FARMERS' UNION WOULD MAKE IT MISDEMEANOR TO TRANS-MIT QUOTATIONS.

APPEAL TO LEGISLATURE

weill Says Quotations are Fraudulent and That They Cause Great Loss to Texas Farmers.

Special to the Times. demand that the Thirty-first legisla- markable that he escaped alive, ture chact a law prohibiting telegraph prices in the State.

President Neill declared that the suffer any permanent injuries. New York quotations are fraudulent and that they cost the Texas farmers millions of dollars annually.

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Additional Details of the Mine Disaster. Near McAlester.

The following dispatch from McAlster, Okla., last night gives additional ublished in yesterday's Times:

More than thirty miners were suffoted today in the Hailey-Ola coal mine No. 1 at Haileyville, fourteen miles A ast of McAlester, when fire destroyed he hoisting shaft and air shaft and ut off air from the men below.

Twenty-five dead bodies were removfrom the mine tonight, following a bree hours successful battle with the iames. It is believed that six or eight pore will be brought out. Twenty-five are known to have suffocated, however and many of their bodies are

wing revealed that none of the men net death by burning, and all of them, ere suffocated.

It is impossible as yet for the resthe channels are three-fourths of a

All of the entombed miners had gone down in the cage when a fire broke ple on top of the ground had of the cheered themselves hoarse. ouble was when the flames and smoke were seen coming out of the rushed to the scene and tried to get later held a reception. into the air shaft, but this was impossible, as the flames and smoke drove ound that the cages, the cables and crowds. the guides had been burned. There was absolutely no help for the impris-

Vegro Slashed His Wife With Razor.

Monday's Daily. As the result of a quarrel late yes-

Collins, after carving the negress, ing down the street toward the river is building on Burnett avenue. pursued by a mob of men and boys. ver, but seen the bank of the AUGUSTA'S FLOOD He was so exhausted after his run that ver, but soon recovered after he was taken in charge by the officers.

A complaint was filed against the hegro this morning, charging assault with intent to murder.

Hon. P. A. Martin Renominated.

The democratic convention of the hirtieth Judicial District met in district attorney to succeed him-

The convention was composed of ly three members, Judge Hughes. dge Scurry and County Attorney

VICTIM OF ACCIDENT NOT SERIOUSLY INJURED.

From Wednesday's Daily.

The Mr. Davis, who was injured yesterday by being struck on the head and shoulders with a section of brick which became dislodged and fell from the top of the Moore-Bateman building on Indiana avenue, had so far recovered this morning that he was taken to the home of his father several miles out in the country.

Mr. Davis was driving the team which pulled the brick, mortar and other materials to the top of the building. He was just turning his team at the side of the north wall, when in some Fort Worth, Tex., Aug. 27.-An- manner a section of the brick cornice nouncement was made here today by became dislodged and fell to the n J. Neill, president of the Texas ground. Davis was struck by the fall-Farmers' Union, that the union will ing brick with great force and it is re-

His hat afforded some protection. companies in Texas from transmitting but even then he was cut through the the New York cotton exchange quota- scalp to the skull. His shoulders were tions. The legislature will also be also severely bruised. No fractures, asked to make it a misdemeanor for however, were found and it is believed any person to quote this exchange's by Dr. M. H. Moore, who attended him, that the victim of the accident will not

Elections to Reduce School Tax.

Elections will be held in the Weeth and the Frieberg schol districts on September 5th for the purpose of voting upon a proposition to reduce the

In the Weeth district it is proposed to reduce the rate from 20c to 15c and in the Frieberg district from 20e to details of the mine explosion near that 10c. An election will also be held in fair. Market active and steady at \$2.00 lace concerning which a dispatch was the Sunshine district on September 9th 61\$4.25. to reduce the tax from 20c to 7c.

BRYAN GIVEN SPLENDID OVATION SALEM STREETS LINED WITH CHEERING PEOPLE.

Explorations in the levels this ev- Citizens of Town Do Honor to Distinguished Son-He Will Speak This Afternoon.

cuers to get far from the main shaft, rival here today for a brief visit to the train was first put on no authority was dit will probably be twenty-four place of his brith, W. J. Bryan was ac- given to carry mail, but the matter corded an ovation. Although his train was taken up with the proper authorntire mine can be made. Some of pulled in at an early hour, 6:30 being ities with the result that mail service the time of its arrival, almost the en- was inaugurated today. tire population of the city turned out to greet him.

At the station he was met by Mayor and Petrolia and will be of benefit to out, occasioned by the ignition of a Vaters and a reception committee of the merchants and business men of barrel effoil which a miner was trying two hundred members, half of whom this city. to divide. The flames spread at once were mounted. The brass band played the hoisting shaft and air shaft and | "Home, Sweet Home" during the parall communication with the top was ade through the streets and the side the "want ad" of classified columns of of. The first indication the peo- walks were lined with people who the Times has been the means of re-

covered, Bryan went to the home of ing the past fifteen months. If you top of the shaft. Hundreds of miners relatives, where he took breakfast and have lost anything of value, or want to

Preparations have been made for the way to get results is to let your wants presence of several thousand persons be known through this column. Rates: them back. Then an effort was made here this afternon when Mr. Bryan 1 cent per word first insertion; 1/2-cent to operate the cages running up and will speak from the cour; house steps, per word for each subsequent insertion. lown the hoisting shaft, but it was Special trains are arriving with big

miners. They had been there ly have the distinction of having lived has been taking treatment at the the fire for nearly ten hours be- in more different locations in Wichita springs there. Mr. Fooshee believes fore rescuing parties gained access to Falls than any other family in the city. that he has been greatly benefited by and Eighth streets. The house was Claremore, and from his observations moved down Tenth street, and during he believes that Bryan will carry Oklaat the rear of the city hall and the moving process the family contin- home by more than 40,000 majority. alaboose, Ed. Collins, a negro, slash ued to live in the house. Today the the wife across the abdomen with a house reached its destination and is Zer. inflicting a serious, but not fatal now being placed on permanent foundations. The house was moved from its old site to give room for a handmade an exciting dash to escape, run- some new residence which Mrs. Reed

IS RECEDING

By Associated Press.

day is rapidly recovering from the flood conditions of yesterday, when weighing as much as twenty pounds, From Wednesday's Daily. the water ran eight feet deep through and there was an abundant supply for udge Scurry's office in this city Sat- the principal thoroughfares. The the sixty persons who enjoyed the fish rday afternoon and nominated Hon. waters are now receding rapidly and fry which followed this morning. A. Martin of Graham as candidate the sidewalks are practically clear. It is remarkable that there was no loss of life and that the financial loss

was not greater.



WICHITA FALLS' NEW CITY HALL.

Work on this magnificent structure is now under way. It is located on the northwest corner of Ohio avenue and Ninth street. It is expected that the cornerstone laying, under the auspices of the Masonic Lodge, will take place on September 26th, the twenty-eighth anniversary of the incorporation of the city of Wichita Fails. When completed it will cost in the neighborhood of \$15,000.

THE MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

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Special to the Times.

Fort Worth, Tex., Aug. 27 .- The total cattle receipts today were 4,100. Beef Steers-Receipts 800. Quality

Butcher Cows-Receipts 1,200. Quality choice. Market active and steady at \$2.00@ \$3.15

Calves-Receipts 2,000. Quality medium. Market active and lower at \$3

Hogs-Receipts 1,000. Quality fair. Market active and steady at \$6.00%

CARRIES U. S. MAIL.

Mail Service Inaugurated on the New Train to Byers Today. From Thursday's Daily.

Postmaster Bacon informed the Times today that mail service was inaugurated on the new train which leaves this city for Byers at 8:30 a. m., Salem, Ill., Aug. 26 .- Upon his ar- returning at 2:30 p. m. When the new

> The new mail service will be a great convenience to the citizens of Byers

As little as one might think about it, storing to the rightful owners more After the route of the parade was than \$10,000 worth of valuables dursell or exchange something, the best

From Thursday's Paily. John Fooshee returned last night Mrs. M. B. Reed and family probab- from Claremore, Oklahoma, where he About ten days ago house moving con- the treatment and that it will result tractors started work on the moving in a permanent cure. He says that of Mrs. Reed's house from Burnett ave- there is much political talk heard nue to Scott avenue between Seventh around the hotels and sanitariums at

> From Wednesday's Dally. Some good samples of the kind of corn that grows in this section are on exhibition at the real estate offices of Marlow & Huey and Bean & Stone. . A few days ago these firms offered cash prizes for the best exhibits of corn and among those who have already brought in samples are Allen Womack, J. W. Spurling, and J. M. Dickston.

From Thursday's Daily fish fry at Lake Wichita this morning ita Falls will welcome them back Augusta, Ga., Aug. 27.—Augusta to- Over forty big cat fish were caught on a trot line set last night, some of them

Denies Rumor of Engagement.

Paris, France, Aug. 27,-Mrs. An-Herbert Vanz.

"OLD SETTLER" GOES VISITNG.

Not Favorably Impressed With Country and Has Seen Nohting to Compare With Wichita Falls.

Eskota, Tex., Aug. 26, 1908. Abilene, thence over the Texas and Pa- morning. cific to this place and Sweetwater, I thought I would pen you a few items of observation.

After leaving Wichita county I saw but little good country. There is some fine country around Munday in Knox county, but the balance is nothing but mesquite thickets, and my experience is that the mesquite land is subject to drouth

There have been good rains all along but there is no mistake that the boll worms have badly damaged the cotton crop. Corn. maize, etc., is fine.

Abilene is quite a pretty little city, though badly scattered. They claim 15,000 population, though it does not look as large as Wichita Falls to me. They are building a street railway in ness and improvement on in Wichita.

nothing only to stop a hole in the East.

It is certainly very healthy here. man will live to be a thousand years

any land

Wichita and Clay counties are good enough for me

The people here are all good and all ita Falls on the route; though, from some cause or other, there are some long faces. Well, perhaps this is enough of this kind. Success to the Times. Go ahead with your celery receipts, "Holy Smoke," etc. It does not disturb your humble servant.

OLD SETTLER.

From Wednesday's Daily. P. C. Maricle, who went to Childress several months ago, where he took the management of an ice factory, wii Falls. Lately he has been troubled with The funeral services were held yesterrheumatism, and on that account has decided to quit the ice business. With his brother, O. P. Maricle, he has purchased the coal business owned by the E. B. Stonecipher estate and will engage in that business. He will move The entire population of the Lake his family here from Childress in Creek neighborhood were fed at a big a few weeks and the citizens of Wich-

Sam Nail and Jack McCloud of Seywhich spent several days fishing at He fired at everybody in sight. denial of the reported engagement of came in last night and this morning Joyner, who conducted a mercantile estricts throughout the Carolinas and her daughter, Miss Marguerite, to Lord the out of town guests left for Sey- tablishment, were the two victims of the negro's deadly gun.

home.

TOWNS BROUGHT TOGETHER.

Settled Differences By Agreeing Abandon Moth Towns and Unite in Building New One. From Wednesday's Daily.

A committee of Eschiti citizens was here yesterday for the purpose of conferring with officials of the Wich'ta Falls and Northwestern railway and to get final deeds to lots in the new town now being established on the line of the Northwestern south of Kell.

The people of Kell City and Eschiti having reached an agreement to abandon both the above towns and move their buildings to the new town, the owners of the townsite having agreed to furnish business and residence lots to all those agreeing to the proposition.

By this agreement the townsite war which has been waged for the past year or more betwen Eschith and Kell will be stopped and all will now unite in the building of a good town on the new townsite.

Grandfield has been proposed as the name for the new town, but this matter has not as yet been settled. There are some who want to call it "Kell," in honor of the general manager of the Northwestern. A town meeting, however, is to be held, and at the meeting a name for the new town will be se-

LAST REGIMENT

HAS LEFT SPRINGFIELD.

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 26.-The Seventh Infantry of the Illinois National Editor Times-Having taken a run Guard, the last regiment remaining on having been dragged from any other down the Wichita Valley railroad to riot duty here, left for Chicago this place.

TO OPEN EASTERN HEAQUAR-TERS-APPEARS PLEASED.

Bryan Will Speak in Topeka Tonight. Roosevelt Goes on Way to Oyster Bay.

Abilene, but nowhere is there the bust- of the democratic national committee the voices of several negro men comarrived here this morning from Chica go. He went into consultation with Here around Eskota and Sweetwater prominent democrats. It was announcthe country is very rough, mountain ed that headquarters will be opened ous and rocky. A great of it is fit for at once to direct the campaign in the

Speaking of the general situation, I fail to see what the people live on Chairman Mack said that everything here during a dry year, unless it is pointed to democratic success this mesquite beans and prairie dogs. The year. There is a strong drift toward water here is "gyp," and hard to get in the democratic party everywhere, he said.

Some go so far as to say that a healthy Bryan to Speak on Guaranty Plank. Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 27.-William old and then turn to a grindstone and J. Bryan and his party, including Theostill be useful. But I hardly think that dore Bell, arrived in this city this held at the jail pending the finding of would like to take chances on stary- morning. Bryan was greeted at the Coroner Brothers' inquest, which is ing to death just to live one thousand station by T. T. Crittenden, mayor of Kansas City, and other prominent dem-No, thank you. I do not want to buy ocratic leaders and escorted to the hotel. The trip from St. Louis was without incident.

Bryan and his party will leave be From Monday's Datty. fore noon for Topeka, where Bryan dry. I did not see a saloon from Wich- will speak tonight on the guaranty of

> Roosevelt on Way to Oyster Bay. New York, Aug. 27-President Roosevelt and his party arrived at Ho boken on a special train over the Lack awanna railroad at 7:55 this morning from Columbus, N. Y. The party boarded the yacht Sylph, which imme diately started for Oyster Bay.

Mrs. Fannie Harvey, an employe at the St. James hotel, died Saturday night, after an illness of several ern. again become a resident of Wichita months, following an attack of fever. day afternoon.

AMUCK AND KILLS 2

By Associated Press.

Mount Olive, Miss., Aug. 27.-A crazy negro named Gus Bullock ran tion with the building of a pavement amuck here this morning, killing two Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McConkey of this white men and was himself slain by city and Messrs. Charles, John and citizens who shot him to death. Bul this morning. There are no other cases lock held the town in a reign of tera set for trial in the district court this mour and Miss Dora Higgins of Belton ror for an hour, being plentifully sup-comprised a jolly and congenial party piled with ammunition and a shotgun. thony Dravel of Philadelphia makes a Lake Wichita this week. The party Tom Gattfin, a policeman, and Dolph

BODY OF ELLA WILLS, NEGRESS, ON CORNER OF TENTH STREET AND OHIO AVENUE.

Suspicious Actions of "Babe" Wills Causes His Detention on a Charge of Murder.

From Thursday's Daily.

Employes at the Katy station on their way to work this morning at about 5 o'clock discovered the dead body of a negress named Ella Wills, in the gutter on Ohio avenue and Tenth street, in front of the office of the Wichita Mill and Elevator Com-

Marshal Gwinn and Sheriff Davis were notified and a short time later the actions of the dead woman's husband, "Babe" Withs, caused suspicion to be directed against him and he was placed under arrest.

The body of the negress was later removed to Jackson Bros. morgue, where Dr. Coons made an examination and found that her neck had been broken, although there were no dis-

tinct marks of violence discovered. When discovered, the body had evidently lain on the ground several hours and there were no evidences of its

When first questioned, Babe Wills, the husband of the dead woman, told the officers that he had gone to bed at about 8 o'clock last night and had not seen his wife until he saw her lying dead on the ground this morning. Other pegroes say that he had been seen CHAIRMAN MACK IN NEW YORK at several places last night, either with his wife or making inquiries for her. It is said that at about 4 o'clock this morning he awoke the porter of a saloon on Mulberry row and told him that he believed his wife had been killed by "white folks." When arrested by the officers he was carrying a bundle of clothes and was evidently pre-

paring to get away. Boarders at the Mansion hetel, it is reported, heard cries of "Murder!" at New York, Aug. 27.-Chairman Mack about 1 o'clock this morning and heard

where the body was found. Wills, the negro now under arrest, was working out a fine on the streets for attacking his wife several weeks ago, but only a few days ago it was represented to the officers that his wife was sick and he was allowed his liberty for the purpose of looking after her wants.

It is claimed by Wills that the woman was subject to attacks of heart trouble.

Several other pegroes who are suspected of having some knowledge of the death of the negress, are being now in progres at the court house,

GOOD RAINS IN WICHITA AND PANHANDLE COUNTRIES

Reports received at local railroad and wholesale houses today indicate that rain has fallen over the entire Wichita country and the lower Panhandle, and it believed that the crops

have been greatly benefited. Reports of good soaking rains have been received from points as far north as Memphis on the Fort Worth and Denver, as far south as Haskell on the Wichita Valley and as far north as Frederick on the Wichita Falls and Northwestern, as far east as Gainesville on the Katy and as far south as Olney on the Wichita Falls, and South-

Mr. Kell, who was at Frederick yesterday in his motor car, reports that the rain fell in torrents there, fairly flooding the streets and that the rainfall was heavy from that town south to Red river.

Injunction Proceedings Dismissed,

On the motion of the plaintiff's attorneys the injunction proceedings instituted several months ago by J. J. Lory against Wylle Wyatt in connecat the side of Mr. Wyatt's new building on Seventh street, was dismissed

On the first Monday in September Judge Carrigan will open the Young county district court at Graham.

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EVERYBODY WELCOME

Deceased Was Well Known to Grain Men Over the Southwest and Was Highly Esteemed.

Special to the Times. Fort Worth, Tex., Aug. 25.—The Rock Island officials here received dispatches today from El Reno, Oklahoma, saying that E. P. Haynes, a grain buyer in the employ of the Wichita Mill and Elevator, died on the train near that place this morning.

The first news of Mr. Haynes' death was given in the foregoing dispatch and when told the news over the telephone Mr. Kell was greatly shocked.

Mr. Haynes had been in the employ State of Texas and in Oklahoma and kins.

Kansas. He was highly esteemed by LESS BOLL WORMS AT STAMFORD his company and was regarded as a very valuable man.

ing in Oklahoma City and was buying but they have about

Contractor Cox Injured. From Friday's Daily.

day that E. A. Cox, of the firm of Cox As it stands today it is conceded by & Snyder of this city, had fallen from conservative authorities that cotton a building at the new town of Devol, will average from a fourth to a third Oklahoma, on the Wichita Falls and of a bale to the acre, but as stated the ed injuries, the extent of which could and the most hopeful prospects are not be learned.

Dr. Miller left for Devol on a motor car this afternoon to attend the injured

Thornberry Items.

Special to the Times. Thornberry, Tex., Aug. 21.-Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hopkins returned yesterday from Marshall, Oklahoma, where they had been visiting Mr. Hopkins' father of the local mill for a number of years Katie, returned for a month's visit with and had bought grain throughout the them and her brother, Mr. J. C. Hop-

Pest Has About Run Course in Jones County.

E. P. HAYNES, GRAIN BUYER FOR city and at that time appeared in his usual good health.

County.

Stamford, Tex., Aug. 29.—Boll worms have been doing much damage to county. grain for the local mill in Oklahoma, and cotton is gaining materially every day. It is putting on new forms and with a rain and the stalk that the cotton has now, there is ample time for Word was received here at noon to the cotton to make a bale to the acre. Northwestern railway and had sustain outlook is growing brighter each day maintained.

> W. J. Hawthorn has shipped from Cleburne to Jolly a bunch of stock ewes comprising two carloads. At one time sheep-raising was an important industry in this section, but latterly no sheep have been raised or fed here. Mr. Hawthorn will handle this small bunch of sheep as an experiment and if he finds the industry profitable will for a few weeks. His sister, Miss probably engage in the business on a much larger scale.

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the commissioners' court provided for
the commissioners' court provided for t

Proposed Amendment to the State cinct there shall be elected, at each tion of the Governor and Lieutenant

Joint Resolution proposing an amendof the State of Texas by amending Sections 5 and 17 of said Article 4 so as to fix the compensation of the Governor at eight thousand (\$8000) sation of the Lieutenant Governor at

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 5 of Article Texas be amended so as to provide hat the Governor of the State shall eceive as compensation for his services, and annual salary of eight thous and (\$8000) dollars and with the use and occupation of the Governor's mansion, fixtures and furniture, said Section 5 as amended, to read as follows:

Section 5. He shall, at stated times, receive as compensation for his services an annual salary of eight thousand (\$8000) dollars, and no more and shall have the use and occupation of he Governor's mansion, fixtures and.

That Section 17 be so amended as

to read as follows: Section 17. If, during the vacancy law, by the Governor of the State. in the office of the Governor, the Lieuenant Governor should die, resign, refuse to serve or be removed from-office or be unable to serve or if he shall bethe President of the Senate, for the Taxation-Submitting Amendment to notes have long since been paid but impeached or absent from the State. time being, shall in like manner administer the government until he shall be succeeded by a Governor or Lieutenant Governor. The Lieutenant Governor shall receive an annual salary of twenty-five hundred (\$2500) dollars per rear, and no more. During the time he administers the government as Gover or, he shall receive in like manner he same compensation which the Govrnor would have received had he been employed in the duties of his office, and no more. The President of the Senate, for the time being, shall, during the time he administers the government, receive in like manner the same compensation which the Governor would have received, had he been

employed in the duties of his office. Sec. 2. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue and have published the necessary proclamation for the submission of this resolution to the qualified voters for members of the Legislature of the State of Texas, as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, to be voted upon on the day of the next general election of the State of Texas, which will be held on the day fixed by law therefor. All persons favoring said amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots as follows: "For the amendment to the Constitution fixing the salary of the Governor at eight thousand (\$8000) dollars per annum, and the Lieutenant Governor at twenty-five hundred (\$2500) dollars per annum." And those opposed to said amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots as follows: "Against the amendment to the Constitution fixing the salary of the Governor at eight thousand (\$8000) dollars per annum; and the Licinenant Governor at twenty-five hundred (\$2500) dollars per annum." And the sum of one thousand (\$1,000) dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State of Texas not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of such publication, proclamation and W. R. DAVIE. [A True Copy.] Secretary of State.

Constitution Relating to Com-

State of Texas, so as to provide for ernor and the sum of four thousand subsequent redistricting of a county (\$4,000) dollars, or so much thereof as into commissioners' precincts, defining may be necessary, is hereby approprithe manner thereof; for submitting to ated out of any money not otherwise the electors of the State, and making appropriated to defray the expenses of an appropriation therefor.

the State of Texas:

Texas, be amended so as to hereafter Each organized county in the State, schools, and those opposed to said now or hereafter existing, shall be diamendment shall have written or printivided from time to time, for the convenience of the people, into justice presented in the section 3, Article 7, of presented in the people, into justice presented in the section 3, Article 7, of presented in the people, into justice presented in the section 3, Article 7, of presented in the people, into justice presented in the people in the p venience of the people, into justice precincts, not less than four and not more than twelve. The present county courts shall make the first division. Subsequent divisions shall be made by

Constitution Fixing the Compensa- biennial election, one justice of the To the Sheriff or any Constable of peace and one constable, each of whom shal hold his office for two years and ment to Article 4 of the Constitution cinct in which there may be a city of once in each week for four successive dollars per amum in addition to the divided into four commissioners' pretures and furniture, and the compense elected by the qualified voters thereof cincts, in each of which there shall be one county commissioner, who shall twenty-five hundred (\$2500) dollars hold his office for two years and until tion filed in said Court on the 13th his successor shall be elected and qualified. Subsequent divisions of a county into commissioners' precincts shall. be made as is now or hereafter may of the Constitution of the State of be provided by law. The county commissioners so chosen, with the county judge as presiding officer, shall compose the county commissioners' court.

> hereafter prescribed. That the sum of one thousand (\$1,000) dollars is hereby appropriated out of the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated for the purpose of defraying the necessary expense of submitting the above proposed amendment to the people of the State, at the next general or special election in the manner required by

W. R. DAVIE, Secretary of State

Article 7, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, increasing the amount of tax that may be voted on school districts and providing for a majority vote of the property tax paying voters of such district to vote such tax.

Section 1. Be it Resolved by the Legislatuse of the State of Texas: That Section 3 of Article 7 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be so imended as to hereafter read as fol-

Section 3. One-fourth of the revenue derived from the State occupation taxes and a poll tax of \$1 on every male inhabitant of this State between the ages of twenty-one and sixty years shall be set apart annually for the benefit of the public free schools, and in addition thereto there shall be levied and collected an annual ad valorem State tax of such an amount, not to exceed twenty cents on the \$100 valuation, as with the available school fund arising from all other sources, will be sufficient to maintain and support the public free schools of this State for a period of not less than six months in each year, and the Legislature may also provide for the formation school districts within all or any of the counties of the State by general or special law, without the local notice required in other cases of special legislation, and may authorize an additional ad valorem tax to be levied and collected within such school districts for the further maintenance of public free schools, and the erection and equip ment of school buildings therein, provided that a majority of the qualified property tax paying voters of the district, voting at an election to be held for that purpose shall vote such tax not to exceed in any one year 50 cents on the \$100 valuation of the property subject to taxation in such district, but the limitation upon the amount of district tax herein authorized shall not apply to incoporated cities or towns constituting separate and independent school districts.

Sec. 2. The Governor of the State of Texas shall and he is hereby afrect-Proposed Amendment to the State ed to issue the necessary proclamation to the qualified voters of the State of Joint Resolution to amend Section Texas at the next general election, or 18, Article 5, of the Constitution of the at a special election called by the Gove Be it Resolved by the Legislature of such election the qualified electors voting and favoring said amendment shall Section 1. That Section 18. Article have written or printed on the ballot of the Constitution of the State of as follows: "For amendment to Secure 22 as be amended so as to hereafter tion 3, Article 7, of the Constitution of the State, relating to public free schools," and those opposed to said

to public free schools."

[A true copy.] W. R. DAVIE,

[Secretary of State.]

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

Wichita County, Greeting: You are hereby commanded to sumuntil his successor shall be elected and mon John Royce and Andrew Hunse, eight thousand or more inhabitants, weeks previous to the return day herethere shall be elected two justices of of, in some newspaper published in the peace. Each county shall in like your County, to appear at the next manner and in the first instance, be regular term of the District Court of Wichita County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Wichita Falls, on the 7th day of December, A. D. day of August, A. D. 1908 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 3728, wherein Amelia Kellermeir is Plaintiff, and John Royce and Andrew Hunse are Defendants, and said petition alleging that on August 10th, 1908, she was lawfully seized and possessed of Lot 3, Block 1, McBrides 1st Addiwhich shall exercise such powers and tion to the City of Wichita Falls in jurisdiction over all county business Wichita County, Texas and on said day defendants entered upon said premas is conferred by this Constitution and the laws of the State, or as may be ises and ejected plaintiff and withhold from plaintiff the possession thereof to her damage \$1,000.00; that plaintiff and those under whom she claims own ership of same under deed duly regis tered in Wichita County, Texas, and have held peaceable, adverse and exclusive possession of said property for more than ten years; that the claim of Andrew Hunse arises from the execution to him of three notes for \$150.00 each given by E. H. Fisher to Andrew Hunse June 28th 1892 and falling due

Joint Resolution amending Section 3. fused to execute a proper release Premises considered plaintiff prays for judgment divesting title of said property out of defendants and investing same in plaintiff, cancel the claim of defendants as cloud on plaintiff's title, for cost and such other and further relief as she' may be entitled to.

June 28th 1894, 1895 and 1896, respect-

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annum; plaintiff alleges that said

Herein fail not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return there on, showing how you have executed the

Witness, W. A. Reid, Clerk of the District Court of Wichita County. Given under my hand and the Seal said Court, at the office in Wichita Falls, Texas, this the 13th day of August, A: D, 1908.

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County Tax Assessor: W. J. BULLOCK.

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County Attorney: T. B. GREENWOOD.

The cotton crop situation has greatly improved within the past week or ten days, and the talk of destruction wrought by the boll worms has almost

So far, there hasn't been any tremendous rush of contributors to the Bryan campaign fund in Wichita Falls. Can it be that the \$10,000 limit is too thickly populated as other portions of low to make the proposition interest- Texas, and when this occurs this part

The Wichita Falls and Southern will soon be hauling coal over its line from the Young county coal fields, which ufacturing and domestic purposes very materially in this city.

ur name on the mer merce. Through this organization, if properly supported, property values, which have already doubled within the past twelve months, will double again

The several patches of alfalfa about Wichita Falls this season have prove ! the worth of that crop and have netted the growers good money. Every progressive farmer in Wichita county should sow a patch of alfalfa and give it intelligent attention.

We anticipate that one of the best short speeches of Mr. Bryan's career will be that delivered by him on March 8, 1913, in response to the welcome home extended him by citizens of Lincoln on the occasion of his retirement from the presidency.-Houston Post.

Irish uotatoes of a size and quality surpassing even the Colorado product center of this magnificent territory. are displayed in the offices of local New railroads, new factories, new real estate men. They were grown right here at home and are another evidence that the Wichita country is magnificent corner of God's footstool hard to beat in any line.

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Chamber of Commerce is taking up the matter of an exhibit at the Dallas and Oklahoma fairs. Wichita county can get together an exhibit that will open the eyes of everybody and it should be

building street railway lines. In this nus of the road, located thirteen miles respect they are a little in advance of south of Olney. Wichita Falls. But before another year passes, however, Wichita Falls developing of the coal field opens to will have a street railway system, and Wichita Falls the opportunity of demone that will be a paying investment

It always rains here when rain is most needed. Besides settling the er place in the Southwest. dust and cooling the atmosphere down several degrees, the splendid rains of Saturday and yesterday, which was to the crop of Northwest Texas.

If you want to get in on the Times' Bryan and Kern campaign fund, now is the time to do it. On the 24th, it will forward to Governor Haskell all that has been contributed up to that time, so that it may be used when it will do the most good. Up to date the sum contributed is only about \$20. It should be much more.

Chairman Storey of the State Democratic Executive Committee, has called a meeting of that body at Austin for next Monday for th epurpose of nominating a candidate for commissioner of agriculture to succeed R. T. Milner, who was appointed to the presidency of the Agricultural and Mechanical

Every man in Wichita county should enlist his energies and influence in an effort to land one of the new experimental farm stations which the State ita Falls, in that it affords those who proposes to establish in Wichita coun- are already in the manufacturing busity. Science and intelligent effort are ness an opportunity to obtain their fuel supplanting the old haphazard methods on the farm and the establishment of fore paid, and the same advantage is an experiment station here would be of inestimable advantage.

Wichita Falls is growing faster than any town on the Denver road, and all a willingness to subscribe for as much of them are growing at a very rapid rate. At the present rate of increase factory with a capital of at least in population, it will not be a great while until the Northwest Texas and the Panhandle country will be as of the State will be in a position to demand and receive more recognition push it to a conclusion, Wichita Falls in the State political conventions.

It may be that the reason Wichita will cheapen the price of fuel for man- Falls has no street railway system can boys. be accounted for by the fact that she of them. At any rate, the property we can afford to defer the building of a street railway system for a time.

> The country surrounding Wichita Falls for a radius of one hundred miles or more is being developed and is coming to the front with tremendous strides. Tens of thousands of thrifty farmers are tickling the surface of Mother Earth and are reaping harvests of a hundred fold. Railroads are pushing their way into new territory, quarries and mines are being opened up. thriving new towns are springing up at every hand and the smoke of factories is beginning to paint the sky Wichita Falls, on account of her geographical location and her railroads. is already the pre-eminent commercial wholesale houses are needed to bind the ties of trade and traffic in this still more closely to Wichita Falls.

The Times is glad to note that the WICHITA FALLS' ADVANTAGES AS A MAUFACTURING CENTER.

The Times is informed that the first car of coal from the Young county coal fields will reach Wichita Falls tomorrow over the Wichita Falls and Southern, which has just been com-Both San Angelo and Abilene are pleted to Newcastle, the present termi-

> The building of this road and the onstrating to capital seeking investment in manufacturing enterprises that this city offers better advantages for such purposes than almost any oth-

We have the railroads-six in all: an abundance of water for both domestic and manufacturing purposes, and general throughout Northwest Texas, surrounded on all sides by as fine will add thousands of bales of cotton farming country as can be found anywhere, All that was necessary to make it an ideal location for a manufacturing center was the proposition of cheap fuel, and now this problem has been solved by the building of the Wichita Falls and Southern and the developing of as rich a coal field as there is in the whole Southwest.

For the past several years coal for domestic purposes has been retailed In Wichita Falls at from \$7.50 to \$9.00 per ton. The Times is informed that the best screened lump coal from the Young county coal fields (which is equal, if not superior to the best Mc-Alester or Colorado screened lump coal), will be delivered to dealers in this city at from \$3.60 to \$3.75 per ton. The dealers usually calculate on a profit of from \$1 to \$2 per ton.

The price of fuel coal has been lowered fully as much in proportion as coal for domestic uses, and this in reality, is of more importance to Wichcoal at a much less price than heretooffered to prospective manufacturing

One of our leading business men and promoters, has already expressed as \$10,000 worth of stock in a cotton \$100,000. He also said that he felt juite sure he could induce a friend to ake as much more.

This is some encouragement, and he Times feels sure that if our bustwithin the next twelve months will have a cotton factory employing at least one hundred men, women and

As an investment there is nothing was ever built without the liberal use has so many miles of splendid cement in the manufacturing line which pays of the columns of a wide-awake newswalks and her citizens want to make more handsome dividends than cotton paper, which is just as great an essenowners are building walks as fast as several in operation in Texas, and all the city government can raise revenue of them have paid good interest on the to connect them up with cement street money invested, besides being of great crossings, and so long as this continues benefit to the towns in which they are located.

> One of the successful cotton factories now in operation in Texas has paid in dividends during the past twenty-four months as much as 90 per cent, and this dividend was realized in a legitimate way-from the profits of its manufactured products.

What other towns have done in this line, which are not so favorably located, Wichita Falls can do also, and now is the time to start and push to a suc-

subscribed \$400 a month round to be devoted to advertising the town and country about it. That's the kind of push it takes to transform a town into a city and it is a source of confined to growing towns in the West .- Record and Chronicle.

The Wichita Falls daily paper car ries more advertising the year sround and gets better pay for it than any other small daily in Texas. The business men of Wichita Falls are real live ones-they do not hesitate to spend their money freely for everything they know is calculated to build up their town. And it is a policy sure to win in he end .- Weatherford Herald.

The Times appreciates the compliment paid to Wichita Falls and her live wide-awake, hustling business men, as well as the little bouquet thrown it. People everywhere judge a town largely by its newspapers. If the local paper bears the ear-marks of a 'starved-out, run-down-at-the-heel" appearance, the people who see it will form a bad opinion of the town in which it is published. The Times has never yet had that appearance. It has always enjoyed a nice patronage, and its course in assisting, in its way, to build up Wichita Falls and Wichita county has received the unqualified endorsement of a great majority of the leading business men of the city, which is the best in Texas, and measured by population, can and does do more towards town-building than most towns of twice its size. When a paper gets to the point where it looks more like a signal of distress rather than a triumphant banner telling of the prosperity and progressiveness of the town which it claims as its home, the best course for the editor of that kind of a paper to pursue is close up shop and wait until such time as the business

tial to town-building as sunshine is toward crop-making. Both Denton and Weatherford have good papers, well edited, but they are not receiving the support from the towns in which they are published to which their merits entitle them. There is no excuse for this, except that the two towns are old, and most of their business men have made all the money they want, and-are holding on to it. They will neither use a portion of their earnings to help their towns or step back or sell out to some more progressive fellows who believe in going after business instead of sitting down and waiting for business to back up to them. Wichita Falls has none of this kind. Every man here who is in any

HIGH COST OF TRANSPORTATION.

they are living up to it.

line of business is considered a live

wire, and they are all on the hunt for

more business. The result has been

The average cost of hauling a ton of goods a mile over a country road is said to be twenty-five cents. The average cost of carrying a ton of goods a mile by lake is said to be eight tenths of a mill and by rall seven and sixtenth mills.

It often happens that the cost of hauling a ton of farm produce to a freight station costs more than the transportation of the same load the remainder of its journey.

Railroads spend millions here and there to reduce operating expenses and a slight increase or decrease in freight rates is immediately noticed by everybody. It appears that too little attention has been given to the cost of hauling over country roads. When the farmers and business men of the small towns realize the disproportionate cost of transportation over rural roads, the improvement of the highways will receive something like the measure of attention it deserves.

There are signs, even here, that the people are awakening to the import ance of better highways and the day will yet come when the cost of hauling a load of wheat, corn or cotton to Wichita Falls will be much less than

men of the town wake up to the reali- this afternoon for Munday to visit relsation of the fact that no town or city atires.



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Where are Those \$1 and \$1.25 Silks

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This will be the question first thing Saturday Morning. My wife askt me to look them up an t phone her whether I found just what she wanted; and of course he can. Here is what you or your husband can find Saturday and Monday-and they are all new, all first class in quality; all conservative in color, with plenty of very fashionable or conventional patterns.

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Meet in Wichita Falls. Tuesday's Dally.

W. F. Fry returned today from lation, which was held at Crow- has been changed from Thursday to d reports that the next meeting Tuesday and the month for the annual association will be held at meeting from August to September.

Wichita Falls on Tuesday before the fourth Sunday in September, 1909. It will be noted from the above date eting of the Red Fork Baptist, that the meeting of the association EXPECT BIG YIELD.

Cotton Crop Along Wichita Falls and Southern is in Fine Shane.

Since the rains of Saturday and Sunday, parties who have traveled over the line of the Wichita Falls and Southern railway, say that the condition of the cotton crop is very; much improved and in some instances there are crops of cotton in the Olney community that, in their estimation, will make as much as two bales per acre.

At the stations of Olney and Newcastle (the latter being the terminus of the Southern), it is estimated that 15,-000 bales will be handled by the railroad and compressed at Wichita Falls. The plant shows no sign of having uffered damage from the boll worm or other insects and the stalks, which stand in the fields as high as a man's head, are literally loaded with squares

If the present favorable cotton-making weather continues, the farmers along the line of the Southern will make much more cotton this year than they made last year, and in all probability the yield will be greater than

for any previous year. The farmers along the line of the Southern are reeling in spiended spirits and have good cause. They made a son county, McPherson township in spiended wheat and oat crop, and their spiended wheat and oat crop, and their spiended wheat and oat crop, and their ships in Comanche—have organized an secretary-treasurer and general man-attention to all patrons. Southern are feeling in splendid spirand larger this year than ever before auti-Johnson grass essociation whose ever,

CATTLEMEN HOLDING FOR HIGHER PRICES

Fort Worth Record.

The independent western cattleman will hold his stuff until prices are satisfactory. The ranges are in fine shape, cattle are fat, a good crop of hay has been made and harvested and cattlemen are not compelled to sell.

After a trip to West Texas, Secre tary H. E. Crowley of the Cattle Rais ers' Association, makes the foregoing comment on the livestock situation. He continued:

"Cattlemen are in better shape this year to hold their cattle for satisfactory prices than ever before, and will do so if prices do not suit. The supply of cattle is limited and no cattleman has his ranges overstocked, and with a good winter pasture, he can afford to hold his stuff until prices suit. It is not the intention of the cowman to sell any cattle until the prices are sat isfactory

"Another thing to be considered in this regard is the shortage of cattle, a condition favoring higher prices."

Mr. Crowley returned with all kinds of glowing reports on conditions in the Shackleford county section. In speaking of conditions, he said: "Cattle in the section that I visited are fat and are getting fatter and have plenty of good grass on which to graze. The ranges are in good shape and cattle will go into the winter in fine shape.

"The condition of the crops could hardly be better, and unless the unforeseen happens a good cotton and corn crop will be made. Up to the present the cotton crop has not been troubled by any of the pests.

"The corn crop is far above the tver age, and in all, I never saw finer pros pects in any section."

TRESPASSER SHOT.

Zack Morris is Said to Have Used Abusive Language to Woman. From Tuesday's Daily.

Resenting his threats, abusive language and the trespass of her property Mrs. Funston, wife of a contractor who has charge of the brick laying at the yesterday afternoon fired two shots from a six-shooter at Zack Morris, a laborer living on Fifteenth street, one of the shots lodging in the flesh of Morris' thigh, causing a painful, but not serious wound.

It appears from the best reports that can be obtained that the trouble arose over the use of a well on the lot at the rear of the house occupied by the Funstons. The two families live in adjoining houses, there being no well top of the building. on the property on which Morris

Yesterday afternoon it seems that Morris went to the well to water his horse at the same time Mrs. Funston came to get some water for use in the house. An argument was started and it is said that Morris used abusive language and drove Mrs. Funston away and that when she started from the house again, he advanced toward her in a threatening manner, whereupon she fired two shots from a six-

No complaints have been filed in the case and unless the officers find that the facts are different from what they are now believed to be, it is probable that there will be nothing done in

Allendale Happenings.

Special to the Times. Allendale, Tex., Aug. 24.-A much needed rain fell here Sunday morning. It was light, but enough to put the ground in a good condition for the fall One of the best meetings ever held

at Allendale closed last Friday morning with the baptism of six boys and girls. Three other persons had been baptized earlier in the services, making a total of nine who professed by baptism. Nine others joined by statement or letter. There were several converted, who have as yet united with no church.

At a business meeting of the Baptists Saturday morning the pastor, Rev O. J. Harmonson, was called again for another year. Although he is a young man, he has gained the love and confidence of his people and the deepest re-

spect of those outside his church. Misses Mabel Cloud of Wichita Falls and Emily Crowell of Bowman were visiting in Allendale last week.

Mrs. J. B. Sisk and little sop, Paul, are visiting relatives in Comanche

Anti-Johnson Grass Association. Temple, Ok., Aug. 23.—Realizing the threatened widespread and disasrous results from the unhindered growth of Johnson grass in this southwestern country and taking advantage of the law recently passed by the First legislature making it a misdemeanor for property owners to permit the growth, farmers in adjoining townships of the three counties of Comanthus far Bourland township in Jeffersole purpose is to urge the enforcement of the Johnson grass law.

Reports from over the county indicate that Johnson grass has rapidly spread within the last two years and in some places has become a menace to the farming crops. The new organization promises to grow rapidly and become an effective means of coping with the pest and a valuable assistant in securing the enforcement of the Johnson grass law here.

TEXAN DONATES YEAR'S SALARY TO BRYAN FUND

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 20.-There was joy in the financial department of the democratic headquarters for a short time today when the glad news was re- A. A. HUGHES. ceived that the mayor, of Timpson, Texas, had agreed to give his entire year's salary to the Bryan campaign fund.

Col. Wetmore, chairman of the committee was pleased and had visions of amounts ranging from \$500 to \$2,000. He was much chagrined, however, when upon investigation it was found that Timpson paid its mayor the salary of \$1 per year.

The Dogs' Days of Trouble.

These are troublesome days for the canine tribe, especially that portion whose owners have not paid the license and placed a tag upon Fido. The dog catchers are busy and many canines have been caught and put in the bound in the last ten days. Some of the owners of these dogs have appeared at the pound, have paid the pound keeper's charges and the license fee and are again in possession of their

Other dogs whose owners fail to call for them and pay the fees and license are offered for sale. If not sold they are killed.

Prizes for Best Corn.

To the farmer bringing to either of our offices between now and the first of October the best one dozen ears of corn we will pay a cash prize of \$7.50, and for the second best one dozen cars a prize of \$2.50 will be paid. Contest confined to farmers residing in Wichita, Clay and Archer counties. A committee of farmers to be selected by plant of the new brick factory, late the contestants will judge the corn and award the prizes.

> BEAN & STONE. MARLOW & HUEY Wichita Falls, Tex., Aug. 20, '08 86-12tp

Laborer Injured.

From Tuesday's Daily. Late this afternoon one of the laborers at the new Moore & Bateman build ing was struck on the head by a sec tion of brick falling on him from the

The man's name was Davis and he was driving the horse which pulls the was taken to his room and it is be lieved that his injuries are of a serious

It is Not Justice.

The fallen white women of Fort Worth, it is said, are being put on the rock pile side by side with the white and negro male criminals. Where are those men who are responsible for the wreck of these unfortunate lives? We will not undertake to say that the women should not be punished, but should they be forced to perform manual labor on the streets of a city, ex posed to the gaze of those who are responsible for their downfall, who are permitted to move in the best so cial and commercial circles? Is it right?-McKinney Courier-Gazette.

Cut Thumb on Lawn Mower. Henry Jackson, the little son of W. W. Jackson, living on the corner of Tenth street and Burnett avenue, nearly cut his thumb off yesterday while playing with the lawn mower, causing considerable excitement in the neigh

STRAYED-A small red mule, 3 years old, collar marks and had on halter when it left my place 4 miles north of town. Will pay liberal reward for information leading to recovery of animal. C. Waller. 89-21p w-1tp

Dr. C. C. Young is again back in Wichita Falls after an absence of about eight months, during which time he has traveled in Europe and Asiatic Russia, also in France, Germany and other European countries. His wife, who accompanied him on his trip, is now at Topeka, Kansas:

NEW MERCANTILE FIRM INCORPORATED.

A dispatch from Austin announces the incorporation of the Wichita Valley Mercantile Company of this city. The capital stock is \$20,000 and the

incorporators are J. H. Coleburn, T. L. Coleburn, J. D. Cooper and S. Y. Ferguson. The company will engage in the wrolesale and retail general merchandise business and will open up in the new building on Indiana avenue adjoining S. Y. Ferguson's old stand, beche, Stephens and Jefferson-affecting tween the 1st and 15th of September.

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Secretary Gohlke Will Tell the Grow ers Why They Should Market Their Crop Here.

The regular weekly meeting of the directors of the Chamber of Commerce this morning acted upon the necessity for a better local cotton market than formerly prevailed here by authorizing the secretary to write to ita Falls, calling attention to the increased number of buyers who have arranged to quarter here during the cotton season and the subsequent result of creating a great deal more competition and better prices for the product. The location of a compress, cotton seed oil mill and three cotton gins are to the profession. adds additional strength to the competitive market. These conditions need only be brought to the attention of cotton growers to counteract the impression of the past that Wichita Falls discourage long hauls to market.

Reports from cotton districts by lo cal men are to the effect that contrary to the pessimistic rumors of a short crop, that the outlook for a bumper crop is excellent. This and an increased acreage point to the greatest cotton market Wichlta Falls ever experi. Robertson deceased:

A communication from the Commercial Club of Walters, Oklahoma, asking of Robert Robertson, deceased, late the co-operation of Wichita Falls in of Wichita County, Texas, by M. F. the building of a railroad to Oklahoma Yeager, judge of the County Court of City, running through Randlett, Walter. Duncan and Lindsay, with traffic said court, hereby notifies all persons arrangements over the Wichita Falls indebted to said estate to come forand Northwestern, to avoid building a ward and make settlement and all bridge over Red river, was favorably those having claims against said esreported on. The Walter Commercial tate to present them to him at his Club will be assured of equable ar- residence in Wichita Falls in Wichita rangements with the Wichita Falls County, Texas, at which post office he and Northwestern being made at such receives his mail. time as they want to make contract and the further co-operation, of the Chamber of Commerce to this end.

The attention of the directors was called to the bad condition of the Denver railroad crossing on Seventh street and the secretary was instructed to write Chairman Richolt of the cents a thousand cubic feet in Kanstreet committee, requesting his aid in sas to 89.7 cents in California.

the improvement of the crossing.

The secretary reported correspondence with the Katy immigration department, agreeing to distribute literature of Wichita Fall sin connection with their immigartion work. Literature will also be provided for distribution at the fairs of the middle west by this department.

For the purpose of directing attention of the next legislature and the representatives of this district to the needs of our territory, resolutions will be forwarded requesting the establishment of an experimental station near Wichita Falls.

An exhibit booth constructed of corn and cotton stalks and having an abundance of literature and an attendant in charge will be installed at the Oklahoma and Texas State fairs should not the cost be prohibitive. The secretary will look into the matter and make arrangements to have the fair every cotton grower tributary to Wich. circuit covered provided the funds will allow such wide latitude.

The secretary was authorized to at tend the convention of Commercial Secretaries at Fort Worth September 9th, 10th and 11th and get as much publicity as possible for this section. aside from the value such conventions

The opportunity for the location of a cotton mill will be advertised among the manufacturers and attention directed to Wichita Falls as a desirable point offering local assistance to the lacked enough competitive buying to right people. This idea will be persist ently followed up until results are had.

> Administrators Notice. The State of Texas

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What Wichita Falls is Doing in the ter, and it has about been decided to

There are more than twenty-five structures and will cost between \$5,000; and \$10,000 each. Among the latter is that of Mrs. Addickes on West Tenth

and Tenth street. The old house which round. formerly occupied this lot has been removed and the work of laying the foundation for the new building in un-

paring plans for a new residence for Mr. Frank Kell, to be erected on the site of the one he and his family now occupy on the west side of Scott avenue between Ninth and Tenth streets. I will cost when completed between \$6,000 and \$10,000.

Mrs. Page has constructed on the rear end of her lot on the northeast corner of Lamar avenue and Tenth street a neat two-story frame resi-

The Moore & Bateman building on he southwest corner of Eighth street and Indiana avenue, is nearing completion and when completed will cost in the neighborhood of \$15,000, aside from the value of the 50x150 foot lot on which it stands. It will be the Wichita Falls for some time to come. handsomest, if not the most expensive two story brick structure in the city. GRANDFIELD WILL BE

Work on the foundation of the new \$35,000 opera house on the northeast corner of Indiana avenue and Tenth tween the people of Eschiti and the street, is again under way after a de Wichita Falls and Northwestern raillay of a few days caused by lack of a sufficient amount of crushed rock.

The work of excavating for the founlation for the new city hall, a building that is to cost over \$15,000, is about completed, and material for puting in the concrete foundation is being placed on the ground. It is expected that the cornerstone for this hand. some structure, which is to be connorthwest corner of Ninth street and ties. Ohlo avenue, will be laid by the Ma sonic order on September 26th. The reason for selecting this date for the ed at the corner of Lamar avenue and cornerstone event is that Wichita Falls | Seventh street is to be an institutional was organized on September 27, 1882, church, with gymnasium and Y. M. C. but as the 27th falls on Sunday this A. rooms. The cost is to be \$25,000. year it was necessary to either cele. The subscription is said to be nicely brate on the day before or the day af- under way.

set the 26th for this important event, at which time Wichita Falls is expectnew residences now going up, and ed to do her best in the way of enterome of them will be really beautiful taining the crowds of vistors expected here on that occasion.

A great deal towards getting ready street, which is now nearing comple for the making of pressed brick at the Wichita Falls brick and tile plant has already been accomplished and it is Mr. C. E. Reid has also let the con- now thought that the plant will be in eract for a handsome residence to be active operation by early fail. This constructed on the lot between G. D. enterprise represents an investment of Anderson and O. T. Bacca on the west over \$60,000 and will give steady work side of Burnett avenue, between Ninth to more than forty people the year

There are now at work a force of more than fifty men on Wichita Falls' sewerage system, in addition to the force which is operating the two large Jones & Orlopp, architects, are pre-ditching machines, the largest of which digs a ditch to the depth of sixteen feet. This work will cost the city about \$35,000 and when completed will cover all the business portion and a grater part of the residence portion of the city.

> The new 59x130 foot one-story brick building on the west side of Indiana avenue between Seventh and Eighth streets, will be completed and occupied by the Wichita Valley Mercantile Company by September 15. This building is the property of the Wichita Falls Investment Company.

There are plans being made for many other business houses and residences and the outlook is that there will be no let-up in the building line in

NAME OF NEW TOWN

By a provision of the contract beroad company for the settlement of the townsite fight between Kell and Eschiti, the new town has been christened Grandfield, in honor of Charles A. Grandfield, first assistant postmaster general of the United States.

This act of dropping both the names of Eschiti and Kell was thought ad visable for the reason that it would have a tendency to obliterate any prestructed on a 50x150 foot lot on the tween the people of the two communijudicial feeling that has existed be-

The M. E. church edifice to be erect-

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Bryan's Tariff Speech

which was distinctly contrasted the positions of the republican and democratic parties on the tariff question. e mist important in the campaign. closing his speech, Mr. Bryan higher than that of Great Britain.

I cannot pass this part of my subhimself to be drawn into the use of an generation. Speaking of the gradual substitution of a revenue tariff for the protective system, he says in his noification speech:

"The introduction in power of a par y with this avowed purpose cannot. duce business disaster, compared with will seem small indeed."

Here is a threat of a panic if the re publican party is not retained in pow-

the panic of 1893 and the panic lete control of the federal government

The panic of 1907 came after the re- tions. publicans had been in complete conthey wanted to do and to undo ever

never done before, namely, arbitrarily limit the amount of money that depositors could draw on their own accounts. Ex-Secretary Shaw says that the stringency of 1907 was "the severest the world has ever witnessed." With this panic fresh in his mind, is it not strange that he should argue that his election is necessary to prevent a

I have referred to two of the three of 1893. If that could be properly fairly charged to the democrats? It dorsed. came, it is true, but a few months afpresident, but it came while the Mc-Kinley high tariff was still in effect and before a single republican law had that were in operation before the election. In fact, it was the failure of the republican party to do its duty and satdemocratic victory and these causes power. Now, this is the record, and panic in case of democratic success.

essarily mean that the actual labor cost | publican candidate. of a article is higher here than abroad. On the contrary, the rule is that high turers of hardware will tell you that they can export hardware which contains a great deal of labor and a small amount of raw material, but they cannot export hardware in which the raw material constitutes a large proportion of the value. We are sending manufactures of steel all over the world. The steam engine, for instance, is made by skilled labor, and yet we can send it abroad and defy competition. Our electrical machinery is made by skilled labor, and yet we have no fear of foreign competition, even in the foreign markets. Our agricultural machinery is made by skilled labor, and yet we export it to all countries. Our sewing machines are manufactured by skilled abor but the American traveler finds our sewing machines every. where; and the list could be extende l

For twenty-five years the American ceives higher wages than the English more are coming in every day.

indefinitely.

At Des Moines, lowa, last night Mr. | workman solely because of protection, Bryan delivered a notable speech in but our wage earners now know that this cannot be due to protection, because the English workman receives higher wages than the German work-The speech, we believe, will be one of man, although the German tariff is plete control o fthe federal governmen.

Protection does not make good wages. Our better wages are due to ject, without calling attention to the the greater intelligence and skill of fact that Secretary Taft has allowed our workmen, to the greater hope which free institutions give them, to argument which the beneficiaries of improved machinery, to the better conprotection have been employing for a ditions that surround them, and to the organizations which have been formed among the wage earners.

A revenue tariff will not bring a panic; it will not inaugurate industrial depression; it will not reduce wages; on the contrary it will stimulate busi but halt the gradual recovery from our ness and give more employment, and a ecent financial depression and pro- larger demand for labor will be a guarwhich our recent panic and depression A reduction of the tariff will reduce the extortion that is now practiced because of the high schedules: a reduction in price will enable more people to This panic argument was worked buy, and this larger demand for the overtime in 1896, but I am surprised goods will put more people to work and increase the number of industries. A lower price will greatly stimulate exportation, and manufacturers who are publican party was born; the panic now crippled by a tariff upon what they use will be better prepared to en-The panie of 1873 came after the contest for supremacy in the

We cannot hope to invade foreign party succeeded in securing we relieve our manufacturers of the control of the executive branch of the handicap that protection places upon government. The startling "panic and them in the purchase of materials they depression" of 1873 occurred in the have to use. Neither can we hope to very midst of republican rule, just af continually increase our exports withter a republican victory and under a out increasing our imports. President McKinley recognized this, and in the etary Taft should forget this panic, last speech that he made he pointed when he warns us to beware of any out that we must buy from other naeparture from the protective system? tions if we expect to sell to other na-

The democratic plan does not con trol of the federal government for template an immediate change from more than ten years. They had had one system to the other; it expressly an opportunity to everything that declares that the change shall be gradreal and a gardual change is only posthing that needed to be undone, and sible where the country is satisfied we were under such a high tariff that with the results of each slep taken. We elect a congress every two years cessity of revision. The panic was so and a president every four years, and bad that even the banks felt it nec- the people can soon stop any policy if essary to do something that they had the results of that policy are not satperience the people have had with prounounced and that the benefits will be so universally enjoyed that there will be no cessation in the progress toward a system under which the tariff will be levied for the purpose of rev ditions which compel the republican enue and limited to the needs of the party to accept the responsibility for government. The low tariff law of Now let us consider the panic 1846 did not produce a panic; on the contrary, it was so satisfactory that charged to the democratic party, it even when the republican party wrote would only be one democratic panic to its first platform ten years afterward two republican panies. But can it be the protective principle was not en-

The democratic party has declared ter the inauguration of a democratic for an income tax as a part of the revenue system, and for a constitutional amendment as a means of securing been repealed, and it came from causes his notification speech tsat he is in isfy the people that brought about a sible to secure such a tax without a constitutional amendment. If it is would have brought on a panic, even if possible to frame a law which will the republican party had remained in avoid the objections raised to the income tax law of 1894, well and good, yet, in spite of this record, the republi- but that is uncertain. If an income tax can candidate presumes to threaten a is desirable, surely Secretary Taft can not consistently oppose the adoption of The third proposition, which the pro- a constitutional amendment. If the tectionist must establish, namely, that principle is right and the tax wise, Conthe tariff asked for is necessary, is gress ought to have authority to levy still less considered. It is true that and collect such a tax, and no support we pay higher wages per day than are er of Secretary Taft can oppose our popaid elsewhere, but that does not nec- sition without dissenting from the re-

The whole aim of our party is to se cure justice in taxation. We believe priced labor produces a cheaper are that each individual should contribute ticle than low-priced labor. Manufac- to the support of the government is proportion to the benefits which he receives under the protection of the government. We believe that a revenue fariff, approached gradually, according to the plan laid down in our platform, will equalize the burdens of taxation, and that the addition of an income tax will make taxation still more equitable. If the republican party is to have the support of those who find a pecuniary profit in the exercise of the taxing power, as a private asset in their business, we ought to have the support of that large majority of the people who produce the nation's wealth in time of peace, protect the nation's flag in time of war, and ask nothing from the government but even-handed justice.

Much interest is being taken by the farmers in the corn exhibit in which two real estate firms of this city are offerings cash prizes. Already a large working man has been told that he re number of entries have been made and Arrives Wichita Falls11:00 a. m.



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ping in the city today.

From Monday's Daffy. Mrs. L. J. Graham is vi iting relatives in Frederick, Oklahoma. David Rogers, postmaster at Jolly,

was here today on business. The Misses Ziegler left this after-

noon for Seymour to visit friends. Mrs. W. E. Rock Jr. and children are visiting relatives in Cotulia, Texas.

Judge A. H. Carrigan has returned from a short visit at Hope, Arkansas, Robert M. Waggoner of Vernon was on business.

Judge Scurry rose ahead of the rain yesterday morning and took breakfast with the Gorsline-Walsh camping party at Lake Wichita.

Mrs. T. M. Sims, who with her little daughter has been visiting her parents at Newkirk, Oklahoma, for some weeks, is expected home this week.

From Tuesday's Daily.

George Myers of Jolly, Texas, was here today looking after business mat-

the city visiting Mr. J. M. Davis and family.

today looking after his business inter-

after a visit of several days with relitry weekly in Texas.

from a month's visit to Mineral Wells, greatly improved in health. Mr. and Mrs. Flint Murphy have re-

turned from a two weeks pleasure trip to San Antonio and Galveston. Mrs. A. L. Jackson of Ennis, is in

the city, the guest of her niece, Mrs. J. E. Stratton, 605 Scott avenue. Capt. W. J. McDonald. State revenue

agent, came in today and is the guest of Capt. J. H. McCauley and family. Miss Helen Jalonick left this morn-

ing for Olney to visit her friend, Mrs. rado. C. W. Richolt, formerly of this city. Mrs. W. P. Bonner, after a month's visit with relatives and friends at

Teague, Texas, returned home last

night. F. H. Lewis, who has ben visiting relatives at his home in Erin, Tennessee, for the past month, returned home today.

W. H. Scarbrough and family of Fort Worth are in the city viisting Mrs. M. S. Skinner, Mrs. Scarbronet sister you. and ean sive

Mrs. E. L. White, 1510 Tenth street, returned home yesterday from a visit with Mrs. H. D. Gunnells of Chickasha, Oklahoma. Mrs. J. W. Guillet and children of

Burkburnett, and her friend, Mrs. town for a few days. E. B. Stevens, of the firm of Nutt,

Stevens & Hardeman, returned last night from , St. Louis, where he had been to purchase stock.

Mrs. W. T. Williams of Panhandle, Texas, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. G. C. Raley of this city, left for home this afternoon.

Mrs. H. C. Young and her daughter, Miss Minnie Young, returned today



Nose and Throat-Xray and

from a stay at Manitou and Colorado Springs.

I. W. Gullahorn' is confined to his home and is threatened with an attack

of fever. R. L. Hudson, a business man from Romona, Oklahoma, who has been looking after his property interests in

this city, left for home this afternoon. Seth S. Fassett of Keeler, Michigan, came in last night to see his brother, A. F. Fassett, who has been quite sick, in the city today en route to Haskell but we are glad to state is somewhat better today.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Burnett of Guthrie. Oklahoma, are here for a visit to their son, J. H. Burnett and his family. At the conclusion of their stay here, they will visit with friends in Missouri, Ohio and New York before returning to their Oklahoma home.

Phillip Wise of Bonham, ex-sheriff of Fannin county, was here yesterday and today. Mr. Wise has made investments in farming property near this city and was here looking after his interests. He is very favorably impress-Mrs. T. C. Davis of Greenville is in ed with Wichita Falls and the country surrounding it, and may decide to locate here in the near future. He is a P. C. Maricle is down from Childress reader of the Weekly Times and in renewing for another year, paid the paper a very high compliment by say-Prof. H. A. Fairchild returned today ing that it was the best all-round coun-

M. S. Skinner returned last night From Wednesday's Daily. W. T. Huff of Devol, Oklahoma, is in the city visiting relatives.

J. A. Cox, a prominent grain man o Vernon, is in the city today.

M. G. Talbott of Petrolia was trans acting business here today.

G. E. Englehart of the Club ranch was here today on business.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Carver of Arche City were in the city today. J. N. Prothro returned last night

from a month's pleasure trip in Colo-N. Harding, cashfer of the Fort

Worth National bank, was in the city

Miss Mary Cox of Vernon is in the

city for a visit to her brother, Manager E. A. Cox, and his family. Worth the S. J. H. Barwise of Fort

to Denver, Colorado.

W. H. Dolen of Windom, Texas, was



that the crop of fine Havana tobacco has ben practically all bought up. That needn't worry you if you smoke the Watt cigar. We have secured a supply of the choicest leaf that insures the high quality of the Watt for months to come. The Wat cigar cannat be any better than it is now. Our foresight in securing enough Havana tobacco is assurance that it will not lose any of its fine qualities.

in the city today en route to Byers to

look after property interests. Miss Lee Scott and Miss Lena Wilson of Archer City were among the local visitors in the city today.

Eugene Leach, bridge foreman for the Fort Worth and Denver, was shaking hands with friends here today. J. France Linnard of Texarkana was

a visitor to this city yesterday, the guest of his friend, B. F. Crawford. Mrs. T. B. Cook and children left vesterday for an extended visit to

friends in Colorado and Nebraska. Percy Hillburn will leave tomorrow for New York City, where he goes to

accept a position and make his future Mr. and Mrs. Frank Osborn of Cor-

dell, Oklahoma, are in the city, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Mc-L. W. Patton, formerly a busniess

man of this city, but now of Fort Worth, is in the city, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Wilson. Mrs. D. R. Perkins and daughter,

Miss Emma of Roswell, New Mexico, are visiting with Mrs. W. J. Nolen and Mrs. B. P. Bullock of this city. Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Baker of Pecos

City, who have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. H. J. Sparks, of this city, left for home this afternoon. Mrs. M. H. Barwise and daughter. Mis Nina, left this afternoon over the

Wichita Valley for Seymour, where they will visit with friends for a few Mrs. M. A. Boyd left today for Dayidson, Oklahoma, to visit her friend,

Mrs. John Myers. She will also visit

relatives' in Hollis, Oklahoma, before returning home. Mr. and Mrs. D. Self of Channing, Texas, who have been visiting H. G. Sparks and family of this city, left this afternoon for Lampasas, where they

will visit before returning home. Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Bolton; accompanied by Mrs. M. E. Benson, Mrs. Bolfon's mother, left today for Quanah, which place they will make their future home, Mr. Bolton having the contract to rebuild several brick buildings for Banker Goedlet, recently destroyed

H. J. Bachmann will leave tomorrow for Nashville, Tenn., to be present at the wedding of his niece, which takes place near Nashville, at the country Mrs. T. B. Cook and children left home of the bride's parents on Septemtoday for Liberty, Nebraska, to visit ber 1st. He will be accompanied as far as Fort Worth by his daughter, Miss Lillian, who will visit friends there for a few days.

> O. B. Cecil and family arrived last night from Lufkin, Texas. Mr. Cecil is a member of the Wichita Falls Foundry and Machine Company and will have charge of the foundry department, on which good progress is being made: Mr. Cecil and his family are stopping at the Argyle hotel until they can secure a house.

From Thursday's Daily. artist, was in the city today.

B. B. Mask has accepted a position rith J. C. Ziegler as bookkeeper. Miss Sarah Ulmer is reported as be

ing sick at her home in this city. M. M. Johns of Dallas is in the city.

he guest of E. L. Walsh and family. Elbert Taylor returned today from a I. J. Marcey of Terrell is in the city, has been visiting relatives for the past the old settlers reunion.

the guest of his brother-in-law, Judge C. B. Felder.

the city today. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Shaw returned to-

Hico, Texas. Brantley Malone of Abilene is spend- tlers reunion.

ing several days with his brother, C. A. Malone, here.

is in the city visiting her mother, Mrs. here today. W. W. Man and family.

Mrs. Geo. Myers of Jolly was shop-

Judge C. B. Felder left this afternoon for Graham on business. Mrs. C. W. Beavers and daughter,

Miss Dorothy returned last night from a two weeks visit in Colorado Mrs. Edna Black returned today

from Uvalde, Texas, where she had been visiting her sister, Mrs. Mears. Mr. John Sullivan, who has been confined to his home with fever for the mer in that State.

past month, was able to be out today. Mrs. G. J. Stroh returned this afmonth.

dale were among the local visitors in iting Mrs. Hudnall's sister, Mrs. Fred fall and winter stock of goods. Carter.

Mrs. Frank Hursh and her mother, ter, Texas, were in the city today en this afternoon to attend the old set- they had been visiting relatives.

C. C. Cook, for several years a busi-

Mrs. C. W. Morgan Jr. of Stamford at McLean, Texas, was meeting friends at Austin, before returning home.

Mrs. Dave Lynch.

Rev. George C. Ulmer left this afternoon for Electra to participate in the held there today.

Sheer, downright common-sense ought to prevent

ladies from buying shoes as they buy a yard of

cotton cloth. The selection of shoes is a matter

of one's comfort and freedom from fatigue for

months to come. Don't refuse at least to try on a

single pair of "Dorothy Dodd" Shoes before you

decide. They cost only \$3.50 and \$4, but they

are worth five times that sum to any woman who

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Miss May Humphries returned last church building. night from Muskogee, Oklahoma, where N. Henderson returned yeslerday Sterling Priddy.

J. A. Kemp returned last night from Colorado, where he had been visiting tend her visit for several weeks. his family, who are spending the sum-

R. J. Harris, a business man from Frederick, Oklahoma, was in the city month's pleasure trip in San Antonio. ternoon from Round Rock, where she today en route to Seymour to attend W. E. Skeen returned yesterday

Mrs. P. C. Hudnall and children of from the dry goods and millinery mar-Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Guinn of Allen- Smithville, Texas, are in the city vis- kets, where he had gone to select his Mr. J. A. Boyd and wife of Lancas

day from a visit with relatives at Mrs. L. E. G. Randall, left for Seymour route home from Iowa Park, where Mrs. W. E. Skeen left this afternoon

for Dallas to visit relatives. She will ness man of this city, but now located also visit her sister, Mrs. C. D. Smith,

Mrs. Flint Murphy and daughter, home today from a month's visit in has been visiting his grandmother, Miss Tura Thaxton of Henrietta is Miss Cossie, left this afternoon for Austin. She was accompanied by her Mrs. Etta D. Smith, and aunt, Mrs. J. in the city, visiting her friend, Mrs. R. Seymour to visit Mrs. Murphy's sister, cousin, Miss Carmen Montgomery, of C. Hunt of this city, left this afternoon

Dr. D. T. Summerville, district superintendent of the Methodist Episco prohibition election which is being pal church, is in the city in the interest of starting the new Institutional

from Seguin, where he had gone for a visit. His mother, Mrs. M. T. Henderson, who accompanied him, will ex-

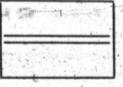
Mrs. Henry Hines of Colorado, why has been visiting her uncle. Mr. Job

Barnett and family of this city, left today for Olney, where she will join her husband in their new home. Miss Mattle Harding and Miss Myra Moore returned today from a trip 10

St. Louis, where they went to attend the opening of the millinery markets in the interest of W. E. Skeen's store. F. H. Dowdy of Charlie, Texas, and

his two brothers, Joe and R. A. Dowdy, from Essex, Missouri, were in the city today on their return from Graham, where they had been visiting relatives. Kenneth Smith, the little son of Mr.

Miss Maybelle Clopton returned and Mrs. C. D. Smith of Austin, who for home.



DUTCH LUNCHES



Where Could You Get a Bettter List to Select From?

Swiss Cheese, Brick Cheese, Limburger Cheese, American Cream Cheese, Sap Sago Cheese, Edam Cheese, Pineapple Cheese. Dill Pickles, Sweet Mixed Pickles, Plain Mixed Pickles, Plain Sweet Pickles, Sour Mixed Pickles, Plain Sour Pickles, Olives in the bulk and in the bottle. Sliced Dried Beef, Sliced Boiled Ham, Dried Herring, French Sardines, Russian Caviar, Pate De Foie Gras, Puree De Foie Gras.

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