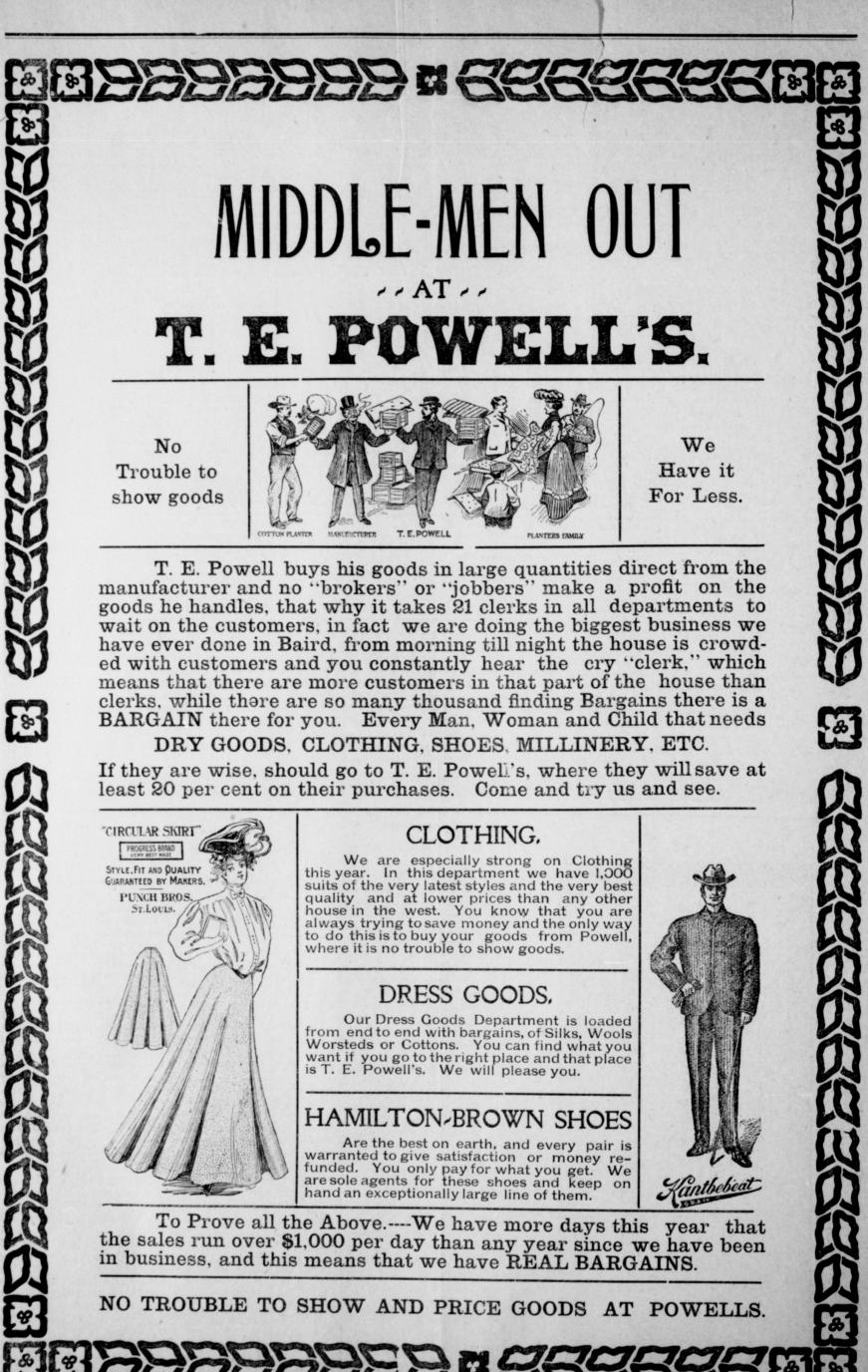


<b>DEED</b> my books that is lenient with you, me or not, and if come and settle up, oney, in fact I must	charges on it. It is fine for both man and beast. Anything will eat it. The farmers here will hunt or fish in the fall if they don't want to work at the shingle or saw mills, there are plenty of them here. There are as many negroes here as white people. The turpentine farmer cut the pin- trees and when the gum runs out and get it. I will close. WHI.PALMORE, Jr. OLD PAPERS FOR SALES AT STAR OPTICE Just the thing to put under your carpets, 25c per hundred.
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EBABBB



Tom Windhan of Tecumseh was in

ford to show you, bargains only found at T. E. Powell's. 1tf A URIM TRAGEDY.	Prof. B. C. Chrisman, Atwell and Prof. C. C. Crownover, Union. 11:30. Consolidation of Rural Schools.—Supt. H. C. Darden, Cot-	system. It is much to be prefered to Quinine, having none of this drug's bad after-effects. E. S. Munday, of Henricta Toxas writes:	Mr. Hugh Ross had a pony that	and two bath tubs and can serve you with hot or cold bath at any time. I please my my customers. Agent for the
Is daily enacted in thousands of	tonwood.	brother was very low with malarial	found it last work five milds south	ACIVIE Steam Laundry,
homes, as Death claims, in each one, another victim of Consumption or	2 p. m. Physiology, Lesson 1.—	fever and jaundice, till he took Electric Bitters, which saved his iife"		wasket Leaves on Tuesdays and returns ou Fridays. Bring me your laundry.
Pneumonia. But when Coughs and Colds are properly treated, the trag-	Prof. H. F. Varner, Cottonwood. 3 Spelling Lesson 2 - Prof. R.	At Powell & Powell's drug store; price 50c, guaranteed.	ALWAYS INCREASES THE STRENGTH.	************************
edy is averted. F. G. Huntley, of Oaklandon, Ind., writes: "My wife	F. Bennett, Cedar Bluff. 4 School Law-Hon, B. L.			dies and gents watch fobs at Powell
had the consumption, and three doc- tors gave her up. Finally she took Dr. King's New Discovery for Con-	Russell and Hon. W. R. Ely.	Clyde last week to spend some time	assimilated will always increase the strength. If your stomach is a little off Kodol Dyspepsia Cure will digest	Hello 22! Send me a nice steak.
sumption, Coughs, Colds, which cured her, and today she is well and		and the second	what you eat and enable the digestive	Ladie's and men's overshoes, any
	Miss Mamie, after a two week's visit	Tom Hadley is one of the early	all foods into tissue-building blood.	
		settlers of the County and has many friends who would be rejoiced to see		A thing of beauty is usually out of style before most of us can afford to
Powell dependent Trial bottle free			Sold by R Philling	buy it.

Powell druggist. Trial bottle free. will go to El Paso.

him again in good health.

Sold by R. Phillips.

# The Baird Weekly Star

# THURSDAY, JAN. 18, 1906

Entered at the postoffice at Baird, Tex. as second class mail matter.

W. E. GILLILAND, Editor and Proprietor.

ADVERTISING RATES. 

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Local reading notices (in Long Primer type Not reading notices to run smoot reading mat-er in black type or larger or smaller type than regular body type will be received at any price.

# Subscription Rates.

.... 50 cta

Terms: Cash in advance.

The people and city dads should inaugurate a thorough system of cleaning up. Diphtheria and scarlet fever are both near us, and the town never needed cleaning up worse than at this time

The Abilene Reporter has recently put in a type setting machine. THE STAR is always glad to note any progress and improvement among the press boys. The Reporter is one of the best country paper in Texas and well deserves the liberal support it receives from its home people.

Little Guy Wynton Ervin, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Ervin, of the Big Springs Enterprise, died on the 24th of December. THE STAR extends sincere sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Ervin in their sorrow over the loss of their darling little boy. We know by experience how keen the anguish over the loss of an only boy and we know too how futile is sympathy of friends in such cases to relieve the aching hearts, but some how when we hear that death has invaded the home and taken away some little boy or girl of some friend or acquaintance it, makes us feel sad and we want to do what we can to comfort and assist them, at least offer them words of sympathy.

The City should begin early this year to prepare for summer when water is nearly always scarce. We believe if the City Ordinance was so changed as to allow a minimum price or 50 cents instead of \$1.00 per month that most water consumers would put in meters. So long as a minimum rate of \$1.00 is charged, very few will put in meters. More consumers that would reduce their water supply to say 1000 gallons per month the more there would be for others, but so long as a consumer is charged for 2000 gallons per month whether they use that much or not, there is no inducement to economize in the use of water and the result is a water famine nearly large as Baird. every summer. Make the minimum rate 50 cents per month to all that will put in meters and we believe we t have a shortage of water under ordinary conditions. Think about it!

# FOR RENT.

see me. H. H. RAMSEY, Baird. 5 STAR than THE STAR uses. -0-

# WANT SEED OATS?

W. H. Dawkins has them for sale, three miles east of Admiral. No Johnson grass seed in them. 6-4t. get reward.

----George Johnson of Clyde was in the City on business the first of the week.

# NOT DEAD, BUT MAD.

The Messenger, a prohibition or-gan at Gainsville, has failed, or at least, a receiver has been asked for. About four years ago the Messenger loomed up with a great "loom" and claimed to have the largest paid up subscription list of any paper in Cooke county, but like most local papers that are started to boom one thing, it flourished for a season, then began to droop and finally died. People get tired of a paper that has only one song that it can sing and even its friends desert it after awhile.

-BAIRD STAR. but it can make a fellow scratch; hence, this reply.

The people of Gainesville will be very much surprised to learn that Messenger has "finally died. When the authority for the information is noted, however, their wonderment will not be so great, as a little backwoods rag is not supposed to know the truth about State happenings.

The "prohibition organ" proposition will also be news to our readers and the dozen pros, who stopped their subscriptions in the last campaign, will regret their action. The entire article simply shows how far an editor can stray from the facts in the case when he just wants to fill space and has nothing to say.

One or two pages of THE STAR are not patent and the editor must be excused for his energy in filling it, regardless of the matter which he grinds out.

The receivership case of which THE STAR speaks, was filed in the ourt here in order to give a clear title to the Messenger plant to the stock company, which will soon be organized and after which several important changes will be made to give the public even a better local paper than we have during the past two years.

An alleged correspondent of one of the big papers is primarily the cause of such a report as The STAR harps on, but this paper has not been injured in the least by anything that has gone out .- Evening Mes senger.

So the Messenger is not dead, neither is it "pro," but the Messenger might have been more courteous in saying so. The statement that the Messenger was a "pro" paper was based on information four years old, that is the Messenger was a 'pro" paper in 1902, but it seems that it has changed since then and is an anti paper now. The further information that the paper had failed was taken from a report published in one of the daily papers.

We publish the reply in full in order to give the Messenger a chance to make its own defense, as uncivil as it is to THE STAR. We certainly have no desire to injure a fellow worker, be he anti or pro.

As to THE STAR being a little backwoods rag not supposed to know the truth about State happenings, we are satisfied that if any one qualified to judge will take THE STAR, with its clear, clean print from new type, with several columns of state and foreign news, and compare it with the copy of the Messenger sent us, they will admit that THE STAR is the equal at least of the Messenger, though published in a town three or four times as

The statement that THE STAR is all patent except one or two pages is the Messenger has several column of plate itself, and according to th A 70 acre farm to rent, situated size of the two papers, has more plate 7 miles S. E. of Baird. Phone or in proportion in the issue sent THE

# LOST.

One small gold pin with honey bee and some for-get-me-nots on it. Leave at Home National Bank and

Neil Edwards, Charley Stallings and others have gone overland to New Mexico. THE STAR wishes them a pleasant journey.

# CONFEDERATE COLUMN.

**RESOLUTIONS.** 

The following resolutions were adopted by Camp Albert Sidney Johnston No. 654 at Baird, Texas:

Whereas, as it has been made known to us by our General Commanding Stephen D. Lee, in General order No. 33 that the devoted Daughters of the Confederacy have raised the required amount to complete the monument to our first and only An itch bacillus is infinately small President Jefferson Davis, and to show our appreciation and admiration of their devoted and untiring efforts in this cause.

Therefore be it resolved by Camp Albert Sidney Johnston No 654 U. C. V. that we most heartily endorse the following resolution, adopted at the Louisville Convention.

"Resolved that the United Confederate Veterans receive with deep feeling the announcement that the Daughters of the Confederacy have raised the \$70,000 necessary to complete the monument to the great Chief of the Confederacy, Jefferson Davis, in which they were so ably Primary, should one be held: assisted by the Southern Confederate Memorial Association, of which Mrs. W. I. Behua is the efficient head, and would express their most earn. est thanks and appreciation of the devoted efforts that enabled these noble women to accomplish that in which the Veterans had failed, thus illustrating the truth of the aphorism that the ', love of woman is more patient than the strength of men.

For Sheriff.

T. A. IRVIN.

W. R. ELY.

ENTERTAINMENT.

Miss McWhorter's Elocution Class

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PAY UP.

me to attend to the matter at once.

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NOTICE, FINAL ACCOUNT.

No. 284.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

Callahan County-Greeting:

W. E. GILLILAND, Editor.

All persons indebted to THE STAR

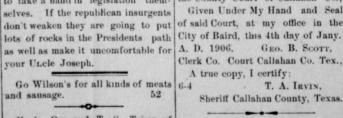
For County Attorney,

will give an entertainment at the Be it further resolved, that this Camp individually adds its most Opera House tomorrow, Friday, earnest and heartfelt thanks, to the night. Admission 35 and 25cents. above and acknowledges that it feels that its devotion and loyalty to the cause that is lost, is only exceeded by that of the devoted Daughters of one year or more, are requested to the Confederacy, in as much as we pay up at once. County subscribers know that ours dies with us, that will find date of expiration of their theirs is endowed with the spirit of subscription printed on their paper. eternity and will be by them perpet-I must have money to meet my obli. uated from generation to generation.

Resolved that a copy of these resolutions be sent to that noble and devoted woman, who has given her time and her talent to the comple. tion of this cause, Mrs. N. V. Randolph, Chairman Central Committee, Jefferson Davis Monument Association, Richmond Va., that she and her associates may know that our hearts have always beaten in sympathy with them, in this great cause and now that their efforts have been crowned with success, pronounce upon them the benediction, God bless them.

R. E. WATHEN COM. J. E. W. LANE, Adjt.

Speaker Cannon is having trouble with a lot of Congressmen who are in open rebellion against the arbitrary rules of the House. Under the rules established by the late Tom Reed, Speaker of the House of Represenatives, the House has lost prestige. The rules to govern file their objections thereto, if any and unruly minority has become they have, on or before the March distasteful to a portion of the majority. The Speaker of the House under the present rules is almost the whole show. The speaker dictates what shall and what shall March A. D. 1906, when said Acabout on a par with the balance of not come before the House and the the Messenger's reply. THE STAR members are becoming tired of such sidered by said Court. is all home print inside and out. A arbitrary proceedings and propose few columns of plate are used, but to take a hand in legislation themselves. If the republican insurgents



Putnam and Mr. Rutlege of Moran came up Saturday night to attend a called meeting of the Masonic lodge. Indebted to me are earnestly request-

We sell the best Horse collar on want to close my books for 1905. earth, ask to see it. C. S. Boyles 4t 7.tf R. PHILLIPS, Drngg



"This boy," he said, "awoke one morning very ill. His groans alarmed the household. The doctor was sent for and came posthaste.

"Well," said the doctor, as he entered the sick room, "what's the trouble?'

"A pain in my side." said the boy. "A pain in the head?"

"Yes, sir.' "Is the right hand stiff?"

A little. "How about the right foot?"

"That's stiff, too."

The doctor winked at the boy's mother

"Well," he said, "you're pretty sick. But you'll be able to go to school on Monday. Let me seetoday is Saturday, and--'

"Is today Saturday?" said the boy in a vexed tone. ', I thought it was gations and ask those indebted to Friday.

Half an hour later the boy declared himself healed and got up. Then they packed him off to school for it was Friday after all.-Ex.

# SPECIAL SALE CONTINUED

To the Sheriff or any Constable of I will continue special sale as advertised through January. If you J. I McWhorter, Administrator of want bargains come get them. The goods must go.

TERRELL, The Druggist, 5tf

-0-You get the value of your money at Schwartz. 52tf

Best 25c meal in Baird at Emil Lowe's.

# -0-OUT OF BUSINESS.

We have sold out our grocery business and want to wind up the business of the late firm of Callahan & Gray as rapidly as possible. All who know themselves indebted to this firm are requested to call and settle at once. We will be found at Dr. R. G. Powell's office, next door to Barnhill's shoe shop.

CALLAHAN & GRAY.

# CITY HOTEL.

5tf

We have opened the City Hotel and invite our friends to call and Clerk Co. Court Callahan Co. Tex., see us. We furpish first-class board and lodging at \$1.00 per day. We thank you for your past patronage and invite you to call and see us. 6tf MRS. E. SIGAL.

# FOR SALE.

25x40 iron-clad building, ceiled inside. Call and see building in rear of Prew's saloon. A bargain. FRANK X. PREW.

your ULCle Joseph. Go Wilson's for all kinds of meats 6-4 and sausage. Y. A. Orr and T. S. Tabor of

# the Estate of J. B. Maxwell, Deceased, having filed in our County Court his Final Account of the condition of the Estate of said J. B. Maxwell, Deceased, together with an application to be discharged as said Administrator of said Estate. You are Hereby Commanded, that by publication of this Writ for

Twenty days in a newspaper regularly published in the County of Callahan you give due notice to all persons interested in the Account for Final Settlement of said Estate, to Term, 1906, of said County Court, commencing and to be holden at the Court House of said County, in the City of Baird on the 5th day of count and Application will be con-Witness Geo. B. Scott. the County Court of Callahan Co.

A true copy, I certify: T. A. IRVIN.

Sheriff Callahan County, Texas.

# PAY UP.

All persons knowing themselves ed to come in and settle at once. I R. PHILLIPS, Drnggist. 5.2

# T. & P. R'y SCHEDULE.

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No.	6. arrives	0

J. B. HARMON, Agent

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p m

LOCAL NEWS. Walker visited at Putnam D. Sunday.

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Bring me your pecans. Will pay highest market price. J. A. 5tf. Christian.

-0 A. J. (Nuff) Arvin, of Cottonwood was in town Tuesday. -0

When you think of drugs see Powell. 30-tf J. H. Walker made a business

trip to Putnam Tuesday. +C

Old papers, 25c per hundred at THE STAR office.

If you want anything in the line of confectionaries I have it. J. A. 5tf Christian.

T. A. (Al) Irvin announces as candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff and Tax Collector. Al officer and the people have endorsed his official acts more than once. His accounts are always correctly and neatly kept and settlements with County and State promptly made.

Judge I. N. Jackson announces this week as a candidate for reelection to the office of County Judge. Mr. Jackson is so well known in this county that he needs no introduction by THE STAR for he has lived in the connty about a quarter of a century and during that time has served the people faithfully and efficiently first as County and District Clerk, and later as County Judge.

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Ira Frasier, a well known employe of the T. & P., is seriously ill. About six weeks ago he went east to see his father who was ill and who later 7-1t. died. He returned home sick and has been very sick ever since. The last few days he has been very ill, being delirious most of the time. It is said he has Brights disease, or some kidney trouble. Mr. Frasier has always been so strong and robust 1906. Elder T. J: Austin officiating that it is hard to realize that he should so suddenly be stricken down.

W. R. Ely announces as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Attorney. Mr. Ely is a young man and has held the office only one term, but has made a reputation as a vigorous prosecutor. Perhaps he has made some mistakes, but THE STAR believes, if so, they were not of the heart as we believe he intends to do what is right and for the best interest of the state. The office of County Attorney is a difficult one to fill to the satisfaction of all and Mr. Ely only asks a fair and impartial investigation of his official acts.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gunn. of L. Gunn and family of Baird. The and decided to . visit Mr. Gunn. They will spend some time here where Mr. Gunn wants to kill some wolves and prairie dogs. They will go from here to Corpus Christi, where they will spend some time in the delightful climate of the Gulf City. Mr. Gunn expressed surprise at the mildness of the weather here though he says the winter has not been severe in Missouri.

Pay your poll tax. Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Housley visited at Gorman last Sunday. m

> John Clements, colored, of Tecumseh, is in town on business

> Capt. and Mrs. J. W. Jones are in from the ranch on Clear Creek.

> Conrad Neubeaur has opened a restaurant on lower Market street.

> C. S. Boyles is in Fort Worth attending the Saddler's Convention.

Mrs. A. S. Cox, of Van Horn, is visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Jno. Collier.

Mrs. McCullum, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. R. E. Wathen, has returned to her home at Roswell, N. M.

A. M. (Mace) Sprawls, former County Commissioner from the Put. nam precinct, is in town. Mace don't come to town much of late, this being his first visit in six months.

The lecture on the Holy Land at the Methodist Church by Mr. Malum, accompanied by his sister, was well attended. Mr. Malum and sister are Greeks, and natives of Palestine, near Mt. Lebanon, famous in sacred Irvin has made a faithful and efficient history. All who heard the lecture express themselves as highly pleased.

Mr. Cook, from Eastland county, a brother-in-law of V. H. Cowen, has rented a farm south of town and is moving his household goods this week. Mrs. Cook and children are visiting Mr and Mrs. Cowen for a few days.

-0-Carter & Cannon's grocery ad appears in this issue. Mr. Carter has been in business in Baird for several years and is well and favorbly known. Mr. Cannon worked for Harry Meyer for several years. The new firm will treat you right. Give them a trial.

SHOAT LOST.

# White shoat got out of pen about two weeks ago. Finder please notify. FRANK AUSTIN.

# MARRIED.

COOKE-CAPPS.-Mr. Earnest Cooke and Miss Emma Capps were married on the evening of Jan. 10,

On account of the illness of the bride's parents the wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lane, cousins of the bride and was a very quite affair, only the immediate relatives and a few friends being present.

The bride and groom are among Baird's most popular young people and have many friends who join THE STAR in extending to them congratulationf and good wishes. -...

# WEDNESDAY CLUB.

Mrs. H. O. Powell entertained the Wednesday Club, Wednesday afternoon, with a five course luncheon. complimentary to her guest, Mrs. Nutter, of Kentucky,

The program consisting of the Huntsville, Mo., are visiting Mr. C. lesson which was the Colonial period The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar under the direction of Mrs. Harmon, men are consins and have not met proved a very interesting and en since 1868. Mr. and Mrs. Gunn are grosing subject. The responses to visiting Texas for health and pleasure roll call brought out many amusing suppositions. A paper on the Colonial writers, by Mrs. Hall, was excellent

> Those present were Mesdames Harmon, Phillips, Bell, Nutter, T. E. Powell, H. O. Powell, Spurgin, Seale, Blackburn, Miller, Ross, Fraser, Austin, Gray. Misses Bell, Daniel, Collier, Simmons, Miller and the hostess little daughter, Little Miss Veta

# SAD TIDINGS.

Grover C. Baker was born Nov.

11, 1884 died Dec. 18, 1905. His native home was Georgia in which state he resided until the age of six. He came with his parents to Texas making the Lone Star State his home. Both his parents died when he was still in childhood. Since their death he has lived with his sister, Mrs. L. Thomphson, and for the last three years has taken care of her and his two youngest sisters, proving by his devotion what a kind and considerate brother he was.

He was a member of the I. O. O. F. Camp 271. Was laid to rest under the auspices of Camp 271. He was a member of the Missionary Baptist Church. He professed religion and was baptised in 1899, and has lived a true moral christian life ever since. He leaves three sisters, two brothers, one cousin and a host of friends to mourn his death.

Dear loved ones your darling is not dead. God just plucked one of his fairest flowers out of the garden of life to deck the court of heaven. Only a short while and we will all pass on over the Dark River and then we, who are ready for the Roll Call, will meet Grover just over on the other shore, and by his side we hope to meet another one higher than all, to whom we can turn even now, and he will console and guide us in our darkest hours. Weep for the days that will come no more; for the sunbeam flown from the hearth and door; for a missing step and a nameless grace of a tender voice and a loving face. But not for the soul whose goal is won; whose infinite joys are just begun. But not for the spirit enrobed in light and crowned where the angels are tonight.

A True Friend. LILA BELL.

CHRONIC CONSTIPATION CURED. One who suffers from chronic constipation is in danger of many serious ailments, Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup cures chronic constipation as it aids digestion and stimulates the liver and bowels, restoring the natural action of these organs. Commence taking it today and you will feel better at once. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup does not nauseate or gripe and is very pleasant to take, give him a trial. Refuse substitutes. Powell & Powell.

HOW TO AVOID PNEUMONIA.

We have never heard of a single instance of a cold resulting in pneumonia or other lung trouble when Foley's Honey and Tar has been taken. It not only stops the oough, but heals and strengthens the lungs. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar and refuse any substitute offered. Dr. C. J. Bishop of Agnew, Mich., writes: "I have used Foley's Honey and Tar in three very severe cases of pneumonia with good results in every case." Powell & Powell.

# -0-THE ORIGINAL.

Foley & Co., Chicago, originated Honey and Tar as a throat and lung remedy, and on account of the great merit and popularity of Foley's Honey and Tar many imitations are offered for the genuine. These imitati orthless sounding names. Beware of them. is in a yellow package. Ask for it and refuse any substitute. It is the best remedy for coughs and colds.

Powell & Powell.

Pecans, pecans, pecans, I want all your pecans. J. A. Christian. 5tf

# BIRTHS.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Hill, near Belle Plaine, Jan. 14, 1906, a girl.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Osc Nitschki, Jan. 17, 1906, a girl.

# W. C. T. U.

# "God, Home and Native Land."

Motto for the year-Go Forward. NOTICE :- This column is furn.shed free for the use of the W. C. T. U. for the purpose of promoting temperance only, and with the lis-tinct agreement that all matters per-taining to Prohibition is prohibited in the achieve This sector. in this column. This much is due the readers of THE STAR that there may not be any misunderstanding about the matter.---[EDITOR STAR. PROGRAM.

Program for Mother's Meeting at the M. E. Church, Jan. 19, 1906. Opening Song, "Throw Out The Life Line.

Reading, Crusade Psalm. Roll Call, Extracts from Presi-

dent's Annual Address. Duett, -Miss Clair Phillips, Mrs.

W. D. Boydstun. Reading, --- Mrs. J. C. McGowen. Song, "Some Glad Day." Select Reading,-Mrs. Frederic

Alvord. Song,-Era Sartor, Willie Boydstun, Katie Lee Surles, Maunie

Work. Paper, Influence. Where

Yours?-Mrs. P. H. Miller. Paper, --- Mother's Way. --- Mrs. Ed Arnold.

Doxology. MRS. A. G. WEBB, Supt.

# Thermometer Stolen.

For twelve years a thermometer has hung on the front porch of THE STAR office and in all these years no one ever molested it until a day or two ago some one took it away. We would hate to become a thief for so small a thing as a twenty-five cent thermometer that had been in use ten or twelve years. One who would steal such a triffe would steal money off a dead niggers' eyes.

T. E. Powell went to Abilene yes terday on business.

-0 By an oversight we failed to call attention to Webb & Webb's ad last week. When you want horses, mules or land see them. -0-

J. C. Williams' barber ad appears in this issue. Mr. Williams has recently added several new features to his barber shop. Read the ad and



\*\* \* \* \* \* >WILLIAMS'★ BARBER SHO ILLIAN



Good stalls, nice dry yard and sheds for wagons. Feed for sale Best yard in Baird. Try us.

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Physician and Surgeon. Office at Powell & Powell's Drug Store Local Surgeon T. & P. Ry. Co. BAIRD, TEXAS.

E. R. SARTOR,

Physician and Surgeon. Office up stairs in Telephone Bld's.

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Indigestion Causes Catarrh of the Stomach.

Stomacca. For many years it has been supposed that Catarrh of the Stomach caused indigestion and dyspepsia, but the truth is exactly the opposite. Indigestion causes catarrh. Re-peated attacks of Indigestion inflames the mucous membranes liming the stomach and exposes the nerves of the stomach, thus caus-ing the glands to secrete much instead of the julces of natural digestion. This is called Catarrh of the Stomach.

# Kodol Dyspepsia Cur<del>p</del> relieves all inflammation of the mucons membranes lining the stomach, protects the nerves, and cures bad breath, sour risings, a sense of fullness after eating, indigestion.

fullness after eating, indig and all stomach troubles. dyspopsia and all stomach troubles. Kodol Digests What You Eat Make the Stomach Sweet. Bottles only. Regular size, \$1.00, holding 2% times the trial size, which sells for 50 cents Prepared by E. O. DeWITT & CO., Ohicago, IIA

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Spot cash to Everybody. We de

Old papers for sale at THE STAR office, 25 cents per hundred.

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Good second hand piano for sale,

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J. E. Gilliland, Office Deputy . Jas. Johnson, Deputy.

H. Harris, Jailer. J.

J. E. W. Lane, County Treasurer

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J. E. Tisdale, City Marshal. Alderman: H. O. Powell, W. F. Wilson, Fred Lane, J. B. Cutbirth,

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# DIRECTORY.

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BAIRD LODGE NO. 522 F. & A. M.-Meets on Saturday night on or be-fore fuil moon in each month. Vis-iting brethren welcome. C. S. BOYLES, W. M. J. H. WALKER, Seey.

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a. m. PRESBYTERIAN-Proaching every Ist and 3d, Sundays at 11 o'clock and at night. C. T. PHILLIPS Pastor.

Sunday School every Sunday at 10 o'clock. J. C. GRAY, Supt.

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Sunday at 10 a. m. W. J. LEVERETT, Supt.

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NEW BETHEL BAPTIST MISSIONary Charge, Preaching every 1st and 3d Sunday at 11 a.m. and 3 p. m. Union school house. REV. M. D. CASTILLO, Pastor.

A new line of ladies cloaks just received at H. Schwartz' 52tf

Tablets, Pencils, ink, etc at Powell & Powell's. 40

"Memories of the Lost Cause" by Capt. J. M. Polk, 25 cents per copy, at THE STAR office. 48.

SINGING SCOTCH SONGS The Soul of Robert G. Lowe Bade Body Farewell.

NO BETTER WORKER For Texas and Especially Galveston

Ever Existed, No More Enthusiastic Journalist Labored For His People.

Galveston, Jan. 16 .- Singing the nual report of the railroad commit Scotch songs of his boyhood, conscious has been received from the printer, to the last, recognizing the members of and is now ready for distribution. It his family, but with his mind wander- contains 545 pages and, as 15 cents are ing back to the days of his youth, such was the scene attending the death of mails, the commission asks that said Major Robert G. Lowe, Monday morning, vice president of A. H. Belo & Co., copies of the volume, it being free, proprietors of the Galveston-Dallas News

Mr. Lowe was in his usual health until Saturday morning, when he was stricken with heart failure. He did not ceive relief until Saturday afterno from which time he rested easy until

was near at hand. He was one of the best workers for Texas the state has ever had. For more than a generation his influence has gone forth from the press. He was a spirit of fearlessness, justice and lib-erty which always commanded atten-tion. After the 1900 storm he was act-tive in the councils of the leading citi-zens of Galveston who took in hand the management of affairs, and in the resurrection of the city he aided in the accomplishment of much that has been done.

Cotton furnished tonnage under "cot-resurrection of the city he alded in the accomplishment of much that has been done. Robert G. Lowe was born June 13. From Glasgow to New Orleans in 1856. when he was nineteen years old. In the carly part of April, 1801, he entered be Conference of the state of the st when he was nineteen years old. In the early part of April. 1361, he entered as a private in a company known as the Shreveport Greys, a part of Colonel Charles Dreux's battalion. From Shreveport Colonel Dreux, with his command, was ordered to Pensacola and from thence to Virginia, where they took part in the Peninsular campaign, during which Colonel Dreux was killed young Lowe was then made one of the guard of honor to accompany Colonel Dreux's body back to Shreveport, after which the command was disbanded. Subsequently Mr. Lowe was made an major, and in that capacity served hi the close of the war. After the war he became part owner of the Calveston in 1874, and became connected with in 1874, and became connected with in 1874, and became connected with the Galveston News. The firm of A. H. Belo & Co. was incorporated in 1881, and in 1883 Mr. Lowe was elected vice president, which position he held up to the time of this death. Mr. Lowe was the father of the movement to duplicate the Galveston News at Dallas. He was a member of the original deery water committee at Galveston. He at tended the numerous meetings, which

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Prosident Roosevelt Becomes an Horocrary Member of the Order.
Washington, Jan. 12.-President Roosevelt Becomes an honorary member of the order. A committee and Mexico, and San Anoron and witnessed by many prominem members of the order. A committee at bringing about peace between Japan and Russia. The president to be inducted into an honorary degree was e

MURDER CHARGED.

# Architect of Dallas.

port, snowing that during 1905 a total of 36,189 head of cattle, 44,122 hogs. 442 sheep and 26 goats were slaughtered in Oklahoma for food. During that time 35 head of cattle offered for slaughter were condemned and 28 head of hogs. During the quarter ending Dec. 30 hast, 12,346 head of cattle were slaugh-tered for food, 13,215 hogs. 224 sheep ard 4 goats. Twelve cattle were con-demned and 4 hogs.

Patriotic Physician. Austin, Jan. 13.—Acting State Health Officer Florence has gone to Dallas to pay his poll tax. Report of Commissioner Contains Over

Five Hundred Pages. Austin, Jan. 13 .- The fourteenth an-

required to transport it through the amount be inclosed by those desiring The total tons of freight carried by

Texas rairoads during the past three years varies but little, with 29,959,203 tons for 1903; 30,492,944 for 1904, and 30,653,070 for 1905. The commodity furnishing the great-est tonnage was lumber, 5,750,103 for 1905, against 5,849,635 and 6,338,013 for the nprecling two years, respectively—

from which time he rested easy until Monday morning, when he was taken with a more serious attack than the first, and it was apparent that the end was near at hand. He was one of the best workers for Texas the state has ever had. For more than a generation his influence has gone forth from the press. He was a spirit of fearlessness, justice and lib-

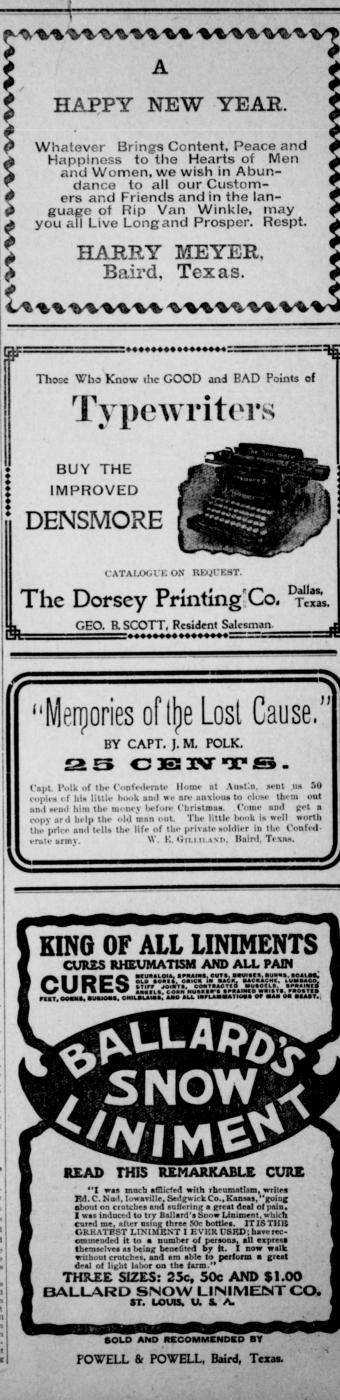
Next comes coiton, with an increase, 1.694,321, 1.421,908, 1.489,636. Livestock folows, 1.592,389, 1.404,592, 1.564,916. Crude petroleum, 1.549,294, 1.180,931, 953,386. Cotton furnished tonnage under "cot-

# SORRY SPECTACLE

Clothing of Sixth Artillerymen Was In Tatters and Mud Covered.

Serious Accusation Made Against an Fort Sam Houston, Tex., Jan. 13.-The artillerymen of the Sixth battery Dallas, Jan. 12.—On an affidavit made by Chief of Police Keith, A. H. In tatters and so covered with mud and were a sorry appearing set of men when

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Silven, an architect, whose office was
in the second story of the Knepfly
building, partially destroyed by fire
Monday night, was arrested. He is
specifically charged with the murder
of Bernard Philipson, who was suffor
cated to death.
MEAT CONSUMED.
What People of Oklahoma Have Ester
During Past Year.
Guthrie, Jan. 12.—Thomas Morris
secretary of the Oklahoma live stock
sanitary board. has completed wis re-



# **OBJECT IS ATTAINED.**

# Commission to Five Civilized Tribes Makes Final Report.

# DIFFICULT TO ENROLL

# Allotment Work Yet to Be Accomplished, Say the Commissioners, Can Be Done Under Direction of Hitchcock.

Washington, Jan. 15 .- The final report of the commission to the five civilized Indian tribes in Indian Territory to Secretary of the Interior Hitchcock, covering the fiscal year 1905, when the existence of the commission officially ended, says it has accomplished the purposes for which it was created, although such matters of final allotment of lands to the Mississippi Choctaws and allotment contest cases must necessarily go on for a considerable time.

The allotment work yet to be done can as well be finished under the di-rection of the secretary of the interior, the report says. The estates of these tribes have been administered and the many thousands of conflicting claims adjudicated at a cost the government, which alone had to bear the expense, of less than 10 cents per acre. The commission has negotiated the agreements necessary to the dissolu-tion of the tribaj governments and the transfer of land titles from the tribes as communities to the individ-

tribes as communities to the individual Indians. The com

ual Indians. The commission experienced great difficulty in enrolling the members of the different tribes, and especially in making the rolls absolutely correct, owing to the peculiarities of Indian nomenclature, marriages with whites, etc. The Choctaw and Chickasaw na-tions had 66,217 applicants for enrollnomenclature, marriages with whites, etc. The Choctaw and Chickasaw na-tions had 66,217 applicants for enroll-ment: Cherokees, 46,464; Creeks, 10.-110, and Seminoles, 3,714, and out of this total of 135,962 Indians, 89,295 were enrolled or identified, 33,522 re-fused or dismissed and 13,155 are still undetermined. Out of the total 19,125,-976 acres of land up to June 30, 1905, there was allotted 12,754,347 acres.

# FRANTZ INAUGURATED.

Rough Rider Becomes the Chief Executive of Oklahoma.

Guthrie, Jan. 16 .- In the presence of 20,000 persons Captain Frank Frantz was Monday inaugurated the seventh governor of Oklahoma. The new governor was introduced by retiring Gov. Ferguson, and made a brief inaugural address. The weather was ideal.

address. The weather was ideal. Rough Riders, regular army officers, the Okiahoma National Guard and hun-dreds of members of the Spanish-American war War Veterans' associa-tion, in addition to long lines of vet-erans who wore the blue and the gray, participated, and made the day a mem-orable one, while twenty bands from over the territory discoursed music throughout the day. The inaugural ceremonies took place on the Carnegie library steps. Follow-ing an invocation by Rev. K. C. Ven-tress, a classmate of Governor Frantz at Eureka college, IL, the oath was ad-ministered by Chief Justice Frank Gil-lette, as Chief Justice Burford had been called to Washington.

# CASUALTY LIST.

Four Dead and Two Injured In Oklaho-

ma Record For Sunday. Guthrie, Jan. 15 .- Four dead and two injured was the casualty list in Okla-homa Sunday. The dead are:

Samuel Gabbart, a wealthy ranch man, killed near Fort Supply by his son-in-law, Roy Lostutter, by the accidental discharge of a rifle with which they were shooting at a mark. Gab-

bart's windpipe was severed. John Starr, a Cheyenne Indian, burn-ed to death in his tepee near Geary. Dennis Jordan, colored, aged fifteen. killed in a runaway near Jones City. Charles H. Johnston, a farmer of Cleveland county, found dead in a ho-tel

tel. The injured are: John Sing or Okarche, right arm torn off in ele-vator belt, and Lawrence Wilson of Cushing, several toes severed by mis-stroke of av

# PLAN OF SYNDICATE.

## Involves Organizing Parmer County, County Seat. With Bovina a

Fort Worth, Jan. 15 .- E. W. Farwell and F. W. Wilsey of Chicago have gon to the Panhandle to open an office for disposing of the balance of capitol syn-dicate lands, about 3,000,000 acres, in Deaf Smith and Parmer counties. They will be placed on the market at prices to make they near the theory for the start them move. The plan in to make organizing Parmer county, with Bovina

# TO EXAMINE BUFFALOES.

as the county seat

extinction.

# R. J. Langston Goes to Goodnight Ranch

For That Purpose Denison, Jan. 16 .-- O. R. J. Langston Washington, a government employe was here en route to the Goodnight ranch to examine the herd of buffaloes there. He will examine all herds in the United States. A heroic effort will be made to preserve the animals from exitention

# ITEMS OF INTEREST. Happenings of the World That Are Presented In Condensed Form. King Edward will visit Germany

Tulsa, I. T., musicians have organized a union General Oku had a triumphal entry into Tokio. Dallas Socialists will nominate a

city ticket. W. B. Dean dropped dead at Wills Point, Tex. Ten blocks at Tulsa, I. T., will be paved at once.

Oklahoma City is to have an auto-mobile factory.

- During uprising at Moscow 282 per-ons were killed. A. H. Creichton drowned in a bayou near Minden, La.
- Beaver City, Okla., Commercial club has been organized.
- David Duncan Fletcher, a noted ed-itor, is dead at Boston. Section of Windsor hotel, Montreal, urned. Loss is \$150,000. burned.
- By a motor car collision at El Paso four persons were injured. Thirty-six alleged gamblers rested at Dallas on 13th.
- Anthracite coal has been found in state of Guanajuto, Mex.
- J. P. Cole, first sheriff of Jones county, Texas, died at Anson.
- In a runaway near Lawton five per ons were hurt. Two may die. Andy Lewellen, an aged man, found dead in bed near Troy, Tex.
- Safe in the depot at Cale, I. T., was broken into, but no money secured.
- J. Landa, a leading El Paso mer-chant, formerly of Austin, is dead. Postmaster Smith at Brownwood has been appointed for the third time.
- On Washington's birthday a relig-lous ceasus will be taken at Dallas.
- W. J. Young, passenger agent of the Mallory line at Galveston, is dead. Garice Gingles, a young man, died at Sherman from morphine polsoning.
- Albert Watson of College Corner, O., shot himself to death at Los Angeles.
- In the lower house of congress on 13th nine tariff speeches were made. No part of Miss Alice Roosevelt's ousseau will contain a foreign thread. tre
- Law increasing pay of Texas judges to \$3,000 per annum is now in effect. A Katy brakeman named H. L. Fair-child was run over and killed at Hous-
- Former Premier Balfour was defeat-
- ed in the English parliamentary elec tio
- Gas leakage caused infant of F. D. Hunt of Enid, Okla., to be asphyxiated.
- P. F. Wilson, city editor of the News-Scimitar, Memphis, died of pneumonia.
- Farmers and Merchants' Exchange bank is a new financial institution at Dallas
- Near Marlin, Tex., a hog twenty-two nonths old, just killed, weighed 625 pounds.
- A Katy freight train was wrecked near Ringgold, Tex. Nine cars were derailed.
- Pioneer Telephone company will con-struct a line between Hugo, I. T., and Paris, Tex.
- H. Cotton, an insurance adjuster was found dead in bed at a Gilmer, Tex., hotel.
- Miss Hattle Lou Agnes of Jacksboro, Tex., was thrown from a buggy and a limb broken.
- Plant of Wisconsin Veneering com-pany, at Sheboygan, burned, entailing \$125,000 loss. Mexic
- W. H. Stanford, eighty years old, a Mexican war veteran, passed away at Oklahoma City. Two trainloads of oranges from Mex ico, en route to St. Louis, passed through Texas.
- At Woodward, Okla., a broomcorr arehouse with 1,000 tons capacits warehouse with is to be erected
- While feeding stock ne ar Petty, Lamar county, Texas, Will Higgins, a ne-gro, dropped dead.
- Frank Summers, a Lawton butcher, is charged with selling carcass of a hog cholera-infected.
- Ellis Brown, an aged negro, was call-ed to his door, near Richmond, Tex., and assassinated.
- By a powder explosion near Bush-nell, N. C., J. J. Powers, a prominent contractor, was killed.
- By the accidental discharge of a shotgun Eddie Morris, ten years old, was killed near Dallas:
- City council of Wichita Falls, Tex., has ordered the building of over three miles of cement sidewalks.
- Delegate McGuire has introduced a
- trict judges in Oklahoma,
- At a dance near Eastland, Tex., Al-bert Woods had his throat badly cut. Will Martin was arrested. Failure of Wilson Lyon Construction
- company at San Francisco is ed. Liabilities are \$300,000. Creosote works of Southern Pacific railroad. four miles from Houston, were damaged \$4,000 by fire.
- Mrs. Mary Alken, ten miles from Lakewood, N. M., is charged with burying alive her baby boy.
- An attempt of two men to burglar-ize the national bank at Antlers, I. T. was frustrated by a watchman.
- Body of Charles Smith, a new with a bullet hole in the head, y found in a creek near Tenaha, Tex. negro was R. G. Evans, former president of Atlantic Coast Line Railway company, dropped dead near Saybrook. Conv.

# FIFTEEN.CENT COTTON. Ey Unanimous Vote It Was Decided

to Hold For This Price. New Orleans, Jan. 15.-At Friday

night's session of the Southern Cotton Growers' association the report of the holding committee recommending that the balance of the cotton crop of 1905-06 be held for 15 cents was unanimously adopted. A joint committee of bankers and farmers from each state and territory is to carry the plan into effect. Co-operation with the growers of Sea Island cotton is provided for, long staple cotton to be held at 24 cents.

A feature of the session was the

A feature of the session was the presentation by the convention of a handsome gold watch and fob to Pres-ident Jordan and of a diamond pin to Sccretary Cheatham. The premature announcement of the conclusion of the committee was forc-ed on advices from New York to the effect that newspaper dispatches and Wall street reports, printed and circu-lated there, indicated a lack of har-mony amang the elements making up the convention and dissesions over the 15-cent proposition. President Jordan brought the matter before the convention. He referred to the report which, he said, he was in-formed, apeared Friday. In all the New York newspaper as "bear dope," evi-

formed, apeared Friday, in all the New York newspaper as "bear dope," evi-dently manufactured by agents of the speculators, who were sent to mingle with the delegates. The reports that the convention did not have in its pur-poses, plans and work the hearty sup-port, sympathy and co-operation of every banker and merchant present he declared to be absolutely without foun-dation.

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dation. T. E. Massengale of Georgia moved that the president be instructed to send a statement through the Associat-ed Press that the bankers, merchants and farmers were in perfect unison of thought, and he corrects the statements to the contrary circulated by Wall street bear operators, who were doing all in their power to break up the cot-ton growers' organization. The motion was adopted. Mr. Goodwin of Georgia said it was evident that New York was beginning to anticipate from the construction of the Panama canal the transfer to New Orleans, Galveston and Mobile of su-premacy in the rich trade of the orient. "When these péople find they can no longer control us." said Mr. Goodwin, "they will try to secede from this gov-ernment, and I pray to God that I will live long enough to help whip them back into ft," a sentiment which pro-voked the convention to amusement and cheers. Chairman Walker of Sparta, Ga.

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cheers. Chairman Walker of Sparta, Ga. who presided over the meeting of the bankers Friday, then announced that the bankers had enthusiastically adopt-ed the following resolutions: "The southern bankers, in conven-tion, congratulate the Southern Cotton Growers' association on the success which it has already attained in its efforts to maintain a fair and equita-ble price for the south's staple crop, and recognizing that the interests of the farmers, bankers and business men of the south are inseparable; therefore be it "Resolved, first, that we, the repre-

"Resolved, first, that we, the rep setatives of the southern banks, he by renew our pledge of moral a by renew our pleage of moral and financial support to the Southern Cot-ton association in the'r efforts to car-ry out this purpose; and, second, we urge the importance of a bett'r system of warehousing and caring for cotton."

# TERRIBLE EXPLOSION.

# One Thousand Quarts of Nitro-Glycerin Do Dreadful Work.

Tulsa, I. T., Jan. 12 .- One thousand quarts of nitro-glycerin exploded at the magazine of the Western Torpedo company, two mlies from Chelsa. Thurscany, two mlies from Chelsa. Thurs-day afternoon, literally blowing to at-oms James O'Hara, a shooter, and a team of mules which were hitched alongside the magazine. The only trace of O'Hara found was a plece of the jawhone and a bit of his coat a half mile distant from the scene of the explosion. The explosion tore a hole in the ground thirty feet across and fifteen feet deep and shook the town of Chelsea like an earthquake, break-ing plate glass and doing other damage. Another magazine. 300 feet away, Another magazine. 200 feet away, containing 1000 quarts of the fluid was not affected

# AGED NEGRO DEAD.

Andy Dew Was Slave Among the Cherokees For Sixty Years. Denison, Jan. 16.-Andy Dew, 102

years old, is dead. He was a slave among the Cherokees sixty years.

# Undertaker Fatally Shot.

Tulsa, I. T., Jau. 12.--Arthur E. Cro-ker, an undertaker, was fatally shot Thursday night. Two bullets entered his abdomen. H. P. Stoker, his brotherin-law, was arrested.

# Drowns In Water Trough

Alva, Okla., Jan. 13.-Sam Skinn fell from his horse into a water tron and drowned, on his farm, near here. Skinner trough TURMAN FOUND GUILTY.

## Jury Returns a Verdict Giving Defendant Twenty-Five Years.

Quitman, Tex., Jan. 12 .- The jury in charged with attempted criminal as-sauit on Mrs. Chaude Bateman Christ-mas day near here, returned a verdict of guilty and assessed his punishment at twenty-five years in the peniten-tiary.



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