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## Big Libel Suits.

The big corporations are wanting a little dough, or salve in the shape ed off by McClure's and Heast.
Th S. S.Mclure onpar The S. S:McClure company, pui lisher of McClure's Magazine, was made the defendant in two libel suits for $\$ 100,000$ each in the United
The complainants on New York. Refrigerator Wisconsin corporation, and Emanuel L. Phillips, president of the company
The alleged libel is contained in an article on rebating written by Ray Stard Baker in the January issue of McClure's Magazine. The article says the private car company is owned mostly by a Milwaukee brewing firm. This the complainthe company received rebates through the efforts of Mr. Phillips. This is also denied by the complain-

Mr. Phillips in his complaint says that the defendant has held him up to "ridicule
August Belmo
has begun suit against William R Hearst's Evening Journal of New York for the sum of $\$ 500$,000 damages because of attacks upon him as a citizen, which be declares were published in the newspaper named ing in very severe terms upon Mr Belmont, because of the rent merger of the Belmont-Ryan local merger of the Beimont-Ryan local and it is these which are made the and it for the charge of libel.

## Panic Prophecy.

Asked about a probable financial panic, "Coin" Harvey, now of Arkansas, says:
"When s panic is over the slate is wiped off and loans and credit begins anew, and gradually the balloon is swelled up till it bursts.
It takes usually from ten to fifteen years to do this. The last panic years to do this. The lat 1896 , and it has closed about 1896, been about ten years, but conditions a as usul. It is trie that a panc as usual. It York that the bank it in their Power more or tess it in thit power a less to precipitate a panic at almost any time, but a panic will not breed itself in the natural way at present and probably not in the next tes years to come. I said it usually
comes in ten to fifteen years; but an unusual condition is now The world' has been sannal output of gold has been increasing since 1896,
when it was about $\$ 95,000,000$ only. The world-wide discussion of the search for it. The effect of so much gold being produced is to create an unusual condition for prosperity, something remarkable. Columbus' discovery of America was followed by gold discoveries world, new life into the old of ysa in-California came an era of - siserity. And so it is now, with one way, the great phenomenai output of gold stands as an almost ipfor ten or more years to come.'
C. L. Sullivan, 2 cattleman of Hereford, has made application for 378.65 . Assets $\$ 4,000$, mo exemp

To Use Blank Tickets

To a Grayson county inquiry, the torney general has rendered an opinion to the effect that the names he, official ballot at the coming pecial election, Feb. 3, when representative
will be elected.
The attorney general says tha unless some method of nomination s employed, the ballots must be left blank and the voters must fill
in the name. Two candidates have announced for the office, W. J. Mathis
Denison and D. J. Bell of Bells. "Fighting Joe" Wheeler Dea General Joseph Wheeler, died in General Joseph Wheeler, died in
New York Thursday of phenmonia and was buried in the national cemetery at Arlington, with the full military honors due a brigadie general of the United States army
The plot selected was on the slop The plot selected was on the slope
to the right of the bistoric Arling. ton house.

## Mrs. Tolla's Doom Sealed

In response to a petition from Fort Worth in behalf of Mrs. Tolla, the governor of New Jersey writes: "So many misstatements have been circulated concerning the case of Antionette Tolla, now under sentence of death for the murder of Joseph Sonta, that in justice to th made:
"Antoinette Tolla killed Joseph Sonta on the fourth day of March 1905. At the time of the murder,
Joseph Sonta was visiting Mrs,
Tol Tolla's husband, sitting in a chair by his side, smoking a pipe
'Mrs. Tolla entered the room approached Sonta from behind and shot him in the back of the head, killing, him instantly, so that when found he was still sitting in the chair with his feet crossed and the pipe in his left hand. There is no evidence of any kind to show that Sonta ever attempted to assault the woman.
"The pardoning power in New Jersey is not vested in the governor, but in a court of pardons, consist ing of eight. This court will sit to hear any appeal in the way of ex tenuation to be made in Mrs. Tolla' behalf. Very respectfully
E. C. Stokes,

Donley county has one ex-con dierate soldier drawing a pension Wheelet county has two, Hall county has two widows drawing
pensions and Collingsworth two old pensions and Collingsworth two old
soldiers and two widows on the list.


Machinery For Hearst.
Three carloads of newspape machinery billed to "William R Hearst, Cincinuati Examiner, Big Four freight yards in Cincinnati, awaiting the pleasure of the Fro
From this it is inferred by some any existing morning newspaper with a invade the Cincinnati fiel options have been secured on forty feet of property in Government

## quare.-American Press.

## STATE NEWS

Wallace Gregory, who murder ed Joe Gilbreath in Erath county
last year, has been given a life senlast yea
The salaries of the Memphis an Plainview postoffices have been raised to $\$ 1,200$ and $\$ 1,000$, respectively
The Laporte postoffice was enter ed early Friday morning, the safe blown open and a considerable A school house on the west line of Dickens county burned last week from which the grass caught fir and burned off 20 sections, includ ng several stalk fields.
T. Williams, a farmer, who w shot at West Saturday night, died Sunday morning early as a result
of his wounds. Night Watchman Buchanan was taken to Waco an placed in jail, pending preliminary
examination in connection with the case.
J. J. Hale, about 50 years old, substantial and highly respected farmer of Pecan Gap, Delta county was found dead in his house Thurs ay. His chin and a large part o his face was blown to pieces by One end of a string was tied to one of Mr. Hale's great toes and the other to the trigger on the gun.
At Dallas Saturday, fire destroy ed the car repair shop of the Texas and Pacific railway and burned five cars which were in the shop for repairs. The loss of the building, which was a large structure 400 feet long and constructed of wood, is estimated at from $\$ 3,000$ to $\$ 4,000$, and the five empty freight cars at about $\$ 3,000$. Loss covered
by insurance. by insurance.
Mrs. M. A. Nelson and Mrs. Eugene Otis were killed in a run-
away which occurred on a busines street of Lawton, Ok., Monday both being thrown from the buggy at a street corner and the head of each str
curbing.
Miss Virgie Wood, a school
Miss Virgie Wood, a schoo trying to the a fre in the whil trying to start a fire in the schoo house stove, was so badly burned hat she died. She was found dea with most of her clothes bu
when the scholars arrived.
Burglars cracked the safe of the First National bank at Talihina, I. T., Sunday night and obtained

A disease allied to the creeps is causing a heavy loss of cattle in
certain sections of Nev. Mexico.
Christian IX, King of Denmark died Monday at the age of 88 Watches and jewelry are goin
like "hot cakes". at Stocking'
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#### Abstract

Rowe. Mrs. McKenzie, formerly of Jeriho, is visiting ber sister, Mrs. W. I. Raines.

Sam Preskitt is building a residence in Rowe. Garland Lockridge and family formerly of Mexico, Mo., has mov ed in their new home three miles east of Rowe, which they recent purchased of Ran Kendall. W extend them a hearty welcome and rust they will like their new home Quite a pretty little wedding took lace at the residence of Prof. Pyle, last Friday afternoon Jan. 26. The ontracting parties being E. L. Pyle, nephew of Prof. Pyle, and Miss Lizzie McCleary, both of Oklahom E. B. Dishman officiated. They which blew from the north Suuday will make their home in Amarillo. Jan. 21, Bro. Dickey filled his reg Will Guill is visiting home folks his week. Rev. Bird, of Goodnight College shipped from Rowe this year, and more to follow. That looks pretty prosperous, don't you think? David Roberts of Memphis spent David Robe Sunday here. Bird Guill got his hand badly hurt the thresher last week. Mr. Grimesly and family of Hall county, have moved to their new home, two and a half miles north east of Rowe, which they purchased of A. Killian. We are glad to Will Jones, who has been suffer ing for some time with hear rouble, is not any better. Mr. Harrisby is now occupying the old Shelton place, one mile east of W. T. White which blew from the north, Suuday ular appointment here.

Bitten By Tarantula.


 filied Rev. Sebe Thomas' regula appointment here SundayDo you want to be strictly in the swim?" If so move to Rowe
Miss Minnie Williams visited home folks at Memphis Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. W. E. Reeve ccompanied her.
We are glad to note that little Virginia Perrine is improving.
Quite an excitement was caused
st Wednesday by a prairie fir getting out in W. T. White's pas ture. But for the timely assistance of sóme neighbors, quite a
rain would have burned.
A number of the young people


Giles Saturday night, Jan. 20. News.
They report an interesting pro-
Tom Egerton, of Bray, was th
guest of Capt. Nat. Smith Sunday.
John Perrine is spending
days with the home folks.
$\left.\begin{aligned} & \text { John Perrine is spending several } \\ & \text { days with the home folks. } \\ & \text { Over } 37 \text { cars of grain, have been }\end{aligned} \right\rvert\, 100$ Frinvelopos With name and address 406
printed and postpaid at this office

While out grubbing Tuesday morning Will White was bitten by a tarantula. He had dug out around a stump and had caugh hold of it below the surface of the ground to pull it out when the tarntula, disturbed in its winter quar ers, seized his fore finger and clung to it so teuaciously that he could not get it loose until he killed it. He immediately wrapped the finger Hightly with a cord and forced the bod out through the incisions which no doubt save the tarantula, uffering it saved him severe wever and he came to greatly dr. Cowan treat him.-Crowell

Rathjen has in a big men's, women's, youths' dren's.shoes. Prices right. Go see them.



## Fort Worth Market. <br> Prices Monday were: Steers from $\$ 2.50$ Steers from $\$ 2.50$ to $\$ 4.00$ Cows from $\$ 1.50$ to $\$ 2.90$ Cows from $\$ 1.50$ to $\$ 2.90$ Calves from $\$ 2.50$ to $\$ 5.40$ Hogs $\$ 4.15$ to $\$ 5.60$ To the Citizens of Donley County and the public at large: I have pur- chased the G. W. Baker Livery Barn and entire outfit, and will keep the same in good repair and furnish rigs at all times of day or night and ativing prices. I also promis

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