

The Miami Chief.

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MIAMI, ROBERTS COUNTY, TEXAS, MARCH, 31, 1906.

No. 26

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JIM WINSETT, Manager

The Death of Geo. Tyng.

The particulars of the
death of Geo. Tyng is taken from
the Miami Chief of Jan. 27, 1906.

Mr. Tyng was stopped last Satur-
day by a snow slide in American Fork
canyon, this city as well as Ameri-
can Fork mining district loses a
friend that can never be replaced.
If there is a man in American Fork
who ever had a business dealing
with Mr. Tyng and could under-
stand his great nature we failed to
have met him. His life was sim-
plicity itself and the request made
in his will only shows how true to
nature he aimed to live. He cared

of last week. Mr. Tyng had just
gone into his office which is a lean-
to built at one end of the house. He
had sent word to Mr. Kruse to join
him to talk over some business mat-
ters, but before he could reach the
office the slide started. Without
hardly a second's warning it struck
the office crushing it from the main
building, breaking it to splinters.
Mr. Kruse was in another building
in the course of the slide and he was
caught also, Kruse, however, was
thrown on top of the slide and rode
with it for about a distance of 75
feet, escaping without any serious
injury.

The twenty-five men employed at

the mine began the work of rescue
immediately, and up to 4 o'clock in
the afternoon had not discovered
the body. It was then thought best
for someone to come to town and
notify the relatives. Mr. Kruse and
Geo. Summerville volunteered this
undertaking, which was rather peri-
culous as night was coming on and a
fierce storm was raging. By the use
of snow shoes the two made the trip
reaching the power plant a few
miles south of the canyon shortly be-
fore noon the following day where they
telephoned the startling news to
town.

An organized body of men was

soon on the road to the canyon to
assist those already at work in the
rescue, but they were met however,
by the miners coming to town with
the remains, arriving in American
Fork about 9 o'clock at night and
the body was turned over to the
undertaker, Emil Anderson.

Mr. Tyng was evidently killed in-
stantly as he still grasped a lead
pencil when found. His son Fran-
cis, who was wired the news, arrived
here from California Monday night.
Funeral directions were delayed
until the arrival of the oldest son,
Geo. McA. Tyng of Victoria, Texas.
He reached here Thursday. It was

then made known Mr. Tyng's wish
in reference to his funeral service
and burial, which were made plain
in his last will. He wished to be
buried on the little knoll on Kala-
nazoo Flat. Mr. Tyng had often
remarked, what grander monument
could a person wish than to be sur-
rounded by the beautiful hills and
scenery. His wish will be carried
out to the letter.

A private service was held over
the remains at the Grant Hotel at
3:30 yesterday, and a public service
will be held in the Presbyterian
Chapel Sunday evening at 7 o'clock,
to which all friends are invited.

Th remains will be transferred to
the canyon Monday, where he will
be laid to rest in his chosen spot.

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life was suddenly cut off last week
in a snow slide in American Fork
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in his will only shows how true to
nature he aimed to live. He cared

for no show or publicity as the
readers of the Citizen can testify
from his careful reports concerning
mining matters, etc. He has won
the love of the miners in his employ
not only on account of the extra
high wages paid but through his
interest in their families and homes,
always encouraging them to buy
homes and use their wages for the
good of their families. It will be a
comfort to his sorrowing wife in
Texas to know that while in Ameri-
can Fork but a short time, his death
is mourned sincerely by many fami-
lies who have learned to love him
for his kind and generous acts.

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General Merchandise,
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BLACK, Agent, Miami, Texas

Grow and prove true to name. Get your order in early

NOTICE

In accordance with Section 57, Article
3 of the Constitution of Texas, and
Title 64 of the Revised Statutes of the State of Texas, notice
is hereby given that the Southern Kansas Railway Company of Texas in-
vites the governor of Texas to receive him submit to the Legis-
lature at a special session called to meet on Monday the 26th day
of March, 1906, and as well as intends to apply to the State Legislature in
an assembly for a special act and law the substance of which is,
to-wit:
authorizing said Railway Company to change its line of road
in Carson County and Amarillo in Potter County,
to make its line of road run direct from Panhandle to Ama-
rillo via Washburn and the line of the Fort Worth and
Railway Company, and authorizing it to take up that part of
said line of road beginning about one and one fourth (1 1/4) miles
of Panhandle extending to Washburn in Armstrong County,
in lieu thereof, building and laying its track from said point
made in a direct line and a general southwesterly direction to
Amarillo in Potter County, Texas.
15th day of March, 1906.

SOUTHERN KANSAS RAILWAY COMPANY OF TEXAS,
AVERY TURNER, General Manager.

The best safeguards against head-
aches, constipation and liver troubles is
DeWitt's Little Early Risers. Keep a
vial of these famous little pills in the
house and take a dose at bed time when
you feel that the stomach and bowels
need cleansing. They don't gripe. Sold
at Central Drug Store.

Mollie Bailey, who has her show
in winter quarters at Houston, and
a young man connected with the
show were in the act of having the
current of their lives transferred to
one channel, when the ceremony was
interrupted by the appearance of
her sons, who rode into the circus
tent where the ceremony was being
performed and with revolvers per-
emptorily discharged the clergy-
man, who slipped under the tent and
away, and the young man followed
suit. The widow is 65 and has had
her show on the road continually
since 1876.



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Line of Samples
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PAINTERS
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DECORATORS
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A Scientific Wonder.
The cures that stand to its credit make
Bucklen's Arnica Salve a scientific won-
der. It cured E. R. Mulford, a lecturer
for the patrons of Huscensdry, Wayne-
boro, Pa., of a distressing case of piles.
It heals the worst burns, sores, boils,
ulcers, cuts, wounds, chilblains and salt
rheum. Only 25 cents. For sale
at Central Drug Store.

BY OUR OWN COWL.

Some men make a specialty of flirt-
ing with trouble.

A lawyer isn't necessarily a beggar
because he pleads for money.

Science makes believers of doubt-
ers and doubters of believers.

Some men proceed to storm when
they are unable to raise the wind.

It often appears that the boss a man
knows the longer it takes to tell it.

Once there was a man who tried to
serve two masters—and he was ar-
rested for bribery.

But the proof of the pudding is the
manner in which the guests look at
each other and say nothing.

It sometimes happens that when a
young man goes on a girl her strenu-
ous father acts as an antidote.

Trying to be independent without
capital is about as satisfactory as
learning to be a prizefighter from a
book.

Nothing is calculated to make a girl
so weary as the sight of a young man
she admires acting silly over some
other girl.

If you are troubled with piles and
can't find a cure, try Witch Hazel Salve
but be sure you get that made by E. C.
DeWitt & Co., Chicago. It is the origi-
nal. If you have used Witch Hazel Salve
without being relieved it is probable
that you got hold of one of the many
worthless counterfeits that are sold on
the reputation of the genuine DeWitt's
Witch Hazel Salve.

Tracing Common Words.
To "pun" is to "pound" words, to beat
them into forced conditions; so the
philologists believe. "He would pun
thee into shivers with his fist," says
Thersites in "Troilus and Cressida,"
meaning physical "pounding." "Pun"
is not a slipshod development of
"pound," but its original form, the
Anglo-Saxon verb being "punian," an-
"pun" or "poun" having developed a
final "d" just as "soun" became
"found," and as the illiterate tur-
"gown" into "gownd." Curious
enough, "pun" and "pound" have a
connection with "punching" a man
head, which is simply "punishing" ex-
tracted, or with "punching" a ticket
which goes back to the Latin "pun-
gere," to prick or puncture.

A Lively Tussle

with that old enemy of the race, con-
sumption, often ends in appendicitis.
To avoid all serious trouble with stom-
ach, liver and bowels, take Dr. King's
New Life Pills. They perfectly regu-
late these organs without pain or dis-
comfort. Price 25 cents. For sale
at Central Drug Store.

Pampa, we understand, is to have
a cotton gin.

District Court has been in session
at LeFors this week.

Experts place the damage to the
Texas fruit crop by the late freeze
at only 20 per cent.

The meeting of the Panhandle
Association of Odd Fellows will be
held at Canadian on April 26th, the
anniversary of the order.

Joseph W. Bailey, father of Unit-
ed States Senator Bailey of Texas,
died at New Orleans on Thursday
of last week, at the age of 72 years.

Brother Josiah, a comedy in three
acts, is to be given at Pampa by
home talent next Saturday night,
April 7th. Proceeds to go to the
Pampa Literary Society.

An English schoolboy recently
wrote the following essay on
"Friendship": "A friend is one
who knows all about you and likes
you all the same." If there is any-
thing more to be said on the sub-
ject we can't imagine what it may be.

Always on Hand.
"We would not be without Chamber-
lains Cough Remedy. It is kept on hand
continually in our home," says W. W.
Kearney, editor of the Independent,
Lowry City, Mo. That is just what all
families should do. When kept at hand
ready for instant use a cold may be
checked at the outset and cured in less
time than after it has become settled in
the system. This remedy is also with-
out a peer for croup in children and will
prevent the attack when given as soon
as the child becomes hoarse, or even
after the croupy cough appears, which
can only be done when the remedy is
kept at hand. This remedy for sale
at Central Drug Store.

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Ask to see our samples of wall paper.

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UPHOLSTERING NEATLY DONE**
All Work Guaranteed.

The New York Post says John D.
Rockefeller has cancer of the
tongue.

Atty General Moody is very blue
over the decision that the govern-
ment can not sue against the beef
packers information obtained from
them by Mr. Garfield, the govern-
ment commissioner of corporations.

As Mr. Garfield obtained like in-
formation from the oil trust and all
other trusts, it looks like they are
all safe.

Coal operators say if they grant
the increase of wages demanded by
the miners they will have to in-
crease the price of coal \$1.20 per
ton.

Nearly all sections of the Pan-
handle report copious rains during
the past week.

It is given out that the meeting of
the Panhandle Stockmens Associa-
tion at Amarillo on April 17th, 18th
and 19th will be the biggest and
grandest ever.

One would think the laxative idea in
a cough syrup should have been ad-
vanced long before it was. It seems
the only rational remedy for coughs
and colds would be to move the bowels
and clean the mucous membranes of the
throat and lungs at the same time.
Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar
does this. It is the original laxative
cough syrup, and best known remedy
for coughs, colds, croup, whooping
cough, etc. Tastes good and harmless.
At Central Drug Store.

Here's the way a man in South
Carolina announces himself for of-
fice: "To the good people of Edge-
field:—The wind bloweth where it
listeth and no man can tell whence
it comes or whither it goeth, but I
am not that kind of a cat. I am a
Bill Tillman cat, and if elected coun-
ty commissioner propose to reform,
beautify, adorn, resuscitate, reju-
vinate and rehabilitate Edgewood
county from the edge of the water to
the top of the rocks. I am a
laboring man and haul wood. If
not elected I can haul on. Could
say more, but am a man of few
words and full of trouble."—Ex.

The Times states a cotton gin is
assured for Alarney.

THE MIAMI CHIEF.

LESLIE L. LADD, Ed. and Pub. MIAMI, TEXAS

EVENTS OF EVERYWHERE.

A. B. Studerill of Okarche, Ok., fell on the ice and received injuries from which he died next day.

Oklahoma City Council awarded the contract for the construction of the new sewer system to Chas. T. Derr of Guthrie, whose bid was \$219,576.78.

Two boys at the Delaware Hotel, Fort Worth, became involved in a difficulty and one of them was severely stabbed.

Hiram B. Frazier aged 70, was found dead in his header barge on his farm near Stockholm, in Woodward county, Ok. He is supposed to have died from exposure while at work.

The Secretary of the Interior has approved plans for waterworks and sewerage system at Chickasha, I. T., the cost of which is some \$60,000.

A smelter company is organized at Crystal Springs, I. T., with a capital of \$300,000, and it is given out that the work will be well under way within sixty days.

Forty gallons of whisky were poured out on the ground in front of the court house at Vinitia, I. T., Tuesday, by United States deputy marshalls. The "booze" was captured in a freight car.

It is generally admitted that between forty and fifty persons met death in the collision of the two Denver and Rio Grande trains near Adobe, Colorado, last Friday.

Solo, both vocal and instrumental are to be eliminated from the Roman Catholic Churches of the Omaha diocese after May 1, and women are to be dispensed with in choirs.

Soft coal prices are advancing daily in Chicago in view of the growing feeling among coal dealers that a strike in the bituminous regions, at least, is certain.

Mrs. Chas. Crews, while trying to get her baby off the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railroad track at Weir, Mo. day fell and had both legs cut off by a freight engine.

Dave Abbott, trapper and hunter, was brought to Mount Pleasant dead. He was found in a lonely cabin between White Oak and Sulphur River, having apparently died of heart failure. He leaves a wife and four children.

A fine healthy, blue-eyed, 11-pound boy, who opened his eyes upon the world for the first time Wednesday night in the house in West Fifty-Fourth street, near Fifth avenue, New York, is heir presumptive to the greatest fortune in the world, for the boy, at his christening will be John D. Rockefeller III.

F. St. George Banwell, late teller of the Crown bank, charged with stealing \$40,000 of the bank's funds at Toronto, pleaded guilty. His wife, Nora H., pleaded not guilty to the charge of receiving stolen money.

Marion Allen, a stockman, killed himself at Marietta, I. T., by shooting himself with a shotgun. Death was instantaneous. He had been married only two months. His health is assigned as the cause.

A train on the Lehigh Valley railroad was wrecked at Moneysville Falls. The engineer, Wm. Gaffney, of Rochester, was instantly killed and the fireman, Edward Brusky, of Moneysville Falls, lies under the engine, presumably dead.

Warren F. Mosher, secretary of the Catholic Summer School of America, and one of the best known Catholic laymen in the United States, died suddenly from heart disease at his home in New Rochelle.

A flow of artesian water so strong as to force up the 3000-pound drill, was struck at Sulphur, I. T., Friday. The American Savings Bank and Trust Company of Shreveport, has been organized with an authorized capital stock of \$500,000.

Mrs. John Jefferson of Kokomo, Ind., swallowed a supposed headache powder that had been thrown on her porch as an advertising sample. It proved to be poison and the woman died in a few minutes.

The union depot of the Chesapeake and Ohio, and Louisville and Nashville Railway companies at Winchester, Ky., was burned with all its contents, including an immense amount of whisky and beer. The loss will reach \$50,000.

For the fourth time the House Committee on the Judiciary Friday postponed voting on the bill to regulate the shipment of C. O. D. liquor into local option communities from States where the sale of liquor is permitted.

George Sykes Barton, said to be an English lord, and heir to estates in England, was found dead in the feed lot at his model farm near Winchester, Ill. A rifle was clasped in his hands and there was a bullet hole in his forehead.

The Anti-Age Limit League believes that it has solved the problem by emigration, of men who are unable to obtain employment in Chicago because they have passed the age limit.

ALL OVER TEXAS.

At her mother's home north of Hutto Tuesday night Miss Ida Josling killed herself by taking fifteen grains of strychnine.

Miss Ida Josling, living on the Bland Harrison farm, eight miles from Georgetown, near Hutto, died from taking strychnine Sunday night.

D. L. McKinney, a pioneer resident of Collin County and son of Collin McKinney, for whom the city and county were named, died at his home north of McKinney Monday morning.

The twenty-third annual convention of the Young Men's Christian Association of Texas, in session at Ft. Worth closed Tuesday night, with a farewell exercises at the Christian Tabernacle.

Two Mexicans fought a duel after Mexican style in Fort Worth Monday, but were separated before either was fatally hurt, though both were badly cut.

The newly erected opera house at Whitney opened last week and the first performance in it drew a full house.

It is definitely announced that Sarah Bernhart will appear in Fort Worth April 3, giving her performance in a tent at Prospect Park.

Four cases of poisoning apparently due to impure candy, are being investigated by the authorities in Northern Vermont. Three deaths have occurred.

The Iowa Legislature, in session has made short work of the measure providing for the establishment of a 2c fare, killing the proposition in so far as the State of Iowa is concerned.

James Mahley, the Ft. Worth negro who slashed himself with a razor last Sunday morning, died Tuesday at St. Joseph's infirmary, as a result of his wounds.

Wife seated at the dinner table on Sunday, Joe Levy, of the firm of Levy Bros. Houston, was stricken with heart failure and died almost instantly.

Mrs. Lucy Rasberry, an aged lady of Handley, was found dead in her bed Monday morning. She retired at night in apparently good health. When the family went to arouse her she was found to be dead and had evidently been so for several hours.

Don Jose A. Guzman, of Laredo, made the unusual charge in court against his son of stealing a horse from him, but the Judge refused to consider the case, holding that there could be no theft committed between a father and his son.

H. H. Moore, Sr., who resided two miles east of Enloe, was standing in his front yard talking to one of his sons Sunday, when he remarked, "I am not feeling well." Being assisted to the house, he was placed on a lounge in his room, upon which he died instantly.

According to E. W. Rice, Southwestern agent of the A. R. T. Company, which handles the bulk of the fruit shipped out of Texas, the freeze of Tuesday night and the cold weather succeeding it has not only ruined the peach crop, but in his opinion has made its prospects better.

W. G. Hodge, Sr., a prominent wholesale merchant of Cleburne, died Thursday morning. Mr. Hodge received injuries in the Texas and Pacific wreck, near Odessa, recently, and has been in the hospital under the care of physicians since.

Mrs. Charles Kurz who had both her legs cut off by falling on the track in front of a Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railway freight engine at Wier while trying to save her 3-year-old baby, died from the injuries.

The first construction work on the interurban line between Houston and Galveston has begun. The start was made at La Porte where Contractor A. C. Workman put a force of men at work. Galveston has granted a franchise and Houston is to follow.

Henry Smith was run over Friday morning in the yards of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas by a switch engine and died instantly as the result of the accident. Smith was a hollermaker in the employ of the Katy.

Edgewood shipped a car of 4800 chickens to New York Friday. The new Waco directory, gives 13,275 names, 26,762 population, which is an increase in names of 12,140 and an increase in population of 2,607, compared with the previous year.

Julius Gamba, aged 25 years, is fatally injured as a result of being run down by an automobile in the suburbs of El Paso. The chauffeur and two men in the machine escaped, owing to the darkness.

James P. Griffin, a resident of McKinney and county for a number of years, died suddenly of heart failure Friday. He was sitting in a wagon load of oats conversing with friends when he fell to the ground and died in less than five minutes.

A determined effort is now being made to have a permanent and creditable county fair in Travis County, the first of which is to occur next fall. Racing and athletics will be prominent features of the entertainment.

The Commissioners' Court of Kaufman County has ordered an election held throughout the county on April 28 to determine whether or not the voters desire the creation of the office of County Superintendent of Public Instruction.

THINK EARTH'S CORE OF METAL

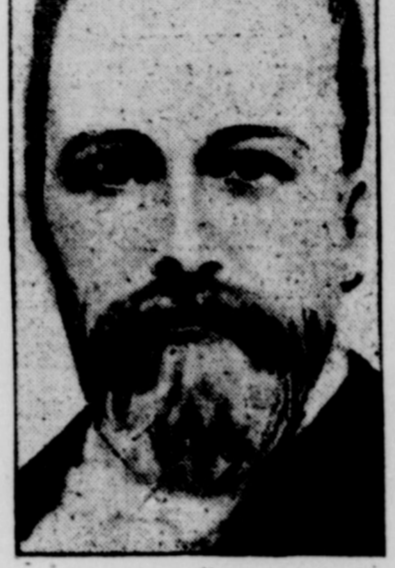
Explanation of Scientists of the Differing Density.

Is the middle of the earth made of metal? Experiments on the gravitational attraction between small masses give us the means of determining the average density of the earth, and it has always been considered remarkable that the density thus found, five and a half times that of water, is far higher than the mean density of the rocks which constitute those parts of the earth accessible to us. These latter have not more than two and a half or three times the density of water. It does not seem probable that any pressure in the interior, however great, could explain so great a difference. It must be assumed that the interior is made of a totally different material from the outside. The great density of the earth suggests that in all probability its core is of a metallic nature. It is significant that the meteorites, the only planetary bodies of which we can examine the interior, are composed for the most part of nickel iron. The inference becomes almost irresistible that the iron-bearing rocks are samples of the deep interior, which by a rare and exceptional chance have been extruded to the surface by volcanic agency.

NAME SUCCESSOR FOR WITTE.

Gossips Already Have Picked New Leader for Russia.

The rumor that Count de Witte is about to resign names A. N. Kokovsov, former minister of finance, as his successor.



Successor, St. Petersburg advices, however, say M. Witte has no intention of retiring.

Bat Ball Into Three States.

Probably no other part of the United States except in East Liverpool, Ohio, is there a baseball diamond from which it is possible to bat a ball into any one of three states. Such a condition actually exists at the grounds which have just been leased for the Klondike club there.

The diamond is laid out on a lot which is known as the "state line corner." If a batsman makes a hit over this base the ball will be sent into West Virginia. Should a foul tip result the catcher would have to chase the ball in Pennsylvania. If a straight drive or bunt is made the ball will bowl into the state of Ohio.

Taking advantage of this freak of nature, the Klondike club is going to advertise the fact that its club will play ball in three states simultaneously.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Highest "Judicial" Court.

Two pretty girls visiting Washington listened with hushed attention to the words of wisdom that fell from the lips of their guide. He was their Washington cousin, knew all about the capitol and was graciously explaining its sights to them. "And this," said he, stopping before a door in the capitol, "is the supreme court of the United States. That, you know, is the highest judicial court in the land. There are other courts in different parts of the country that are just as high, but this is the highest judicial court." Then they entered and heard an argument delivered before nine judicial judges.

Represented Filthy Lucre.

Assistant Secretary of State Bacon is exceedingly natty in personal appearance and cannot abide anything or anybody savored of foulness. While running through his desk a few days ago he found several soiled and crumpled slips of paper. With one hand he touched a button for his messenger and with the other daintily plucked up one of the slips. "Eddy," said he, "what is this?" That is your pay check, sir. "And these others?" "These are pay checks also, sir." "Well, take the filthy things away and get them cashed," said Mr. Bacon in dignified tones.

Popularity Distasteful to Him.

Congressman McCall of Massachusetts is a born insurgent. He never is on the same side with anybody else if he can help it. A short time ago he proposed an amendment to a pending bill. There was a call of the house. After it was over McCall was discovered striding moodily up and down in the Republican cloakroom. "What's the matter, McCall?" he was asked. "Matter?" snorted McCall. "Matter enough. I am getting too blamed popular. Seventeen people voted for that amendment of mine."

Would Be a Hero.

Jacob Rils has been ill at his home of angina pectoris, and his physician ordered him to cancel all lecture engagements. Notwithstanding this Mr. Rils was recently approached by an emissary of a certain church, who pleaded with him to deliver a lecture. "But," said Mr. Rils, "my physician has told me that if I lecture again this winter it may kill me." "Well, then," replied the churchman, not a whit abashed, "you will die in a good cause."—New York Sun.

Lion Jumped on His Back.

Near Nairobi, Central Africa's new aristocratic resort, a lion jumped out from the brush upon the back of the Marquis of Waterford the other day, and he would have been killed but for two native bearers, who came to his rescue and killed the lion, after receiving a severe mauling. The lion, however, did not fire for fear she would do more harm than good.

A fellow who stops kicking may be merely getting used to it.

GREAT SCOTT.

The Biggest Man of Addison County, Vt., Tells an Interesting Story.

E. C. Scott, meat dealer, Vergennes, Vt., Past Commander of Ethan Allen Post, G. A. R., says: "A severe attack of typhoid left me with weak kidneys. Every night I had to get up frequently to pass the urine, which wasropy, dark and very painful to void. I had no appetite, but drank water continually without being able to quench my thirst. Terrible headaches and dizzy spells oppressed me and my back was lame, sore and stiff. A month's treatment with Doan's Kidney Pills rid me of this trouble, and now I am strong and healthy and weigh 230 pounds. I give the credit to Doan's Kidney Pills."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

A man never hears the best things that are said about him, because he is dead then.

Poorest Member of Commons.

The poorest member of the house of commons is said to be John Ward, member from Stoke-on-Trent, who has a wife and four children to support on an income of \$12.50 per week, his salary as secretary of the Navvies' (Laborers') union.

Worth Knowing.

That Alcock's are the original and only genuine porous plaster, and other so-called porous plasters are imitations.

Baby Rhinoceros.

One of the attractions at social functions at Nairobi, Central Africa, at present is a baby rhinoceros. At a children's party the other day he played till he was tired, drank the milk of three cows and then went to sleep. He is 6 months old and weighs 126 pounds.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The reward of \$100 is offered to anyone who can furnish a paper or papers that will show that there is at least one disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. HALL'S CATARRH CURE is the only cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. HALL'S CATARRH CURE is taken internally, cleanses the blood and purifies the surface of the system, thereby destroying the cause of the disease and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for literature. Address F. J. CEESEY & CO., Toledo, O. Take HALL'S Family Pills for constipation.

More Big Ships.

The ship from which the Dreadnought, 18,000 tons, was launched at Portsmouth the other day was expected so as to hold ships up to 520 feet in length. Now it is being again enlarged up to no less than 700 feet, and people are wondering of many tons the next battleship built in it is to be.

WILHELMINA WHEN A CHILD.

An Amusing Story Told of the Queen Years Ago.

An amusing story is told of Queen Wilhelmina when she was quite a little child. Her majesty was not allowed to share dinner with the elder members of the royal household, and was permitted to make her appearance at dessert and place herself beside some particular favorite. One day she sat by a courtly old general, and after eating some fruit the little girl turned and gazed at him. Presently she exclaimed: "I wonder you're not afraid to sit next to me."

Everybody in the room turned at the sound of her childish treble. "On the contrary, I am too pleased and honored to sit next to my little queen," replied the old general. "But why should I be afraid?" Assuming a woebegone expression, the little queen replied: "Because all my dolls have the measles; they're all of them down with it!"

FOOD HELPS.

In Management of a R. R. Speaking of food, a railroad man says: "My work puts me out in all kinds of weather, subject to irregular hours for meals and compelled to eat all kinds of food."

"For 7 years I was constantly troubled with indigestion, caused by eating heavy, fatty, starchy, greasy, poorly cooked food, such as are the most accessible to men in my business. Generally each meal or lunch was followed by distressing pains and burning sensations in my stomach, which destroyed my sleep and almost unfitted me for work. My brain was so muddy and foggy that it was hard for me to discharge my duties properly."

"This lasted till about a year ago, when my attention was called to Grape-Nuts food by a newspaper ad and I concluded to try it. Since then I have used Grape-Nuts at nearly every meal, and sometimes between meals. We railroad men have little chance to prepare our food in our cabooses and I find Grape-Nuts mighty handy, for it is ready cooked."

"To make a long story short, Grape-Nuts has made a new man of me. I have no more burning distress in my stomach, nor any other symptom of indigestion. I can digest anything so long as I eat Grape-Nuts, and my brain works as clearly and accurately as an engineer's watch, and my old nervous troubles have disappeared entirely." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

There's a reason. Read the little book "The Road to Wellville," 11 pages.

FILIPINO TREACHERY

HALF CONSTABULARY COMPANY KILLED UNDER TRUCE.

GOV. CURRY REPORTS FIGHT.

The Puljanes, When Promising to Surrender, Suddenly Opened Fire—Federal Troops Sent to the Aid of the Constabulary.

Manila, March 25.—Governor Curry is safe and well, but the particulars of his rescue are not available at this hour. General Buchanan, commanding the department of Visayas, has left for Cebu, the capital of the island of Samar, to send the aid of the federal government to the insular authorities if desirable. Small detachments of federal troops are now assisting the constabulary in the pursuit of the fugitive Puljanes.

The insular government has not yet received federal aid. Major General Wood has loaned the constabulary 500 Krag Jorgensen rifles to supplant the single shot Springfield they have been using.

Gov. Curry, in a report to the government of the recent engagement with Puljanes at Magtaon, says: "Had a hard fight in which Captain Jones of the Constabulary lost half of his command, gaining a magnificent victory in the face of overwhelming odds."

"The Puljanes, under a flag of truce, and while promising to surrender immediately opened fire, charging the constabulary."

The leader of the Puljanes ordered his men to first wipe out the constabulary, and then to capture myself and other Americans.

"I have requested a company of federal troops immediately and later on when joined by this association force will prepare to wage a war of extermination against the fugitives which is the only alternative."

"The constabulary did splendidly though their inferior fire arms which are minus bayonets, placed them at a disadvantage. With the assistance of the federal troops we will be able to exterminate the fugitives who are now in the mountains, and will destroy the crops."

The natives of Samar with the exception of the Puljanes are in sympathy with us and are assisting us.

"Every town is endeavoring to assist in the extermination of the fugitives."

"Several prominent Filipinos were present and witnessed the treacherous action of the Puljanes."

"Judge Lobinger and all the other Americans are safe."

Washington.—The official account of the fight with the Puljanes, on the island of Samar, Philippines, was received at the war department from Governor General Ide, as follows:

Manila.—Saturday morning, March 24, Gov. Curry had arranged to receive the surrender of the remaining Puljanes and leaders at Magtaon, Island of Samar. The leaders and 100 Puljanes with fourteen guns presented themselves. Immediately before the surrender was to occur the Puljanes leader signalled and all made a bold rush. Judge Lobinger and the district inspector escaped in one ditch. Her majesty was in another, swimming the river and escaping in the brush. Other Americans safe. The constabulary lost sixteen killed, wounded and missing and some guns were lost. Thirty Puljanes were buried. Puljanes were pursued. Curry was hit 36 hours but presently found in Road Camp. He withdraws application for leave of absence and proposes to finish the pacification. Reports natives in the province actively assisting him. Each found zealous to exterminate Puljanes. "IDE."

GET \$80,000 IN HOLD UP.

Lima, O., March 27.—Yard Conductor H. A. Sloane of the Pennsylvania railroad walked into the police station here and asked to be locked up. He stated that in November, 1897, he and two other men held up and robbed an express train of \$80,000 at Galena, Ill., on the Chicago & Northwestern railway. Sloane was held and inquiry has been made concerning his story. He is believed to be mentally unbalanced.

Chicago.—The only robbery occurring on the Chicago & Northwestern near Galena, according to an official of the road, was that known as the "Tower W. robbery," near Dekalb, 10 miles from Galena. The robbery occurred in 1899 and netted the perpetrators in the neighborhood of \$40,000.

Spain's New Tariff.

Madrid, March 29.—The ministry has decided to promulgate the new tariff April 1, to go into effect July 1. American imports will be considerably affected.

Montana Sailor Drowned.

Honolulu, March 29.—The body of Samuel Neil of Butte, Mont., a discharged sailor of the battleship Oregon, was found floating in the harbor recently. An autopsy disclosed that he had been drowned. There were no signs of foul play.

RUSSIAN EDITOR ARRESTED.

St. Petersburg, March 26.—Alexis Alexievitch Souvirin, editor of the Russ, was arrested as the result of the rejection by Emperor Nicholas of his appeal against the sentence of one year's imprisonment in a fortress, imposed January 20 last, for publishing in December, 1905, a seditious proclamation including the manifesto of the Workmen's Council announcing that the government had declared civil war on the proletariat and saying that the challenge must be accepted.

WILL CONSOLIDATE ALL.

SEVENTY CASES BETWEEN KANSAS AND RAILROADS.

Topeka, Kan., March 29.—At a conference held by attorneys representing the state and other attorneys representing the railroad companies of Kansas stipulations were drawn up and signed for the consolidation of all the pending lawsuits against the state board of railroad commissioners into one lawsuit which will be brought by the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway Company and drawn to include all the points at issue in 70 cases which are now pending in the federal courts.

The stipulation will be filed with the federal court immediately. Within a short time thereafter the attorneys for the railroad companies will file a new case in the federal court in the name of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe road against the state board of railroad commissioners. The papers in this case have not yet been prepared.

TWINE PRICES ARE GIVEN.

Topeka, March 28.—Warden Haskell doesn't take the same view of the anti-discrimination law that the attorneys for the Standard Oil trust do. Some time ago the Standard's lawyers called the governor's attention to what they claimed was a violation of that law by the warden. They pointed out that in fixing two prices for prison twine the warden was violating the letter and spirit of the law.

"We discriminate against nobody," said he. "We simply have fixed a price of 8-3-4 cents a pound for prison twine where a customer takes over 5,000 pounds and 9-1-4 cents a pound where a customer takes less than 5,000 pounds. These prices are open and above board, and anybody can buy twine on them."

The prison has begun to ship twine already for the coming wheat harvest. The first shipment went out recently to Oklahoma. The plant will make about 2,000,000 pounds for this season's harvest and the warden says it will all be sold. It goes to Kansas and Oklahoma exclusively. Other states want it, but the warden has turned them down.

"Our first duty is to Kansas," said he, "and next to Oklahoma. We have about 350 Oklahoma prisoners in prison which net us some profit and I feel as though we should favor those who favor us. That's why Oklahoma gets our twine."

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REPLIES TO ATTACKS.

St. Petersburg, March 28.—Father Gapon, in a frank, open letter, replies to the attacks on his public and private life, announces that he has instructed his lawyer, M. Margolin, to bring an action for defamation of character against his detractors and denies the charge of betraying and abandoning a girl while he was a prison chaplain. Gapon explains that, refusing to follow the rule of the orthodox church prohibiting the remarriage of priests, which he declares immoral, he took to his bosom as his wife a girl whom he loved and that she is still living with him.

Continuing, Gapon declares that of the \$15,000 which Premier Witte gave through former Commerce Minister Timiriazoff, for the restoration of the Gapon labor organization, he received only \$2,500, all of which was used to help the workmen. The remainder was stolen by Mathushensky, the press agent and real director of the Father Gapon movement, who was arrested at Saratoff and brought to St. Petersburg for trial.

Regarding the charge of gambling at Monte Carlo with "mysterious money," Gapon says: "During the bloody uprising at Moscow I received money for literary work and while abroad, out of simple curiosity, I played for small stakes. A review of my connection with the workmen's movement will prove that I never was an agent of the government and that I labored solely in the interests of the workmen."

When he returned to St. Petersburg Gapon admits that he communicated with Count Witte, who gave him permission to live here, considering that his work was "constructive and not destructive."

Gapon concludes with an expression of his firm conviction that his story will demonstrate that the "unfrocked pope" lived for his country to the last drop of his blood and died a sentinel over the rights and liberties of the workmen and oppressed.

The letter made a good impression but Gapon's sincerity is sneeringly attacked by the Russ, which calls Gapon a friend of General Fullon, former chief of police of St. Petersburg, and a pensioner of Count Witte.

Propose Name of Morris.

Rome, March 28.—The congress of the propaganda has decided to propose to the pope the appointment of Monsignor John B. Morris, of Nashville, Tenn., as coadjutor Bishop of Little Rock, Arkansas.

It Produces Disquietude.

Helsinki, March 28.—The dispatch of Russian troops to Finland is producing disquietude. It is feared that the authorities at St. Petersburg intend to supersede Governor General Gerhard.

Miner Killed by Neighbor.

Mexico, Mo., March 24.—Jas. Edwards, a prominent farmer living thirteen miles west of this city, shot and killed John Alden, a coal miner and neighbor.

Old Age Pensions Favored.

St. Johns, N. F., March 24.—The colonial legislature adopted a resolution favoring old age pensions. Premier Bond declared it to be his belief that the adoption of the policy would not unduly strain the colony's finances.

Free Translated.

Ex-Speaker Koller, after making a speech in the legislature, sentatives the other day that the leaders, Republican, of the principle of the die minima non curat pays no attention to the Western judge gave a to that maxima and said "The law goes with the wind."

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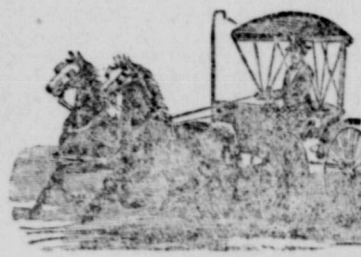
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For fruit trees see G. M. Black.

If you want a good meal go to the Miami restaurant.

A good rain fell Monday night and several light showers since.

The best fruit trees come from Stark Bros. Nursery. G. M. Black is agent for this company.

A 60-foot two-story addition is being built to Stone & Houston's large lumber shed.

Thos. O'Loughlin writes from Hot Springs that he expects to leave for home about April 1st.

Tomorrow is All-Fools-Day. As it is Sunday the best you can do is to go to church and surprise the preacher.

If you want neat and artistic work get Smoot & Swatley to do your paper hanging, painting and decorating.

There's a smile of satisfaction on the countenance after eating a meal at the Miami restaurant. Something good.

J. O. Stetson having leased the blacksmith shop for a year, and having secured an expert blacksmith he wants your patronage for any work in his line.

Miss Myrtle Stump returned from McPherson, Kansas, Wednesday for a short visit to homefolks. Levi Stump also returned to spend the summer vacation at home.

F. R. Jamison, editor of the Canadian Record, made a between trains visit to Miami last Friday, and honored this office with an appreciated call.

Ned January and Miss Mervie Woods of Ochiltree County came to Miami yesterday and after securing license drove up to Rev. B. F. Jackson's yard gate, called the "Parson" out and seated in the buggy were united in marriage. Suspicion rests that they were a run-away couple.

It will not cost you a cent to try Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, and they are excellent for stomach troubles and constipation. Get a free sample at the Central Drug Store.

In the composition on "The Austins" by Earl Hickman last week we stated that Earl was in the 8th grade when it should have read the 6th grade. This correction is made necessary in order to give credit to whom credit is due, the 6th being the highest grade in Mrs. Ewing's room.

Married, at the M. E. church, Wednesday evening, Rev. G. S. Hardy officiating, Mr. R. E. Avery and Miss Lou Ryan. Mr. Avery is a stenographer in the cotton firm of Wm. D. Cleveland & Co., of Houston, and Miss Ryan is the daughter of our fellow townsman J. W. Ryan and is a real business-like young woman who has a host of friends.—Clarendon Banner Stockman.

MILLINERY GOODS.

Mrs. Nora Harrison has ordered a line of dress and street hats and other millinery goods which are expected to arrive in a few days. She will open up her stock in J. L. Seiber & Co.'s store and solicits a liberal patronage from the public.

Indigestion is much of a habit. Don't get the habit. Take a little Kodol Dyspepsia Cure after eating and you will quit belching, puffing, palpitating and frowning. Kodol digests what you eat and makes the stomach sweet. Sold at Central Drug Store.

Why are the seats in public halls arranged so the audience face the speaker? Undoubtedly because it would give a speaker nervous prostration to talk to an audience back. Then surely it is very trying on a preacher's nerves to have the entire congregation turn completely around in the middle of an important sentence to see who came in.—Exchange.

A Pleasant Remedy for Babies.

Its pleasant taste and prompt cures have made Chamberlain's Cough Remedy a favorite with the mothers of small children. It quickly cures their coughs and colds and prevents any danger of pneumonia or other serious consequences. It is not only cures croup, but if given as soon as the croupy cough appears will prevent the attack. Sold at Central Drug Store.

One of the saddest deaths ever happening in Miami was last Saturday when Mrs. Will Johnston passed away shortly after the birth of a fine eleven pound boy. Mr. and Mrs. Johnston had been married just about a year and to thus have her young life so soon cut off, and at a time when there were such fond and happy anticipations is certainly the greatest disappointment and the greatest grief that can be brought to the heart of a young husband and the relatives of the deceased. The picture is one of such intense sadness that it brought forth an expression of sympathy from everyone. Mrs. Johnston was a daughter of F. M. Totty who lives near Mobeetie. The body was taken to Mobeetie where funeral services were held, conducted by Rev. John Stump, after which the body was consigned to mother earth in the cemetery in which a little over a year ago a like scene was enacted when a concourse of friends gathered around a bier to pay their last tribute of respect to the deceased's mother. The little baby left is being cared for by Grandma Johnston and Mrs. Wisley.

Saturday of next week is the regular time for electing school trustees for the various school districts of the county,

but as Judge Locke was absent from the county at the time of the last meeting of the commissioners court, at which time the law provides that the elections shall be ordered, the matter will be deferred until after the next meeting of the commissioners court, at which time an election will be ordered for a later date. Two trustees are to be elected in the Miami district this year. Andy Johnston and S. V. Gist are the two members whose terms expire. The latter has also moved from the county.

Tortue by Savages

"Speaking of the tortue to which some of the savage tribes in the Philippines subject their captives, reminds me of the intense suffering I endured for 3 months from inflammation of the Kidneys," says W. M. Sherman of Cushing, Mo. "Nothing helped me until I tried Electric Bitters, 3 bottles of which completely cured me." Cures liver complaint, dyspepsia, blood disorders and malaria and restores the weak and nervous to robust health. Price 50c. Sold at Central Drug Store.

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Yes, Miami Will Have a Flour Mill!

As per previous call the citizens of Miami and the surrounding country met in mass-meeting last Saturday afternoon to consider the flour mill proposition as worked up by the committee to promote the enterprise appointed at the last meeting. Judge Carter, the permanent Chairman being sick Prof. Redus was appointed in his stead. The report of the committee was called for, and Attorney Hendricks on behalf of the committee made the report, stating that A. Otto of Kansas and A. C. Olive of Miami had formed a partnership and agreed to put in a mill at Miami, giving the dimensions of the buildings and stating the minimum capacity of the mill was 60 barrels and also a feed crusher with a capacity of fifty bushels per hour, and that the machinery had been used about a year and that F. M. Cunningham who is a member of the committee, and A. C. Olive went up and looked over the plant and pronounced it practically new machinery. The condition upon which the mill was to be put in here was a bonus from the citizens of \$2,500.

to be paid in installments as deemed proper by the committee, but at least one-third of the amount is to be held back until the mill is completed. The committee in order to protect the citizens are to take a lien upon the building and mortgage upon the machinery for a faithful performance of contract. On motion which second the report was received, but the committee continued in service. As Mr. Hendricks said the matter was up to the citizens. It was proposed to open a list for subscriptions to the bonus. T. M. Cunningham headed the list with \$200, then followed several \$100, \$50, \$25, etc., and here the meeting adjourned. In about an hour's time the paper circulating on the street had reached a total of about \$1,000. The list has been swelled several hundred dollars since and there is a number of people to see yet. The inclement weather prevented a large attendance at the meeting last Saturday. A. Otto returned home Wednesday to get his machinery in readiness to ship, expecting to have it on the ground in about a month ready to put in along as the building progresses.

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Those Who Lift and Those Who Lean.

John M. Archer of Jeffry, Hutchinson County, was in Miami last Saturday and subscribed \$25 on the flour mill bonus. This we regard as the most liberal of any of the subscriptions to said fund as Mr. Archer lives sixty miles from Miami, and it was indeed an enterprising and generous spirit that prompted the act. It looks to us like this is an awful commentary on the acts on some having property in town and others having land adjacent to town, who were able and have not subscribed a cent. We realize that some were not financially able, while others subscribed more than their means would justify. Indeed, we think in almost every instance the amount which the mill was to be put in here to find is with those who were able and didn't subscribe. It is not right to let the burden fall on a few. Nor is it expected that one person will give as large amount as another for where one

man is able to give \$100 another would have to make a greater sacrifice to give even one dollar. If any man desires to promote his private business, be that what it may, he must assist public enterprises, and each should do his part just so far as his means will justify. We don't know but that it would be entirely proper to also brand him a grafter who is able and refuses to help in public enterprises that all recognize materially advance the prosperity of a community, and to purposely scheme to profit by conditions he in no wise helps to create. But before we go to this extent it would be best to give an opportunity to help in enterprises to come up later—say a cotton gin; then a sanitarium, etc.—for all do not see matters alike, and some see more benefit to be derived from a flour mill than others, while others see more in a cotton gin or some other enterprise.

John W. Veale for State Senator.

In the proper column today will be found the announcement of John W. Veale for the office of State Senator.

The writer has merely a passing acquaintance with Mr. Veale, but if the characteristics of the mind are expressed in the features of the face we will agree with all those who desire the election of Mr. Veale to the State Senate that they have an ideal man for a candidate. Further than this we will have to speak of Mr. Veale as his reputation merits. With such a basis we will say that he who solicits your support in this instance is a man the soul of honor and integrity, and a Christian gentleman. As an unselfish and loyal Democrat during his active life he is eligible to honors from the majority party; then, as a public-spirited citizen and successful businessman he should enlist the support of the commercial interests of the district; and, his hearty character should attract many complimentary votes from the independent and those who do not care to draw party lines. In this sordid age of grab and graft the country is in need of just such sturdy and incorruptible types of human nature, as we understand Mr. Veale to be, in its legislative halls. Mr. Veale has many personal friends here and being the nearest candidate to our home section will further argument chance of success in carrying this county. We understand that two years ago Mr. Veale was prevailed upon to make the race for State Senator but that he believed the present ennoblement was justly intitled to another term, so he did not enter the race.

Born in Hill County, Texas, in 1857; moving to Palo Pinto County with his parents in 1865; educated in the common schools of Texas except two years at the Texas Military Institute at Austin between the years 1873 and 1875; married in 1884 and the following year applied for and received license to practice law, and was in partnership with his father the late Wm. Veale at Breckenridge until 1892 when he moved with his family to Amarillo where he has built up a lucrative practice and is recognized as one of the ablest members of the Panhandle bar.

A. W. Jones to Lecture Tomorrow.

A. W. Jones, a brother of Granville Jones and State organizer of the Prohibitionist, will be in Miami tomorrow and will deliver a lecture at Baptist church at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon. Everybody invited. Mr. Jones is in

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