa ssuring the Kaiser at Berlin that reat Britain doesn't want to keep up the game. The war office solmenly informed the public when Haldane went to Germany that it was solely on private business; then Asquith announces in Parliament that the nission was political and undertaken at the request of Germany. Me-Cenna, now home secretary but formerly naval secretary, defending his administration from the attacks of Admiral Lord Charles Beresford on the charge of unpreparedness, adnits the imminence of war last sumner; Asquith pronounces as a "wild and extravagant fiction" the report that England was getting ready to fight Germany.

The Cabinet is not even unanimous on the subject of Home Rule for Ireland. Grey, Haldane, and the other imperalists insist on the supremacy of the British Parliament and are resolutely opposed to anything in the way of self government along the lines granted to Canada, Australia and South Africa. Lloyd George and the extreme radicals would concede complete separation in order to be relieved of the Irish problem. Some are willing to grant to the proposed Irish Parliament control of customs and excise taxes, and others, fearing that Ireland would set up a tariff igainst Great Britain decline to en tertain such a proposition. want to make an annual monetary grant to allow Irish exechequer and others oppose this step, and some are willing to allow Irish members to remain in the imperial parliament while others want to clear them out state than probably any other man. altogether.

If this want of cohesiveness, at the beginning of what promises to be in the southwestern part of the one of the most important parliamen- State, who, naturally, might be extary sessions in English history, were pected to favor Colonel Roosevelt on not sufficient to foreshadow the end, account of his Dutch ancestry.

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there are other indications that Asquith has already begun to pack his raps. It is a recognized rule in British politics that a retiring premier's secretary has first claim at the goverament ple counter. And, as the longer he stays the bigger the slice, the secretary maraty quited before with chief. Vaugh Nash, Asquith's secretary, has just been appointed vicehairman of the Development Comsission, at \$15,000 a year. The reent bestowat of the order of the larter on Sir Edward Grey, believed y many to have been at the direct uggestion of Asquith, is regarded as nother evidence of the Premier's ap-

roaching retirement.

The next premier will likely b lrey or Lloyd George. Asquith's ersonal preference would be the oreign secretary. The fact that Jing George broke an almost inviolble precedent in giving the Garter o a commoner-it has been done nly three times in the past 200 ears-is accepted as evidence 'rey's high standing at Buckingham 'alace and indicative that he would e first choice for the formation of a ew ministry, regardless of the fact hat he does not hold the confidence f the rank and file of the party. He s the acknowledged representative f the old type of wealthy Liberalsureaucratic and possed to radical eforms. His foreign policy in Moroco, Russia, Persia and the Balkans as been so mercilessly criticized by he members of his own party, that he exceptional favor of the King has erved merely to arouse additional esentment. It is a serious question hether Lloyd George nad the other rogressive members of the cabinet ould consent to serve under him. On the other hand the present hancellor of the exchequer is far oo radical for men of the Grey type nd it is practically certain that if loyd George should be selected as squith's successor, not only Grey, ut War Minister Haldane, Lord bancellor Loreborn, Indian Secreary Crewe and President of the ouncil Worley would decline porfo-

Only two other cabinet members re mentioned as available premierhip timber-Naval Secretary Winon Churchill and Colonial Secretary ewis Harcourt. Churchill, less radial than Lloyd George, is too radical or the older members; but Harcourt, hough not prominent in politics is o popular in all sections of the arty, that if it comes to solving a eadlock he might win the prize. nlike Lloyd George and Churchill, owever, he is opposed to woman uffrage, which is one of the chief rguments against Asquith.

Asquith may look forward to omparatively comfortable future. n any event as a retiring cabinet ninister he is entitled to a life penon of \$10,000. He would like to be ord Chancellor-if the present oc upant of the woolsack, Earl Loreurn, would only resign.

It is expected that the management of the Taft campaign in Michigan will be placed in the hands of formr Congressman Gerrit J. Diekema. for a number of years Mr. Diekema vas chairman of the Republican tate committee of Michigan, and he said to have a better acquaintance with the political situation in his He is a member and leader among he Dutch settlers who predominate

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John M. C. Smith, new Republican congressman from the Third District of Michigan, has had a varied career. He was born in Ireland and came to his country at an early age. He learned the painter's trade and the mason's trade, and later graduated from the law department of the University of Michigan. Since that time he has practiced law, been an alderman, a prosecuting attorney, a manufacturer, a bank president, and is now engaged in farming and stock raising.

MORE ABOUT

Dallas Officer Places Her In Hands of Danish Consul at Galveston.

Dallas, Texas, March 12 .- W. G. eeman, Dallas county probation officer, returned yesterday from alveston where he went for the pur ose of turning over to the Danish vice onsul at that point little Hella Charlotte Aagaard Jorgensen. Little Hella was the eleven-year-old girl, daughter of a member of the royal family of Denmark, who was found in an East who was declared dependent by Judge Young and turned over to the ladies of since the girl was placed in this home Probation Officer Leeman, Judge year. oung and officers of the home have been working hard to unravel the mysery of her identity,

In charge of Mrs. Dorothy Buscheld, formerly of Cuero, Tex., but who is baid. ow lives in Kiel, Germany, the little steamship Hanover of the North German line, for Bremen, Germany. At his point she will be met by her aunt. will make her home in the future Mrs. Lawrence is a sister of the mother of the girl. Her husband is a mem ber of the firm of Lund & Lawrence

well known engineers of Copenhagen While in Galveston Mr. Leeman earned considerable more about the history of the case than he knew when e left Dallas last week with the girl The child is the daughter of August J and Adolphine Hermine Jorgensen, both deceased. She was born in Cobenhagen on December 15, 1960, and will be twelve years of age her next pirthday. Her father was connected with the royal family of Denmark and served his country as consul general to

Rome, Italy.

Several years ago the parents of the hild went to Mexico to reside, taking heir little daughter with them. They made their home in the City of Mexico. Both the mother and father died seud- that considerable missionary work is denly about six years ago under rathr mysterious circumstances. On the Roosevelt candidaey. eath of the couple the child went to eride witm a man by the name of Alpert Munich Lessen, a countryman of the father of the child, pending the is a native of North Carolina, but completion of arrangements to send her back to the old country.

Pending the completion of these ar angements a man appeared who ed in the Montana legislature and in laimed to be an uncle of the girl and the lower house of Congress. who, took her in charge. From that time until she was found in the house on East Commerce street in this city, near Fort Stockton this spring. where she was forced to wash dishes and do drudgery work of all kinds, lit tle is known of her experiences." Who brought her to Dallas and who left her in the home where she was found

will probably never be learned. The ladies of the Presbyterian Mis ion Home and all others who came in ontact with the little girl were imressed by her bright ways and every ndication of refinement and believed rom the first that the girl came from ome good family. It was this fact which caused them to spend nearly a year in tracing her history and during which time many letters were interchanged between parties in Mexico

and in the old country across the At

"After we got to Galveston the little girl seemed pleased to know that she was going back to her home and h among relatives, but she was sorry to leave her many good friends in Dal las," said Mr. Leeman. "I do not know what further steps will be taken in re gard to the matter but the fact tha the parents of the little girl, who is heir to a considerable estate, should die so suddenly and close together makes it look suspicious, to say the least, and I expect that the Danish government will take up the matter.

BALDHEADS

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Nashville, Tenn., March 12 .- Repub licans of Tennessee assembled in con ention here today to nominate a com plete ticket of State officers. The re omination of Governor Ben W. Hoop er is assured. Some interest is added to the convention by the bearing it may have upon the second State convention to be held in May for the selection of delegates to the national convention. The regular State organization already has declared for Taft, but it is known being carried on in the tnerest of the

Senator Joseph M. Dixon, managet of the Roosevelt national campaign, has been a resident of Montana for twenty years. Prior to his election to the United States senate he serv-

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The Lancet, an English publication dealing with whys and wherefores has found out the real reason. Blimme, old top, we chew that jolly gum because we're so tempermental. The Lancet calls it national nervousness, but that's just tempermanet in dis

Oh yes! The Lancet thinks much of our avitity along gum lines may be due to the dryness of the atmos-Quit your joking. Mr. Lon-Come over and spend a long winter in New York. Maybe it would ook dry to you, at that, after the ondon fogs and frogs. Anyway, the only thing that would seem dry is the atmosphere. See Broadway any time after midnight.

Chewing gum is fine for what alls ou-especially indigestion. It causes the gastric juices to flow freely, re sulting in a large empty feeling in the food regions. If you must know it, you British discover, we chew the blasted stuff for our health. Of ourse, we have a lot of fun keeping

realthy, but that's our good fortune "Rosie, keep your mouth shut when you're chewing gum. Ain't you got no manners?" admonished an anxious mother to her young daughter who was exceeding all speed

"I can't. It makes me bite my tongue," whined Rosie, seeing how far would stretch

Some discussion has arisen as to the origin of the long drawn out refreshment. Some say it first saw the light of day back of the ribbon counter in a Fourteenth Street de partment store. Others contend its home is a Third Avenue local. The fact is a henpecked husband invented gum to keep his wife from being lonely while he was away from home

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W. A. REID, Clerk, ounty Court Wichita County, Texas ly Carl Yeager Deputy. 259-65-71-77

Truman Newberry, who has been ntrusted with the task of looking ffer the financial end of the Roose elt national campaign, was Secreary of the Navy in Mr. Roosevelt's ast cablent. He is a son of the late ongressman Newberry of Detroit, om whom he inherited a fortune of everal millions. Like Colonel Roose elt Mr. Newberry saw active serice in the Spanish-American war nd it was during that period that he two first became acquainted.

A Business Men's League has rganized at Lockhart.

Things to Forget. Do not get in the habit of gossipng or talking about your past illness. hildren firget any illness almost as oon as it is over with, but the older person is, the longer she rememers it. A sure sign of advancing age is to rehearse the illness or the peration you have undergone. 'here seems to be a desire, on the art of advancing age, to impress eople with the severity of past illess. Each aging person has a stock hrase, as "Yes, the doctor said he never knew anyone to be so low and hen get well." Forget the past and ive in the present!

Another certain sign of advancing ge is carelessness in dress. A young girl takes a great deal of pride in her dress, in its style, its color and its fitting. Aging women are too much inclined to dress in unbecoming colors, in dresses made severely plain. Clothes may not make - the man, but they have a great effect upon his ability to accomplish anything. if you have to meet a person on business that requires ability on your part, you will find you are much better able to hold your ground and drive a better bargain if you are dressed in a becoming business suit than if you have on a solled more ing gown. The same is true about the household tasks. As soon as the morning's work is finished, bathe and put on a fresh, becoming dress. You will feel ten years younger, and the household tasks will assume different proportions.

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1795-William Lyon Mackenzie, Canadian statesman, born in Scotland. Died in Toronto, Aug. 28, 1861.

1812-Aaron L. Dennison, originator of the manufacture of machine made 4 watches, born in Freeport, Me. Died Jan 9, 1895.

1820-Sir Alexander Mackenzie, discoverer of the Mackenzie river, died in Scotland. Born in Scotland about 1755. 1825-Pasturing cows on Bos-

ton Common forbidden. 1833-United States Pension Bureau established. 1862-Jacksonville, Fla sur-

rendered to Commodore Dupont 1881-Alexander II. of Russia 4 assassinated.

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If reports prove correct, an oil well. and a good one too, will be brought in within the next few weeks that is located about 11/2 miles west of this city. The report is that this well is now down about 900 feet, and that there is no mistake about oil in paying quantities having been struck.

There are two candidates for congressman-at-large from the Panhandle one from Amarillo and the other from Plainview. At least a half dozen other candidates are furnished by other sections of the State. Only two are to be elected, and in the judgment of the Times one should come from West Texas. The two candidates are Judge J. N. Browning of Amerillo, and Judge Joseph E. Lancaster of Plainview. While the Times would like to support both, it fears there is no hope of electing both, and for that reason one or the other should withdraw. By concentrating the bulk of the vote on either of the two, West Texas can be reasonably assured of one of the porttions. This is only a suggestion, but in the judgment of the Times, if it is not heeded, both will be defeated.

· Straw votes are now the order of the day, and nearly all papers of wide cir culation are taking. The Appeal to Reason, Girard, Kansas, is a Socialist organ, and it recently took a straw vote on presidential preferences. Perhaps it would be interesting to know just who a majority of the Socialists prefer for president, together with second, third, fourth and fifth and sixth choice, and here it is: Eugene V Debs, 65,028; John J. McNamara, 54. 726; Samuel Gompers, 48,225; Theodore Roosevelt, 41,384; W. D. Hay wood, 41,109; W. H. Taft, 426. It will be noted that neither one of the Democratic presidential candidates were preferred by any of the participants in heads: that "straw vote" contest, and this is indeed gratifying. But as the Times takes the above "straw vote" from an exchange, which is credited to the Socialist paper, it will not vouch for its correctness. It might have been that a few scattering votes were cast for each of the Democratic presidential candidates, and were not count

Candidate Wolters takes his initiative and referendum like he takes his t quor prohibition, in local option doses and while he invelghs against a state or a nation adopting the system, he is a candidate subject to that very same referendum, over the whole state. Senators receive their endorsement in Texas at the hands of the voters, in the primary election, and Mr. Wolters is soliciting office on this very system of referring. As to the "inititative" end of the "vicious policy," Mr. Wolters is like the rest of them, self-announced. He and the others did not wait for the people to suggest who should offer for the place-Temple Telegrami

In the judgment of this paper the action of the city council last night in repealing the ordinance which was encity marshal and making appointive instead of elective that of chief of police, will meet with the approval of a large majority of the people, and from be elective. There was some opposome of the members of the official event the ordinance was repealed and the office againg made elective that would have to accept or put up with anything they gave us." By this

the remark was construed to mean that the town, city and state taxes. An esment in the selection of a marshal But the opposition was promptly and very cleverly met by one of the other members of the official family by remarking in reply: "Yes,, I guess so. That's the kind of alderman they have ately, seeking to increase our taxes by been giving us." All will agree, the destroying local merchants through Times feels confident, that the people mail order house paronage. of Wichita Falls have exercised splendid judgment in the selection of members of the city's official family, and If they have done that, they can be self and do we not expect them to buy easily trusted to pick from a banch of we expect them to employ us if we a half dozen or more the best man to ask for employment, hold the office of city marshal. Of course, it is possible to make a mis- WOMAN AS A FACTOR IN NATIONtake. Even mayors and aldermen have at times been known to err, but that should not be held up against them that they were wholly unfit for the duties they were elected to per form, or that the people have confidence enough in them to elect and re elect them from time to time.

THE SOUTH'S COTTON OIL INDUSTRY.

The development of the cotton seed oil industry in the dast quarter of a century has been so phenomenal as to justly excite the pride of every Southernr. It has annually brought to the people of the South millions of dollars from a source whence formerly practically no revenue was derived. The Federal bureau of statistics ha

recently made a departure by includ ing cottonseed oil in its monthly advance bulletin showing the exports of eading articles of domestic produc tion. According to the bulletin, the value of cottonseed exports for 1900 was \$21,839,137, which is greater than any preceding calendar year and eight times the exports of 1885, virtually the starting point of the development In 1911 the exports were \$12,000,000 less than in 1900 and \$7,000,000 les than in 1905. The decrease, however, it is explained, is not due to a falling off in the production, but to the greater consumption of cotton seed oil at home The statistics show that 82 per cent of the total output was retained for home consumption in 1910, as against only 49 per cent ten years before. The Netherlands, the United King-

lom, Italy, France, Germany, Canada and Mexico take most of the exports What is of more interest, however htan the fact that the exports of the past ten years have aggregated more than \$150,000,000 is the rapid extension of the industrial and other uses to which cotton seed oil is now being ap plied both in this and other countries No doubt the latter is largely to be attributed to the energetic campaign publicity which the Cotton Seed Crushers' association has been conducting in order to encourage a greater appreciation of the value of cotton seed, not only as a food, but as a fac tor in the arts and industries.

"Most of us," says the New Orleans States, "have known for years that much of what passed for olive oil was actually cotton seed oil highly refined. But the public scarcely realizes how much of it enters into the manufacture of lard compounds, butterine and other substitutes for butter; in the packing and preserving of fish, and in making salad oils."

It is further pointed out that for two decades or more the crude oil has served as a valuable soap stock, yielding, when treated with certain alka lies, soap, washing powder, glycerine etc., and among its miscellaneous ap plications may be cited its use in med icine, in the preparation of cosmetics liniments and emulsions, in mines as an illuminant for miners' lamps, for tempering edged tools, for mixing with putty and for rough painting.-Hous-

ON HOME PATRONAGE.

A student of the Van Wert Ohio igh school contributed the following arguments in favor of buying at home to Van Wert paper. The arguments would be highly creditable to older

Buying at Home. Loyal citizens should be interested n home affairs. The community that is good enough for us to live in is good ough for us to buy in. If we wish to buy our goods in another town, why lo we not go there to live?

Our city is just what we make it Therefore we should not pull it down out strive always to build up. Every iollar we spend at home stays at ome and works for its welfare; therefore it is our duty to spend most of our

noney in our community. If we buy at home our merchants will be more prosperous and will help to make the city properous. They can afford to better the conditions of their stores and to hire more people to work for them. Where much labor is in demand there we find a growing com munity. People from neighboring owns; knowing that our town affordsmuch labor, will naturally locate here Thus our community will not only be come more prosperous but will also

gradually grow in population. Our merchants are interested in all our public affairs. When ill luck, be reavement or misfortune comes, the men we buy of are here with a kindly greeting, their words of cheer and their pocket books, if need be. Would foreign merchants do this?? If we should ask a foreign merchant to do nate a small amount of money for char acted several years ago, having for its itable purpose in Van Wert, he would purpose of abolishing of the office of tell us to go to our home merchants Furthermore, our merchants help in supporting schools, churches, lodges and even our homes. They noate much money for charitable purposes. keep up our daily newspaper by their now on the office of city marshal will advertisements. It is impossible for a newspaper to be alive and vigorous sition to the action taken last night by without the aid of our home mer chants. They were the means of board, one remarking that in the bringing our annual Chautauqua here. which we all know is a great literary and educational advantage. In view of all these things ought we not to show our appreciation by patronizing them! Our merchages pay their share of

voters would not use good judg- timate has been made to the effect that merchants of towns and village now pay 30 per cent of the taxes, and if the big mail order stores succeed in destroying this source of tax revenue the merchants' share of the tax must be paid by us. We are thus deliber

We should believe in transacting business with our home merchants. Have we not produce of our own to

AL POLITICS

Votes of women may not determine but they will contribute largely to ward deciding the political complex ion of at least thirty-seven American presidential electors this year. These electors are to be chosen by California, Colorado, Idaho, Utah, Washing ton and Wyoming, in each of which women have now equal suffrage with men. Altogether, it is expected that the women's vote in the states nam ed will reach about 1,250,000, Califor Aia alone having about 670,000 of the new voters. In California women voters are in the majority: if, there fore, they should vote as a unit against the solid vote of the men they could control the electoral vote of the Golden State. But no such separation of the sexes politically is probable, if, indee it could reasonably

be called possible. But here are thirty-seven electoral votes, or thirty-six more than enough to decide a presidential election Even as the case stands now, the margin is large enough to cause seasoned politicians to put on their thinking caps. But it is likely to be The states of Kansas increased. Oregon and Wisconsin are to vote on woman suffrage before November and if they should all vote favorably this would add twenty-seven more electors to the thirty-seven, making sixty-four out of a total of 531 to be chosen. It must be apparent to the average observer that if the women in the states named should take an independent political position in the coming contest they would practically hold the balance of power in all the states named. In other words, the electors who might be favored with their votes would in all probability be chosen. A very much smaller number of electoral votes than sixty-four, held in doubt, has

there is every reason for believing that their uncertainty with regard t the vote of the suffrage states this year will prevent them from predicting results with too much confidence It would be as nonsensical as un just to assume that women will vote as a sex or that they will be altogether influenced in the exercise of the franchise by their nearest male adult relatives. A fairer and a more rational view to take would be that for the most part they will act with induvidual independence and use their best judgment. No one, no matter how near, can exercise any control over any of them in the perform ance of the final act. They are en titled to all the privileges and im munities and safeguards of the secre To speculate as to their course in the mass would be folly all that is definitely known at pres

often disturbed the politicians up to

the announcement of the result;

DEFENSE WON FIRST FALL IN NORRIS TRIA

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Science Monitor.

ever may be the materials used for building, and the offense is complete when the fire has been communicated to a house, though it may be neither destroyed nor seriously injured. It is an offense under this la to set fire to a house or building owned by another, or owned by the person so setting fire to it, provided the house is situated within a town or city, or is insured, or within such close proximity to other property belonging to another as would cause even apparent danger For County Judge: to such other person's property. The penalty for arson has wisely been nade severe, it being by confinement in the penitentiary for any period of time not less than five nor more than twenty years.

"In this connection I desire to call your attention to the recent burning of the Baptist church and parsonage in Fort Worth. With the exception For of the guilty parties, every man, wo man and child in our county desires that the author of this dastardly crime be apprehended and summarily punished, and, while the grand jury convened by Judge Simmons of the Sixty-seventh district court spent considerable time in the investigation of this matter, yet no indictment covering the same was returned, and I would urge this grand jury to use its utmost efforts to discover the guilty party or parties and make true presentimen of indictment in case the evidence justifies. In entering into this investigation it will be you privilege to take advantage of any testimony, evidence or data present ed to this former grand jury, but in

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addition thereto you should be sat-isfied through your own investigations as to the character of such proof. In going into this matter it is especially important that your minds should be free of any prejudice or bias and at the same time that you should have the courage of your convictions and let no clew promising any enlightening information go uniquestigated, no matter from what source or by whom the same may be offered and to exhaust every source of probable information. The safety of our etizenship and the peace of mind of every person in Fort Worth demand that no effort be spared to bring to punishment the person or persons guilty of this unit matters not who may be affected or in what direction the truth may seem to lead you, do not hesitate in your conscientious endevaor to settle this horrible mystery and present for punishment the perpetrator of this nefarious crime. "In this connection you will also,

of course, make due investigation of the several attempts to assassinate Rev. J. Frank Norris. Judge Buck cautioned the jurors

to hold inviolate all of the proceedings of the grand jury room and instructed them to return indictments against members of any former grand jury who might have betrayed the secrets of that body. He charged them to investigate all violations of the law, or alleged violations, that were brought to their attention.

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For Mayor: DR. J. M. BELL.

or City Marshal: R. V. GWINN. TOM ROARK. A. J. HUMPHRIS C. P. YEARY HENRY SPARKS.

For City Tax Assessor and Collector:

V. G. SKEEN W. A. (Arthur) McCARTY.

DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY. All nominations under this heading are subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

For District Attorney 30th Judicial S. M. FOSTER

For Representative 101 District: E. W. NAPIER

PATRICK HENRY. For District Clerk: ALEX KERR.

C. B. FELDER re-election

H. A. FAIRCHILD R. L. (Pete) RANDOLPH.

LEWIS JERNIGAN. For County Tax Collector W. H. DAUGHERTY County Tax Assessor

JOHN ROBERTSON County Clerk E. P. WALSH CARL YEAGER. GEO. TUMMINS. RALPH HINES.

For County Treasurer T. W. McHam

For County Attorney?

T. R. (Dan) BOONE

T. B. GREENWOOD.

For County Superintendent W. O. WILLINGHAM R. M. JOHNSON. For Justice of the Peace Precinct No. 1.

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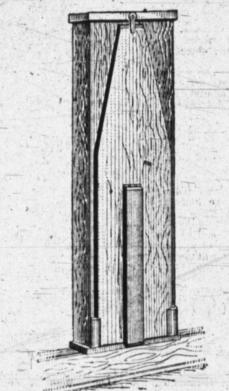
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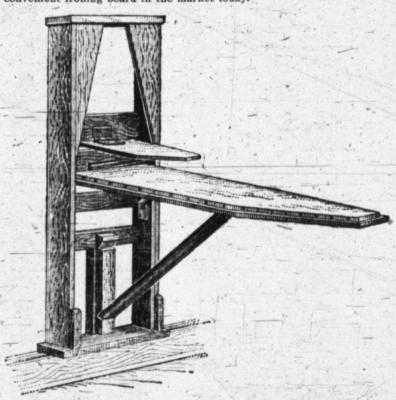
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661. 249-tfc FOR SALE-Good Mosler safe; cheap. Moran Furniture Company. Phone 24, 251-tfc

FOR SALE-Cheap; 30 foot steel tower wind-mill, pump and all complete Address A. J. Evans, Huff, Texas.

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257-3tp FOR SALE-At a real bargain; four room house with bath room, city water and gas, south front, two blocks from Austin school: \$250 cash, balance 25 per month. Who wants this snap. have other good bargains. Phone 522 at once. Mack Thomas, owner. -253-tfc

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FOR SALE-Four room house on 18th street. Price \$1250; \$250 cash, balance easy. Otto Stehlik, phone 692.

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FOR SALE-Nine room house, modaddress F. W. Tibbetts, city. 255-6tc ern, two blocks, new building, located near First Baptist church. Second FOR RENT—4 room bungalow, close floor now rented for \$65 per month. in, water, light and gas, water paid, Price \$4500. Need the money. See J. 251-tfc | Phone 692.

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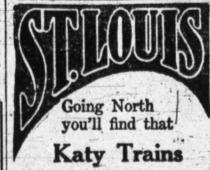
46 Defendants Indicted For Dynamite Conspiracy Appeared For Trial

By Associated Press.
Indianapolis, Ind., March 12.-Forty-six union leaders charged with unlawful interstate transportation of explosives alleged to have been used in a terroristic campaign against the open shop, appeared in the Federal court here today to plead.

Elijah Zoline, attorney for the deendants, argued a motion to quash the indictments. This motion was overruled.

Roy Spurling has accepted a posi tion with the Toledo Oil Company, with headquarters in Toledo, Ohio.

Kingsville will have a city plan. The commissioners have engaged civil engineers to establish grades and levels, provide for street exten sions and park areas and make est. mates for paving and sewerage.



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and family at 904 Travis street. Mr. into the sand. The util ha touched the top of the sand. Mansfield is a brother of Mrs. Sim-

mons, and this is the first time the Our stock is about complete in the brother and sister have met in twelve grocery line and we are still adding to it daily the very best of everything. We are anxious for you to come and If you will give us your business we will take special pains to supply you investigate our prices and goods. EAGLE & WILSON

with whatever you may call for in our 250-tfc Thomas Gavin of Independence, Kansas, and Thomas Chestnutt, of Carlyle, Ill., left for their homes today velopment work being prosecuted by The Ladies Aid Society of the First the Peoples Oil and Gas Company in which they are interested.

> My motto: Miller sells it for less See Kell, Perkins & Cravens for a kinds of insurance. Phone 694. Ground floor, Kemp & Kell Building. 52-tfc

The meeting of the directors of the Chamber of Commerce regularly scheduled for ten o'clock this morning was postponed until ten o'clock tomorrow morning on account of the meeting of the stockholders of the Wichita Southern Life Insurance Co. At the meeting tomorrow morning the matter of taking some steps to make this a concentration point for broom straw will be discussed.

which the grand jury will investigate will be the sending of letters received Jesse J. Dolman, licensed undertaker and embalmer, with Freear-Brin Furniby Frank Norris and members of his ture Co. Day phone 136. night phone Excelsior Barber shop and bath

house basement Kemp & Kell Bldg. Much interest is being felt in the ddress that will be delivered here 254-tfc Thursday afternoon by Secretary Dornblaser of the National Farmers Union. It is expected that Mr. Dornblaser will outline in some detail the project for the financing of the cotton crop next year. A plan is now being Teacehrs' Club will meet Thursday formulated whereby the spinners are Teachers' Club will meet Thursday expected to advance a hundred million o'clock in the Austin school building dollars on the cotton crop and in which on 13th street, and the meeting will the cotton raisers will deal directly be an important one in that an exhiwith the spinners. bition of the work of some of the pu-

pils will be given. The members of Blues vs. Yellows Tonight the club are especially urged to be Tonight beginning at 8:30 o'clock at the Y. M. C. A. the Blues will play the Yellows in a hotly contested Collonade coffee in a class by itgame of indoor baseball which game 255-tfc has been proving very popular with Today we have a nice shipment of members of the association during the last two months. Following is regetables; such as turnips, onlons, tne standing of the teams at present, radish, mustard, spinach, lettuce and celery, and for Saturday trade tomathe Yellows being in the lead in the oes, new potatoes, sweet peppers etc. race for the championship of the eague:

The drill is going again in the Jack The public is cordially invited to My motto: Miller sells it for less, attend each and every game which is played at the Y. M. C. A., seating Dr. Prothro, Dentist. Suite No. 1, accommodations having been arrang-62-tfc ed amply sufficient, to take care of any crowd which is likely to attend. Collonade-Drink it kid-fresh

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A Civic Welfare Commission has

been organized at Beaumont,

didate They Would Hold the Balance of Power.

Washington, D. C., March 12. rom 1,000,000 to 1,500,000 women will have something to say in choosng the next President. In at least six States the hand that rocks the radle will also cast the ballot. In the six States where women

ute somewhat less than one-half of he total voting population. ensus report is authority for the tatement that men are increasing in his country more rapidly than wo pen, due to the larger number of nen immigrants. The excess male opulation is fixed at 2,000,000. In he Western States men are not so nuch in the majority, however, as hey were in earlier pioneer days foreover, it seems to be generally onceded that women register and ote in larger proportion than men to take the woman's vote therefore approximately half the entire vot

ng population of the six State

here the feminine influence is Estimating Washington's total vot ng population inclusive of the new roman vote at 450,000. Idaho's a 25,000, Wyoming at 50,000, Utah's at 50,000, Colorado's at 300,000 and alifornia's at 800,000, we would have an aggregate of nearly two mil ion voters in the six States. Possi bly the fairest estimate would fix the quota of women voters at about 1 500,000, a number large enough to be

the exception of one coat. A box of seat of United States Senator Jona-This army of women, despite the shoes sent to L. Roesler was robbed than Bourne of Oregon. Senator fact that the United States is some Bourne will be a candidate for retimes called slow of persausion by election but will refrain from making suffrage enthusiasts includes one third of the women voters of the world, the other two-thirds being in President Taft has accepted an in-Australia, Finland, Norway and Nev the Santa Fe yards at Brenham. The tin had a shipment of a marble statue vitation to the banquet of the Union Zealand. It is more than the usua car was burglarized somewhere along in the car, and the piece of marble League Club of Philadelphia on April Presidential plurality. If a million and a half voted solidly they migh

reckoned with in any campaign.

decide the Presidency. The exercise of the voting privilege in 1912 will be no novelty to the wo men of Wyoming, where they have teen voting since 1869, the franchise having been bestowed upon them year after the organization of the Territory. When the Territory be came a State in 1890, women suffrage was written in the constitution Wyoming women have exactly the same political significance that mer have, and, according to figures from the State, 90 per cent of them make the most of it, registering and voting regularly. They often sit as jurors

The women of Colorado are no ovices at voting in Presidential elec They were franchised in 1893 so that they have been voting fo

Itah women voted when the State still a Territory. The Territory e a State in 1866, and the ight of women to vote was establish ed in the constitution. A woman has once been elected to the Senate in Utah, and several have served in the louse of Representatives.

Idaho women will cast their fift) residential votes this year, having he franchise since 1896.

Washington women also voted when Washington was a Territory n 1887 woman suffrage was declared inconstitutional, and was not put in the constitution of the new State on its admission to the Union. It 1910, however, it carried the State by vote of three to one.

the United States to have an op portunity to vote directly for Presi ent. The Presidential primary law bassed both houses of the California egislature in extra session some ime ago. Six other States, where vomen do not vote, have passed laws conferring the same privilege upon nen voters. There are six Ameri eans cities, with populations of more han 100,000 each, where women vote President, Congressman and all other officials, on the same basis as Three of the six are in California, San Francisco leading as the

Louisiana Politics. New Orleans, La., March. 12 .- The first preliminary step in the national political campaign in Louisiana was taken today, when the Democratic State central committee met to decide he matter of presidential primaries for the selection of delegates to the

Baltimore convention. There appears

o be a growing demand among the

Democrats for a presidential prefer-

ence primary and the adoption of the ystem is regarded as likely. The Reolicans are expected to adhere to convention plan of naming their delegates to the national convention sentiment among the Republicans of quisiana is divided between Taft and

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"THIS IS MY 46th BIRTHDAY." Bishop Schrembs.

Rt. Rev. Joseph Schrembs, bishor of the Roman Catholic diocese of Toledo, was born in Ratisbon, Bavaria, March 12, 1866. At the age of eleven he became a student in the St. Vincent archabbey of the Order of St. Benedict, Beatty, Pa. In 1884 Bishop Richter, who had a short time before been consecrated first bishop of Grand Rapids, adopted him as a student of the diocese. Young Schrembs pursued his theological studies in the Grand Seminary, Montreal, and in 1889 was ordained to the priesthood by Bishop Richtor. Father Schrembs first labored as curate in Saginaw and Bay City. In 1900 he was made pastor of St. Mary's church, Grand Rapids. A year later he was appointed vicar general of the diocese and in February, 1906, he was promoted to the office of domestic prelate of the papal household, which carried with it the title of monsignor. Last year he attained the higher honors of auxiliary bishop of will vote next November they consti- the Grand Rapids diocese and then bishop of the new diocese of Toledo.

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The Democratic leaders will turn their attention towards Kansas, where the State convention to elect delegates to the Baltimore convention will meet in Hutchison Thursday, Clark, Wilson and Harmon each claims a following in the Sunflower State and the outcome of the convention is problem-

In Alabama and the State of Wash guilty. ington the Progressive Republicans are to hold State conferences to consider plans for pushing the Rooseveit Republicans are to hold State conferences to consider plans for pushing

Roosevelt's candidacy. Tennessee Republicans will meet in Nashville Tuesday to nominate a State ticket to be voted for at the coming election. The renomination of Governor Hooper appears to be assured. A second convention will be held in May to select delegates to the Republican national convention.

New Mexico's first State legislature vill convene in Santa Fe Monday. Within ten days after convening the lawmakers will begin balloting for two Inited States senators.

A State election is to be held in New Hampshire Tuesday to elect defegates to the convention which will meet in Concord next June to frame a new State Constitution.

Labor troubles and the prevalent unrest in the industrial world will coninue to occupy a large measure of Louis.

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all of the Eastern railroads will meet

in New York city Thursday to consid-

er the wage demands recently made

by the engineers. The demand is for

an increase in pay ranging from 15 to

50 per cent and the standardization of

Among other meetings and events

that will figure more or less promi-

nently in the news of the week will be

the Land Show in Los Angeles, the

pening of the Northwest Electrical

champion teams of nearly all leagues. merican League Gulde—the official The Official Playing Rules handbook of the great junior major The 1912 Reach Official American league-makes its welcome appear-League Guide also contains that most important requisite to give it official ed to inform himself as to the adance, being once more first in the field, as it is in everything else; as this publication, in the course of years embracing virtually an entire playing rules code for 1912, together with the 1912 championship schestandard annual publication of the dules of the American League, Naentire base ball world. This is a tional League and various important minor leagues. The legislation and ditions, he takes the same chances big claim, but it is absolutely sustained by tae text, illustrations, results of the annual meetings of quality of paper, serviceable binding the American League and National time and labor as the man who raises and all other details that go to make League are also set forth. In short, up a handsome, readable and saleable everything of interest or value eithbook. Topping all, it may be said er for record or reference will be without fear of successful contradicfound within the covers of this great ion that the American League official book, which is thus erally a complete Guide for 1912 is in all respects a history of base ball in 1911. The first class handbook for the National Reach American League Guide for game and a decided credit to the at 10 cents the copy.

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The season for planting is at hand, the principles that apply to States will attract even more attnall good farming, such as the thorough preparation of the land the sethe operators' answer to the demands of the miners will be made public at important for these crops as for the a joint conference called for Wednesmain crops on any farm. In fact, unless these principles are strictly ad-The fifty-four labor union officials hered to, the final outcome of the and business agents under indictment harvest cannot be what might or in the dynamite conspiracy cases are should be. to be arraigned in the Federal court

We consider a man a very poor at Indianapolis Tuesday. At that time farmer indeed who does not have some progressive ideas when it comes to the selection of his live stock for breeding purposes. Yet this same The contempt proceedings involving farmer who spends thousands of dollars in buying the best breeding dent John Mitchell and Secretary stock fails to extend the same principles to getting a better breed of plant to be grown for furnishing food for these animals, says the Ag the supreme court of the District of riculturist. It is more than passing strange that these men do not grasp the situation and that more do not gineers and managers of practically apply their culminative knowledge along this line to everything connected with their farms. It only illustrates the fact that very few men are naturally broad-minded enough to carry on any extensive operations especially when there are various features or phases of them to be looked after at the same time, If a certain amount of selection

and breeding are necessary to double a man's income from stock, of which there are ample examples for proof. why should not the same principles hold good when it comes to selecting seed from which to grow the various crops on his farm? The unfailing law of nature which has long een recognized that "like begets like" will just as surely apply to ne as to the other.

When a man breeds scrub stock he looks for scrub offspring, that is, unless he is a scrub farmer and really knows no better and has failstamp and public value, namely, the vance of times. Ordinary common he plants faulty seed or seed from a poor variety and uses no discretion in choosing such varieties as are adapted to his soil and climatic conof getting unprofitable returns for his scrub stock.

On many farms in all sections the seed corn for next year's crop has already been selected, and the general belief over the country is that the average yield of corn all over the United States has been materially 1912 is for sale by all newsdealers raised by attention to seed selection alone. We have heard it claimed that the average yield of a whole state has been increased ten bushels per acre by seed selection. If this be true many millions of dollars additional can be adden to the value of this one farm product. If the system was extended to all other farm crops and to the live stock interests of the country, untold profits could be added to our annual income from

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The total population of Oklahoma in 1910 was subdivided as to color as follows: White, 1,444,535; negro, 13,712; Indian, 74,825; Chinese and Japanese, 183. The equivalent figures for 1900 were: White, 70,204; negro, 55,684; Indian, 64,445; Chinese 58. For 1880 they were: White 172,-554; negro, 21,609, Indian, 64,456; Chineses, 38.

The rate of increase since 1900 in both the white and negro population was very considerable, but was not so great as that from 1890, to 1900. The increase in the white population from 1900 to 1910 was 775,331, or 115.5 per cent, as compared with an increase from 1890 to 1900 of 497,650, or 288.4 per cent. The negro population shows Mrs. Lincoln of Cottolene—the perfect an increase since 1900 of 82,928 or 147.1 per cent, as against an inperts are now using this cooking fat crease from 1890 to 1900 of 34,075, and James A. Henmenway, former or 157.7 per cent.

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A. T. Coombs a prominent citizen o Seymour, arrived here yesterday on business, and will remain here for a few days.

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Bowman Evangelical church, left this afternoon for Seymour, near which place he will preach a sermon. Daniel Schaffner and son, of Petrol-

ia, passed through here this afternoon en route to Seymour, where they will remain for several days. Dick Bond, a traveling salesman

with headquarters in St. Louis, arrived here today, and will remain in the city for several days on business for his

Miss Alleen Waggoner, a student of Polytechnic College in Fort Worth, after spending a few days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Waggoner, on Floral Heights, left this afternoon for Fort Worth, to resume her studies.

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Mrs. A. A. Mathis, arrived here this H. Mathis and wife, on Austin street.

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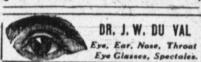
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DEATH OF JOHN

John Hicks Stirman, aged 23 years,

The funeral service will be con ducted by Rev. C. D. Couch at four o'clock this afternoon. Burial will take place in Riverside Cemetery.

The Crescent Oil & Gas Company on of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Stirman, of Electra, Texas, and Phoenix, 1314 Sixteenth street, died at three Arizona, has been granted a permit o'clock this morning. The young to do business in Texas with princiman had not been in good health for pal offices at Fort Worth

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