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Getting After Bailey in Texas.
A. D. Jackson chairman of the

Weod county, bas insur all Wood county, has issued a call for a mass meeting at Quitman, Sep. 29, "to ascertain and express our wishes in regard to instructing our state senator and our representa tive in voting against J. W. Bailey for United States senator from Texas

Mr. Jackson states that the call is prompted by recent development made in the testimony of H . Clay Pierce at St. Louis.

The call concludes as follows
"The chairman of each precinct will, where possible, call a mass meeting of the democrats of his precinct at some time between this and the said date, to select delegates to said meeting, but, for fear such meetings may not be practic able each and every democrat i the county is requested to be pres ent, and have a voice in the meet ing.

Wholesale Death by Russian martial
Warsaw, Sept. 18.-Two hun dred persons who were arrested for complicity in the Siedcle massacres were condemned today. It was the greatest travesty on justice even in Russia for years. The prisosers' fate was foretold as soon as it was known that they would be tried by courtmartial. It is thought they were condemned for the purpose of making it appear to the world that Siedcle was full of violeut tevolu Sionists. Those sentenced ar tionists. Those sentenced are
mostly Jews, relatives and friends mostly Jews, relatives massacred in the riots. The passing of the death sentence aroused a storm of indig nation. It is believed the St. Pet ersburg authorities will commut the sentence.

## Boll Weevil Spreading

## he eastward immigration

 the cotton boll weevil, which is ex pected to cross the Mississippi rive this year, is now proceeding rapid1 y , according to reports recieved by the state crop pest commission. Within the past month the pest has traveled a distance eastward aver aging over forty miles. In centra Louisiana during the past week migriating weevils are reported to have traveled about fifteen miles The nearest point from Mississippi The nave ponil has Mississipp which the weevity hirty miles Wilkinson county, thirty mile from Mississippi.The New York Central forced the Bryan train from Missouri to remove their banuers before the railroad authorities would allow the train to move out of the depot The Missourians put up a stiff fight and it was not until the train had been held up four hours that they at last surrendered and re moved their banners. That sort of action will not do the Vanderbilt roads any good. Eivery self-respecting citizen, whether repuplican, democrat or populist, in the west should go to New York over some other line and also bill all their goods by some other road. The Investigator.

Friday of last week the mail hack between Childress and Paducah was washed away in an attempt to cross Shores Creek. It was recovered next day, with the mail badly damaged

## Trust Suits.

The "compromises" made by The Texas attorney general come up in rather a bad light, and the SR Reduced to its briefest terms the out come of the compromise is this: The defendants deny that they are guilty, but to avoid fur her harassment and expense, con sent to pay $\$ 40,000$. The Attor ney-General accepts their denial of guilt - and their $\$ 40,000$. This is in satisfaction of demands calling for millions of dollars. The Attor ney-General and the County Attor ey of Travis county get $\$ 8,450$ what is left.
The course of the Attorney-Gen ral in this case is the same as was attempted in the prosecutions be gun against the Fort Worth Live
Stock Exchange. In that case Stock Exchange. In that case,
penalties aggregating about $\$_{17}$,
000,000 were ask for, but the At
torney-General was willing, after
good deal of dickering, to take
$\$ 40,000$ and call it square. His ercentage would be the same this case as he obtained from the express companies, and something ver $\$ 8,000$ of the $\$ 40,000$ would ave gone to the satisfaction of th Attorney General and the County Attorneys of Tarrant county and Travis county. The Exchange nembers, however, preferred to fight than to give up their money ad after the case was called for rial, new allegations were hastil introduced by the state that called or delay, and the trial was put off In each of the cases, as will be oted, the prosecutions were chief $y$ laid under the anti-trust act 889, which made an allowance of 25 per cent to the Attorney-Gener al and County Attorneys of al sums recovered. The act of 1903 made an allowence of only 10 pe cent for the fist $\$ 1,000$ and 5 per The act of 1903 repealed that of 1899, and one would suppose that prosecutions would be carried on under the law as it is; but there is more profit to the prosecutors (and sos to the state) under the act
The state of Texas pays its
orney-General a good salary.
llows its county attorneys fees that make their offices highly profitable. It should demand of them that they conduct prosecu tions for violations of the anti-trus act without further cost to the state. This $\$ 40,000$ that the rail road and express companies have agreed to pay is a fine that belongs o the state, and it should be paid into the treasury whole, without the loss of almost a quarter of it, ready paid officials.

School Tablets at Stocking'
Strayed or Stoten
From home pasture in Clarendon, on Tuesday 17 , instant, one light
bay horse, white star in forehead, four years old, unbranded. Horse was bought from Hoodenpyle (five miles northeast of Clarendon) about year ago. Suitable reward for School Tablets at Stocking store.
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## STATE NEWS

Leon county went anti by otes.
Ed Bounds lost an arm in a gin Williamson county Monday.
J. M. Mouldins lost his barn, surrey and wagon east of Sunset by fire Monday.
Quanah voted by a large majoriy Monday to issue $\$ 50,000$ worth bonds to build a new courthouse A child of Lee Nunnerly's hung playing with trace chains in barn Monday
Tom Green county farmers say hey will hire negroes. Negroe are not allowed in that county. A party of 150 mutes left Fort
Worth Tuesday morning in full cars for the deaf and dumb institute at Austin, in charge of Prof Beggs.

## A 9 -year-old son of M. A. Far-

after eating some oysters Monday and others were made sick by eating nem.
While walking with her husband in their field near Greenville Sum ay Mrs Walter Burkhat step ay, Mrs Walt 1 Burnart stepped vessel and bled to death.
C. M. Hutchinson, city marshal flano, was shot while returning o his home by some unknown per on Tuesday night. The bulle struck Mr. Hutchinson in the right arm and took an upward course and odged in the shoulder.
Last Sunday a freight train from St. Louis was derailed at Price's witch, near Palestine. One of ears was half filled with nd the flomes spread to ignite f the twenty-three derailed the twenty three deraild cars, The cargo of merchandise
every valuable and the loss will be heavy.
Unlimited power in the hands of ny one party is conductive to raft, corruption and loose con ducting of public affairs. One of the greatest blessings that could
happen to Texas today would be happen to Texas today would be the building up of a strong, ag
gressive minority party. History gressive minority party. History such parties have been a wholesome check on the larger organization and force from their hands many important reforms that would not otherwise have been secured Prohibition party today is certain y the most logical bidder for position on agressive minority posity The Republican minority party. The Republican party is open to the charge of office seeking and the "pie counter." The con-
test is on between two organizations test is on bet weentwo arganization at Washington as the real Republican party and thereby secure the Federal patronage. The Populist party has no ticket in the field, while the Socialists are too radical for the ge voter.-The Advance.

Oil has been discovered seven miles east of Elida, N. M., in what is known as the Red Lake district. Great excitement prevails and something like seventy-five oil claims have already been taken. Encouraging reports of oil finds have been recieved from the Hawkeye Valley also, eight miles west of Elida.

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counts and get the tickets while they last.

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Jackson Had More Early Ad- Cimarron Bridge Wreck vantages Than Most.

High water so weakened the | Verily, we must abandon the be- | Rock Island bridge over the Cim- |
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| lief that Andrew Jackson belongs | arron that the northbound passen- | o the class of American youths ger train, except two Pullmans, who rode to fame and fortun their own efforts, unaided by

help of their family and friends. help of their family and friends.
Never did he taste the bitter of physical want, of hunge
and cold, of he!pless, spirit-break ing poverty. Never was he with
out a home and loyal friends and a sufficiency of the comforts, of life. Never was it his lot to suffer that
inward-bleeding wound which the proud nature writhes under when there is no money in the pocket, change of clothing for the body, welcoming light in any window in draws to its end and the wretched night comes on
Poverty! Why, Andrew Jack son never in his whole life had genuine taste of what the crue word really means.
Few men have been more greatly indebted to the intelligent affection of a self-sacrificing mother. Few sons of poor parents have had such advantages as were his lot; and few ads of poor parents ever did such a scanty amount of manual labor Compared to the rugged, selftaught youth of Benjamin Franklin, Roger Sherman, Abraham Lincoln, Andrew Johnson, Sam Houston, Francis Marion and Nathaniel Greene, the boyhood of Andrew Jackson almost assumes
upon "flowry beds of ease."-Tom Watson, in his Magazine for Sep Watson,
tember.

## Digging Coal Under The sea

Up in Cape Berton Island, wher here are a number of colleries, dig ing out coal from under the sea. t abmarine area thus undermine dinary farms of roo acres each The outer end of the hole is some hing over a mile from the shore trange as it may seem, the work ngs have never been invaded by
sea water, although fresh wate sea water, although fresh water owing out in the strata under th cean bed. The thickness of strata ver the mines varies from 500 to 140 feet. About $5,250,000$ tons coal have thus far been take here is submarne workings failure of the beds.-New Yor Globe.

Miss Mary Nevins, of New York worth $\$ 62,000$, was arrested for drunkenness and disorderly conduct Wednesday. Her brother testified th
drunkard.
Over one hundred dollars worth at wholesale of school tablets just
received at Stocking's store.
 injured the ke killed and several were

## inued to rise and the whole bridg

 The latest field, a circus bill poster, MailClerk Gamell, a uegro porter and a 3 -year-old boy are know and dead, and it is supposed that seven or eight are dead in the submerged smoker. Trains will not be able to cross before Sunday.
A northbound Frisco freight train went through a bridge on the South Canadian river near Carleton, Ok.,
Tuesday morning. The engineer, Paul Palmer, is dead, and Brakeman Priest is missing.

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governme onvership of railroads?
The Fman's Alliance and all
Sither tarmer
prairie states
for years
or buildin
seaboard, that their wheat, corn
and other raw and heavy products
of the soil may have cheaper trans portation to the centers of con sumption, and that hard coal from
the mines of Pennsylvania may be brought more cheaply to them. These farmer's organizations ar nonpartisan, comprising both Re publicans and Democrats, as do the labor unions. The average East ern man has no conception of what it now costs to transport these raw products of field and mine-more even than to produce them. When the writer lived in North Dakota he paid double the price for hard coal that New Yorkers do.
Give Mr. Bryan cheaper coal fo the kitchen stove and maybe he will sit more in the chimney corner and not be so strenuous on the stump. The first great political party that puts government ownership in its an enormous increase of farmer' votes in the prairie states. And Mr. Bryan knows it is the strong. st argument he can use to carry and the Dakotas.
The world is mdependent usually fair. Oughtn't it to show asually fair. Oughtn't to to show
how the poor of the East may get a cheaper loaf of bread and the pro pucer of the West also be beepro pucer of the West also be benefitted? 0 giving figures and statistis his side as well as showing obsta cles to government ownersthip. O
course, obstacles confront all new projects.-E. N. Brann, to New ork World.

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