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#### Abstract

An Austin dispatch says the action of the Trinity \& Brazos Val-


 ley railroad in preparing to remove looked upon as a preliminary sth is toward the consolidation of the general offices of the several roads which with it are to compose the \& Pacific systems in Texas.It is expected that the autho ity for this proposed consolidation ity for this proposed consolidation
will be asked of the legislature when it meets in January. By that time the connecting links in the new system will have been completed. The roads which will probably be embraced in the proWorth \& Denver City, the TrinValley, the Beaumont, Sour Lake Valley, the Beaumont, Sour Lake \& Western, the Orange \& Northwestern and probably th
Brownsville \& Mexico.
B. F. Yoakum is the leading factor in all of these roads and the new system will probably be bette know as the Yoakum system. A now situated each of the roads is compelled to maintain separate general offices although they are under the same ownership.
Why does the administration issue $\$ 30,000,000$ of Panama canal the official statement, $\$ 170,000,000$ of available cash in the treasury, of which over $\$_{50,000,000}$ is in the favored banks and not drawing interest? Is the reason for the issue of bonds because the banks require them to put up as security for more money? The fact that the taxpayers of the United States will have to pay interest on this new issue after July 2oth, does not hinder a republican administration from sad ling the load on the people whi he bauks go fre. the republicans all one-sided the tans alwas all one-sided and the banks alway

While standing on the platform of a trolley car in New York City, Tuesday, William Breusted of Wa co, Texas, was robbed by a pick pocket of a wallet containing \$175 and a draft on a bank in New York for $\$ 800$. This is the second while visiting New York. On the while visiting New York.
other occasion he lost $\$ 400$.
One hundred Polish immigrants arrived in Fort Worth, Tuesday, over the Missouri, Kansas \& Texas from Galveston, bound for different points in Texas. They were dispatched over three different roads, forty leaving on the Rock Island, thirty-five over the Denver' and twenty five over the
The building boom in San Fran
The building boom in San Fran is if the builders had not to pay tribute to the Steel Trust at the rate of $\$ 7$ a ton on all the structural iron they use - St. Loui ral iron
Republic.
.1 One of the Russian Terrorists made a mistake a few days ago and killed the wrong general, he having had only a photograph by which to recognize the victim deomed. But the mistake the Terrorists, since it is the open $\boldsymbol{y}$ season with them for all generals.-Dallas News.
Old newspapers for sale at this office.
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Folk on Mail Orders
Home Advertising.
Governor Joseph W. Folk, addressing the retail merchants Jefferson City, Tuesday, spoke against the mail order business and against the mail order business an
favored advertising in home pa pers. He said in part:

We are proud of our splendi cities and we want them to increase in wealth and population and we lso want our country towns to brow. We wish city merchants to try merchants to prosper.
"I do not believe in mail order citizens. If the place is good make his money in, it is goo enough for him to spend his mony in.
No merchant can succeed with other. Patronize in one way or an pers, build them yand they the town up and build you build he town up and build you up in unities. Do not be fraid yor unities. Do not be afraid your ecent exposures of wrong-doing in the commercial world. No man who is doing an honest busines an be injured by light. All busi ess will be ber for the ng process it is going through and or stamping out evils.'
The attorneys general of several tates have been filing informations gainst Rockefeller and Standard few weeks. There is no "informtion" in these filings except what da Tarbell published years ago. What have all these attorneys genral been doing in the intervening years? It takes a lawyer a long ne to learn some things.-Ex. The bulletins of the Texas Ex periment Station are mailed out
free of charge to anyone sending is name to the director at College tation. The mailing list already contains 25,000 names. Get your ame on the list and keep step with the proaession.
According to Harpers, than $\$ 4,000,000$ worth of automo biles were brought into the United States during the fiscal year ending with the last week of June, and more than $\$ 3,000,000$ worth were xported during the same time.
The Japanese continue to suprise the world. The last thing they have done is to send two christian missionaries to India under the aus pices of the Young Men's Christian association. Both of these mis ionairies are graduates of Amerian and European universities. They will likely have greater suc ess aniong the East Indians than white faced representatives from the occident. These mission aries are supported entirely upon contributions by the Japanese peo-ple.-The Investigator.
Stir your ground whether weedy or not. The primary object of cultivating crops is to keep the soil in good condition, but if it were not neglect this important work. Sometimes our blessings come in disguise.

## Fort Worth Market

## Prices Thrsday were:

Steers from $\$ 3.00$ to $\$ 4.1$ Cows from $\$ 1.60$ to $\$ 3$. 10 Calves $\$ 5.65$ to $\$ 6.65$ Hogs $\$ 5.65$ to $\$ 6.65$.

New Mexico Earthquakes. Socorro, N. M., south of Santa Fe, has been badly damaged by an have been felt fince Sunday mond ng. The courthouse is wreck The buildings of the secke Mines are cracked and nearly Mines are cracked and nearly ev ery residence in the city is cracked frecked. More than two-third troyed. The town, which is largely of adobe and brick, is almost shaken but no one is killed. Huge boulbut no one is killed. Huge boul-
ders have been jarred down on the railroad track and trains cannot enthe town,
The water in the hot springs near Socorro has increased seve degrees in temperature, and the in
habitants fear that the ancient ex habitants fear that the ancient ex
tinct volcano ten miles from the own will break out and begin urting lava again
The people are fleeing withou ven locking up their houses and
getting out as soon as they can.

## Worse Than the Dance

The Christian Advocate says it first thought the skating rink exercise, but it now says, "But it was not But it was not long until the all sorts of had control, and now all sorts of arrangements are being middle aged into undueng and dude aged into undue exercise, of hours. They of hours. They now race round track, and prizes horses on the rack, and prizes are offered for the winners. They fall into each other's arms beyond anything known in the promiscuous round dance and the wee small.hours find them still whirling in the giddy maze of the rink. Young men
and young women seem almost inoxicated with its excitement and ascination. Married women are the spell, and many o them join in the exercise with men with They skate and skate until almost physicaly exhausted, and return to their homes weary and worn out with the excess and lateness of the night. And in some places such is the popular excitement of this craze that Sunday night is given over it and the revelry is something to be deplored. Such excesses ar neither healthful nor beneficial and they are not always moral. Many sad and unmentionable results have come to our ears directly caused by the familiarity and personal con tact on the floor of the skating rink. It is developing into an evil in many places, and only an evil, and it is time fathers and mothers were giving serious thought to these abuses to which it is necessarily open. It has placed itself alongside of thent dance and it is useless to blind our eyes to tendency in this respect any longer
One bad animal in a herd will spoil the sale of the bunch. And a herd of boys are affected likewise.
An Ohio man's excuse for facing the bartender is that his wife's kisses are not sufficiently intoxicat ing.

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Hereford, Tex., July is. Notwithstanding the rain the atendance upon this meeting has been good. Three services a day
have been held with sermons an addrseses by different preachers o The music lead by Evangelist E ward O. Beyer is made one of the pecial featnres of each service dditions to the church have bee made and it is believed the meet ings will be
other week.
The preachers in atterdance ar he pastor at Hereford, John W cago, C. C. Bearden of Clarendon
J. S. Stockard of Canyon, Jewell Howard of Amarillo, Dr. H. E Suck and family of Dallas, Sta ett of Austin, J. S. Coleman of Dalhart, and Bonner Frizzell of Cexas Christian University.
Besides the ministers of the
Christian church present, sermon
or addresses have been delivere
by Rev. Carey of the Presbyterian
church, Hereford, Rev C. S. Bar cus of the Methodist church, Here ford, and Dr. L. C. Kirkes of the Presbyterian Lr. L. Kirkes of the The union sentiment among Chris the nuch
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ersity of Texas. Address by A
. Burh supt. Christian Orphans
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Lawyer-How did it happen tha ou were arrested for stealing?
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The Clarendon Chronicle
W. P. BLAEz, Editor and Proppritoter
 CLARENDON, TEX., JULY 21 1906.

The department of justice at Washingtou is preparing to dis solve the Standard Oil company.
Rev. Granville Jones, the able prohibition speaker and editor of a rechot prohibition paper, is now speaking
governor. $\qquad$
The 13 th annual catalogue o Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, 140 pages, is out,
giving full information to those ingiving full information to those in-
terested in this great state school. The Fort Worth Record makes The Fort Worth Record makes
much ado over its statement that much ado over its statement that
Dr. Cranfill would support Bell Dr. Cranfill would support Bell
for governor. Mr. Cranfill only said what he would do if he were a democrat, and Crantill is no dem-
ocrat. He is a partisan pro., and will vote for the nominee of that party.
The movement of fruit, grain and coal over the North Texas lines of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas is becoming so heavy that a shortage of trainmen is feared. ence are being hired as fast as they apply for positions, but the supply apply for positions, but the suppl equal the demand.
The interstate commerce co mission is moving to make an in vestigation of the freight rates to Texas points, which may prove o great importance to certain Texas towns. The recent increase in rates to Texas points through the restriction of the common point territory is the immediate cause of the artivity of the commission.
Politicians have been flocking in to Oklahoma for years, clamoring for statehood with the hope of geting a piece of official pie in the
hand-out. The Gainesville Messenger says there are four thousand offices to fill in the new state of Oklahoma. To fill these four thousand offices there will be at least fifty thousand candidates, judging from the present indications. There
will be from twenty to fourty candidates for govenor.
The 1906-7 catalogue of the Texas Baptist University has been re ceived, consisting of 30 pages and
numerous engraving. This educational institution is growing rap idly in popularity, and has one of the very best faculties in the music department in the South.
We were told yesterday that $S$ H. Hunt, who left here last spring and bought four sections in Sher man county, has
Mrs. A. S. Hinton and children, of Harrison county, Texas, wbo have been visiting the Saunders and Hudgins families in Gray coun
ty, left last night for their home.
Five cars of Texas peaches were wrecked and scattered along the track for a half a mile near Atoka. The small boys of the town had a glorious time until they began tell ing the medicine man their tale of woe.

The track laying on the Wichit Valley extension from Seymour to Stamford is progressing rapidly and the steel is down
miles beyond Munday

Members of a threshing crew near Burbank, I. T., engaged in a battle with pitchforks Monday and Frank Girduer of near Kaw City was dangerousiy injure about the head and shoulders.
Wall Paper,
Stocking's store.

## Source or Anareliy

 It is a common thing to hear t nead of the trusts score socialism nd rail against anarchy, out it is a fact that trust practices are driving more people into socialism andanarchy than all else combined Referring to this, the Amarillo Herald says:
"The expose of trusts and combines is water on the wheel of Socialism. Socialistic literature and oratory have not done one tithe as ganized efforts of syndicated wealth in annulling the competitive system of driving smail dealers out of busi ness. The Oil trust, the Tobacco trust, the Sugar trust, and the rest of the trusts covering every staple
article of commerce, will have to do business within the legitimate channels of competition and obey
the law or be inundated and kickthe law or be inundated and kick-
ed out of existence by the triumpt ed out of existence by the triumpth Socialism. How paradoxical, but true, that the Croesuses of the
competitive business should face competitive business should face system or be sent to the workhouse
for abuse of power under their own."
And no longer ago than June 20 Senator Lodge said in a speech, 1 the U. S. Senate:
"I have no sympathy whatever
with the socialistic movements that with the socialistic movements that are going on to take possessiou of all sorts of business and all so-call ed public utilities, whether munic
ipal, state, or national. I belie the movement, if successful means the destruction of the gov ernment which we reverence and love, and which it has taken us hundred years to buind up.
seriousness, that those packers in Chicago and those owners of the Standard Oil have done more to advance socialism and anarchism and unrest and agitation than all the Socialist agitators who
to day between the oceans."

The Texas Cotton Crop.
The Dallas News' second report on the cotton crop of the State of Texas and Indian and Oklahoma Territories for the current season comprises individual reports of correspondents at 542 points, which individuals reports, written on Juwas 12.9 per cent better than the crop of 1905 on the corresponding date, and Indian Territory 6.7 per ent better, whereas the condition in Oklahoma is the same as it was
a year ago. Making the State as a whole conditions are more nearly uniform than they have been for some year past. The reports show favorable weather conditions over most of pondents report the best prospects

In Archer and Foard countie grasshoppers are reported to be do ing considerable damage. In that section of the State also the crop has suffered from hail, heavy beating rains and cool nights.
The crop as a rule is well fruited but lacks uniformity in develop ment. In Eastern Texas it aver ages a little earlier than last year and in portions of South Texas is earlier. Throughout the re mainder of the State it is generally two or three weeks later. Picking is in progress in the southernmost zounties of the State.
As a rule the condition of the crop in Indian Territory is good but in some districts it is suffering from too much rain. InlOklaho ma good conditions prevail, except in some of the western counties on account of the account of heavy rains during the spring and, consequent deficien cy in cultivation

Walter Wellman may not discover the North Pole, but he should be able to get a lot of pleasbreezes this time of the Arctic Springfield Republican.
Old newspapers cheap at this of

## STATE NEWS

Bob Johnson, a negro, is to be hanged Friday at Stephenville for the killing of Alfred Berry at Dubin in November 1904
Fire destroyed the frame ware house of R. W. McDaniel, hard ware, Wednesday at Bowie. Los uily covered by insurance.
The Presbyterian and Cumber and Presbyterian churches of San Antonia have United and the pas retired.
The Santa Fe has let the con ract for the building of the new passenger station at San Angelo, of which the cost is estimated at 5,000
Uncle Johnnie McCord, aged 86 an old and highly respected citi en of Gleam was drowned whil Tuesday a tank near his hous Tuesday
Elders J. L. Standage and Wal ter J. Glinn of the Mormon churc were in San Angelo Sunday and secured a number of converts to their church
In a wreck on the H. \& T. C in Dallas Tuesday night, engineer oseph Watts, Fireman John Ten Reitzel were killed
Henry Maulden, aged 32, and Tom Sartin , aged 6o, had a difficul $y$ in the south part of Grayso county Sunday, in which both were
dangerously wounded. The Reagan monument commit tee has contracted for a figure of peared in the Uni-ed States Senate speaking. It will cost about $\$ 10$

Lightning struck and instantly killed the little daughter of G. T Rice and badly shockad another 1 . daughter of G. J. Montgomer near McDade Sunday.
Sheriff Sampson Connell is under ndictment at Georgetown charged with perjury in regard to a mileag court for witnesses in the distri $\$ 500$ and the case was set for Ju Hote Lydle, a deaf and dumb boy, aged 14 years, was drowned at the bridge over the West Fork of the Trinity at Fort Worth Wednesday. Young Lydle, with a party of other boys, was in swim ming at the place named and Lydle got beyond his depth.
T. L. Forrester, brakeman on the Santa Fe , was killed Sunday most beyond He was crushed a becoming disconnected on the coal chute. The body was shipped to Paris and buried from the home of bis parents. He leaves a widow nd three children. He was in sured to the amount of $\$ 3,500$
Tuesday morning about four o'clock the barn of C. F. Bray, who lives four miles west of Chico was totally destroyed by fire. Loss about $\$ 600$, no insurance. Four hogs, a wagon, surrey, harness and a considerable amount of corn, hay and other feedsstuff was burned. The origin or the fire is supposed to pe incendiary.
Passenger trail No. 7 carrying hundreds of Texas Elks to the convention at Denver, was wrecked three miles north of Forbes' Junction early Monday. Engineer Martin J. Cultom was killed and Fireman Charles T. Garrett badly injured. That the whole train was sulting in into a deep ravine, re due to the fact that it was running slowly on account of the recent slowly on ac
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