

BAYOU PICKINGS.

seen anything in your valuable payer to the name of "Dutch John." tew of the latest.

thing to market that would do to ship. stolen canine. Scarcity of grass and highness of feed is the cavse.

days

McWhorter Bros. have been hauling on its way from town. cake for some time and are expecting another car.

The two Wills took in the dance in Bayou boys won't go to a dance, just try us.

Miss Lafa Lambert, who has been sick, is now able to be out again. We are glad she did not take slow fever. as was the report.

Several of the boys joined in a wolf chase Sunday. They report a lively chase, and say there is not so many wolves as when they started. There is to be another trial in a few days.

There will be an exhibition at the Gilliland school house on Friday night, the 22d. Everybody invited to attend. Some of the boys who were smilling because we intended to have a dance after the exhibition are now frowning on account of the dance be-Wylie Londert has two "Johns" those who know him.

digging a well for him. The reader may not know who the "Johns" are, Nov. 13 .- Mr. Editor, we have not but ask Mr. Hinds which one responds

for several moons, so will chronicle a because some one has carried off his useful cur, "Punch." Cap has been All the cattlemen have shipped every riding like a sheriff to recover the

H. A. McWhorter was surprised or rather chagrinned, to come home Sun-J. O. Hall's men are busy hauling day and find some one had "borrowed" cottonseed oil cake and placing it in his saddle, bridle and blanket. After the barns to be ready for the cold a diligent search the "borrowed" articles were found coming up in a wagon

ranchmen were in town a iew days ago The two Wills took in the dance in "brush" last Friday night, and report shorten the way by bringing out a a jolly time. If any one thinks we "consters." Some how the "consters." Some how the "consters." and when seen "oysters" gave out, and when seen last they were so "cold" they could not recognize their nearest neighbors. Capt. Jones moved a bunch of his J. E. W. LANE, Adjt.

steers to a pasture in the Eula settlement, the first of the week.

We hear that J H. Hill sold his cattle in Fort Worth. when they could not pass the quarantine inspector's examination. We are sorry for Mr. H. because he had been picking out the best ones for several years. Н. Н.

Hon. W. R. Smith, District Judge of Colorado district, is in town getting acquainted with our people. Judge Smith will be a car lidate for Coagress Judge Smith is highly spoken of by

Mandolins BAIRD, TEXAS. **FO CONFEDERATE VETERANS OF** 

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ESTRAY NOTICE.

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#### Cord Wood Wanted.

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#### His Clever Scheme

It was just a lesson in table manners The best piece of toast was about half way down the pile and he started to take it.

"Willie," said his mother, "you should'nt do that. Take the top piece always."

He made a hasty mental calculation. "All right," he exclatmed. "Pass it to the others first."-Chicago Even- as they are not partial to either side. ing Post.

DISTRICT COURT

The case of R. W. Scott, transferred from Scurry county, charged with the murder of Hayley in Scurry county, was taken up Tuesday morning.

The State is represented bp W. W. and J. H. Beall, of Sweetwater, J. F. Conningham, of Abilene and County Attorney, J. W. Woods, of Callahan county.

The Defendant is represented by C. H. Jenkins and W. J. Scott, of Brownwood, Felix Thurman, of Colorado City and C. R. Kinchen, Snyder.

It will be noted that some of the best known lawyers in West Texas are employed on each side of the case. Every inch of the ground is being closely contested.

Nearly the entire day Tuesday was occupied in selecting a jury. The venire of 72 men was exhausted and only eleven were jurors secured. More men were summoned and the 12th juror secured and the introduction of witnesses began.

The following is a list of the jury empaneled:

#### JURY LIST.

A. H. Hazlewood J. M. Morrisett J. M. McKee D. Mitchell H. C. Durden J.A. Emmons Jas. Randall A. J. Arvin W. P. Ramsey W. D. Le T. A. Littlepage L. H. Tyler. The jury is composed of good mer and will, without doubt, render a ver-

dict according to the law and evidence The Carter case was continued.

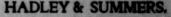


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Miss Stone has not yet been released.

Gorman will go to the Senate from Maryland.

Joe Savers has made a good goversor, no matter what his enemies say about him.

Japan is making preparations for war with Russia that seems inevitable in the near future.

It is denied by court officials that

This is a hint to those politicians who

### MR. RAYNOR'S GREAT SPEDCH.

"Such a trial as this has never, to my knowledge, taken place in history It has taken three years to reveal the truth. There is not a single word that has fallen from the tongue of a single witness, friend or foe, that casts the shawdow of a reflection on the honor- HOME ATMOSPHERE IMPARTED. ed name of the hero of Santiago. He has never claimed the glory of that day. The valiant Cook, the heroic Clarke, the lamented Philip, the intripid and undaunted Wainwright and all the other Captains and every man at every gun and every soul on board of every ship are equal participants with Ad miral Schlay in the honor wrought up-

on that immortal day. standing upon the bridge of the Brook- merry prattle of children echoing lyn. There he stands upon the bridge through the corridors and apartments of the Brooklyn, his ship almost alone, impart a homelike atmosphere which receiving the entire fire of the Spanish every caller is quick to appreciate and foe, until the Oregon, as if upon the notice. wings of lightning, sped into the thickness of this mortal carnage. 'God of the early sixtles has there been so bless the Oregon!' was the cheer that much young Americanism visible about ter in black type or larger or smaller type | rang from deck to deck, and on they | the ancient pile of sandstone as there

tion that he usurped the glory of that family is almost daily in evidence.

matchless as is his courage and as un- wheeled vehicle. sullied as his honor, is his beautiful heart that beats within his bosom. down or cast a blur on the pure es. Miss Rose Elizabeth Cleveland. cutcheon of his honored name.

"For three long years he has suffered and now, thank God, the hour of tion of Frances Folsom at an afternoon ed and now, thank God, the hour of his vindication has come. With com-Cleveland, who introduced her guest as posure, with resignation, with supreme "our little schoolgirl, who is visiting and unfaltering fortitude he awaits the us." Not long afterward Miss Folsom judgment of this illustrious tribunal, succeeded her hostess as the first lady and when that deliverance comes he in the land and soon won all with can from the high and exalted position whom she was brought in contact by King Edward is afflicted, with cancer or any other disease. The Transport for any other disease. Can from the high and exalted position that he occupies look down upon his traducers and maligners and with ex-ultant pride exclaim: 'I care not for The Tammany tiger got a mighty the venomous gossip of clubs and been fortunate enough to meet her soblack eye in New York last week, but drawing rooms and cliques and cabals cially are unanimous in their opinion and poisoned shafts of envy and malice that the mantle has fallen upon the I await under the guidance of Divine shoulders of one of the most affable Col. Lanham seems to be in the lead. Providence the verdict of posterity." and charming women who have ever Mr. Raynor closed at 3.30 o'clock graced the White House. There is an

when he concluded and the members of appropriate than the utterances of a Mose Dillon, collector at El Paso, is the court, as well as others, congratu-veteran attache of the White House rethe first Texas republican to feel the lated him on his speech. Admiral garding its new mistress. presidential ax. The Civil Service Schley was visibly affected by the con-Commission recommended his removal, cluding remarks and attendant success. cess," said the old retainer, "but Mrs.

# WHITE HOUSE LIVELY.

Roosevelt Children Brighten the Executive Mansion.

Independence of the Little Ones and Their Consideration For Others Praised-First Lady of the Land Winning Love -- Warm Tribute of an Old Retainer.

President Roosevelt and his family have done more to brighten and cheer the White House than a whole army "We can not strike down his hgure of decorators and painters, and the

Not since the Lincoln administration the lee gun was fired from the Cristobal spondent of the Chicago Tribune. In Our Tates are reasonable and will be strictly Colon and the despotic colors of Spain Lincoln's first administration Willie, or We make a specialty of handsome display were sweptfrom the face of her ancient Tad, a bright youngster of ten or eleven years, was the focus of a crowd of "Weli done; congratulate you on admirers when he mounted his pon?" Brooklyn, and from that day to this der the big white porch on the north no man has ever heard from Admiral front, where in these days a blcycle Schley the slightest whisper or intima- of the younger scions of the Roosevelt

> imperishable hour. The thuders of Old Tom Pendle, who has seen twothe Brooklyn as she trembled on the score years of service at the White waves have been discordant music to House as usher, feels himself perceptithe ears of envious foes, but they have bly younger and more mellow in his pierced with a ringing melody the ears feelings as he sees the youthful memof his countrymen and struck a respon- bers of the present White House famisive chord at the fireside of every ly getting ready for a blcycle ride, "just like Tad Lincoln used to do," "And what is more than all which only a pony was the means of transporhas been revealed in this case, as tation then instead of the modern two

> Mrs. Roosevelt has since her occupancharacter and the generous spirit that cy of the White House endeared heranimates his soul and the forgiving self to all connected with this historie establishment in a manner which is We cannot strike him down. Erect he of Harriet Lane Johnson, niece of the stands as the McGregor when his step bachelor president, Buchanan, or Mrs. was of his native heath and his eye Grover Cleveland, who first visited the was on the peak of Ben Lomond. His White House as a schoolgirl and accountry does not want to strike him quaintance of the president's sister,

There are many persons in Washington today who will recall the presentaalways want to find out where the band wagon is. All, Rayhor closed at 3.30 b clock having spoken about three hours. The large audience broke into applause this connection nothing could be more

thought Mrs. Cleveland a prin-

family. Bless their little souls, it makes some of us old fellows feel young again to see these boys and girls such robust, energetic and vigorous Americaus. President and Mrs. Roosevelt have cause to be proud of them, and they have certainly brightened and cheered those of us who have been brought in contact with them ever since they moved into the mansion.

"Dependence upon themselves has been inculcated into them, as is shown by the conduct of the older children when they want anything for themselves. Instead of calling for somebody to go shopping or sightseeing with them, they just start off down town alone or in pairs, if they happen to be together, and go into the shops and make purchases in a style and manner which is at once amusing and interesting. They know what they want, too, and just how to get it and usually after buying an article either pay for it outright from their pocket money or else have purchases sent to the mansion, to be paid for on delivery. They do not buy extravagantly or foolishly either, but show taste and discrimination as well as an aptitude for getting useful things."

There is no ostentation or love of display about the president and his wife, both of them having the most democratic as well as simple tastes. They love to go about as much as their children and never seem happier than when starting off for a ride or jaunt in the country.

#### PROUD OF HIS FATHER.

Justice W. T. Jerome's Young Son Delighted at His Father's Election.

William Travers Jerome, Jr., who is known to everybody in Lakeville, Conn., by his pet name of "Chinky," is hugely enjoying the national prominence into which his father has sprung by his election as district attorney of New York county.

He doesn't exactly understand what it all means, but he knows that his father has received a message of congratulation from the president of the United States and hundreds of telegrams and letters from distinguished men all over the country. It is his proud privilege several times a day, says the New York World, to carry bundles of these communications from the telegraph office and the postoflice to his home. He delights in reading them, and he is eager to learn something about the sender of every one.

"Chinky" is essentially a country lad. He has passed a good share of his eleven years up at Lakeville among the Connecticut hills. He attends the Laconic school, an institution for girls, with a primary department to which boys are admitted. The lad is red cheeked and freckled. His parents are thorough believers in the value of outdoor country life. Little restraint is placed on his movements. Outside of school hours "Chinky" and his boy companions wander through the woods and over the golf grounds near his father's home. He is followed about most of the time by two dogs-Duke, a greyhound, and Snap, a fox terrier.

The happiest member of the party that received the election returns with Justice Jerome the other night was "Chinky." He was permitted to sit up far beyond his usual bedtime. The returns were received up stairs over the long distance telephone and written on slips of paper which "Chinky" carried to his father and mother and a score of their friends who were gathered about the big fireplace on the floor below.

When some of the early returns indicated that the result was close, the lad



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pared to a London fog.

her pension for calling the late Presi- Gage is a good man and worthy of all look upon her like again, but Mrs. dent McKinley a murderer on account the nice things the News says about Roosevelt is if anything more popular of the war in the Philippines. No one him. who will talk that way deserves anything at the hands of the government.

The French fleet brought the Sultan of Turkey to terms in short order. Other powers who have claims against the Ottoman government will no doubt try the French plan. The outlook for the unspeakable Turk is not bright, which is good for the world, though bad for the Turk.

#### Born for a Higher Destiny.

It cannot be that our life is a bubble cast up by the ocean of eternity, to float a moment upon its bosom and Gunn. then sink into nothingness. Else why these high and glorious aspirations, which leap like angles from the temple Arthur Leake. of our hearts, forever wandering unsatisfied? Why is it that the rainbow and clouds come over us with a beauty that is not earthly and then pass off hand that can be done. to leave us to muse on their lovliness? Why is it that the stars which hold their festival around the midnight throne are set above the grasp of our Pastor. limited faculties, forever unapproachable glory? And finally why is it that the bright forms of human beauty are presented to our view and taken from us, leaving the thousand streams of affection to flow back in Alpine torrents upon our hearts? We are born for a higher destiny than earth. There is a realm where the rainbow never All knowing themselves indebted to the firm of R. E. (Cub) Hadley are for a higher desting than earth. There fades. where the Stars will be spread out before us like islands that slumber at once. on the ocean, and where the beautiful beings that pass before us will stay forever in our presence.—Geo. D. Prentice.

The long disused Civil Service Comfor the past few weeks that business is more in the future than an ornamental at her beck and call, but treats every-

> Ex-Senator Gage, of Pecos, is mentioned by the Pecos News as a proba-

nize the silverites as democrats, but born, too, and the people who come to when he appoints a democrat he selects call upon her are of the most aristocrata gold bug, and generally one who ic types in this or any other country. voted the republican ticket in 1896 and 1900. This being the case regular velts. All the members of the family democrats have no kick coming.

#### B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM.

Opening Exercises. By Miss Bertha Gunn.

Prayer .- By President Uzzell. Bible Reading-Led by Miss Bertha

"Individual Service our duty .- Led by stored. Ind pendence is no name for

Song.

member to name some service near at benefit of ood and careful training.

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Roll Call.

All are very cordially invited. We will make you welcome. ARTHUR I PART

	The LEGISLESS
ROMA	Foy.
	Committe

NOTICE.

"equested to call and settle the same We have assumed control of 48-11

HADLEY & SUMMERS.

Roosevelt is an American queen, a perfect lady in every sense of the word too. Fog has been so thick in London mission promises to be something the house to become flunkeys and run She does not expect the people about almost paralyzed. It is said that a aggrepation of fossilized politicians. body so graciously and pleasantly that it is indeed a boon to anticipate her slightest wish.

"We all admired and respected Mrs. Dr. Mary Walker is about to lose ble candidate for congress. Senator Cleveland and thought we should never with the people of the White House than Mrs. Cleveland, and that is saving President Roosevelt does not recog- a great deal. She is to the manner

> "It does us all good to be brought in contact with such folks as the Rooseexcept the baby seem to have the faculty of looking out for and taking care of themselvos and will not brook anything that "avors of servility or being Opening Exercises. Scripture Reading. Matt. 25: 14-30, children who use the bicycles are through with them, they seem to take a pride as well as a pleasure in putting their wheels away themselves, even at some personal discomfort in carrying them up and down the stairs leading to Individual talks of five minutes on the basement, where the wheels are them, but botter behaved or more considerate litt e people it has never been What Service can I Render?-Euch my lot to meet. All of them show the and too'much cannot be said in favor of the Wh te Horse children. They seem to strive to imitate and emulate the good example set them by their fa-Prayer for power in Service-By the ther and mother, and we never tire having them about.

"When the Cleveland children were here, they were too small to do anything except be taken out by their nurses, and nobody was permitted to see much of them when they were outside of the mansion. But with the Roosevelt children it is an entirely different arrangement. They are as free as the air to come and go when they please and do whatever suits their fan cy, and it is refreshing and invigorating to all of us to see how perfectly they seem to enjoy themselves.

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did not lose confidence "I know you're elected, papa," he said

"I bope you're right," replied his father. "But however it turns out, we'll go out with the dogs tomorrow." When later returns showed that Jus-

tice Jerome was elected beyond doubt, Chinky" went to bed happier than he had ever been before in Lis life.

#### HISTORIC TREE BURNED.

Giant Cottonwood on the Kloupfer Farm is Set on Fire.

The gigantic Kloupfer cottonwood tree, the largest tree in the United States excepting the redwoods of California, which has stood for more than a thousand years two miles west of the present site of Wilmette, on land owned by Michael Kloupfer, was set on fire a few nights ago, says the Chicago Inter Ocean. The fire burned to a height of sixty feet. The Evanston Historical society, which has taken much trouble to preserve this cottonwood monarch, will try to learn who started the fire. The Kloupfer tree is a Listorical land-

mark. It was the meeting place of the Pottawatomie Indians, who found room for forty persons in the hollow trunk. time sheltered a homeless family.

The whaling steamer Beluga, Captain Bodfish, reached San Francisco from the arctic the other evening, seventeen days from Port Clarence. A live musk ox said to be the first ever brought to San Francisco, arrived on the Beluga from the arctic coast and is expected to be a great curiosity, says the New York Tribune. It is the property of Captain Bodfish, who will make the best possible disposition of the rare animal. Although skins of musk ox have been brought from the arctic in large numbers, attempts to bring the animal itself to this southern latitude have always heretofore proved futile, the musk ox folks who constitute the Roosevelt being peculiarly susceptible to change.

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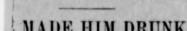
Musk Ox Brought From the Arctic.

During the days when stagecoaches ran from Chicago to Green Bay the tree was used as a "blind pig" and at one

Its topmost branch, 170 feet above the ground, could be seen for miles, and upon its trunk, which is eighteen feet in diameter, were the marks of the old Mackinac trail. Marquette, La Salle, Joliet, Hennepin and many other Jesuits visited the tree with the Indiana.

Police of Louisville Think They Are on the Right Trail.

PRISONER.



the Man Died of Alcoholism-Full restigation to Be Made as to the Cause of Death, Also of Record of Party Held.

Louisville, Nov. 13 .- Newell C. Rathin, who, according to the police. onfessed that he planned to defraud an insurance company not of \$4000, by pretending that a corpse shipped to Little Rock. Ark., was his own dead body, has admitted, according to the authoritles, that the man who accompanied and was found dead the next day, was Charles Goodman, who is said to have come from Evansville, Ind.

Chief of Detectives Aplegate and Coron . Coots of Jeffersonville, Ind., interviewed Rathbun Tuesday. Rathbun listened, as one by one the circumstances which the police regard as proofs of his guilt were laid before him by Chief Sullivan. According to the officers, Rathbun suddenly sprang up and walking hastily to a window. looked out for a few minutes. Then turning like an animal at bay, he faced the crowd of men in the room and tked in a shaking voice:

"What is the punishment for offenses of this kind in Indiana? Does the death penalty exist over there?"

"What we are interested in is the name of the dead man."

For a moment Rathbun looked at the group of faces before him and then sald:

"You are on the right track. Goodman is the name of the dead man. I met him in front of the Salvation Army, and determined to keep him drunk for several days and then fix him.'

Here he stopped and then said: "If I should make a confession, it would be printed in the papers and would turn people against me."

He then lapsed into a sullen silence

requisition papers. Colonel John D. Rodman, United States recruiting officer here, has noti-fied Chief Sullivan that no requisition will be necessary for the return of Rathbun to Jeffersonville, Ind.

He says that Rathbun is now a government prisoner, charged with deser-tion, and as scon as he can communicate with Washington he will have the prisoner taken over. The Jeffersonville authorities will make a claim for the enstody of Rathbun on a charge of

Further efforts to secure a complete confession were unavailing and Rath-"an was taken back to jail. Just be-

ing statement to Chief of Detec-

#### GUILTY OF CONTEMPT. Judge Hennessy Sentences Chicago Newspaper Men

Ch.'cago, Nov. 13 .- On a charge of contempt of court Judge Hanecy has sentenced Andrew M. Lawrence, managing editor of Hearst's Chicago American, to 40 days MADE HIM DRUNK in the county jail. The sentence of H S. Canfield, who wrote the article objected to by the court, was 30 days in jail. The cases against S. S. Carvalro,

financial manager of the paper, and John C. Hammond, assistant city editor, were dismissed. Judge Hanecy declared the cases against W. R. Hearst, Homer Davenport, the cartoonist, and Clare Briggs, also a cartoonist, would pend until such time as these respondents could be brought into court by the sheriff.

Former Gov. Altgeld, one of the counsel for respondents, entered a for-mal exception to the decision. A few inutes after the rendering of

the decision and the imposition of the sentences as to Lawrence and Canfield. him to the hotel in Jeffersonville, Ind., Judge Dunne, upon application, issued writ of habeas corpus as to them, re-

turnable immediately. When Messers. Canfield and Law-rence appeared before Judge Hancey ready for committment to the county jail, the court announced that inas-much as he understood Judge Dunne had issued a writ of habaes corpus before the men were sentenced he would take no action in the matter until that writ had been vacated. It was decided, however, to hold the It writ in abeyance until the committment papers have been made out and the men delivered into the custody of the sheriff.

#### OFF FOR FORT WORTH.

#### National Woman's Christian Temperance Union Officers Leave Chicago.

Chicago, Nov. 13 .- National officers of the Woman's Christian Temperance "Never mind about the penalty, Union have left Chicago for Fort Rathbun," said Captain Sullivan. Worth, Tex., to attend the twentyeighth annual conference of that organization. In the party were: The president, Mrs. Lillian N. Stevens; vice-president, Miss Anna Gordon; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Susan M. D. Frey; treasurer, Mrs. Helen M. Barker; Mrs. M. B. Horning of the transportation committee: Mrs. Ida M. Reed, president of the Vermont State Union, and Miss Christine Tinling. Liverpool, the temperance lecturer.

> WILL CHANGE HIS BOOK. Maclay Will Cut Out Obnoxious Parts

#### About Admiral Schley.

New York, Nov. 13 .--- Edgar Stanton and would say nothing else. When Maclay, the author of "A History of questioned further he denied having the United States Navy," who is still given Goodman laudanum, and said he working as a clerk in the Brooklyn would have made use of chloroform. navy yard, is preparing to make He refuses to back to Indiana without changes in his history if Admiral Schley is exonerated. He said in an interview:

> "I am awaiting the decision of the court before putting out the revised edition of the history. If the court exonerates Admiral Schley and clears him of all discredit I will at once cut out that portion of the third volume which is detrimental to him.'

#### Bank Vault Blown Open.

Nashville, Nov. 13 .- Robbers blew open the vault of the bank at Trenton. Ky., with nitro glycerin Mondoy night and stole the postoffice deposit box containing about \$300. The safe was bored, charged and several holes ex-

#### EAST TEXAS WINS.

Agricultural Experimental Station Gets Provided by the Legislature,

Fort Worth, Tex., Nov. 8 .-- East Texas will get the agricultural experiment station, and it will be in either Smith or Henderson counties. The de cision was made Wednesday night after speeches were heard by the board of directors of the station from persons representing different sections of the state.

The board of directors was called to order Wednesday morning in the city council chamber by Chairman Marion Sansom of Alvarado of the board of directors of the Agricultural and Mechanical college. Other members of the board present were as follows: Jefferson Johnson, Austin; P. H. Tobin, Denison; Capt. F. A. Reichardt, Houston; A. P. Smyth, Mart; William Malone, Hunter; A. C. Olivert Doug- Carrie Rand, "his disciple and affinity." lasville, and J. A. Baker, secretary, College Station.

A telegram was received from John W. Kokernot of San Antonio, a member of the board of directors, to the effect that he had the misfortune to break his ankle and could not be on hand.

A committee of three, consisting of Messrs. Johnson, Oliver and Reichardt, was appointed to v.sit the two counties and decide the matter. It was understood, however, that the county or point selected must agree to guarantee the expenses for the second year in the absence of state appropriations.

It is the consensus of opinion with the board that the next legislature will provide for the establishment of more experimental stations. They say that the enthusiasm manifested at this meeting shows beyond a question the the group known as "The Social Cru-interest felt, and that it is an object sade." lesson to the legislature.

#### NEWS IN BRIEF.

The natural gas in the fields of In-diana is rapidly failing. Cleburne, Tex., is to have a new

bank with a capital of \$100,000. In a street duel at Adairsville, Ga.,

William Paris killed Spence Smith. Frank Vullasine's store at Corpus Christi, Tex., was robbed of \$178 in Jack Flynn of Paris, Tex., was

found guilty of negligent homicide and fined \$2500 The taxable value of Texas is \$984,-

000.000, an increase over last year of \$70,000,000.

Tom Winfrey was shot and killed by Shackelford in a clubroom at Lawton, Oklahoma.

Frank J. Schreeber, who has been postmaster at Creeger, Ill., for 43 years, has resigned. An unknown negro was run over

and killed at Yoakum. Tex., by a train from San Antonio, Tex.

Mrs. Clara Stohmann, wife of a jeweler of Lockhart, Tex., committed suicide by taking poison.

S. W. Ogle of Hillsboro, Tex., was found guilty of murder and given five years in the penitentiary.

Charles Horn, of Sugarland, Tex., was probably fatally injured by failing into a vat of boiling sugar.

The German deficit has already reached .00,000 marks and a further decline of 40,000,000 is expected. Charles D. Thompson, the Knights

Maccabees defaulter, will be prosecuted for embezzlement of \$60,000.

Justices Gaines and Williams of Austin, Tex., were injured in a runa- ty-two years old, and I am thirty-five. way. They were painfully bruised.

state that

# WILL WED BY NEW PLAN

Margaret Herron to Follow Her Brother's Example.

SISTER OF THE SOCIAL ORUSADER

Miss Herron Considers Marriage Is Above All Earthly Forms - Her Sweetheart, Dr. Berghall, Is a Socialist Exiled For His Teachings. She Defends Her Brother.

of Professor George D. Herron, the socialistic agitator, has announced her engagement to marry Dr. Henri Verner Berghall of Manistee, Mich., and the wedding will be conducted on the same plan which made sensational the marriage of Professor Herron to Miss Miss Herron is a firm believer in what she terms "the new and simple form of marriage." which is without the exchange of the usual matrimonial vows and with none of the ritual or the formulas of the church. She heartily approves of the way her brother espoused Miss Rand, on which occasion the Rev. William T. Brown of Plymouth Congregational church, Rochester, said: "This is the time and the place for the muse of a poet, the speech of a god. The office of priest or magistrate

were an intrusion here. "I quite approve of that idea at a wedding," said Miss Herron to a New York World reporter when seen the other day at the home established near Metuchen, N. J., by her brother for

"I believe that marriage is away above all earthly forms; that there is something too infinite about love to be measured by earthly pledges-vain, idle pledges, which are so often broken. What do such vows count for if two hearts are afire with love which knows no expression from the lips?"

There has been much opposition in Metuchen to the establishment of a socialist colony there, and it is generally known that little favor is felt among the churchmen for the "new form of marriage" adopted by the Herrons. When Miss Herron was asked if she had been made acquainted with such dissatisfaction on the part of the town people, she calmly replied.

"Well, I believe I have heard of something of the sort. I believe I heard that one of the local pastors, the Rev. Dr. Mason of the Presbyterian church, expressed opposition to the ew marriage,' but since hearing that I have heard him deny that he had

made any such remark. "Anyhow, it makes very little difference to me. So long as I know that my views of marriage are right it is a matter of total indifference to me what neighbors may say. Any opposition here among the ministers or the town people would certainly have very little weight with me. They have the right to think as they please, and I shall reserve the same right for myself.

Miss Herron said that the man she is to marry is himself a socialist and has been a conspicuous agitator of the principles of socialism all his life. "Dr. Berghall is a practicing physician in Manistee, Mich.," she said. "He is for-Dr. Berghall is a native of Sweden, Reports from all portions of Okla. and he is an exile from Russia or Sweden, I don't exactly know

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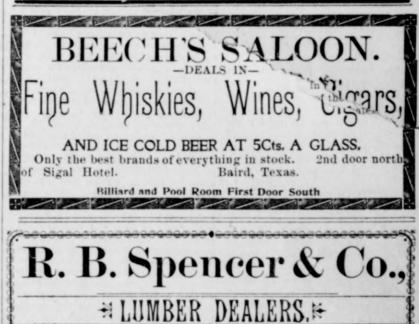
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admit everything except that I killed Goodman. I meant to kill him. and kept nim drunk for the purpose, but he died of alcoholism and I was not forced to make way with him. My story about an accomplice named Blanchard was fictitious. I acted alone and without a confederate.

"Blanchard," was according to the story Rathbun told Monday, a corporal whom Rathbun got acquainted

with at Plattsburg, N. Y. It is said that Goodman, who was of a roving nature, came to this city on Oct. 29 and took quarters at the Salvation Army.

#### Skeleton Unidentified.

Paris, Tex., Nov. 13 .- About three weeks ago the skeleton of an unknown person was found in the forks of the Boggy near the old Mayhew court grounds by Ellis Corn, a Choctaw. Two or three persons whose remains other merchandise. the skeleton was supposed to have been have since turned up. W. M. Russell, United States deputy marshal of this are now believed to be those of a stranger, a watch and clock repairer, and who was seen in camp in the forks of the Boggy last August.

murdered. He and a woman were traveling in the hack at the time. Since they were seen in camp the woman has seen traveling in the hack at different places, but at neither time was the man with her.

#### More E-caped Convicts Caught,

Kansas City, Nov. 13 .- Three more of the 26 fugitive convicts from Fort Leavenworth prison were captured at Bazar, near Cottonwood Falls, Kan., by penitentiary guards after a fight in which one of the convicts was shot. This leaves only nine at large.

third stord of his mill, walked out of an open door and fell to the ground, breaking one leg and sustaining internal injuries that are feared will prove fatal.

#### Survey Completed.

Guthrie, O. T., Nov. 13 .- The survey extension of the Blackwell, for th Enid and Southwestern rainoad has bene completed from Blackwell, O. T., to Coffeyville, Kar, This line is owned by the Frisco.

ploded, but the doors could not be forced open. The robbers made their escape on a handcar. As officers and several citizens were investigating the condition of the safe, an unexploded charge of nitro glycerin let go. Six of the men were knocked down and

#### Paper Money Depreciating.

shocked and two badly injured.

New York, Nov. 13 .- Arrivals from the interior of Colombia bring the news that the exchange of paper money has advanced to the highest point yet reached, says a Colon dispatch. A United States dollar is actually worth \$45 in national currency in Bogota, \$45 and \$48 in department money. Mer-chants of Barranquilla believe that the value of paper money will further depreciate, and are holding as little as possible. They are converting all the paper money they get into coffee and

#### Miss Stone Heard from Again,

Washington, Nov. 11.-Consul Gen-eral Dickinson from Sofia, reports to (Antlers) court, states that the remains the state department by cable, the re-are now believed to be those of a ceipt by him of another letter from Miss Stone. He quotes Miss Stone as saying: "We are still well in spit of The indications are that the man was all our hardships. "There are other matters treated in the letter which it is not deemed wise to publish.

#### Texan Suicides at Duncas

Ardmore, I. T., Nov. 13 .- J. T Baker, formerly of Wise county, Texas, com-mited suicide near Duncan by cutting his throat with a razor. The suicide left a note requesting that his four children be sent to Wise county. Deceased was in bad health.

#### Wagon Run Over Him,

San Angelo, Tex., Nov. 13 .- A Mexican named Adofo Sosa was killed near here. He was in the employ of C. B. Metcalf on his ranch, and while haul-ing a load of cottonseed hulls fell from San Antonio, Nov. 13.-F. Wolf, while suffering from somnambulism in the third store of the mill

#### Smallpox Increasing.

Austin, Nov. 12 .- Smallpox contintes to increase in this city and coun-ty, in most instances in a mild form, but two or three virulent cases are reported and death is expected.

#### French Squadron Leaves Mitylens,

London, Nov. 12.—Special dispatch from Paris says Admiral Caillard's squadron has left the Island of Mitylene for Greek territory.

recent frosts have killed the top cot- was sent away because of his activity ton

was held up and robbed by masked tled in New York and afterward went highwaymen of \$15 and a watch and chain. him for quite awhile."

J. E. Standley of Lometa, Tex., is using Beaumont oil on his cattle to ding, and few of the details have been keep off the ticks, and says it is a agreed upon, but Miss Herron says she success.

The women of Japan have appealed to the government to expel Mormon apostles or distribution of Mormon literature.

W. H. Peckham, a farmer living near Logan, O. T., was knocked down and gored by a pet deer and badly trampled.

John Lottka, who says he is more than 100 years old, is slowly d ing of old age at his home two miles south of Eufaula, I. T.

Will Compton, a prominent citize of Fairfield, Tex., committed suicide by cutting his throat with a knife No cause given.

The Galveston, Houston and Henderson railroad is using Beaumont oil to lay the dust on its road. It proved a great success.

Manly Beard of McKinney, Tex., was found guilty of assault to murder Joe Mayers and given three years in the penitentiary.

W. G. Hanlon was sentenced to the Texas penitentiary for twenty-four years for the murder of his half brother, H. N. Wiggins, near Corsicana.

The safe of the bank at Hinton, Ia., was blown up by expert cracksmen and \$1,500 secured. This is the fourth bank robbery in Iowa in two weeks.

At Fort Dodge, Ia., the jury returned a verdict of not guilty in the case of Oliver and George Bricker, charged with deliberately killing C. A. Guild and son Clarence

The body of Walter Thomas was found alongside a railroad track at Houston, Tex., fearfully mangled. The police are working on the theory that he was murdered and robbed.

The boiler of Clayton's cotton gin at Clayton Station, La., exploded killing one white man and two negroes and severely injuring five others. Alexan-der Ford is the name of the white man killed.

Gus J. Ogburn, a merchant of Sandy Point, Tex., was shot to death by Co-ley Clevelar . Ogburn was under indictment for the murder of Cleveland's brother. There are several members of each family, and a feud has been de-clared.

in promulgating the doctrines of so-D. L. Blackman of Corsicana, Tex., cialism. He came to this country, setwest. I met him there and have known

> No date has been fixed for the wedwill probably ask the same minister who attended her brother's union with Miss Rand to be present. The Rev. William T. Brown simply stood by at the Herron-Rand wedding and heard each of them say "We intend to live together hereafter as man and wife." Then he made a few remarks in the nature of a prose poem.

> "Nobody can say that my brother was not legally married," said Miss Herron, commenting upon the "new form" of ceremony which was made all the more striking because of the divorce which Professor Herron's first wife had obtained and because of his stormy romance with Miss Rand.

"Critics of my brother are simply be-hind the times." Miss Herron contin-"His views about marriage and ued. socialism will yet be generally accepted.'

#### Yankee Invasion of Egypt.

vasion is reported from Egypt. An American engineer, according to the London Mail, has just completed a new system of suspended bridge tramways Alexandria. The present apparatus is the first that has been installed in Africa, but the Egyptian railway administration has decided to adopt the system, which will undoubtedly meet with further success. The work is done automatically and only occupies onefourth of the time necessitated by manual labor and steam winches. Twenty-one hundred and twenty tons of coal in ten hours is the unloading enpacity of these hoisters, two or three ships can be worked at a time, and there is a great diminution of waste and "small." The saving of labor is also one of the great advantages of this system.

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Parisian Women Dote on Foxes. The latest craze among the Parislan women is that of foxes, or, rather, fox cubs, as household pets. They are so largely in request that the little crea-

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#### POLITICS.

This mighty and incessant din-What is if all about? 'Tis but to get some fellows in And other fellows out. Washington Star.

morning for the first time-Since the great fire that dest byed some of the best businesshouges in Merkel, togethwith the Mati building and material. Here is to Ed Leeman, the plucity editor of the Mail, and to Merkel, one of the best towns on the T. & P. May they all live long and prosper.

The murder of Gov. Gobell, of Kentucky, was just as dartardly a crime as the murder of President McKinley, in fact it was worse, because the murder of Gobell was planed and executed by men of intelligence who formerly stood high in the estimation of the people of Kentucky, while McKinley's assassin was a miserable, half witted wretch at most. Two republican governors of Indiana have refused to sarrender W. S. Taylor, charged with pomplicity in the murder of Gobell, giving as an excuse that Taylor canhot get a fair trial in Kentucky. Had any governor refused to surrender the assassin of President McKinley the country would have rose in arms against that governor. But Gov Durbin, of Indiana, and his predecesguilty of the charges against him he is a worse criminal than Czolgosz.

China's Great Statesman Liked the Man Who Stood Up For His Own Ideas and Objected to Visits of the Curious - Adopted Certain of Our Mannerisms.

Official announcement of the death of Li Hung Chang was received in Washington the other morning. The news caused sincere regret among officials of the administration, who have regarded Earl Li as one of the great characters of the world. Mr. W. W. Rockhill, just returned from Peking, 45 00 where he served as special commission-Four weeks counted as one month, except er of the United States, enjoyed most friendly relations with the Chinese envoy. Speaking of Li, Mr. Rockhill said to a New York Herald reporter:

"Earl Li had a longer and more thorough knowledge of foreign affairs than any other Chinaman. In the early sixties he was the only high official that advocated closer relations with foreign nations and the adoption of western methods and western ideas. Ever since then he has been identified with the conduct of the foreign relations of China. His frankness in conversation and in his dealings with foreigners with whom he was thrown in contact made him much more acceptable to the west as the representative of China than other officials who had more of the peculiar mannerisms of their race. "His memory was simply astonish-

ing, and it often stood him in good stead. Not even the remotest details in events occurring years before escaped him. In his death China loses a patriot and a statesman who ranked with the great figures of history.'

Mr. H. G. Squiers, who was secretary of the American legation in China, rocalled many pleasant and interesting incidents showing the character of Li Hung Chang during the four years he was stationed at Peking.

"Earl Li was always courteous to Americans," said Mr. Squiers, "because, as 1 learned afterward, he felt that Americans were always willing to give and take in a business transaction or a diplomatic negotiation - One could not help being impressed with the idea that he was actually the ruling spirt in the Chinese empire by his superior bearing and broad statesmanship. Although every consultation we had with him had to be conducted by the aid of The Merkel Mail showed up this an interpreter-for he spoke only the Chinese language-he displayed a wide knowledge of foreign and domestic affairs, which carried with it a conviction that he was the dominating spirit throughout China and virtually all was of the tsung li yamen. there

"Earl Li frequently recalled his visit to the United States in 1896," added Mr. Squiers, "and he regarded it as one of the most pleasing events of his remarkable career. During that trip his friendship for the United States was even further cemented by the many courtestes he received. It made a lasting impression upon him, and upon his return to China I observed that he had adopted certain American mannerisms in his association with Americans. For instance, he always greeted Americans with a cordial grasp of the hand instead of the oriental salaams which he employed in receiving representatives of other foreign nations. "You have probably read of that famous cane he used to carry," said Mr. Squiers. "It is a very long staff, highly ornamented, and he has carried it for many years. One day, while in his presence, I had in my hand a cheap little American cane with a somewhat odd head upon it. It caught the viceroy's fancy, and he proposed an exchange. As he offered to make an even sor both refuse to surrender a man trade you may imagine my delight at charged with murder. If Taylor is the bargain I was making. With great pride I displayed my prize among my friends and treasured it as one of the dearest souvenirs of my stay in China. The next time I met the viceroy he informed me that my cane was six inches too short for him to use, and under the circumstances he would have to suggest that the trade be reconsidered. I reluctantly returned his historic stick."

#### WE LEAD THE WORLD. France to Send Her Youth to Amer-

ica For Technical Education. "We realize that America now leads the van in industrial progress," said M. Bouquet, head of the technical instruction department in the ministry of commerce, the other day at Paris. "She is far ahead of England, Germany and ourselves in organization and methods of work.

"Hitherto we have been sending england Belgium, but the minister of commerce, M. Millerand, has come to the conclusion that the field which offer the greatest profit for their study is the United States. He has therefore resolv ed to concentrate his efforts there.

European countries to study special incation they will go to the United States, where they will be able to study under competent guidance that audacity, inventive genius and marvelous organization which have lifted the industrial world of America above those of her European rivals.

ors who will be fully acquainted with most anything he wanted by remaining the working of the various industries in the democratic party. No better under their guidance. The students will examine works specially chosen for superior methods and the newest plants.

excite suspicion, as it is really homage him, few more successful lawyers can to the United States. The students will be found in this part of the state than not go to discover industrial secrets. Charley Jenkins. but to finish their education, and before the scheme is put into execution we shall ask the co-operation of the American government and the leading American industrial concerns.

"The expense will be met partly by a parliamentary grant and partly by subscriptions raised among the French chambers of commerce, the industrial associations and the big industrial concarried out early next year."

#### LI HUNG'S SUCCESSOR.

Facts About Yuan Shi Kal and Wang Wen Shao.

Chang as viceroy of Pechili, is the best appointment that could have been see Post Masters on these lines. made from all China, according to Mr. Rockhill, the special commissioner of the United States at Peking. He is about forty-five years of age and came where he began his public career as a military officer, says a Washington dispatch to the New York Tribune. He was made minister to Korea and for many years ably defended Chinese interests in that troubled country. As governor of Shangtung he showed surprising ability in tranquilizing that dangerous province, while his gift for diplomacy was exercised fully in preventing friction between the turbulent population of the peninsula and the ermans when the latter were steadily encroaching from their original holding at Klaochau on the north coast. As a military man Yuan showed his ability by the organization of what is undoubtedly the best military force in China, and they were his troops that occupied Peking last September when the forign forces were withdrawn.

Wang Wen Shao, who is made deputy viceroy of Pechili, is also a man of marked ability. Fortunately he always



Hon. Charles H. Jenkins, of Brown wood, leading counsel for the defense in the Scott case, is one of the best neering students to Germany, England known lawyers in Texas. He is an able, conservative advocate. No matter what he has in hand, a case in court or a political campaign, he never lets up. Well do we remember back twenty-five years ago when as chair-"A few students will still be sent to man of the county democracy of Brown county the writer could not find a man in the county who would meet Charley on the stump. He was then a young lawyer and an enthusiastdustries, but for general technical edu- find a man in the county who would then a young lawyer and an enthusiastic greenbacker, and none of the local democrats cared to risk a tilt with him. Charley practiced law for a living and made political speeches for fun. That "A central bureau or college will be is he never, so far as we knew, cared established at Philadelphia or in Chica- a rap for office. If he had wanted ofgo, with a director and two subdirect- fice, solely, he could have gotton al-

man lives in West Texas, in the estimation of the writer if we did disagree "The step we are taking ought not to politically, and from what we hear of Farlanes. -0-

#### MAIL CONTRACTS.

Maj. Wm. McManis, Post Master at Baird, requests THE STAR to call at- reward for return. tention to mail contracts to be let in 48-3t this county on Dec. 3d. Under new regulations the contractor must live on or adjacent to the line. The schedule cerns of this country. Many encourag- on Baird-Cross Plains line will be 16th District, spent a day or two in ing promises have already been re- from Baird to Cross Plains via Ad- town this week. ceived. We hope the scheme may be miral, Caddo Peak to Cross Plains thence to Dressy, 12 hours each way. Put in bid at what you can afford to do the work for. For further particulars as to Baird-Cross Plains route see Maj. Wm. McManis, P. M. at Yuan Shi Kai, who succeeds Li Hung Baird. For information as to Clyde -Tecumseh and Putnam-Cottonwood berlain's Pain Balm was promptly ap-

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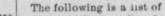
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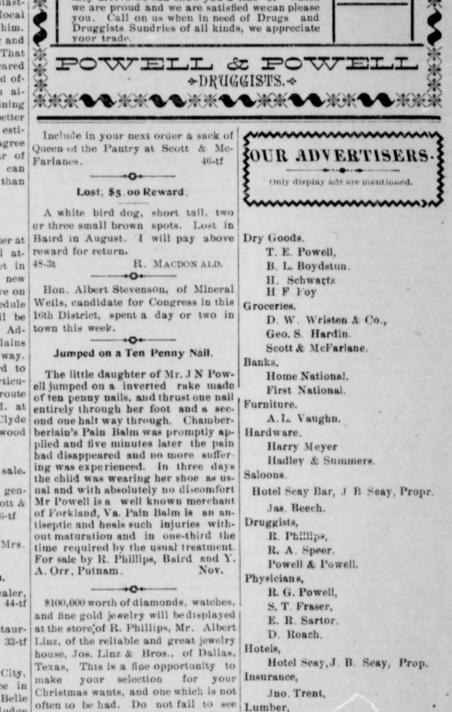


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Hon. J. H. Beall, of Sweetwater, who is one of the attorneys employed in the prosecution of R. W. Scott, ia well known attorney and a member of the 24th legislature, and one of the best men in Texas. Mr. Beall and the writer roomed together during the sesabout him.

Dr. Louis Livingston Seaman of New York, who has an intimate personal knowledge of Li Hung Chang, related the following anecdote to a reporter of the New York Times. He said:

'Li Hung Chang was always courteous, but he had no patience with the man that could not take his own part and that would fail to answer him in the same coin that he gave. I remember the incident which brought us together closer than ever before. It was on a day when we were discussing the rights of the United States to the Philippines, Li arguing that by right the islands belonged to China. Finally he said that he wanted to know what right the United States had more than any other robber to enter the islands. I answered him briefly, calling his a'tention to the efforts of Russia, England, Germany, France and Italy to split China, and said:

you had enough bad eggs in your own ances, textile fabrics, musical, photobasket without wishing for another graphic and optical instruments, an country that is steeped in war.' The answer he liked, and from that moment his entire demeanor changed, and he became the charming host and admirable man that all who knew him well found him to be on all occasions. I. is merely an incident as showing the rough shod over others and who admired any one that refused to agree to expressions which he himself knew Africa. But, asks the Louisville Cousfon of the 24th legislature and we had were wrong on the face of them. Sim- rier-Journal, have not the Boers als pretty good chance to find out all ilarly he had little patience with the ready furnished Great Britain a surcurious who came merely to see him."

has been friendly to foreign ideas and grand secretaries of state and is at pointed to form the new Chinese foreign office, which will replace the tsung li yamen. Wang is a man of aftsung li yamen some years ago, besides having been director of mines and railways. He has been with the imperial The records show that he always has exerted his influence in the direction of reforms.

#### GOLD MINE IN HIS HAIR.

Startling Discovery by Which a Colorado Man Becomes Wealthy.

James McCormick, who has recently located a placer mine in Summit county, Colo., is the son of a California pioneer and himself an argonaut with a wonderful story. While on the way east a few weeks ago McCormick went into a Leadville barber shop, and the barber says he found flour gold in his hair.

McCormick had been in the habit of washing in a small but turbulent mountain stream, and the oil of his hair acted as a natural amalgam, says the Chicago Inter Ocean. McCormick postponed his eastern trip and returned to the stream of golden sands to investigate. He located a placer and says it is worth \$150,000 to \$500,000.

American Exhibition In London. An American exhibition is to be held in Crystal palace, London, from May to September, 1902. The plans of the managers of this exhibition include the placing on view of exhibits of machinery, natural and agricultural products, food products, vehicles, lighting, heat-"I should think, your excellency, ing, ventilating and sanitary applieducational and scientific exhibit, naval and military ordnance and small arms, a complete art department and a woman's section.

#### Sad Days For Old England.

The archbishop of York suggests that nature of the man who liked to ride Great Britain set apart a day for national humiliation in order to hasten the success of British arms in South plus of days of national humiliation?

From Coopersville, Mich., comes maining in P. O. at Baird, Texas for present one of the two ministers ap before retiring by any one troubled with a bad cough always ensures a tised. good night's rest. "It will soon cure the cough too," writes Mrs. S. Himelfairs and was himself a member of the burger, "for three generations of our family have used Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption and never found its equil for coughs and colds. court ever since it fled from Peking. It's an unrivaled life-saver when used for desperate lung diseases. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Powell & Powell. Nov.

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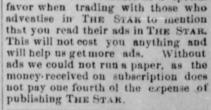
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# Farmers Have Not Kept up With the Prevailing Times.

IT IS THEIR FAULT.

#### Depression in the South Where This Exists it Is Attributed Chiefly to Exclusive Attention to the Production of Cotton.

Washington, Nov. 13 .- The industrial commission has made public its review of evidence taken before the committee on the subjects of agricuiture and agriculture labor. Among the other topics discussed is that of agricultural depression, of which the committee speaks as follows:

"The cause often assigned for the depression of agriculture in the eastern states is the increased production due to the opening of western lands in advance of the natural demand and practically the agency of liberal land laws and grants of land in aid of railroad construction.

'The competition of the west has been rendered especially severe by the policy of railroads in making freight rates relatively low for long distances The old staple products having thus been necessary for farmers to change their methods and vary the character supreme court. of their crops, taking up especially the culture of products which are not easily transported long distances.

Thus truck farms have largely superseded cereal growing along the Atbecome unprofitable in the east, it has rural free delivery service from the lartic coast, but formers in the north present sum of \$3,500,000 to \$6,000,000, Bevere competition of states farther express the opinion that this branch cotton crop. In some sections it to same may be said of fruit growing. Even so perishable a commodity as of congress. milk is transported much longer distances since the introduction of refrigerator cars.

Another cause which several witnesses assigned for the unsatisfactory condition of agriculture in some parts of the country is the conservatism of the farmers, their lack of quick adjustment to changed conditions and lack of effective business planning and the First infantry have been found management. The farmers, as a class, have not kept up with the times, but to the other regiments have raised the same crops year after year without regard to changes in supply and demand . .

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Another cause assigned for agricultural depression in the south is the scarcity of money, the difficulty of borrowing on real estate security and the consequent high rates of interest. seems to be possible, however, to borrow money in the south at somewhat lower rates of interest than formerly. The decline in the price of cotton is of course an important element in the

#### BECKHAM TO DURBIN. ARE POOR MANAGERS New Light on Requisitions from Gov. of States.

Frankfort, Nov. 13 .-- Governor Beck ham Monday night addressed to Gov. Durbin of Indiana a letter replying to proclamation: the criticism by that executive of the requisition for Taylor and Finley wanted for allaged complicity in the, assassination of Governor Goebel. refusal, charging that in doing so he violated his oath of office to support the constitution of the United States, and that he became " a party after the fact to the most infamous crime in the unto set my hand and caused the seal history of the state, the coldblooded of the state to be affixed at the city of

and dastardly murder of an eminent and distinguished citizen of Kentucky." The Kentucky executive also charges that Governor Durbin's action in refusing was the result of a political bargain made before his election to office, and characterizes his charges against

slanderous and unexcusable misrepresentations. Beckham takes the stand that a gov-

power, but only ministerial power in of the customary provisions authorizthe honoring of legally drawn requisitions from other states, and this is taken here as an indication that steps will shortly be taken in the courts to compel Durbin by mandamus to honor bonds and lands which will not be the requisitions. If such proceedings available, but will lapse over two are instituted they will be in the courts of Indiana and taken on appeal to the two institutions. The attorney general

#### Plea for Rural Delivery.

Washington, Nov. 13 .- In its annual eport, which will be completed soon, Postmaster General Smith will ask for an increase of .he appropriation for the service from the most liberal consideration on the part

#### Payment of Volunteers.

Austin, Nov. 13 .- Adjutant General Scurry is drawing checks in favor of members of the Fourth Texan infantry in payment for their services from the period of time the assembly call issued until the was regiment was mustered in. About \$10,000 is allowed by the United States government for regiment. About 75 per cent of and paid, and the same ratio will apply

#### Oye Hundred and Five Miles an Hour.

/London, Nov. 13 .- A Berlin corremiles an hour has been attained by an vinced that this speed can be increas-Running at this rate, the air pressure was found to be equal to a wind force of 12 feet a second, a force which, on the German coast has only been registered once, namely, in the It hurricane of Feb. 1, 1894.

#### Other Arrests Made.

Ardmore, I. T., Nov. 13 .- Two addltional arests have been made in conof course an important element in the depression of agriculture in the south. The inefficiency of negro labor is as-signed as another cause. On the other band it is affirmed that there is too the other band areas have been working on requiring safety devices at railroad hand, it is affirmed that there is too much good and cheap labor in the case since the murder occurred and south. An abundance of cheap labor is said to be unfavorable to the success of agriculture, because it results in nection with the crime.

#### THANKSGIVING DAY. Gavernor Sayers Issues a Proclamation

to the People of Texas. Austin, Nov. 9-Governor Sayers has

issued the following Thanksgiving "I, Jospeh D. Sayers, governor of courts and officials of Kentucky in his the state of Texas, do hereby designate recent letter refusing to honor the Thursday, Nov. 28, as the day upon which the entrie people are invited to

abstain from their usual employments and, by appropriate religious services, He severely arraigned Durbin for his to render thanks with grateful hearts to almighty God for the many blessings past year through His gracious beneficen "In testimony whereof I have here

> Austin on this, the 7th of November, A. D. 1901. JOSEPH D. SAYERS, Governor.

"By the governor: "JOHN G. TOD.

"Secretary of State.

#### Another Legislative Blunder.

Austin, Nov. 13 .- It has been disthe courts and officials of Kentucky as covered that the last legislature has another blunder added to its long list, having failed to incorporate in the general appropriation bill under the heads of blind institutions, deaf and nor of a state has up discretionary dumb institutions and orphans' home ing those institutions to use for maintenance the earnings from bonds and lands held in their respective accounts. The blind institution receives some \$7000 or \$8000 annually in interest on The same applies to the other years. has advised the controller that unless specifically appropriated the available fund can not be used, and it was not mentioned.

Boll Weevil Attacking Trees.

Georgetown, Tex., Nov. 13 .- On many farms in this county the boll weevill is still working with energy. cotton crop. In some sections it is said the pest is extending its ravages to the forest trees, and the limbs are being stripped of their leaves. Fortu-nately the weevil did not make its appearance to any great extent in this county until too late to materially damage the cotton crop.

#### Sultan Signs the Agreement.

Paris, Nov. 13 .- President Loubet has been officially notified of the sign ing of the imperial irade providing for the execution of the sultan's engage ments with the French government. and President Loubet has announced that he had notified the porte that dip lomatic relations between France and Turkey had been resumed and that Admiral Caillard's squadron had left the island Mitylene,

#### Anti-Trust Suit in Missouri.

Carthage, Mo., Nov. 12 .- A suit for a penalty of \$166,300 has been filed here Foreig News, by Prosecuting Attorney Mooneyham against the Missouri Supply company. under the anti-trust law. This law pro-vides for a penalty of \$100 per day for every day which is violated. It is alleged that this company has monopo-lized the powder business of the mining district to such a degree that the anti-trust law is applicable

#### Gates at Railroad Crossings.

Austin, Nov. 9 .- The railroad com-

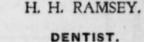


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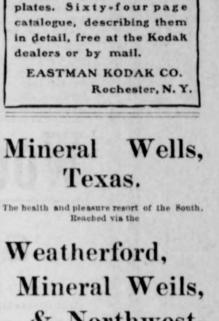
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#### Highwaymen in Oklahoma.

Guthrie, O. T., Nov. 13 .- The postof- wheels. at Koin, Washita county, was robbed Saturday by four men who rode up with drawn revolvers and compelled the postmaster and everbody pres ent to hold up their hands while they took their valuables and rifled the safe and money drawer. Monday night the same men held up and robbed Serger's and Crawford's general stores at Colony. They secured \$500 cash at the several places, hesides a number of watches and other articles of value. From a description of the robbers of-ficers believe that the leader of the gang is a notorious outlaw who escaped from the penitentiary a year ago.

#### shot in a Saloon.

Strawn, Tex., Nov. 12.-Claud Green, a coal miner, was shot in a saloon at this place Monday night, the ball entering above his hip, rang his leg. The wound is considered serious. Wood Mills, a bartender. bond o await the action of the grand jury.

#### Killed Restaring Arrest.

Sherman, Tex., Nov. 13 .- George Puryear, against whom there has been a complaint charging him with an as sault to kill Policeman John Crane at Denison last Saturday night, was shot and killed near Willis Ferry, on Red next year at Waco. The criver, Tuesday. He fought officers was harmonious throughout. when ordered to surrender.

Contracts Awarded.

Austin, Nov. 13 .- State Purchasing Agent Dodre has awarded several child of Neal Reed fell into the large contracts as follows: Three to and was drowned on Saturday. bular Atlas boilers, 55-horsepower, for the blind institute, \$343 each; one carload of chairs for several institutions. \$750; one fire pump and several boiler feed pumps, \$900; also one boiler pump.

#### Switchman Killed,

Plano, Tex., Nov. 13.-Frank Kolb, a switchman, while switching in the yards here, fell under the cars and had both legs cut off. He died shortly afterward. The switch engine was pushing some cars south on the main line when, it is said, Kolh grabbed a handhold on the end of the last car from the engine and it is supposed his hold slipping fell under

#### Craft Won the Flace.

Washington, Nov. 13 .- The contest over the Kentucky internal refenue collectorship has been settled. At the conclusion of a conference between the president and Senator Deboe, Representative Boring and Commissioner of Internal Revenue Yerkes, the president agreed to appoint E A. Craft.

#### Over One Hundred.

San Antonio, Nov. 13.-Mrs. Chloe Stevens, colored, or "Aunt Chloe," as she was called, died at the home of H. C. Goyle, Oak Island, Bexar county, at the advanced age of 107 years. Aunt Chloe was born of pure African parents in Charleston, S. C., in 1794.

#### Canning Plant for Corsicana.

Corsicana, Tex, Nov. 13.-It has been decided by local men to build a canning factory in Corsicana, and the plant will be in readiness to har dle next year's fruit and vegetable crop.

#### Baptist Convention Over

Fort Worth, Tex., Nov. 13.-The state Baptist convention closed its sesion here Monday night to meet next year at Waco. The convention

#### An Infant Drowned.

Sterling City, Tex., Nov. 12 .- While playing near a tank the 18-months-old M. Carter on its docket and anounced child of Neal Reed fell into the water it to be heard on Dec. 2. next.

#### Killed by Lightning.

uGthrie, Ok., Nov. 13.-Robert Frost, aged 21. was struck by lightning while hauling a load of fodder on his father's The assault was committed on a Legro

#### Cattlemen Fjected.

Paris, Tex., Nov. 13 .- Four cattlemen living around Poteau and Cameron have been ejected from the Choc taw Nation within the last few days. The sheriff of Jacks Fork county has just made an inspection of his coun ty and reports non-citizen cattlemen, representing 4000 head of cattle, whom he will proceed to eject.

#### Largest Wheat Ranch.

Wichita, Kan., Nov. 12 .- Wm. Ogden of McLean county, Ills., has bought 180,000 acres of land in westden ern Kansas, which will be converted into the largest wheat ranch in the The land was owned by abo world. fifteen different men. Ogden paid \$1.50 an acre on an average.

Washington county, twenty miles from here late Friday night and secured be tween \$12,000 and \$15,000 by blowing open the safe. The robbers escaped.

#### Constitutional Amendment Carry.

that the new constitution will be per cent of the negro vote in Alabama will be eliminated.

#### Earthquake in Armenta.

quake shocks continue to be felt at Erellum, Armenia. There have been many casualties. Foreign consuls have joined the inhabitants and are living in tents.

#### Carter's Case Advanced.

Washington, Nov. 12 .- The United States supreme court has advanced the habeas corpus case of Captain Oberlin Get Green's Special Almanac. 44-tf

#### Pleaded Guilty to Assault

farm near Rutter, and instantly killed. girl who had refused to marry him.

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#### WOMEN AND JEWELS.

Jewels, candy, flowers, man-that is the order of a woman's preferences. Jewels form a magnet of mighty pow Birmlugham, Ala., Nov. 12.-Returns er to the average woman. Even that Birmingham, Ala., Nov. 13.—Returns from forty counties of Alabama indi-greatest of jewels, health, is often THE REPUBLIC. ruined in the strenuous efforts to make ratified by 27,000 majority. By the or save money to purchase them. It adoption of the new constitution 95 a woman will risk her health to get a self against the insiduous consequences of coughs, colds and bronchial affections by the regular use of Dr. Constantipople, Nov. 12 .- Earth- Boschee's German Syrup. It will promptly arrest consumption in its early stages and heal the affected lungs and bronchial tubes and drive the dread disease from the system. It is not a cure-all, but a certain cure for coughs, colds and all bronchial troubles. You can get Dr. G. G. Green's reliable remedies at R. Phillips -0-

Infant mortality is something fright ful. Nearly one quarter die before they reach one year, one-third before Paris, Tex., Nov. 13 .- Jim Wilson, a they are five, and one-half before they a majority of these precious lives. Price 25 cts. For sale at R. Phillip's.

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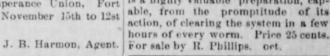
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BAIRD LODGE No 271. I. O. O. V. Meets every Saturday night. J. J. ALLEN. N. G. H. SCHWARTZ, Sec.

ABILENE COMMANDERY, K, of T. No27 Meets and Monday of each Month. J. H. PICKENS, E. C. U. W. ROBERTS, Rec.

BAIRD LODGE No. 142. A.O. U. W. Meets First and third Tuesday in each month. Visiting brethren fraternally invited and members expected to attend. J. A. EMMONS, M. W. JOHN J ALLEN, Recorder

#### R. Rentfro, of Cross Plains, came up with cotton Tuesday.

Ii you want full weight and full measure get Mastic Mixed Paints. R. 49-tf Phillips. .....

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R. J. Harris of Admiral, was in town this week on business with the Commissioners' Court. ....

#### FOR SALE OR TRADE.

Two Norman Stallions, fine animals for stock purposes. Also ten head of full blooded Durham bulls, one and two years old, in fine condition. Ranch 15 miles south of Baird, Texas. 48-tf WM. MCMANIS. ....

Prof. H. F. Powell, principal of the Clyde Public School, was in town Saturday, and left a nice order for printing with the job department. +0+

Have you seen the immense line o musical instruments such as mandolins, guitars, violins, banjos, auto harps, French harps, jews harps at Phillips. Call and see what we have in this line. We hope to please you. 49-tf. -----

W. N. Adams, county treasurer of Brown county, a witness in the R. W. Bill is an old citizen of Brown county low citizens.

#### .0. BRAIN-FOOD NONSENSE.

Another ridiculous food fad has been branded by the most competent will certainly make the fight along the authorities. They have dispelled the lines I have indicated." silly notion that one kind of food is needed for brain, another for muscles, and still another for bones. A correct dict will not only nourish a particular part of the body, but it will sustain every other part. Yet, however good your food may be, its nutriment is destroyed by indigestion or dyspepsia. You must prepare for their appearance or prevent their coming by taking regular doses of Green's August Flower, the fovorite medicine of the healthy millions. A few doses aids digestion, stimulates the liver to healthy action, purifies the blood, and makes you feel buoyant and vigorous. You can get Dr. G. G. Green's reliable remedies at R. Phillip's. Get Green's Special Almanac. 44-tf ----

A. G. Webb left Tuesday with a carload of horses for Fordoche Parish, La. Sam Webb has been there son etime collecting on sales previously made. The collections are reported good hence more horses are shipped by them.

A nne line of strings for musical in-49-tf struments at Phillps. -----

All toilet preparations at Phillips. .0.

For the Seth Thomas, Ingram and alarm clocks, sold on a guarantee, go 49-tf to R. Phillips

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## TOM JOHNSON AND 1904.

The Mayor Figures It Out How He Will Be Named For President.

Mayor Tom L. Johnson of Cleveland is so well pleased with the pronounced victory he won in Cuyahoga county in 2000000000000000 the recent election that he is already beginning to plan a campaign to land him in the presidential chair in 1905, says the New York Sun. It has been an open secret for some time that the mayor was not deaf to the presidential bee that all his friends have been hearing buzz. One of the men who is closest to him said that Tuesday's (Nov. 5) result could not have been better for the furtherance of his plan.

"The mayor thinks his victory in Cuyahoga county and the Democratic defeat in the state a complete vindication of himself and his issues," said this man. "He also thinks that his issues are the ones on which the Dem-ocratic party must stand in the future. He expects to be a candidate for re-election as mayor in the spring of 1903 and has no doubt of his election. Then he will be the logical Democratic candi-date for governor in two years. date for governor in two years.

"Standing on his present taxation platform and conducting his own campaign, he feels that he can defeat General Dick or any other candidate the Republicans may put forward. As governor of a nominally Republican state in the interior of the Union he feels Scott case, arrived Monday evening. that he will be the logical candidate for the head of the Democratic ticket and has held nearly every county of- in 1904. He has no ambition to be senfice within the gift of the people of ator from Ohio, as he looks on that ofthat county, which shows the high fice as the last resting place of a wornesteem in which he is held by his fel. out politician. He refused the nomination for governor at the last convention because he was satisfied that Nash could be re-elected and believed that defeat would kill him politically.

"If he lives and retains his health, be

#### OUR STRENUOUS PRESIDENT Illustrative Story Told by a Clerk In

#### New York Bookstore.

"For a persistent, indefatigable and positively tireless man commend me to President Roosevelt," remarked one of the clerks of an uptown bookstore in New York, whose special duty is as a searcher for elusive titles, says the New York Times. "When the president was writing his articles for the Cyclopedia of Sport, he brought in here a list of books that he said he must have and have right away. In about a week I had managed to get together about 50 per cent of the lot and turned them over to him. He was back the next day on a still hunt for the rest. I told him some were out of print and the rest books that no dealer regularly carried in stock.

'But I must have them, every last one of them, and I must have them right away. Get a hustle on, my boy. but don't you dare miss one of them. I can't work without them.'

"I hunted high and low, only to be stirred up at least once a day by Mr. Roosevelt, who had in some way learned the hour he was sure to find me at the store and who never failed to be on hand to give me a good natured prodding. At last 1 managed to get together all the books he wanted, but for a couple of weeks I had such a stirring up as I had never had before and such a one as I sincerely hope I may never have again, though Mr. Roosevelt was in the best of humor, and good nature fairly oozed from him when he was ng me in his most strenuous fashion. He made a hustler of me for just one month for fair."

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# Filling Up!

That is exactly what I am doing, "fillup" my immense store house with the choicest line of Goods at Bargain Prices, that I could procure in the Eastern Markets The goods are arriving daily and we are arranging for a share of your trade this fall. Don't disappoint us, come and see our immense line of goods before you make your pur-Respectfully.

# H. SCHWARTZ.

Our 🗱 Prices 🗱 Always 🕱 Please.

tion,

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YEAST.-Fresh yeast for sale at For nice visiting cards go THE STAR MRS. E. K. KANE'S. office.

# 530. CITATION FOR PUBLICATION.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS. COUNTY OF CALLAHAN. In the Justice Court Precinct No. I

November Term 1901. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Callahan County, Greeting: You are hereby commanded that by

making publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the county of Callahan, if there be a newspaper published in said county, (but Poters to be and appear before the cents. Justice Court, to be holden for Precinct No. 1 in the County of Callahan, at the court house thereof in Baird on New York Times. the 25, day of November 1901, File

1901, against the said J. H. Peters and alleging in substance as follows, ker Hillf" said the Englisman. to wit: Suit on promisory note executed by said defendant June 25th 1898 amounting to \$61.25, principal and interest aud for cost of suit and 10 per cent as attorney's fees.

Herein fail not, but have you then and there before said Court this Writ, you have the cannon; we have the hill. with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hrud officially this 28th day of October A. D. 1901.

L. O. OLIVER, Justice of the Peace Precipct No. 1,

\$100 REWARD. The Stock Raisers' Association of Coleman

and adjoining counties hereby offer a reward of \$100 for information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons who are guilty of stealing or killing any stock belonging to any member or members of this association. To be paid when satisfactory proof is made to the executive committee of this association. R. H. OVERALL, Pres. J. RATHMELL Sec'y. 12 11

#### ----PUBLIC RECITAL.

The Elocution Class of Baird Col-

# Clever Girl's Retort.

Capt. Stormer of the Kron Prinz Number being 530, then and there to Wilhelm recently described the experianswer the complaint of J. W. Jones ence of an American young lady who and I. N. Jackson filed in said Court visited London and was shown some on the Third day of October, A. D. of the sights by a boastful Englishman "Here is a cannon captured at Bun-

"How appropriate!" exclaimed the young lady.

"I must explain," said the gentleman tauntingly, that this cannon was captured from the Americans by the English.'

The young lady retorted: "Well, -0-

#### To the Public.

Allow me to say a few words in praise of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy I had a very savere cough and cold and feared I would get pneumonis, but after taking the second dose of

this medicine I felt better, three bot-

tles of it cered my cold and the pain

in my chest disappeared entirely.

Several thousand bushels cotton seed for sale at Clyde gin. 49-tf JAS. GUILFOIL, Clyde, Tex.

FOR SALE.

.0. Cures Blood Poison-Treatment Free. Blood poison is the worst disease on earth yet the easiest cured when B. B. B. (Botanic Blood Balm) is used. Many have pimples, spots on the skin, ulcers, mucous patches, failing hair, itching skin, bone pains, rheumatism, catarrh, eating, bleeding, testering sores, scrofula, scabs and scales, cancer and don't knyw it is blood poison. Get Botante Blood Balm (B, B. B.) \$1. A few Bottles guaranteed to cure the worst cases. Sold at drug stores. Treat-ment of B. B. B. sent free and prepaid by writing to Blood Balm Co., Atlanta, Ga., Describe trouble and free medical advice given until cured. B. B. B. thoroughly tested for 30 years Cures when all else tails. B. B. B. makes the blood pure and rich heals every sore, and stops all aches and pains. B. B. B. improves the diges-

There will be services at the First Baptist Church next Sabbath, morning and evening. Subject in morning: "Is There Redemption for a Sinner in Hell." Subject in evening at 7:30 o'clock. "Echoes of the Baptist State Convention, one of the greatest gatherings on record. The pastor cor. le ly invites all the members of his church to be present, and all will be made welcome who will come and worship with us.

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CHURCH SERVICE.

J. FRANK LEAKE, Pastor.

Oct.

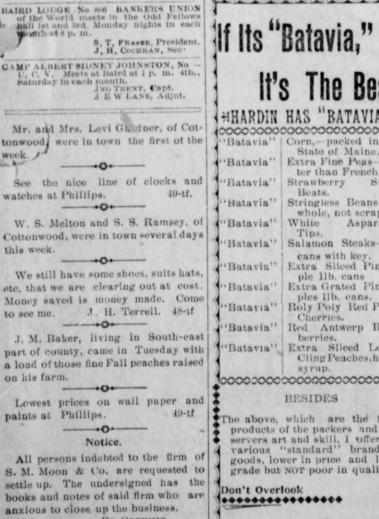
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**DO YOU ADVERTISE?** 

A merchant, pound foolish, byt pennywise, In business said 'twas no use to advertise. On his goods did gather many files While waiting for customers who din not

if not, then in the nearest county where lege will give a public recital, at the a newspaper is published, for four College Friday evening, Nov. 15, 1901. successive weeks previous to the re- A sword drill will be an attractive turn day hereof, you summon J. H. feature. The proceeds will go toward

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ED COPPINS, 26tf. At Barnhill's Shoe Shop. -----

When you are ready for paints, get our prices on Mastic Mixed Paints. lead, oils and all painting material. 49-tf R. Phillips.

Mastic Mixed Paint is what you want, it is the best. R. Phillips. 49-tf ------Car load of Weber wagons. H. Meyer. 43-tf ----Yes, I'um going to A. L. Vaughn's where I can get furniture at excursion 45tf rates. ----

roll and up to any price. R. Phillips. r from 4 cents per single

It's The Best. HARDIN HAS "BATAVIA" 'Batavia'' | Corn,-packed in the State of Maine Extra Fine Peas-bet-ter than French. Strawberry Sugar Beats. Stringless Beans-all whole, not scraps. Asparagus White Tips. Salamon Steaks-flat cans with key. Extra Sliced Pineapple 11b. cans Extra Grated Pineapples 11b. cans. Roly Poly Red Pitted Cherries Red Antwerp Raspberries. Extra Sliced Lemon Cling Peaches, heavy syrup. 

#### BESIDES

The above, which are the finest products of the packers and preservers art and skill, I offer the various "standard" brands of goods, lower in price and lower grade but NOT poor in quality.

# Don't Overlook

'Swan's Down' Cake Flour. IN PACKAGES. HAVE YOU TRIEL JERSEY CREAM FLOUR, CHE. ST AND BEST. Phone GUARANTEED No.44.



#### AUTOMOBILE NOVELTIES.

Interesting Features Seen In the Recent Show at New York.

Probably the lightest electric vehicle, which was also one of the novelties of the recent automobile show at Madison Square Garden, is a graceful runabout for town and light country use, says the New York Times. It weighs only S75 pounds, a distinct revelation to many who have believed that electric vehicles as a rule weighed more than machines of equal horsepower in gasoline or steam. This new electric carriage is equipped with the new Exide battery, consisting of twenty cells, and is capble of a run of forty miles on a American town. You are still in the single charge at a maximum speed of United States." And then she said, fourteen miles an hour. In appoint- "Do you know, I always thought that ments this light roadster is all that could be desired, being finished in rich black, with seat panels, shutters and running gear in red and the hubs of nickel. The same company showed another serviceable electric runabout, but made for heavier touring purposes, weighing 1,675 pounds and also equal to forty miles with one charge.

Another novelty is a new style of wheel, being in brief a wheel within a wheel. Pneumatic tires, being between the hub and the outer rim, take up the bounce and vibration, and the outside tire is of hard rubber, so there is no danger of puncture. The hub is unusually large and is fitted with interior sliding places so arranged that they slip when an obstruction is encountered, forcing the pneumatic tires to take the jar. By this method it is claimed that the rider feels no jar of any kind, no matter how rough the roads may be over which he is traveling.

#### Kipling's New War Story.

Rudyard Kipling's second trip to the field of war in South Africa was not undertaken altogether for his health, or, if it was, he could not resist the temptation to write after he got down there, for he has used material picked up at that time in another war story. which, it is said, is now completed, writes the London correspondent of the New York Press. He and his family are now living quietly at Rottingdean. It is said that he is not in the least disturbed by the fact that his recent poetical efforts were received with precious ittle enthusiasm in England. Mr. Bookah Washington did.

Callahan County Texas. 48.4t

Japan." This damsal was going to

help teach the Filipinos geography.

It is to be hoped her Asiatic geogra-

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Spreads Like Wildfire.

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Mother Love.

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you'ns. Fust thing you know you

mographic views upon the Pacific.

20 years."

Powell & Pswell.

Wichita Herald.

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Geographic Ignorance

Honolulu Star:

am most respectfully yours for health Ralph S. Meyers, 64-Thtrty-seventh St Wheeling W. Va. For sale by R. Phillips, Baird and Y. A. Orr Putnam In spite of all that has been written, .... Rev. W. W. Moss, pastor of the M. lectures, stereopticon talks and social E. Church South, left Monday night talks, the fact remains that the bulk for Corsicana, where he goes to atof the people on the mainland know tend the annual meeting of the Northvsry little about us. It was only the west Texas Conference. The report

other day that one of the teachers of the Stewards, with what was collectpassing through to Manila commented last Monday, shows that all the upon the fact that Honolulu had the amounts assessed against the Church. appearance of an American town. including the Pastor's salary, were The reply was, "Why, this is an paid up in full. This is a good showing and is gratifying to the members because, as a rule, assessments have not always been paid in full. the Hawaiian islands belonged to .0.

#### Eczema Itching Humors, Pimples. Treatment Free.

Does your Skin Itch and Burn? phy is of a better brand than her cos-Distressing Eruptions on the Skin so you feel ashamed ta be seen in Company? Do Scabs and Scales form on the skin, hair or scalp? Have you Eczema? Skin Sore and Cracked? When things are "the best" they Rash form on the Skin? Prickly Pain become "the best selling." Abraham in the Skin? Swollen Joints? Falling Hare, a leading druggist of Belleville, Hair? All run down? Skin pale? Old O., writes: "Electric Bitters are the best selling bitters I have handled in sores? Eating sores? Ulcers? To cure to stay cured take B. B. B. (Botanic You know why? Most Blood Balm) which makes the blood diseases begin in disorders of the pure and rich, then the sores will heal stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels, blood and the itching of eczema stop forever and nerves, Electric Bitters tones up the skin become clear and the blood the stomach, regulates the liver, kidpure B. B. B. sold at drug stores \$1 neys and bowels, purifies the blood Trial treatment sent free and prepaid strengthens the nerves, hence cures multitudes of maladies. It builds up by writing to Blood Balm Co. Atlanta Ga. Describe your trouble and free the entire system. Puts new life and medical advice given. Over 3000 tesvigor into any weak, sickly, rundown timonials of cures by B. B. B. Nov. man or women. Price 50c. Sold by ------

#### BLACKSMITH SHOP FOR SALE.

My entire blacksmith shop, tools, site, etc, located at Sabano, Eastland Negro Mammy-"You Ephyam! You county, Texas, is for sale. Sabano Alexandu' flamerton! You M'li y! has two stores, gin, etc, surrounded Come in hyar. You orter be 'shah...d by fine farming county. A very desiryo'se'ves, out dar playin' wid dem able location. Address white trash. Come in hyar er I'll jerk

ALBERT BAKER, Sabano, Texas. .0.

See the new line of wall paper just gwine t, be disgracin yo'se'ves like received at R. Phillips.

That such a man lived beneath the skies. Everything with him went contrarywise Because he was not wise.

In trying to compete with those wh did advertise.

MORAL: You may have the best and cheapest goods in town, but if yon do not tell the people about it how will they know it? The cheapest advertising is newspaper advertising. THE STAR has advertising space for sale. Phone No 8 when you want to act wise and advertise.



NEW MEXICO AND CALIFORNIA. L S. THORNE. E. P. TURNER,

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in spite of books, magazine articles and newspaper articles. in spite of

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COUNTY OFFICERS.

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CITY OFFICERS. Mayor. J. B. Harmon Secretary. H. Schwartz. Marabal J. M. Aycock.

Affletmen: H. Schwartz, H. H. Ramsey, W. E. Mayes. Martin Barnhill, C. H. Maban.

SOCIETY DIRECTORY.

CHURCHES.

M. E. CHURCH, OUTH. Preaching every Sunday at II a. m. and at night. Rev. W. W. Moss, Pastor,

CHRITAIN CHURCH Preaching every 2nd. Sanday. Church meeting at 2 p m every Sunday. W A Barnhill, Elder.

PRESEVTERIAN CHURCH. Sunday school Every Sunday at 10 a m J C Gray, Supt. Services at Presbyterian Church 3 and 4th J. M. Brooks.

CUMBERLAND PRESSYTERIAN CHURCH. Preaching 1st and 5th Sunday at 11 a. m and at night. J. A. Ward, Pastor. Sunday School at 10 a. m. J. N. Rushing, Supt.

LODGES.

BAIRD LODGE, No. 522, A. F. & A. M. Meets every Satarday night on or before full moon at 7 30 p. m. R. G. Powell, W. M. Geo, B. Scott, Secretary.

BAIRD CHAPTER, R. A., M. No. 182. Meets 3rd Friday night in each month. HARRY MEYER, H. P. B. L., RUSSELL, Secretary.

BAIRD CAMP No. 508, W. J. W. Meets in the Odd Fellows Hall. Ist and Cal. Most day nights of eiten month. JAS, H. WALKER, C. C. JNO, W. WOODS, Clerk.

We would like to see a number of houses up here to rent out. There would always be a demand for them. Several new wells have been dug lately, and of course all found plenty of good water.

We sympathise with Baird in her water shortage. If they would extend their water pipe on up and attach it to ome of our wells at Clyde they could get plenty of water. Though it might be cheaper and better for them to move their things up and do business at Clyde.

Had quite a party at Cal May's the other night. The special guest was a young lady weighing about eleven pounds. KIRK.

#### SUDDEN DEATH.

D. H. Slayton was found dead at his home near Cottonwood yesterday morning. Mr. Slayton was on the special venire in District Court and went home Wednesday having been excused. He was an old bachelor and lived by himself, we could learn no particulars. Squire Wilson is holding an inquest, so we are informed. Heart failure was attributed by some as the cause of death, but nothing definite 1s known here as to cause of death.

#### -0-SCOTT CASE.

The evidence in this case closed at 12 Sunday School at II a. m. J. H. Walker to-day and speaking will begin at 1:30 Superintendent. p. m. There are eight attorneys and BAPTI T CHURCH. Preaching 1st and 3rd Sundays at 11 a. m. and at night. Rev. J Frank Leake, Pastor. Sunday School at 10 a. m. W. M. Coff-man. Superintendent. hold court to-night; if so the case will EPICOPAL CHURCH. Services 2nd and Mth Sundays. Rev. J. W. Kceble, Pastor Sanday school at 10:30 a. m. Mrs. F. W. James, Superintendent. Dick Cordwent was in town the first

of the week.

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Fred Griffin, of Cottonwood, was summoned on the special venire in the Scott case, this week.

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A. B. Graham, of Cross Plains, was among those who renewed their subscription to THE STAR this week. +0+

C. R. Lockhart, County Treasurer of Scurry county, is in attendance on District Court this week as a witness in the Scott case. Mr. Lockhart is probably the smallest county officer in BAIRD LODGE No. 47. K. of P. Meets in Castle Hall Odd Fellows building every Thursday night at 8 p. m. Visiting Knights always welcome J. E. Pace, C. C. H. SCHWARTZ, K of R. S. and affable inconversation, and small us he is, he appears to be able to take care of himself without any trouble.

#### -----BAIRD THE BEST COTTON MARKET.

Talking with one of our leading IRD LODGE No 271. I. O. O. F. Meets every Saturday Dight. J. J. ALLEN. N. G. H. SCHWARTZ, Sec.

H. SCHWARTZ, Sec. ABILENE COMMANDERY, K. of T. NOZZ Meets 2nd Monday of each Month. J. H. PICKESS, E. C C. W. ROBERTS, Rec BAIRD LODGE No, 142: A O. U. W. Meets First and third Tuesday in each month. Visiting brethren fraternally invited and members expected to attend. seted to attend. J. A. EMMONS, M. W. JOHN J ALLEN, Recorder been a winning card. The cotton is

BAIRD LODGE No see BANKERS UNION paid for in cash, but as a rule farmers to their trading in the town that pay

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#### Asthmalne Brings InstantRelief and Permanent Cure in All Cases,

SENT ABSOLUTELY FREE ON RECEIPT OF POSTAL. WRITE YOUR NAME AND ADDRESS PLAINLY.

There is nothing like Asthmalene. It brings instant reliaf, even in the worst cases. It cures when all else fails.

The Rev. C. F. WELLS, of Villa Ridge, Ill., says: "Your trial bottle of Asthmalen received in good condi-tion I cannot tell you how thankful I feel for the good derived from it. I was a slave chained with putrid sore throat and Asthma for ten years. I dispaired of ever being cured. I saw your advertisement for the cure of this dreadful and tormenting disease, As-thma, and thought you had overspoken yourselves, but resolved to give it a trial. To my astonishment, the trial acted like a charm. Send me full size bottle.

Rev. Dr. Morris Wechsler,

Rabbi of the Cong. Bnai Israel. New York, Jan 3, 1901. DRS, TAFT BROS. MEDICINE CO., Gentleman: Your Asthmalene is an excellent remedy for Asthma and Hay Fever, and its composition alleviates all troubles which combine with Asthma Its success is astonishing and wonderful

After having it carefully analyzed, we can state that Asthmalene contains no opium, morphine, chloroform ro ether. Very truly, yours,

REV. DR. MORRIS WECHSLER.

AVON SPRINGS, N. Y., Feb. 1, 1901.

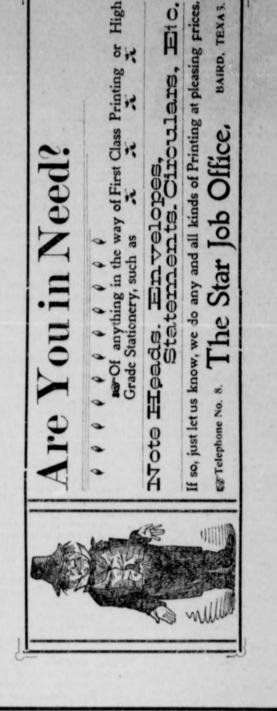
DR. TAFT. BROS. MEDICINE CO. DR. TAFT. BROS. MEDICINE CO. Gentlemen: I write this testimonial from a sense of duty, having tested the wonderful effect of your Asthmalene, for the cure of Asthma. My wife has been afflicted with spasmodic asthma for the past 12 years. Having ex-hausted my own skill as well as others, I chanced to see your sign upon your windows on 130th street, New York, I at once obtained a bottle of As-thmalene. My wife commerced taking it about the first of November. I very soon noticed a radical improvement. After using one bottle her Asthma has disappeared and she is entirely free from all symptoms. I feel that I can consistently recommend the medicine to all who are afflicted with this distresing disease. Yours respectfully, O. D. PHELPS, M. D.

DR. TAFT BROS. MEDICINE Co. Gentlemen: I was troubled with Asthma for 22 years. I have numer-ous remedies, but they have all failed. I ran across your advertisement and started with a trial bottle. I found relief at once. I have since pur-chased your full-size bottle, and I am ever grateful. I have family of four children and four in some unable to work I. I move in the best of children and for six years was unable to work. I rm now in the best of health and am doing business every day. This testimony you can make such use of as you see fit. Home address, 235 Rivington street.

S. HAPHAEL, 67 East 129th st., City.

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S, T, FRAMER, President. J, H, COCHRAN, Sec. CAMP ALBERT SIDNEY JOHNSTON, No U, C, V. Meets at Baird at 1 p. m. 40 Saturday in each month.

JNO TRENT, Capt. J E W LANE, Adjut.

#### CLYDE CULLINGS.

the present term of our school. Trus-these and teachers met Friday evening. Teacher's vouchers were signed, and some other important business attend-ed to. Our school now has 100 pupils enrolled and is moving along nicely. thought of saving any of these in-destructable biscuits as curios. with their teachers. The teachers and a lot of the young people (and a few old ones) met Friday night and had a spelling match and organized a Liter- cotton in order to bring some cotton ary Society

Miss Nora Smith, of Georgetown ar-

friends at Clyde this week.

Billie Lee is going to move to his

soon.

Perry Klepper nas moved back to Clyde.

There is quite a lot of improvements going on at Clyde. Rev. Rickburg only has recently built a nice residence. Mr. B. C. Clemmer, of Patnam has moved to Clyde and has erected a nice residence, also has a lumber yard here

done on it.

We understand Mr. J. T. Marshall of Rev. Wm McHan. The Bulletin's which we suppose will be for rent, wood Bulletin.

them best prices for their cotton. .0.

#### FIFTY YEAR OLD BISCUIT

T. H. Floyd, of this county, has a novel keep-sake. In 1852 while attending boarding school the landlady who kept the boarding house persisted in baking biscuit about as hard and in-EDITOR STAR .- I have seen nothing digestible as a rock. The boys, in orin your paper from our town in some der to test the duribility of the bread, time, and hope you will give us space each agreed to keep one of the biscuits.

time, and hope you will give is space for a few dots this week. Last Friday ended the first month of the present term of our school. Trus-

.0. Years ago the Baird merchants realized that they must pay top prices for to Baird that would go elsewhere, and they have got the cotton. Tom Powell, rived Saturday, and will commence teaching with Prof. Darden at Eula next Monday. Miss Ida Dobbins is visiting old other towns. Competing towns be-lieved the high prices paid at Baird

friends at Clyde this week. Mr. Prints has moved to Clyde and is occupying the place Mr. Boulware occupied last year. Billie Lee is going to move to his cotton to Baird that would have gone

> Queen of the Pantry flour not coming, but here at Scott & McFarlane's 46-tf

to other towns.



Rev. Wm. Crawford and Miss Walter Steward has built a house and Birdie McHan were married last night is doing the barber act on North 1st at the bride's residence three miles Street. Lee McCammon is building an east of town and left this morning for addition to his dwelling. Ed Dizard their home in Cisco. Rev. Ben Wilson has moved his house out on South 3d performed the marriage ceremony. Street and is having a lot of work Rev. Crawford is a Baptist minister of Cisco, and the bride is a daugnter

