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ident's Message.

gance.

The cost of doing government! business should be regulated improvement. with the same rigid scrutiny as the cost of doing a private bus

be altogether extreme which re- with a man's birthplace. quire interference by the Federal

* * * that there right kind. in order to better secure the ation be made into the subjects men can only learn their trade rights of the individual wage of citizenship, expatriation and thoroughly by ceaseless pracworker.

under no circumstances, the right | islation. to commit violence upon those, port their organizations.

There should be a stringent em bloyer's liability law.

congress. I earnestly concur in against one person in the repubthat recommendation.

in a special message the full re- the republic itself. port of the investigation into the Colorado mining strike.

eliminate the abuses in great meet certain requirements. corporations by state action.

has made careful preliminary in- for an individual, to use highvestigation of many important sounding language to procorporations. It will make a claim its purposes, or to take special report on the beef indus- positions which are ridiculous,

Great corporations are neces- force, and then to refuse to prosary, and only men of great and vide this farce. singular mental power can manage such corporations successfully, and such men must have great rewards.

I urge that congress carefully consider whether the power of the bureau of corporations can B, not constitutionally be extended to cover intestated transactions in insurance.

It is necessary to put a complete stop to all rebates. Whether the shipper or the railroad is to blame makes no difference.

The most important legislative act now needed as regards the regulation of corporations is this act to confer on the interstate commerce commission the power to revise rates and regulations, the revised rate to go at once into effect, and to stay in effect unless and until the court of review reverses it.

The farmers, the mechanics, the skilled and unskilled labor ers, the small shopkeepers make up the bulk of the population of any country; and upon their well-being, generation after generation, the well-being of the country and the race depends.

There are certain offender, whose criminality takes the by it. shape of brutality and cruelty towards the weak, who need a special type of punishment.

corporal punishment would be through Russian ing this kind of crime,

have a claim upon the nation from Russia's standpoint. such as no other body of our citizens possess.

I desire again to urge upon ful misrule as has been witness-

authorizing the president to set donia. Abundant revenues and large aside certain of these (forest) surplus always invite extrava- reserves or other public lands that there be no halt in the as game refuges.

The attention of the congress should be especially given to the currency question.

As long as the states retain Let us remember that the the primary control of the police question of being a good Ameripower the circumstances must can has nothing whatever to do battleships, heavily armored

There is no danger of having

protection of Americans abroad, tice upon the high seas. They (the labor unions) have with a view to appropriate leg-

whether capitalists or wage of a law directed against years. workers, which refuse to sup- bribery and corruption in Federal elections.

lic, is against all persons in the

The privilege of citizenship should be given to such (natives) It is an absurdity to expect to of Alaska) as may be able to

It is not merely unwise, it is The bureau of corporations contemptible, for a nation, as if unsupported by potential

> It would be a wicked thing for the most civilized powers, for those with most sense of international obligations and with keenest and most generous appreciation of the difference between right and wrong, to dis-

The congress * * * should keep ever vividly in mind the fundamental fact that it is impossible to treat our foreign policy, whether this policy takes shape in the effort to secure justice for others, or justice for ourselves, save as conditioned upon the attitude we are willing to take toward our army and

especially toward our navy. It is not true that the United States feels any land hunger or entertains any projects as regards other nations of the Western hemisphere save such as are for their welfare.

There are accasional crimes committed on so vast a scale and of such peculiar horror as to make us doubt whether it is not our manifest duty to endeavor at least to show our diapproval of the deed and our sympathy working classes. with those who have suffered

It has proved very difficult to secure from Russia the right for our Jewish fellow citizens to re-* Probably some form of ceive passports and travel territory. the most adequate way of meet- Such conduct is not only unjust of government reports and the will attempt no obstructive tac-The veterans of the civil war is difficult to see its wisdom

ably excited in seeing such fear- holder.

Pointed Paragraphs From Pres- the congress the importance of ed both in Armenia and Mace-

I most easnestly recommend work of upbuilding the Ameri-Our consular system needs can navy. There is no more patriotic duty.

> Our voice is now potent for peace, and is so potent because we are not afraid of war.

The main standby in any navy worthy the name must be the and heavily manned.

Our great fighting ships and too many immigrants of the torpedo boats must be ceaselessly trained and maneuvered should be organization of labor I recommend that an examin- in squadrons. The fofficers and

> The markmanship of our navy has improved in an extraordin-I recommend the enactment ary degree during the last three

No other civilized nation has, relatively to its population, Of recent years there has been such a diminitive army as ours; grave and increasing complaint and while the army is so small The passage of a law requiring of the difficulty of bringing to we are not to be excused if we the adoption of a block signal justice those criminals whose fail to keep it at a very high system has been proposed to criminality, instead of being rate of proficiency. It must be incessantly practiced.

At present they (the Filipin-I shall shortly lay before you republic because it is against os) are utterly incapable of existing in independence at all, or of building up a civilization of their own.

> Our chief reason for continuing to hold them (the Philippines) must be that we ought in good faith to try to do our share of the world's work.

There are points of resemblance in our work to the work that is being done by the British in India and Egypt, the French in Algiers, the Dutch in Java, the Russians in Turkestan, the Japanese in Formosa.

Hitherto those of our people here at home who have specially claimed to be the friends of the Filipinos have in reality been their worst enemies.

The prime duty of man is to work, to be the breadwinner; the prime duty of woman is to be the mother, the housewife.

If a race does not have plenty of children . . . then the race is decadent.

The period of prosperity through which the country is passing justifies expenditures of the present day should comfor permanent improvements far pletely disarm the result would greater than would be wise in mean an immediate recrudhard times.

There should be drastic punishment for any railroad employe, whether officer or man, who by issuance of wrong orders or by disobedience of orders causes disaster.

It is an absurdity to expect to eliminate the abuses in great corporations by state action.

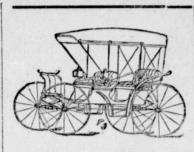
No amount of industrial prosperity can atone for the sapping of the vitality of those who are usually spoken of as the

It is most undesirable that a state should on its own initiative enforce quarantine regula- mer of South Carolina have tions which are in effect a re- abandoned hope of preventing striction upon interstate and in- confirmation. They will probternational commerce.

and irritating toward us, but it like now printed are never read. Itics. The commerce committee

made by law redeemable in nation favorably by a partisan * * * Indignation inevit- gold at the option of the vote as they did at the last ses-

Good Americanism is a matter are that it will go through.



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If so think of us at the same time. Our Stock is now at its best. All Lines are now being shown. We are already selling from this

Christmas, Stock for

and in a few days the stock will be broken again As the careful buyer buys early, so come along and let us supply your wants while we have them in stock. The well known fact that we Lead in QUALITY and LOW PRICE of Goods makes it imperative that you come to see us, if you work to your best interest.

Let us Show You.

of heart, of conscience of lofty J. E. Crisp. aspiration, of sound common sense but not of birthplace or of creed . . . No fellow citizen of ours is entitled to any particular regard because of the way in which he worships his Maker, or because of the birthplace of himself or parents, nor should he be in any way discriminated against thereof.

There is no danger of having too many immigrants of the right kind. It makes no difference from what country they come . . . We should not admit any man of an unworthy type.

If the great civilized Nations escence of barbarism in one form or another.

Reappointed Crum.

Washington, Dec. 6.—(Special.)—President Roosevel has again sent the name of Dr. Crum to the senate for confirmation as collector at Charleston. Some of his friends who had hoped he would find another way of caring for Crum, without forcing him upon Charleston, do not hesitate to express their disappointment.

Senators Tillman and Latiably enter a strong protest Probably the great majority when the matter comes up, but Every silver dollar should be is expected to report the nomision and the present indications

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a Large Shipment of the fine DOLYE FELTS

and Warm Lined Shoes.



JOHN H. RATHJEN.

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THE President's message was a very lengthy one, and we only give a synopsis of it on our first page, from which you can see the subjects he touches upon.

THE department of agriculture has decided that Paris green the boll weevil pest and a report containing the reasons for this decision and the deductions made will be issued within a few days. This report has been prepared by W. D. Hunter and contains the result of observations made by him, Dr. W. E. Hinds and J. C. Crawford, Jr.

report indicates the largest crop on record, there is little doubt that there is concerted action on the part of the speculators to beat down the price. They are succeeding, too, as the farmers are about the first class of people to become "panicky" over prices of his product. Of course cotton will not go back to the high price of last year, but when the bulk of that now held off the market is sold, the cotton brokers are going to demand better price from the spinners. Mr. Dillon, commercial agent of the Santa Fe, says two classes are holding, the county merchant and the farmer. The farmer who is holding is the one who has sold enough cotton to clear him of debt, and the merchant who is stocked up on cotton is worse off, because he is, in most cases, indebted to the banks for the bulk of money invested in cotton bought at 8 cents, and in case the banks insist on getting their money out of cotton it will result in forcing many a country merchant to the wall. He also says very little of the cotton moved to date has fallen into the hands of the spinners in America, France and Germany. Especially is this the case with the disposition of cotton from Texas and the territory. The cotton movement thus far has been exported mainy to England spinners, and when the spinners of this country and in France and Germany enter the market for their supplies it is predicted that there will be a radical increase in price of cotton. But it depende largely on the grit of the farmer to hold, and on the banker to extend the merchant credit who has cotton on hand.

Panhandle People to Visit ...

"It looks as if the whole Panhandle country will be depopulated within the next three or four weeks," said Chief Clerk McClure of the Denver road Thursday This condition, he said, is brought about because of the great number of inquiries from people along the line in that part of the state who contemplate spending the holidays with friends and relatives in the Southeastern states and also to points in South and Southeast Texas. Mr. McClure says that this character of travel this year will be unusually heavy.

The latest news from Tokio, dated Thursday, says the Russian turret ship, Poltava, the battleships Retvizan, Pobieda and Pallada have been sent to the bottom of the bay or badly damaged.

Just received a shipment of Maple Syrup and Honey. WILLIAMS BROS.

To Bring Foreigners to Texas.

Alfred Holt, general agent for the North German Lloyd Steamship Company, headquarters at Galveston, when seen recently made a statement regarding the efforts of transportation companies to induce immigration Texasward, and especially from Europe through Galveston, as he regards that port the natural entro for immigrants who are bound to the southern and western states.

Referring to the movement of is not a successful remedy for aliens to this country Mr. Holt says he finds that during last year there were 842,465 who reached the United States from Europe. Of this number more than two-thirds settled in New Jersey, New York, Massachusetts, Pennsylvania, Connecticut, Rhode Island and West Virginia; 180,063 settled in the states of Michigan, Minnesota, WHILE the government cotton Iowa, Missouri, Illinois, North Dakota, Ohio and Wisconsin; and California, and 11,439 in nineteen states, therefore, took | week. 793,789 immigrants, leaving only none of which took as many as handle Societies Friday afternoon. 5,000 each.

the adjacent states and territo-comes. ries of Lousiana, Arkansas, Arizona, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Indian Territory only had 10,283 between them, of which number more than half settled in Louisiana. Contin- mer teachers, and Joe Hardy, of uing along these lines Mr. Holt Nashville, Tenn., are guests of their

"I have been in corresponfor some months to see if we fairs and divert a larger portion and A. C. Dodson. of the better class of the immigration traffic through Gal- J. A. Laney who has charge of the veston than we have had before. Rowe circuit this conference year. join us in advertising Texas in and wish him much success. very best type and make excellent citizens, and I expect that crease, and that as soon as they Mr. Isbell has a school in the Naythem to come to the newer and Fletch. less populated states than to pour into the already overcrowd- Dodson, our pastor, with us ed cities of the eastern states, Thursday morning. After chapel we shall have a large addition services, which he conducted, he to the desirable citizenship of gave us a practical and helpful the south."-Ft. Wornh Tele- talk on "Realization of Ability."

STATE NEWS.

Monday, at Macomb, Grayson County, the residence of Robert Hollingsworth was burned. Loss \$2,000; insurance \$850.

While Morgan Johnson and Miss May Sission, living east of Paris, were returning from a wedding Sunday night the horse ran away and upset the buggy in a ditch Miss Sisson was seriously inju and was conveyed home in an conscious condition, but will re un-

At Killeen Monday night, C. R. Hold, a blacksmith, returned to his shop to feed his horse and while opening the lot gate two men approached as if to pass on down the street. Suddenly one of the men struck him on the head with a sandbag, knocking him senseless. They took his purse, containing something like \$30 and carried him into his shop, chained him to a table and left him. Several hours Call and get your supply. Prices, later he recovered and crawled two the lowest. WILLIAMS BROS.. blocks home with the chain still locked to his ankle in a dazed condition and almost frozen.

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You get Goods CHEAPER

You get BETTER Goods for your money

You don't pay for bookkeeper's salary

You keep even with the world

You are never dunned

You never Pay for Goods Twice

You don't blush when you meet your merchant You enable your merchant to pay cash, therefore he buys cheaper

You and your merchant are always on friendly terms

You are always sent for, or phoned to, when new goods arrive.

COLLEGE NOTES.

CHRONICLE College Reporter.

Since our last appearance sever-25,713 settled in Washington al visitors have been in our midst. W. E. Garrison labored with the Florida and Louisiana. These Primary Department one day this

The Adkissoinan Society royally 48,676 for the remaining states, entertained the Castalian and Pan-

Mr. R. S. Thompson stayed over Mr. Holt says that the most night with us one day this week. striking point is that Texas and Miss Willie is all smiles when papa

> Ash Davis, the cartoonist, and second number of the College Lyceum course, will be at College Chapel, Sat. night Dec 10.

> Bro. Ben Hardy, one of our forbrother and our Pres., G. S. Hardy.

On Prof. Johnson's roll this week dence with the Texas railroads we notice the new names of Roy and Mabel Dodson, and on the can not remedy this state of af- Primary roll are Ethel, Warren,

Among the new students is Rev. I have asked the railroads to We welcome Bro. Laney among us

grants brought to Galveston by several days at College Hill. The

Mr. J. F. Isbell no longer wears before long that the immigration | the title of Capt., but has donned via Galveston will greatly in- one of more dignity, that of Prof. realize that it is much better for lor community. Success to you,

We are glad to have Rev. B. W.

One good thing about doing right is that you so seldom have to

Look in at Stocking's store and will save money.

beauty at Trade's Concert next Monday night

Miss Jackson is an artist of rare merit. Hear her impersonations Co. in addition to their 7,000 lots next Monday night at opera house.

give prices at Stocking's store of suburban property, which they whether you are ready to buy or will cut up in small farms, besides not. The ladies are particularly buying options on a number of secinvited to call and ask for 1905 tions near town.—Quanah Tribune. calendar and you will receive a work of art.

Buy 3olbs. Rice at Powell's for \$1.00. Best breakfast food to use.

See the "Cowboy" on stage at Trades Concert.

15 barrels Pure Ribbon Cane syrup due to arrive next week.

Giving is not always charity-Charity is not always in giving. go for \$35. Call at this office.

Notice--Remember Our Removal

Now on at the Noland corner. Satisfaction in prices guaranteed. Everything going at greatly reduced prices to close out all the Goods we can before moving to Main Street. Come and see us and get our figures on all Supplies before you buy. As sist us to move and we'll save you Cash. Don't miss the opportunity of your life. Only a few days more to secure all kinds of bargains in

Dry Goods and Groceries. 5 to 25 per cent discount

on values for Cash on all lines of Dress Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Hats and Notions.

Bargains for the Rich and Poor alike at our store, and clerks always ready to serve the trade and treat you right. Don't

W. P. Powell & Sons

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For Sale, a Valuable

Piece of Land, Near Goodnight College.

137 acres WITHIN the College section and 640 acres joining the College ection on the north. I will sell altogether or in parts, as follows (1) 30 acres with good house, (five rooms), 300 young peach trees, good

Europe and so far I am well satisfied with the disposition they of Lubbock, while on their way to building situation is very beautiful, commanding views of the surrounding show to help us. The immi- Canadian, their new work, stopped country and fronting on a 100 foot street over a mile in length and terminate ing west at the main college building where it shall be built.

(3) The section as a whole is in quarters, or in half-sections. The section the Lloyd steamers are of the guests of their daughters Linna Mae corners with the main college plant. It has a nice building site half mile from boy's dormitories.

My object in selling is, having resigned the presidency of the Goodnight College, I desire to continue my college work in another locality. Purchasers can get these lands NOW at a bargain.

Marshall McIlhany.

Formerly President of Goodnight College, P. O. Goodnight, Texas.

Goodnight College,

GOODNIGHT, TEXAS.

A Thorough High Grade School For Girls and Boys.

LAST TERM CLOSES JUNE 6, 1905. FIRST TERM OPENS SEP. 6, 1904.

This School offers superior facilities for all who seek a thorough course price Christmas goods, and you in Preparatory, Intermediate or Collegiate Department, and at the most reasonable rates. Pure moral surroundings, attentive, thorough teachers, and economical methods, are among the leading inducements the School of-H. C. WEBB. Goodnight. Texas. Oh look! at that pyramid of fers. Send for Catalogue to

Small Farm Settlers.

The Southwestern Colonization here, which they are selling for \$40 No trouble to show goods and apiece, have purchased 1500 acres

> At imperial army headquarters, Tokio, is published a list of thirty-six officers killed and fifty-eight wounded. No mention is made as to where the casualties occurred, but it was presumably at Port Arthur.

One good fresh milk cow and calf for sale, if taken at once will CLUB RATES.

We will furnish the following papers and this paper at the annexed prices for the two:

News, (Galveston or Dallas,) \$1.80 Southern Mercury 1.60 Texas Advance. \$1.50 Scientific American. 3.60 Phrenological Jounnal 1,50 Texas Farm and Ranch

TYPE FOR SALE.

57 Pounds of this B. B. & S 8-pt No. 15, in fine condition, only 28c per pound.

60 lbs of this 11-point, Fine for Brief work. Only 25c. per pound.

100 Envelopes 400 With name and address 400 printed and postpaid at this office.

104 of these papers only \$1.

TIME TABLE cort worth & Denver City Railway.

NORTH BOUND 7, Passenger and Express..... 6:25 a. SOUTH BOUND.

Business locals five cents per line for first insertion and 3 cents for sub-sequent insertions. All locals run and are charged for until ordered out. Transient notices and job work this week: Nettie Anderson. We

Business Locals.

Don't forget our Removal Sale on for November and December, all goods low. POWELL & Sons.

Visit the Studio and see some late styles in all the very latest H. MULKEY.

Dr. Stocking says he may be overstocked with Christmas goods but he has put them at prices that will move them.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Read Claunch's nursery ad. in this issue.

Ash Davis, the cartoonist, at the college tonight.

W. G. Stewart has bought the Joe Humphrey place.

If you want to buy or sell land, see Crisp & Whattenbarger. Read their card.

Mrs. M. F. Berryman, who has been quite ill for some weeks, is improving a little.

Episcopal Church service next Sunday evening with sermon: 7.30. All cordially invited.

We call attention to the ad. of Prof. McIlhaney, who has a choice home at Goodnight for sale.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Lewis, who attended the World's Fair and then visited their old home at Middlewn, Md returned home last

R. N. Rutherford, who moved here from Hill county some months ago, then moved to Armstrong county, is building a new house. Henry Kelly will do the work.

Clarendon is we'l represented in the Grand Masonic lodge at Waco this week. W. H. Meador, Whit Carhart, Judge Morgan, H. D. Ramsey and Jim Trent are all in Ramsey and Jim Trent are all in

nual Hot Turkey Dinne:" Thurs- largest," that they can only think ing son and daughter of the said W. day next at Powell's new brick in superlatives. They mean to be of the said land and own each an undistore, also there will be a sale of honest, probably are. They are vided one-seventh interest in and to Christings presents for old and merely careless, and failure is the daughters of the said Elizabeth Jones,

Rev. W. L. Skinner who has been pastor of the Baptist church here for four years, tendered his resignation at prayer meeting Wednesday night. The church deferred action untill the meeting of Dec. 21.

Nelse Nelson found the horses at Watonga to be his, and he returned with them this week. The Ash Davis' the Cartoonist, at the men arrestd there with the horses refused to return, but Sheriff Patman has secured requisition papers and gone after them. They were strangers to Mr. Nelson.

Miss Jackson and the young ladies who represent the trades are doing good work in getting up the display, and the entertainment promises to be fine. Miss Augusta Ray, one of Clarendon's nicest young ladies, will represent THE CHRONICLE. Will give full writeup in next issue.

A few of the things you will at Stocking's store: Dolls, doll beds, doll buggies, carts, wagons, foot balls, toy balls, toy stoves, toilet goods, albums, silverware, gift books, Bibles, fountain pens, gold pens, jewelry, fine China, glassware, kodaks, drums, air guns and lamps. Well this is not one comes to photographs, having tenth the things beautiful and use- just finished a course in the Illiful. Just step in and look around. nois College of Photography.

See that beautiful opening tableax on part 2nd at Trades Concert Monday night.

PUBLIC SCHOOL NOTES. CHRONICLE School Reporter.

The attendance at the Public School this week, considering unfavorable conditions, has been remarkably good.

Prof. Willis reports a new pupil are cash, other bills on first of month. are glad to have Nettie with us, as she is an earnest well mannered

> Miss Allen reports her pupils as constantly improving in their school work. Miss Allen spares no pains to make her work a success. And we are pleased to know that her pupils are catching her spirit of the ensueing year and the transac-

Misses Kimbrough and Allen are preparing an entertainment to be given the last Friday before Christmas. In order that libraries be obobtained for their rooms an admission fee of 10 cts. for each per- Donly County-Greeting: son will be charged. The public

pils this week has been snowballing. The young snowballer with his hands full of snowballs, is no respecter of size, sex or condition. He makes a target of any living ob ject, within range. One can al most realize, even after all the snow has melted, that he is being January, being the second day thereutterly overwhelmed by a shower of balls, when he remembers the tion of Etta McKenzie joined by her husband, W. T. McKenzie, Willie boys war cry, "Come to the bunch."

Some way or other it always happens that the judicious advertising succeeds. Judicious means many things, Some people better never band, Henry Young filed in said Court advertise. Managers who are not on the 9th day of December, A. D. honest, whose advertisements mis- Bernice Eugene Jones and Frankie lead and whose shows disappoint, they had better let advertising alone. The managers of the Richards & Pringle's Famous Georgia tion was ever had on his estate : That Minstrels endeavor to advertise nothing but what they can show. block No. 20, in Donley County, Tex-They are in a class by themselves, as; That at the time he acquired the said land, he was a widower and so being the only recognized negro continued to the time of his death; ple are careless in their statements. C. A. Crawford, and the children of They become so accustomed to writing "Biggest," "Grandest," Mrs. Gertrude Osborne, writing "Biggest," "Grandest," Young, Beinice Eugene Jones and Frankie May Jones; That the survivprice of carelessness. Go to the deceased, who each own an undivided Opera House on Friday Dec. 16, and judge if the Georgias are over- deed of purchase the owner of all of advertised. Reserved seats 75cts., on sale at Cold Storage Market.

> Everything fresh and up-to-now in the grocery line at Williams

An Evening of Entertainment and Fun,

college tonight, the 10th. We still lead the market on good

flour at lowest cost.

WILLIAMS BROS.

Don't forget to price the gift books at Stocking's store.

For bargain in all lines of Dry Goods, try Powell & Sons.

Fifty of Clarendon's most beautiful ladies in odd, unique and cert. See the ladies and girls in every avocation of life.

Fort Worth Market.

Prices yesterday were: Steers from \$2.50 to \$3.70. Cows from \$1.50 to \$3.00. Calves from \$1.25 to \$4.00. Bulls from \$1.25 \$2.25. Hogs from \$4.15 to \$4.701/2.

Mulkey can please when it

Only \$1 to Jan. 1, 1906.

To all new cash subscribers we will send THE CHRONICLE till Jan. 1, 1906, for \$1. Old subscribers who pay all arrearages and a year in advance will have their time extended to that date.

Old time Georgia Weddin' at Trades Concert Monday night, is alone worth the admission. Tickets on sale at Cold Storage meat market. Prices 35 and 50c.

Notice of Stockholders Meeting.

The stockholders of the First National Bank, Clarendon, Texas, will hold their annual meeting at the office of the bank in Clarendon, Texas, on the second Tuesday in January, 1905, the same being the 10th day of the month, for the election of a board of directors for tion of such other business as may properly come before the meet-W. H. PATRICK, Cashier.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To the Sheriff or any Constable of

You are hereby commanded, That by making Publication of this Citaare invited and earnestly requested to be present at the exercises.

The one amusement of the pu
by making Publication of this often to be in some newspaper published in the County of Donley, if there be a neswpaper published in said County, (but if not, then in the nearest County where a news paper is published,) for four weeks previous to the return day hereof, you Summon C. A. Crawford, Bernice Eugene Jones and Frankie May Jones whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Honorable District ourt at the next rugular term thereof, to be holden in the County of Donley, at the Court House thereof, in Clarendon, on the First Monday in then and there to answer the Peti-Rains joined by her husband, W. I. Rains, Lelia Watt joined by her hus-F. H. Watt, Celia Brumley joined by her husband, E. W. Brum-ley, Gertrude Osborne joined by her husband, Ira Osborne, Pearl Vaughan joined by her husband Oscar Vaughan, and Georgia Young joined by her hus 1904, against the said C. A. Crawford, May Jones and alleging in substance

as follows, to-wit W. H. Crawford Died in the County of Donley in the year, 1898; That he died intestate; That no administraat the time of his death he owned in fee simple all of section No. 96, in his deceased daughter, (Mrs. Eliza-H. Crawford are tenants in common the same, together with the said one-thirty-fifth interest in and to the same; and that the plaintiff is by the interest of the said Julia Shelton: and praying for a partition and dis-tribution of the said estate and land according to the interest of each and asking for title and possession to each

for his said interest. Herein Fail Not, but have you then and there before said Court this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. L. S. the seal of said Court, in ~ 'Clarendon, this 9th day of

December, A. D. 1904, Attest: C. A. BURTON, Clerk District Court, Donley County, Texas.

Grand Trades Concert will be given Monday night, December 12, instead of 9, as first announced. Don't forget date. Tickets on sale at Cold Storage market.

Small Farm Wanted.

I want about 50 acres of improved land within four miles of Clarendon. Send description and beautiful costumes at Trade's Con- price to B Box 84, Clarendon, Tex.

> The most beautiful display in the city of Xmas goods is at Stocking's store. Ernest is an artist.

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As many matters of vast importance to livestock interests are to receive attention in these conven- ing below Tsinkhetchen the Rustions an unusually large attend- sian loss was 25 men killed and 132 ance is expected from all sections wounded, including 2 officers. and it goes without saying that Seventeen Japanese prisoners were Texas will, in all respects, be well represented.

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RUSSO-JAPAN WAR NEWS.

Japs Damage Bears Boats.

Tokio, Dec. 6.—The effective results of the capture of 203-meter First, buy the best well tested hill Up to that time the warships had been able to seek shelter from mountain, but the capture of 203meter hill November 29-30 enabled the Japanese to train their guns on the Russian vessels with the result that a number of them have been set on fire and the others must either put to sea or suffer irreparable damage. The Port Arthur besiegers reports as follows: "Saturday, Dec. 3, our naval guns bombarded the enemy's ships, The Pobiedea (battleship) was struck six times, a vessel of the Retzivan (battleship) type was hit eight times, and on another ship sixteen shells took effect.

'Monday following the same plan the Pobeidea was hit seven times, the Poltava (battleship) eleven times, and the Retzivan eleven times. At about three o'clock in the afternoon three of our shells struck the magazine south of Peiyu mountain, causing a heavy explosion. The conflagration which folfowed was not extinguished for two

"The same day our beavy guns were directed at the enemy's ships. The Perseviet (battleship) was struck twice and two more shells were lodged in other ships. A vessel of the Poltava type was observed a great volume of smoke.

'The attacking operations against the Sungshu mountain forts eastward are carried on day and night. Two 36-milimeter quickfirers were captured yesterday in a half-moon fort defending a counterscarp on Rihlung mountain."

In the villages near the actual Japanese lines, houses are being repaired and built, scores of wells are being dug, villages are being denuded of trees and quaniities of fuel is being prepared. Every indication points to the intention to remain on the line during the winter. The cold weather is not affecting the Japanese, although the temperabove zero. There are a few sick

Jap Cruiser Blown Up.

Moscow, Dec. 6.-A special dispatch from Vladivostok says that a steamer which has just arrived there from Shanghai reports that printed, perforated tickets for sale the Japanese armored cruiser Adsuma has been blown up and sunk by a mine.

The Adsuma, also referred to as the Acuma and Adzuma, was built at Saint Nazairre, France, and was launched in 1901. She carried four 8-inch guns, twelve 6-inch guns and twenty-four smaller rapid-fire guns, is said to have been sunk north of the Miatotao island.

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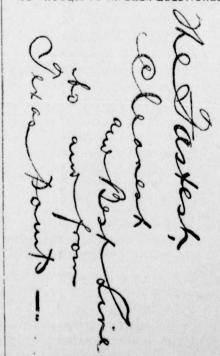
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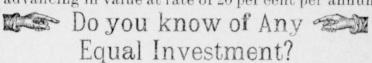
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