BURNS MAKES MORE CHARGES

SAYS NATIONAL BOARD OF IRON WORKERS' UNION APPROPRI-ATED MONEY FOR DYNA-MITING.

McManigal Exhibted More Regard for Human Life Than McNamaras in Quaker City. By Associated Press.

involved an explosion about a year of paving become general. in an alley near the building of the regiment now living. Pittsburg Plate Glass Company in the center of the city. Burns claims one of the McNamaras was register. NEGROES BURNED explosion at the Edwards place. Burns says that McManigal told him he came here with instructions to blow up the railroad but when he found the structure was near several tenement houses he feared there would be loss of life and went away without dynamiting the bridge.

Asked whether any present member of the Structural Iron Workers' Union would be arrested Burns said: "I do not care to say, but I will say this the national board of the association appropriated certain sums to the McNamaras, and in my opinion, they knew the money was to be used for dynamiting purposes.

Bordwell Gives Views.

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 6.-Judge

the fact that the law applicable thereto, I deem it due to the court and their cries as the slow fire from the this community that I should make a cotton seed consumed them. brief public statement regarding the circumstances surrounding the abrupt close of these cases, together with sufficient comment to indicate my views as to such circumstances. This is done in the hope of correcting, if possible, some misconceptions due to erroneous publications and particularly to an article which appears in a local newspaper on the second terday by Mr. Jones to J. J. Taylor instant over the signature of Lincoln

suggestion that the termination of and will open at that time with the cases was due to the efforts of vaudeville and pictures. Mr. J. D. himself and other outsiders who un- Jones, who has been manager of the dertook to influence the officers of house for the past six months, will the court-other than the judge-is continue in the position for a time. without justification in fact.

"I also wish to denounce the claims of that gentleman and of other persons acting for him, that the change of pleas from not guilty to guilty was due to his efforts, as groundless and untrue. He is correct in the statement that the court was not a party to any negotiations for what he

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STORAGE ROOMS

clean rooms in cold storage plants tired of dodging the officers. where eggs are stored. In an aultimatum just issued by J. S. Abbott, state convinced that Edwards is telling the Their Ticket Snowed Under by 40,000 commissioner, it is set out that in whole truth but he will be held unmany cold storage plants eggs are til his story can be investigated. stored in dark and dirty rooms where Edwards claims that he enlisted at bad odors are absorbed and other Ponca City, Oklahoma, in 1901. deterioration sets in, and all eggs found in these unhappy surroundings will be confiscated. "There will be next summer unless conditions are this morning: greatly improved," said the commis-

War is to be made also against the T. J. Taylor was appointed adminshipment and sale of sick chickens istrator of the J. R. Roling estate. and fowls. It is declared the sick chicken industry must go. Two carloads of them already have been con- Governor Foss the Progressive Repufiscated in North Texas. The pure blicans in Massachusetts, it is said, food laws of the State of Texas are will endeavor to prevent a solid deleto be vigorously enforced in every gation being sent to the Republican inging "Faust" in two reels with music grave of the late Senator John W. denied the privilege of visiting Rus ranch in New Mexico, 8,000 head of arbitration treaties would not be

WIGHITA FALLS HAS THE BEST PAVING

"Wichita Falls has more good paying in its business district than any other city in Texas," said Maj. T. M. Burroughs of Fort Worth who was in the city on business today. "I don't mean comparatively speaking either. I mean that Wichita Falls has actually got more good paving than any other city in the state. Some cities have MAPES VS. F. W. AND D. ESCAPE WELL PLANNED FOR more and even newer laid pavement than Wichita Falls but none have so

much good pavement. Major Burroughs says that the first wood block paving was laid in San city to take up this kind of paving Namara brothers were responsible pression got abroad there in 1873 that aged the structural iron works on nected with the spread of a yellow of the next term of the court several buildings, according to Detec- fever epidemic there and the pavement tive Wm. J. Burns, who arrived here was torn up. Not until the last few today. He said the probe in this city years he said, had the use of this kind

reconstructed, and another that dam- operating in the Southwest. He was a jurors. aged the structural iron for the Phila member of the Seventh Virginia Indelphia Rapid Transit Company's ele fantry of Kemper's Brigade of Pickvated road. No one was injured in ett's division which made the glorious these explosions. After the detons charge on the field of Gettysburg. He tions sticks of dynamite were found is one of the very few survivors of his ed and the lawyers began when the

THREE, ONE OF THEM A NEGRESS. TO WAGON OF COTTON SEED AND INCINERATOD.

White Tenants Look Upon Horrifying Spectacle, Jeering Cries of Tortured.

By Associated Press. Memphis, Tenn., Dec. 6.-Two Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 6.—Two Memphis, Tenn., Dec. 6.—Two views as to the McNamara trial and land tenants who objected to occupespecially what brought about its ancy of land by colored tenants near dy was then introduced to locate the termination. The statement follows: Savannah, Tenn., yesterday. They "In spirit of indifference to every- were tied to a wagon load of seed cotthing in the McNamara cases save ton and incinerated. A crowd of explain the reasons why defendant was \$6.35.

The Colonial Theatre was sold yesof Petrolia. The new purchaser has closed the house until Thursday "In the first place, the claim or night, to make some improvements

Uncle Sam's officers a man giving his name as William Edwards told the officers of the city court this morning that he wanted to give up to answer a charge of desertion from the regular army. Edwards had been jailed ed their case. MUST BE CLEAN and this morning was brought into court to answer a charge of intoxica-San Antonio, Texas, Dec. 6.—The and then told the court that he had SOCIALIST DEFEAT State Food and Dairy Commission is deserted from the Third Calvary at directing an attack against the un- Boise, Idaho, in 1903 and that he was

The officers are not thoroughly

In the Probate Court. Judge C. B. Felder made the folno cold storage eggs sold in Texas lowing orders on the probate docket L. Wilkes was appointed guardian

of his minor children.

Encouraged by the re-election of convention for President Taft.

A CONTINUANCE GENERAL REYES WAS GRANTED HAS DISAPPEARED

SUIT OF KENNEDY VS. MOORE WAS SET FOR NEXT TERM OF COURT.

Damage Suit This Morning.

Francisco in about 1868. The next R. M. Moore, suit for slander and damages, the court granted the ap eral Reyes has not been seen about Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 6.—The Mc was Memphis, but some way the implication of defendant's counsel for his headquarters here for two days. a continuance, and the case was set Many of his closest advisers here for explosions in this city which dam- this pavement was in some way con- for the first day of the second week have also disappeared. At his home

The case of A. E. Mapes vs. the bed. The Mexican secret service Fort Worth and Denver Railroad, a men say that they are absolutely suit for damages was called for trial The defendants called for a jury, and ments and are much worried. Local and appealed their cases on a writ ago in the cafe of Harry Edwards. Majof Burroughs represents one of the morning hours were taken up federal officials say they are not the fight promoter, which was being the big refrigerator and safe concerns in testing the qualifications of the worrying so long as Reyes appears

> A jury was empanelled and sworn and the case went to trial before noon. The list of witnesses was call-

This is a case where plaintiff sues he defendant railway company for \$3,000 actual damages, by reasons of depreciation of value of property situated between 4th and 5th streets been told that the general could not ing legislation.

This property be seen, that he was busily engaged Judge Davidson wrote the main opinconsists of a dwelling house and two or was indisposed. Neither can it be ion in the Wolters case. After declarway Company built a switch withir thirty or forty feet of plaintiff's property line, and plaintiff claims that he is annoyed by noise and smoke and AFFAIR the close proximity of defendant's

together with the danger of accidents to the members of his family. The first witness introduced by the plaintiff were Mesdames Mapes and Alexander, who gave evidence of the actual situation pertaining to annoydefendant's switch track. The quesdefendant's counsel attemptel to NEW GUARDIANS OF reasons of a viaduct built by the company under its tracks, changed the grade, so that said switch track was necessarily built on its present COLONIAL THEATRE location. Plaintiff's attorney tried to show that for all purposes of serving been built a greater distance from plaintiff's property. The line of questions asked Mr. Snoddy hinged

upon whether defendant company in serving its best interests did not encroach upon the rights of the publie, including the plaintiff. Mr. Gates of the firm of Carroll-Brough-Robinson-Gates wholesale grocerers was on the stand and testified relative to arrangements made with defendant company to put in the

switch track. Mr. Cramner of the firm of Brown FROM THE ARMY and Cramner was then placed on the stand, who also was questioned about and Cramner was then placed on the the reasons for defendant company's switch track being built and the re-After spending eight years dodging sulting conditions after the track had been built. As to the necessity of building the track Mr. Cramner be lieved that the increase of defendant company's business demanded it. At this time plaintiff's counsel rest

WAS OVERWHELMING

Majority in Los Angeles-Prohibition Amendment Lost.

By Associated Press. Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 6.—The socialists ticket was defeated yesterday by about 40,000 and Alexander and the "good government" ticket were overwhelmingly victorious. The prohibition amendment lost by a large majority.

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adapted from the play. See it. 177-1tc Daniel, in Lynchburg, Va.

POLITICAL LEADER HAS CROSSED TO MEXICO.

Jury Selected and Testimony Begun in Mexican Secret Service Men Are Much House Had Not Been Properly Author. Evans left for his home this morn-Worried Over Reyes Disappear-

San Antonio, Texas, Dec. 6.-Gen-

it is still asserted that Reyes is in without information as to his movefor trial next month. It is generally

believed he has gone to Mexico. As far as ascertained here General Reyes crossed into Mexico at Tamau-ters or Gray.

the close proximity of defendant's OKLAHOMA CITY trains operating on said switch track

calves were sold. Tops brought \$6.50. Hog receipts were 2500 head. The forced. defendant's switch track. The quest market was ten cents lower. The tions asked Mr. Snoddy tended to bulk sold around \$5.90 and the top

CHINESE THRONE

Pekin, Dec. 6 .- Prince Chun, 'rethe public, the switch could have gent and father of the child emperor friends in this community who are abdicated today. His place as guardian of the throne taken jointly by two Manchu princes, Shih Shu and nsu Shih Chang.

> Resolutions of Respect. No. 1105 Benevolent and Protective success.

home in Electra, Texas, Resolved, by the members of said Lodge that in the death of Brother O'Donohoe we have lost one of our most loval, true and lovable brothers. One universally admired and esteemed and one who in his daily walks emulated and practiced the principles of Elkdom, than which no

higher tribute can be paid, and be it 1.3-114 Resolved, that the taking away of this brother in the very dawn of manfood but serves to remind each and lst. all of us that life is but a transient thing, ever subject to the call of the Great Director of man's destiny, and ORGANIZE TO BREAK should admonish us to be ever ready to join this brother who has merely gone, on before and awaits to greet

us when our time shall come, and be it further Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions of respect and esteem be spread upon the minutes of this Lodge, and that the secretary be requested to forward a copy thereof to the relatives of our deceased brother with the assurance that they are possessed of our deepest sympathy in this time of sorest affliction.

A. G. DEATHERAGE, M. N. BONNER, H. W. GASTON. Committee.

tion farm at Halletsville.

A movement has been started to

LEGISLATURE HAD NO AUTHORITY

BELIEVED AT SAN ANTONIO THAT SUPREME COURT DECIDES FAM. OUS WOLTERS AND GRAY SENTENCE.

> ized by Governor-Judge Pendergrast Dissents.

Austin, Texas, Dec. 6.—The court again a caudidate for that position, of criminal appeals this morning dis- and his friends here are of the opincharged Jake Wolters and W. H. Gray from custody, Judge Pendergast dis- will have to do some clever scrap-

senting. This is the case in which both were sentenced to forty-eight hours in jail by a special session of the legislature

of habeas corpus. The court held that the House had not been properly authorized by the lists and socialists. There are quite Governor to investigate the statewide a number of other candidates of conelection and could not sentence Wol. gress in the fourth district.

piles, a portion of the rebpublic where unrest has been prevalent. Reyes seemingly planned his advance with all the keen wit accreditd him as a military straegist. His best friends in San Antonio with whom he has had almost daily conferences with Four elaborate opinions were written had almost daily conferences with ommendations but that it had no pownothing of his departure. For two days callers at his residence have

discovered that any passerby has ing the legislature had no authority caught a glimpse of him during that to conduct an investigation unless the matter had been submitted by the governor he declared that the governor's request for \$27,500 to enforce laws could not be construed as submitting egislation on the subject of the in-

Judge Prendergast in dissenting in both cases, held the proceedings of both branches were regular and that judgment of the House from being en-

Bowman Items. Miss Allie Block has returned hom

Miss Clara Steffen entertaine quite a number of friends Thanksgiving in honor of her guest, Miss Nellie Williams.

Prof. Edwin Williams visited here Sunday.

Rev. Fitzgerald filled his appoint ment here Sunday. He has many glad to welcome him again. F. J. Block made a quick trip Wichita Falls Monday.

J. W. Campbell, government agen visited teh Bowman school Monday and organized a Boys Cotton Club and Whereas, on the 17th day of Nov. a Girls Tomato Club. Much interest 1911, Joe U. O'Donohoe a member in is being shown, especially by the good standing of Wichita Falls Lodge girls and we wish them the best of

Miss Lillie Meahler entertained Order of Elks, passed away at his number of friends) with an informal forty-two party Friday evening. J L McConkey was shaking hand

here Friday and Saturday. Miss Nellie Williams has returned to her home in Oklahoma. Rev. Bulgrin preached his first se

mon at this place Sunday. Services will be held every Sunday hereafter, The Santa Maria extension of the

San Benito interurban will be started at once and completed by January

TREATY WITH RUSSIA

New York, Dec. 6,-United State senators and representatives, diplo mats, educators and prominent men of affairs came to New York today to assist in the formulation of plans for a nation wide agitation for the abrogation of the treaty of 1832 with Russia because of that country's refusal to honor without discrimination the passports issued by the United States. The Russian authorities have persistently refused to honor passports issued to Jews. As a con J. O. Berryman, of the United sequence of this attitude on the part States Department of Agriculture is of the Czar's government many planning to establish a demonstra- Jewish citizens of the United States among them men of the world wide prominence as scholars, philanthro-

HON. B. Q. EVANS

Among the lawyers from a dis tance in attendance upon district FORMER MEXICAN REBEL LEADER court here yesterday was Hon. B. O. Evans of Greenville, who is associat

ed with Judges Scurry and Hughes attorneys for the plaintiff in the damattorneys for the plaintiff in the damage suit of S. M. Kennedy against R. RURALES M. Moore. The case was continued over until the next term of the court upon motion of the defense, and Mr. ing. Two years ago Mr. Evans was a candidate for congress against Mr. Randell, but was defeated. He is ion that the fellow who defeats him ping. He is a native of Georgia and has resided in Greenville for twentyfive years, during which time he has served his county with distinction two terms in the legislature, and has made quite a reputation as a debator in political contests with popu-

MANNER OF ENFORCEMENT OF PROHIBITION LAW AND OLD FACTIONAL FIGHT IN GA.

PRIMARY HELD TOMORROW

Judge Russell, Col. J. Pope Brown and Former Gov. Joseph M. Brown Candidates For Governor.

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 6 .- The permanent successor of Hoke Smith as governor of Georgia will be selected have been is problemetical, but it was by the Democrats in a statewide hastened by the approach of the Oklahoma City, Okla., Dec. 6.— Gray and Wolters were both guilty of primary tomorrow. The campaign troop train. The mob had stopped

> al unusual features The term of Governor Smith in the expired in July, 1913. The resignation of Governor Smith and the necessity of a special election to select his the soldiers when they alighted from successor were brought about by the the cars.

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SERIOUS CHARGE AGAINST OFFICER

Alex Sanders, a deputy constable this afternoon on an indictment port. charging him with rape.

No details concerning the indictment have been made public. A defendant accused of such a charge cannot receive bail. It is understood that Sanders will ask for an immed

FIX SALARIES OF CITY OFFICERS FOR 2 YEARS

The regular meeting of the city council Thursday night will be one of the most important of the year. At that session the tax rate for the ensuing year will be levied and the salaries of all the city officials for the next two years fixed.

The tax rate is now sixty-five cents which is as high as can be levied under the present law. The rate will not be lowered but some changes. may be made in the levies for the several departments. It is not expect ed that there will be any great changes in the salaries of any of the city officials.

County Tax Collections in November. Deputy County Collector Bullard reports the following collections for November, 1911:

State taxes 1911-\$4,739.80. County taxes 1911-\$5,625.41. School taxes 1911-\$1,006.83. State back taxes \$23.74. County Redin taxes \$33.09. School Redin taxes \$24.34. State occupation taxes \$875.00 County occupation-\$437.50. Total taxes \$12,765.71.

The L. X ranch, near Amarillo, has purchased from the Turkey track States to say upon what disputes the cattle at a cost of \$250,000.

TAKEN FROM JAIL BY MOB.

Riddled with Bullets and Assas-

City of Mexico, Dec. 6 .- "Che" Gomez, whose rebellion at Juchitan resulted in a clash between President Madero and the Governor of Oazaca. was lynched late yesterday afternoon

at Rincon Antonio. Eight of Gomez's partisans met a

like fate. Gomez, who was on his way to the capital, accompanied by ten of bis followers, was taken from the train t Rincon Antonio, Oaxaca, yesterday afternoon and placed in jail by order of Gov. Benito Juarez, in spite of the fact that he had been promised safe conduct by the President and bore a passport signed by the Executive. He and eight of his followers were taken from the jail by a mob of residents of the little town, augmented by hundreds from the neighboring regions, marched two niles from town and shot to death.

Noting the ugly temper of the people and anticipating trouble, the local authorities reported the situation to Gov. Juarez, who , was in Sen Geronimo, about forty miles from Rincon, Antonio, He secured the consent of Gen. Merodio to send troops to the village. Before the troop train arrived, however, the guard of nine Rurales, constituting the entire military force of the town, had battled with the mob of a thousand or more, had been overpowered by the rabble, and the prisoners were carried off into the hills.

What the fate of the latter might waiting longer, the prisoners were riddled with bullets and the assassins fled into the hills. Only the bodies of their victims were encountered by

Reports from San Geronimo last night were that mobs of Oaxacans paraded the streets shouting, "Viva

Juarez." "Viva Oxaca libre. " Among the lynchers were many of he former followers of Gomez, who declared that he had betrayed them. Numerous commissions are reported to have called upon the Governor and vas arrested and placed in jail late assured him of their loyalty and sup-

> The decision of Rhode Island to hold biennial State elections leaves Massachusetts the only State to choose her governor and other officers annually.

> The Rolph administration, which is about to assume its duties in San Francisco, will inaugurate a plan of city government almost identical with the commission form of govern-

General Henry H. Bingham, the "Father of the House of Representatives," who has served 17 terms in Congress from the First Pennsylvania district, may lose that title since the Republican leaders in Philadelphia are said to have decided that he shall not be named for re-election.

NOT YET READY TO ENDORSE TREATIES

The business men of Wichita Fairs are not yet ready to give their en dofsement to the proposed arbitration treaties between the United States and France and England-not yet. A resolution urging the ratification of these treaties in the Senate was read at the meeting of the directors of the Chamber of Commerce Tuesday morning and by general consent its adoption or rejection was postponed until the next regular meeting. Some of the directors announced that they were ready to vote for the adoption of the resolution then and there, others believed that the U. S. Senate could act without any advice from the Chamber of Commerce and still others objected to the treaties because they did not allow the United binding.

Education for Country Life

Paper Read Believe the Wichita County Teachers In titute by H. R. Von Baserman

Mr. Chairman, Honorable Superintend-

ent, Ladles and Gentlemen; When towards the close of last month a program of this session of institute came into my possession, and I noticed the subject assigned and hope, you will kindly pardon possible differences of opinion.

seems to be with a great many por sons, the one chief object of life.

sentiments and feelings which alone

riend, introduce for your considerstion our theme:

Education for Country Life. Addressing a professioned audience

it is unnecessary to define education; suffice to state education is capital invested for the future. The ques tion might suggest itself as to the advisability or necessity of some special training or course of study in ing magazines for the current month will illustrate. It quotes: "Perhaps ing zone of modern ecconomic and political advancement. Yet they are isually the worst sufferers from evils that could be righted."

place to live. No training that will elevate the mind; no surroundings cuss public questions, and not only is nerstone was just laid, wa sdestroy that will induce children to live lives it free, but it is needful in order to ed by fire a few years ago. Since about the crowding influences of poverty, lack of system; no spiritual sentiment. A teacher should cause training; no love for God in nature; not anything but live while we live, ter of social life in a district. Both through hard work, ignorance and in in town and country there are times differences. Oh, for some means to rouse such from their theory to a and we would gladly do something or arches and it is said that it will knowledge of the true life, the true to enliven them if we only knew what way of living."

is a sad affair. The first and chief holds regular meetings and proves condition of moral goodness is to love quite, a success. We should not conthe Almighty God. I am not preach, sider an hour or an evening taken oc ing a sermon, I am stating plain ev casionally for social interests as en eryday moral philosophy. But, foral tirely lost. On the contrary, we philosophy, no less than religion, is should feel a citizen's interest in the ts higher principles rests upon the moral, intellectual and honevelent ou-Almighty God as its very basis and terprises of our community. The in foundation. This great truth I cannot fluence of every intelligent and up too strongly emphasize; it is the less wright sperson in a community to son shove all others needed today, beneficial, and it is our duty to ex Historical Society and gives up folwhen the question of righteons was eft this influence for the general lowing history of the street. "Called duct is forced to the front. Religion welfare not looking for any rewards r Mandge Pastie in the days of New is our safeguard amid the refals and personally. Let us talk the social Amsterdam, being a rural path betemptations of this world. It is do center idea over with our neighbors side a stream, still marked by the plorable that God is lorgotten in so and ask our teacher to call a meet curved many homes, or at least treated as a ling. It will be an wasy matter to inbeing with whom we have little con levest the community when the meet

evidently will agree with me there ery rural district cems to be something amiss in many eems to be something amiss in many . Encouragement we all need in the is really assounding. A short time bring about a most wholesome reform such apalling conditions?

take control of this matter? Who in rural society would exhalt the estate and came near being drowned are to be taught; the pupils or the country, and would give leadership to After the accident the woman declarpatrons of our schools?

tem of education pursued at our coun- are willing to accept assistance. try schools in accordance with the requirements of the present age?

are to a large extent the real build the sooner we will begin to get a realers of our civilizations. They are foothold on the path of life. Wisthe shapers of destiny and are in dom is life. We have no excuse the wearing of the ring by the injurpart of the parents. But rural and colleges, our farm institutes, our farm papers. our department stations that the future of the state and nation depends largely upon the country at Washington to teach us the underthem with instruction give by age of these different agencies, to hour, heard the moans and at once

grades of work in the same length of our state xepriment stations and our time that a graded school teacher natural department of agritcule gives to two or three. The Country Considerable move could be stated in connection with our subject but I new kind of country school. It should suppose we have exhausted the time have said a new kind of country par- at our disposal and thus had better ent. Who has the right to demand a! better and different rural school? Isn't it you, Mr. Farmer?

what kind of school the rural districts you neglect them, then you have no to me, my intention was to decline in need? Can a body of men, no matter cause to complain if they do not ren favor of someone more capable to how intelligent, tell us our needs as der best service. Help the teacher to discuss this theme. However, as I well as we can tell them, if we will? inspire interest in your school, and tailed in securing a willing substitute The great need of the farmer today is thus help him and your children. I am with you today endeavoring to co-operation not only in things com. The community in which the peois the coming man, and if he will but will have a poor school and will deawaken to his needs and demand his serve nothing better. The school farmer living about five miles west of In this fast age in which we are rights, his future is assured. But nearly always represents the condiliving, the making of money rapidly aretly he must be educated. What a tion of the community; and this this morning with a 22-calibre target YOUNG MAN DIES and with as little exertion as possible sculptor can do to the clay, educa- would always be the case were it not rifle. Mr. Ownes arose early and the and with as little exertion as possible sculptor can do to the clay, educa- would atways be the case were it not tion can do for the farmer.

. If parent and guardians can succeed and girl with plant-life in its develop no good. They are doers of evilin teaching those committed to their ment? Wouldn't it pay you to train certainly doesns of harm for the care to be sharp in trading, to secure your child's mentality until it could schoot. There are people who never o fortune, to keep up with the fash, grasp the beauty of the opening bid take any interest in their school un-frifle against his neck, the bullet ions and customs of the day, they are What satisfaction would come to a til there is something to raise a row satisfied. They seem to forget, or tall boy to be able to tell the needs of about. School rows are the curses of to realize the importance of teaching the soil? We know the exhibitantion the country, and frequent changes of them in their youthful days to have a which comes from growing knowledge teachers is a misfortune to every knowledge of and to cherish those of our work. Your child has the same child. Get a good, teacher and then feeling. The expansion of mind, the stand by your teacher, can lead them in future years to re growth of power takes the drudgery gard correctly the rights of others and from his work, the same as yours to have a proper interest for the wel. Teach him to commune with nature fare of their community and country, and that will inspire respect for coun-These prefaced thoughts then, try life: Our children should be Stray Topics taught to love the country and when hey grow to manhood and womanhood! hey will work for ideal country con ! ditions in home and school.

The boys should be taught the prop

er knowledge of farming in all its various branches. The girls should have a most thorough course in bruse rold economics. A half developed human being is not a man. Today there this particular direction. The Ameri- is demanded of us not theory or specucan press has no very favorable onin lative philosophy, but hard-headed ion of the farmer as the following common sense. Training is everyelipping taken from one of the lead thing. We count our progress by out ward and visible signs. The work of schools should be a preparation for it is not strange that farmers are, in life. Agricultural teaching, industrial the main, most oblivious to the training and domestic science should world's progress. The breeders and receive more recognition. Our dethe planters of the world, the pro- sire to do good things is qualified by ducers of sustenance, though at the our ability to do them. The rapidity very base of all civilization, are, by with which new county boards are the nature of their occupation, for the being formed and rural high schools most part in world's of their own, established is encouraging to those inthus far just outside the electric flash | terested in educational progress in the state.

It shows iff what close touch county superintendents and rural patrons are with latest educational ideas As to conditions existing in some and demands. The conference for same day, the 18th street Methodis of these worlds of their own, a teach, education is aggressive in its all the Episcopal Church celebrated the 73th er, who has taught in rural districts year round campaign for better school anniversary of its founding. for a number of years, has this to houses, better schools and better supsay: "I have been made to stop god port for schools. A very unfortunate Thomas's Church, at Fifth Avenue think-what is this world coming 102 feature of our rural districts is the up, and Fifty-third street was laid the I find so maky people living in a willingness of its citizens to be ac other day with appropriate ceremonbapharard way: not a single thought live in the administration of public les. The first church was established on October 12 1823. The third

It is free to every citizen to dissecure a healthy condition of public then the members of the congrega the school house to become the cenwhen the evenings are long, and dull, to do. Some districts have organized size ever built in the United States. A home or family void of religion a "Home and School Club," which

ings are once started. There is a But to return to our subject, you great need of social meetings in cy lieweiry district about 1840."

Encouragement we all need in the seems quite so hard if it can be dis over a private road on the estate of cussed with another or score of oth-By wasting idly for the future to era. More education, more originalimake the developments? Who is to ty and more sympathy for humanity What branches of study are best advancement, it is our mission to to the evil influence of an opal ring adapted for such course? Is the sys help those who need help and who which she were for the first time on

The first lesson we must learn in life is that we know but very little, The teachers of our public schools and the sooner this lessen is learned pressing for good the next generation, whatever for remaining ignorant of ed woman. ould rely upon the co-operation of own calling, agriculture. Every state voice caused a ghost scare and con-of these were issued to Oklahoma

her would be greatly aided of they the fundemental principles of our parents. Our children should furnish has its board of agriculture to encourhe incentive for earnest toll on the age us. We have our agricultural children of today, and yet we handilying principles of successful farm president of a local temperance so them educationally by supplying and it is up to us to take advant ciety, who passed the tree at a late tenchers, who, following the state study their findings and profit by them. From parents and neighbors, much attention to rural conditions and needs, and who, however, willing and get the essentials of farming, but for to arrest the ghost. One of the could be ren to the police station and asked that an officer be sent out to arrest the ghost. One of the could be ren to the police station and asked that an officer be sent out to arrest the ghost. One of the could be ren to the police station and asked that an officer be sent out to arrest the ghost. One of the could be ren to the police station and asked that an officer be sent out to arrest the ghost. One of the could be ren to the conclusion; the state to make to the conclusion; the state to make to the conclusion; that there was a ghost in that tree. As fast as the could be ren to the police station and asked that an officer be sent out to arrest the ghost. One of the low. Waurika, Okla. To Miss Delia low. Waurika, Okla. R. A. Crews, Nevada, Mo., to Miss Mamie Johnson. Kingusher, Okla.; Alex Newebenr, Caupe she must reherse tix or circle.

understand only as we learn them by careful study of our farm journels and the bulletins, that are issued by

In conclusion let us stand by the school. Don't forget that the schools Don't we know better than anybody need you and your encouragement, If

that a few malcontents can often de Doesn't it pay to acquaint your boy stroy a good school. Grumblers do awakened by the report of the rifle

H. R. Von LUTERMAN.

From Little Old New York

New York, Dec. 1 .- New York getting to be quite an old city, and it is becoming more and more common to hear of golden or centenary anni versaries of institutions endowed with sufficiently strong vitality. Georges' Episcopal Church, in Stuy vesant Square, celebrated the hundredth anniversary of its inde pendent existence the other day. Se George's is now the largest single Protestant parish in the world, administering directly to more than 7.000 persons.

The First Presbyterian Church Brooklyn recently celebrated its ninetieth anniversary, which was made memorable by a gift of \$100,00 to the church by Mrs. William Van Rensselaer Smith in memory of her deceased husband who had been a trustee of the church for twenty-one years. St. Peter's Episcopal Church in West 20th street became eight

The cornerstone of the fourth St church, which is to be replaced by the new structure of which the cor tion have been worshipping in temporary structure erected upon the site of the burned church. Around this temporary structure the new edifice is now building. It will be of solid masonry, without steel girders however profitable it may be, will be the most costly church for its The temporary structure will remain to establish himself in the black hand undisturbed during the building operations and will only re removed at ter the new church has been com-

tory of Maiden Lane, the old and famons thoroughtare which forms the seat of the jewelry trade in New York, was unveiled a few days ago Je was donated by Edward Holbreck president of the Corham Manufac known during the early English lod both as fireen Lane and Maiden Began to essume the character of

The inconsistency of some wome William L. Maks, a wealthy New York manufacturer. Going with great speed around a bend in the road, she drove into a lake belonging to the those who were willing to work for ed that her spill in the lake was due hat occasion. This did not keep her. however, from demanding damage from the owner of the estate. If, as the woman stated, the opal ring was the cause of the accident, Mr. Marks could logically be held responsible only in case he was responsible for

> A tiny black kitten with a bass siderable exciement in New Rochelle couples. the other night. It had climbed a tree on Church street in that village and lacked the courage to come down. In its distress the kitten emitted meows which, owing to its

underlie farming we can know and U.J. OWENS ENDS understand only as we learn them by HIS OWN LIFE

DISCHARGED TARGET RIFLE INTO HIS NECK AND BULLET EN-TERED BRAIN.

Family Heard Report of Gun and Rushed Out On Porch to Find Him Dying.

Burkburnett, Texas, Dec. 1.-M. Owens, a prominent Wichita county this place ended his own life early other members of the family were in front of the house. They ran ou to find Mr. Owens dving on the front porch. He had evidentaly placed the ranging upward into his brain and causing almost instant death.

Mr. Owens came to Burkburnett about three years ago from Ellis county and his body is being prepar ed for shipment to Ennis today. The deceased was about sixty year

of age and has several married daugh community.

No cause is known why Mr. Owens should end his own life.

asked to accompany the policeman to point out the tree. But, long before! they had reached the tree the presi lent of the temperance society made reaching the tree, which the policeman found surrounded by a group of citizens, the brave guardian of the a sister. peace left his but and overcoat in the eustody of one of the citizens and then cautiously climbed the tree. He was greatly relieved when he found he little kitten, which has since then been adopted as the station mascot.

Rockaway a few days ago found a common soda water bottle, tightly corked, which contained a part of New York newspaper, dated Sept. 30 on the margin of which was scribbled the following message: "Rudolph Boettcher, 1594

avenue, Manhattan. Kindly notify my wife all lost. Boat went down. The finder of the message turned it over to the police and an investi gation was promptly made. scertained that William Boettcher, the brother of Rudolph Boettcher and a few friends had started out in a owboat from Coney Island on Sept 30. A storm came up and the boat was blown far out into the bay. Night; came, and fearing, that their boat and set the latter adrift. The men were rescued, however, by a fisher boat and reached the shore in safety They had completely forgotten the loating message of distress, which eventually reached the shore and was thrown upon the beach by the tide An enterprising Italian is the ori ginator of a new business which scarcely be sanctioned by the laws of this country. This particular sor of sunny Italy, not quite game enough line of business, conceived of a rath novel method of making money He married a pretty Italian girl, hy ed with her for a while and then sold her for a good price to some ther Italian. Finding this business his taste and quite profitable, the an checame boggish and instead of with one wife at he aferried half a dozen, so to have a larger stock of women or turing Company, to the Malden Lanch and to offer to prospective pur ttracted the attention of the au

thorities and he was arrested on a harge of bigamy.

Marriage. Licenses. Marriage licenses have been issued

d follows: Richard Ellis, Charlie, Texas, to Miss Rachel Oleston, Charlie, Texas Frank Issacs, Charlie, Texas, to Miss Beatrie Horton, Charlie, Texas Hardin Williams, Dundee, Texas, to Miss Maggie Garrett, Dundee, Texas Mr. Hardin Williams is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Williams of this city. The ceremony will take place

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED IN NOVEMBER

month of November, and a number

The licenses issued follows: John Schrolder, city to Miss Mary Sternadel, city; genie J. Kempf Electra, to Miss Kate Weisenfels Electra; Luther J. Reders, Thornberry to Miss Blanche Pool, Thornberry; Charles Boatwright, Apache, OMa., to Bartha Garrett, Apache, Okla; S. N. Balling, city to Miss Myrtle Crawford, Bridgeport, Texas: A. B. Huff, city to sent to eject her from the house.

Miss Ducile Brooks, city; J. M. Hud- "Fil stay till my things dry

Burkburnett, Texas to Bertha M. Lohoefner, Burkburnett, Texas; Albert Gendeman, city to Miss Grace Hebing. city: B. F. Terry, Dallas to Lucretia Orth, city; Ross Luthrell Oluskee, Okla., to Miss Mary Weynick; Oliver Walls, city to Mrs. Lizzie Jackson; Lester Johnson, Petrolia to Miss Ola Curlee, city: J. G. Slick, Clarion, Pa., to Jene B. Zimmerman; Ben Calhoun, city to Miss Alice Tyson; Willie Myers, Burkburnett to Miss Bessie Dykes, Burkburnett; C. A. Harris, city Daisy Pierce, city; C. B. Barnett, Charlie, Texas to Miss Beulah Penrod, Charlie, Texas; William Ende Marlin, Texas to L. E. Cocran, Mar in, Texas; J. G. Stearns, city to Miss Edith Lucas: J. A. Nelson, Charilton Iowa to Katherine Campbell, Newcastle; S. E. Wood, Petrolia to Miss Ella Wilson; L. J. Oakley, Randlett, Okla., to Miss Josie Thompson, Randlett: Verna Holcomb, Petrolia Ruby English, Gainesville.

FROM GUNSHOT WOUNDS

James Farmer, Shot at Grandfield Last July Died at Home of Relatives Here Last Night.

From Saturday's Daily

night at his home on Fifth street, from the results of the wounds. whom is Mrs. W. W. Linville, wife field. In a dispute over some cattle little children and three brothers and

it 3 o'clock, Rev. Boone officiating.

A late stroller on the beach at Far locksway a few days AN ACCIDENT

Flo Farrell Died Last Midnight From Bullet Wound in Her Right Side. Made No Statement.

From Saturday's Daily Flo Farrell, a woman of the Mulperry row district died in a local unitarium last night two hours after ful work. But when the public school the had been found lying on the reaches down to that child, corrects ing from a built wound in her right once the right of the between the ribs and the hip and appreciated. But her her hard appreciated the school is felt and appreciated the ribs and the hip and appreciated the ribs and the hip and appreciated the ribs and appreciated the one. While the woman was appar-ently rational part of the time after ents and homes co-operated with it, she was shot she volunteered no it is impossible to say, but the time statement and it is uncertain whether is approaching, however, very rapidthe shot was accidental or inflicted by when the purposes of the parent with suicidal intent or was fired by and the teacher in regard to the child nother person.

pan berself or was fired by another and pupil will form a trinity of vound.

oman quarrel with a man during sures good things accomplished by he afternoon who is reported to have demanded money from her but to the work they are the equal of arrests in the Las o discover any clew that would in-

Justice Brothers investigated the Justice Brothers investigated the ed a climax. A woman was placed in port before leaving for Mineral Wells to tide over a stubborn difficulty that lils afternoon.

The shot was fired at about 10:30 o'clock and when those in the neighborhood heard the report and ran to the Farrell woman's house they found her writhing on the floor, about eight feet from a revolver.

She was immediately removed to

the bullet had shattered one of the lage. kidneys and she died at about midnight without making any statement. A. Humphries, who owns some

stated that he was the second person to the woman after she was injured, and that she told him she had hurt ening to the fact that she too, can was sick and despondent over the the teacher of her child. ssued in Wichita county during the death of her mother who resided at San Antonio. She was about 22 years of age.

remains will be shipped to San An tonio for burial

Polite Policeman Waits Until Servant's Wash Dries.

Kate Garrety, a servant for Mrs. John Martin of Flatbush, a suburb of New York, declined to leave when dis charged, and Policenian Fitzgerald was to Miss Bella takes till doomsday," said Kate, points.: R. A. Crews, ing to her clothes drying on the line. Fitzgerald sat on the steps and wait ed four hours for the clothing to dry

chne, Clinton, Okla; S. E. Cropper, The Mother and Her Part In Modern Education

homes, like individuals, and governments, pass through evolutionary stages. These processes of evolution do not indicate a retreat or decay of the home and its principles.

Indeed their existence is but another proof that the home is strengthening itself. One significant change will be, that idle children will not be tolerated by the state, society or indiv-

From Saturday's Daily

James Farmer, who was shot at Garndfield, Okla., last July, died last lide child will be regarded as the "Flats" night before last. This menace to society and good govern afternoon ment, and an evil to itself. Much re- body of the woman and extracted the At the time of the shooting which mains to be done along this line, but builet, and an effort will be made to resulted in Mr. Farmers' death he the goal is in sight, parenthood is locate the revolver from which ters living in this section one of was engaged in farming near Grand more rapidly than ever before, teach was fired. The range of the bullet ing childhood, that it has three primal through the body is the foundation of a prominent farmer of the Charlie he was shot three times, twice in the duties one to the Creator one to for the investigation being made, as back of the head and once in the back, the latter builtet competely severing the spinal cord. He was brought to this city where his mother manity which keeps its influence The bullet entered the body in the and brothers reside and given such wholly within itself and so the wise surgical aid as was possible, but far-seeing mother is not satisfied the kidney and liver and lodged in from the first the doctors decided that within her own little realm, but knows the back. Such a wound may have his case was hopeless. Since the the greatest good can be accomplishshooting he has, been completely ed by serving the greatest number. paralyzed from the waist down, and in order to do this she must mingle his escape. To "see things" he evidence the suffered terribly. His end came with others, get new ideas, and read suffered intent, and the base suffered terribly. His end came with others, get new ideas, and read officers is to find out definitely whether the suffered terribly at 6:30 last night and to him was a the needs and wants of others. She officers is to find out definitely whether the suffered terribly at 6:30 last night and to him was a the needs and wants of others. a heart-broken wife and mother, three organized human life—the home and society, and the home is the funda- shipped to San Antonio tonight. tion of the state and its inspiration is The funeral was held this afternon from motherhood. , None of us who see life in its clearest light, who are not afraid of the truth, live for the moment, we have our struggles and our ambitions which are strictly personal, but within us born out of the Christ who lived for all is the thought, the wish, the honest purpose to do something for the future in which the children of our hour take our MURDER? places and this sentiment finds its

nost concrete expression in the publie school and we may well call it a safety valve. We all know or ought to know that the unrestricted, like the uneducated child is the dangerous child-a child given complete license in its home, allowed to overrule all others, passes from that home to the public school a menace to his fellow students, to discipline, to use is one. I do not believe I am an idle dream when I say the day is near The fact that the bullet entered at hand when the educator instead er right side at a point so low in of being in an isolated class so far her body indicates that the shot was as the home is concerned, will be a ofther fired accidentally by the wo- welcome guest and teacher, parent person with murderous intent, as no and the practicability of education will be increased a thousand fold. BURNS SAYS FURTHER snicide was made by shooting in that change? It is the mothers and daugh art of the body. That the shot was ters of our land. Since the world has ared at close range is indicated by learned that woman can receive and lowder burns found around the learning and has a keen intellect and

a great moral power, she is being call-It has been learned that the dead ed into all fields of activity, and in- By Associated Press. board of education had almost reachwas facing them and did she fail? No A NEW CIRCUIT decidedly no, and to the surprise of many educators who were aspiring tothat high office, she made some wonderful changes and accomplished more for the public schools of Chi cago in one year than had been done in three or four more previous to it; and has triumphantly entered on her

See the stride made by the leading teachers of New York City. They are now to receive equal wages for equal property in that part of the city work, and I have long wished for this known as the "Flats," called at The in every state. I believe woman has Times office late this afternoon and the natural gift for teaching children stated that he was the second person and has a liner and keener justisht in to the liearts and minds of boys and girls, and today, the mother is awak. OFFICERS OF SOUTHERN herself and called for Ed Funston, help and need not hesitate to offer Humphries stated that the woman her co-operation and friendship to She may unite herself with a so

riety whose aims and objects are all for the aplifting and bettering of child welfare. She can do much for the modern education of today by day elected the following officers: training the little child at home to and pleasure. The mothers can help retary and other appointive offices to the teacher solve many difficult prob- be announced later. lems. By her own co-operation she can do much to make more attractive her children interested in their work main until his recovery from his in

Paper Read By Mrs. Dale libelieve every mother has the teachers for the schools and we Brown Before Wichita should demand the best, and too, we should give the best. Nothere every County Teachers Institute mother should stand for compulsory education and should stand for that which will broaden the minds, better At no time in the history of our the morals of our children. The moral Nation has the mother found so great ers of this Southland should encourage the perfecting of the cotton pickan opportunity to help better the con- ing machine, so the children of the ditions for the present and future. rural districts may have the same op Today as never pefore has the great portunity for an education and that our states may not rely by great power of womanhood and mother-but its size and farm products, but hood made itself felt in the world. by the intelligence and morality of Not many years ago woman was considered only a home-keeper or rather may be accomplished by the united the slave for the household; but untiring, devoted efforts of our noble

WOMANS DEATH

County officers are investigating the causes that led up to the death lower abdomen and ranged up through been possible through an accident. or by a gun in the hands of another person, but hardly by a person with

The body of the woman will

NEW OFFICERS

The Woodmen of the World held their annual meeting in the K. of Hall last evening and elected the ollowing officers: .; S. T. Taylor, Ad. Lieut.; W. P. Collier, Banker; J T. Young, Clerk; Ray Hammond, Escort: R. Marshalf. sentery; Doctors W. H. Walker and C. A. Guest, Physicians and W. A. McClelland, Manager.
The lodge will install officers the first meeting in January.

FOR BOOTLEGGING

vs. Henry Crain, charged with selling liquor without license (bootleg ging on Sunday) the defendant Crain was found guilty and fined five hundred dollars. unable to pay his fine was remanded to work on the county road.

ARRESTS WILL OCCUR

Chicago, Ill. Dec. 2 .- According to the interesting devotion of our wo a statement given out this afternoon men. As educators they have proven by Detective Win. J. Burns, further o far the officers have been unable their brothers and in many instances dynamiting case are likely to occur have proven superjor. Look at that any time. It is rumored that the Modicate that the woman was murder noble and great woman. Mrs. Ella Namaras will be used as witnesses Flagg Young, of Chicago, when the against those who are to be arrested in connection with, the case.

TO ARCHER CITY

The Southwestern Telegraph and Telephone Company has started work sanitarium where it was found that second year and is only, 64 years of on the construction of a new circuit between Wichita Falls and Archer City. The new line will parallel the Wichita Falls and Southern. A construction gang of about fifteen men arrived here last night to start the work at once.

EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIAT'N

By Associated Press. Houston, Texas, Dec. Southern Educational Association to-H. L. Whitefield, Columbus, Miss. be kind, honest, truthful, obedient, president; M. L. Britain, Atlanta, Ga., respectable and neat. If all children first vice-president; H. F. Triplett, had this for a foundation on which Beatimont, Texas, second vice-presithe teacher could build her structure dent; Mrs. J. D. Matlock, Birming-her work would be one of great worth ham, Ala., third vice-president. Sec-

Jim Knight, a brakeman on the play grounds and assist in the games Northwestern railroad, accidentally by a few words rightly spoken if not mashed his flugers while on duty at able to help in a financial way. The Wellington last night, and returned mother of today should strive to keep here this morning, where he will re-

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ey the proposition that James B.

Namara would plead guilty and b

sentenced to death, if the court so ordered, provided that his brother

should be saved. But the district at-

continued to urge his acceptance of

the last proposition for ten days or more and until the bribery develop-

ments revealed the desperation of

the defense and paralyzed the effort to save John J. McNamara by sacrific

ing his brother. Then it was that the change of pleas of these men was

"The motion broached in the Stef fens article that the McNamaras, in the commission of the crimes, as

confessed by them are two heroes, is

offensive to common intelligence and repelling to the conscience of all just

men-to say nothing of the abhorrence of the law for such sentiment

-and I am confident that the dis-

"Upon the entries of the pleas of guilfy both defendants placed themselves upon the mercy of the cour and the responsibility-sole and undivided-evolved upon the court to

determine the punishment. That some mitigation of the extreme penalties demandable by the outraged law which can be expected in consequence of the change of the pleas in these cases, is in accordance with the principle commonly accepted in the administration of criminal juris-

trict attorney was not influenced by any such sentiment in considering the proposal that the defendants should withdraw their pleas of not

"Those interested in the defense

torney still would not agree.

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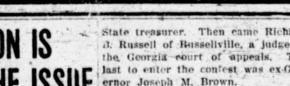
"That expectation has not been dis-Buy Herappointed in these cases. At the who you love same time the duty of the court in fixing the penalties in these cases so much-a would have been unperformed had it been swayed in any degree, by the Hoosier hypothetical policy favored by Mr. Steffens, who, by the way, is a pro-Kichen Cabifessed anarchist, that the judgment of the court should be directed to the net-a Xmas promotion of compromise in the controversy between capital and labor. Present she "The lesson taught by the cases is that the laws must be rigorously enwill enjoy forced against all offenders, wheth er they be rich or poor, high or low, all the rest of capitalists or laborers-and that only

Prohibitionists First in the Field. Chicago, Ill., Dec. 5.-Confidence in the ultimate success of the prohibition cause and enthusiasm over the outlook for the coming national campaign formed the keynote of a great gathering of Prohibition party leaders and temperance reformers which assembled in this city today. The meeting here tomorrow of the Prohibitionist national committee is the magnet that has served to attract the foes of liquor from all parts of the country. At this meeting the com mittee will fix the time and place for holding the national convention to name the party candidates for President and Vice President of the United States. Following precedent, the convention probably will be held the latter part of May or early in June. Chairman Jones and other influential members of the committee hold the convention in the far West. Portland and Seattle are under consideration. No decision will be the committee will consider bids from Milwaukee, Detroit, Boston and several other places.

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ciety be maintained or its effects en-

Several of the Cleveland veterans signed up.



THE HOOSIER

has been the stormy petrel of Georgia in preference to "Little Joe." a year ago. Upon the death of Sena politics. When Hoke Smith was first tor Clay, Joseph M. Brown, who was elected governor Brown held the ofthen the governor of Georgia, appoint. fice of railroad commission. The in coming to a head and the result

before the people for re-election as otherwise have been a very tame Pope Brown or Judge Russell would strengously opposed to any scheme contest. For several years Browns be acceptable to the Smith faction that could possibly bring the legaliz-

succeeded by John M. Slaton as act. the winner of the Democratic primary live issue several years ago when the ing governor. Mr. Slaton will con- is as good as seated. But in his fight prohibitory amendment was added to Glenn Holland, who for the last sev-

Judge Russell is carrying the local

ed sale of liquor back into Georgia.

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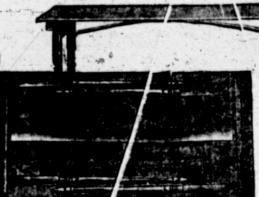


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(Continued from page 1)

are said to favor the proposal to death of United States Senator Clay thorough discussion of the matter ed ex-Governor Joseph M. Terrell to political differences that had long ex-In addition to the Pacific coast cities fill the vacancy in the senate, but the legislature early in the present year was that Governor Smith removed named Governor Smith in his stead. Brown from office. Mr. Smith accepted the election to

T. R. T. Orth, left this atternoon for printed at the country of the old-time ests to start an organized campaign against the charge of having killed Altus, Okla., where he goes to assume was Col. J. Pope Brown of Hawkins precipitated a renewar of the old-time ests to start an organized campaign against the charge of having killed position with the Northwestern, ville, who formerly held the office of bitter factional strife. The Smith for the repeal of the amendment has Felix Slesonski.

adherents look upon Brown's canui- served to further attract public at-B. Russell of Russellville, a judge of dacy as part of a plan of former Government of appeals. The ernor Terrell and the old machine to more manifest that the liquor quesgain control of the Georgia Democracy and defeat Smith when he goes tion was to be almost the sole issue. The candidacy of "Little Joe" Brown added spice to what would United States senator. Either f. option banner while J. Pope Brown otherwise have been a very tame Pope Brown or Judge Russell would is an out and out prohibitionist and

The greatest difficulty facing the Former Governor Joseph M. Brown is candidates at the beginning of the the only one of the three candidates campaign was the death of import who has declined to make the prohiant issues upon which to wage the bition question the paramount iscontest. The old issues had been sue. He has shown an inclination to worn threadbare and no longer inter- treat the matter lightly from the ested the people. Finally two of the beginning of the contest, though he candidates, J. Pope Brown and Judge has gone so far as to suggest that Mr. Smith accepted the election to the senate but did not go to Wash. Erown immediately began a camthe senate but did not go to washing the special session of paign to succeed Smith in the gover- prohibition should be the chief issue the State. Personally, bowever, exwill have to work hard to hold their jobs next season, as Harry Davis has jobs next season, as Harry Davis has bunch of promising youngsters month, when he resigned and was a matter of course, for in Georgia question had been disposed of as a bitionist.

eral months has been connected with tinue to noid the omce until the late versed and he was defeated by Hoke hibition law, or rather the manner of the location party on the extension of the part of January, when the winner versed and he was defeated by Hoke hibition law, or rather the manner of the location party on the extension of the location party of location party on the extension of the location party of the location party on the extension of ter part of January, when the winner of Detroit Tigers and attorney at law in the Northwestern above Hammon, and in tomorrow's primary will succeed ernorship. who since the recall of the location and Stanley Papsch to de party has been here as a guest of Mr. There are three candidates in the Drown into the pres. more or less dissatisfaction, while the Edward and Stanley Papsch to de party has been here as a guest of Mr. party has been here as a guest of air.

T. A. T. Orth, left this afternoon for primary race. The first in the field ent contest for governor naturally alleged intention of the liquor inter- fend them at their coming trial

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The less cotton there is in the hands of the original producer the higher the price will go, and by January first the great bulk of the cotton crop will have passed out of the hands of the farmer to the speculator, and when i takes place we may reasonably look for a raise of 2 or 3 cents on the pound. But when it does there will be several politicians who will not hesitate to claim credit for putting the price up, and will ask compensation in a political way.

Wichita and Wilbarger counties now form one Representative district. So far as the Times is aware neither county has yet put out a candidate. Wilbarger now has the congressman from this district, and will in all probability continue to so long as John Stphens offers to serve, Considering this, it would seem that she might concede to Wichita the right to name the Representative. What says the Vernon Record and Call to a proposition like

If newspaper reports are to be relied on Bob Barker is to contest with Mr. Lane for the office of State Controller. The only objection that can be raised to Mr. Lane is that he is a prohibitionist and does not neglect very many opportunities to let the people know it. Mr. Barker takes the other side of the question. Aside from their difference of opinion on this one question, there is really no difference at all. Both are Democrats and good men, and in the event there are more anti-prohibitionist Democrats in the State than there are prohibitionist Democrats, Mr. Barker ought to win in the Democratic primary election to be held next July. On the other hand, if there are more pro-Democrats than there are anti-Democrats Mr Lane should win. The campaign will be fought out along that line.

close at hand. You can dodge one, but With but few exceptions, every or not the other, but the chances are engaged in business took a day off, that if anybody has to go empty-hand and enjoyed themselves with their ed it will be the tax-gatherer. It is families and friends, During the noon no discredit to the fellow who, if need hour the streets of the city were pracbe, will permit his taxes go unpaid tically deserted and the homes of the if it is necessary in order to make people abounded with good cheer. For first arrested Mitchell's advice, which happy at Christmas times those whom the time being all business cares were he loves and are dependent upon him laid aside, and fathers, mothers, sisfor support and sustenance. The gifts ters and brothers met around the festal need not be of an expensive nature, board. but it is a custom and practice indulged in by all Christian nations, and they are the better off for having inaugurated it. There is nothing equal to the disappointments occasioned by empty stockings on Christmas morn. and the Times trusts that there will be no cases of that kind to report in Wichita Falls this year. Do your of them go hungry a change has got shopping early.

The Merritt brothers who, through the trickery and machination of Pastor Frederick Gates were relieved of their fortune of \$20,000,000 by that old baldheaded religious fraud and financier, John D. Rockefeller, will probably be are alive. They did not seem to have more sense than the average man is to separate them from their fortune. With this extra \$20,000,000 Mr. Rockea little bit by turning over a small por tion to Peter Gates with which to endow some institution that will agree to engrave the name of the generous donor on one of its stained glass windows long after he is dead and gone to his reward, whatever that may be, and this writer has no hesitancy in expressing a doubt as to which place will finally land to be judged. The deal he pulled off with the Merritt's may have been as Mr. Rockefeller says, "perfectly lawful" but it was also "perfectly awful."

Senator Johnson of Memphis is being censured some for giving it out that he will cast the vote of his district largest number of votes in his district. His critics think he should vote for the candidate who receives the at large. There are now four pronounced canddates for that position, and it is not likely that any one of them will receive a majority of the votes polled in the July Democratic primaries, and in a case like that it would be a diffiresentative to figure out just how to the doubt. It is that way in pearly publican politics to champion the polcast the vote of his district without every other thing, and it will be that ley of 'something different?'" Taft, being censured by the friends of this way with the "recall." or that candidate. Unless the State Democratic Executive Committee or-

a candidate who has gained his nom- on his table tomorrow, (Thanksgiv-) how runs the gossip. and probably will be necessary to hold causing suspicion of larceny. a second primary in order to determine which of the two highest candidates in the first primary is entitled to the nomination, but that is the best and Democratic State Senator and Representative, and unless they do give him their support without regard as to counties they must do something in under the same control." how the majority of the. Democrats in the way of building good roads. There their districts voted in the primaries, they will then have subjected themselves to just censure and should never again be honored by the party. That is Democracy, and it is justice. If there is no double primary for the U. S. Senatorship and the nominee happens two papers will be issued from the ofto be the choice of only a minority, fice of the Daily Reporter from now then the State Senators and Representatives will, in the humble judg-

Crimes like that to which the Mccleverly established by Detective arate managements. The three of four icks was developed, the defendant's attorneys, Scott and Darrow, two of next best thing they could for their balf-starved to death appearance for guilty clients and advised them to enter pleas of guilty even before the jury had been selected before which one When asked why the defendants entered pleas of guilty, District Attorney Fredericks made the simple reply: guffty and know that we could establish their guilt."

espective districts.

We don't know who is authority for the statement, but there is an item go ing the rounds of the press to the e fect that more trades are being learned to young inside the walls of the State penitentiary than out of it. ! this is not true, someone who is ac quainted with the facts should correct it. Such statistics as that are not good for Texas, or for any other state. and is a reflection on those who expect to adopt a trade of one kind or

Thanksgiving day opened bright clear and crisp, with an atmosphere calculated to cheer the lagging ener gies of man, and make him look for The tax-gatherer and Christmas are ward to higher and better things.

> In this particular section business conditions are bad on account of the drouth and consequent crop failures but there is a fearful political unrest prevailing all over the United States and the people have about concluded that if relief is to come before most to be brought about. The Republican party has been in power for the past sixteen years, and things have gone from bad to worse. No part of this political unrest can possibly be laid to the Democratic party.

Attorney Generat Wickersham is of the opinion that the people cannot be able to return thanks today that they trusted to run the government, which means that he is ferninst the initiative and referendem tooth and nail. But supposed to have, or would have never the next most important question that been led into the trap so cleverly set will be asked and answered in next year's presidential election is: Are the people going to allow the trusts, feller will probably ease his conscience through politicians like Mr. Wickersham and others make our laws and run our government? They, the trusts and combines have had full sway for the past fifteen or twenty years, and if times are hard and business conditions are not what they should be the people are to blame only to the extent that they have, by their suffrage, given to the trusts, combines and politiquickest and best way to regain what, they have lost is through the adoption of the initiative and referendum, and if need be, the recall also. A dishonest official has no more right to serve the no more than casual attention. people a minute longer after it has been demonstrated to the satisfaction for the candidate for the position of of a respectable number of decent, U. S. Senatorship who receives the law abiding tax-paying chizens than he (the official) whether he be a judge on the bench or not, has proven unfaithful to his trust. That there news. largest number of votes in the State is danger the "recall" may be abused, there is no doubt. But, as a The Outlook, in which he characterrule, the people are reasonable, and ized the anti-trust policy of Taft's adwhere it is abused once, there will be ministration as "chaotic," and insisted a dozen instances where it will not be that it should be replaced by some taken advantage of simply because thing radically different. Thereupon they, (the people) arealways inclined has arisen the pertinent question, cult matter for a State Senator or rep- to give the one accused the benefit of "Will he come back into national Re

carry, as it should.

The Abilene Reporter has purchas ed the Abilene Morning News, and the ducts, if that should be necessary. on under the management of Mr. Geo. Anderson, manager of the Reporter. Namaras plead guilty cannot be con- the Times doubts seriously if the town and competition crushed. doned by any civilized people, and is large enough to support both an while labor organizations, nearly all of afternoon and a morning paper under them in fact, contributed to an enor- one management, though Mr. Ander- where. mous fund for the defendants under son may have figured it out differently. the belief and the impression that they it was the sensible thing to do, at had been kidnapped and taken from any rate, and it will be better for Abiing prosecuted, but persecuted by cap twice each day, rather than attempt ital, when the fact of their guilt so to support two dailies under two sep-Burns and District Attorney Freder daily papers at Lawton have also consolidated and this will give to Lawton one real first-class paper which will the ablest lawyers in America, did the be better than four that have had a the past four or five years.

The Times acknowedges recepit of of the defendants was to be tried, a copy of The Southwestern Telephone News of date November, 1911, a good portion of which is devoted to giving an illustrated write-up of Wichita "They plead guilty because they were Wichita Falls by F. Happy Day, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce

> Save for the infraction of the law. Mrs. Patterson of Denver, did the proper thing when she killed her hus band who it appears had peddled on her virtues, and there is general satisfaction felt over her acquittal. White slavery traffic in the East is very confmon, and it is by no means unheard of practiced, and but little efforts are he practice happen to be men of influnce and financial standing in their espective communities. Of course, here are different forms of the white slave traffic," and Patterson was tuilty of the worst form imaginable, and his fate was a just one

The way it looks now John Mitchell Gompers. When the McNamaras were was unheeded, was "suspend judgment until after the accused men have beer given a tral." It was different wth compers. His loyalty to the cause of abor swept him from his feet, and further and further out to sea until he was almost ready to join in the charge that the prosecution of the Mc-Namaras was nothing more nor less than a frame-up on the part of Detective Burns and the prosecution. Doubtless he was honest and sincere in his conviction. By giving that advice, Mitchell made bimself unpopular in labor croles. The blow- while a heavy one is not necessarily fatal to union labor. All that is necessary to regain all the ground that has been lost can be regained by placing a man like Mitchell at their head, which will be a guarantee in itself that lawlessness on the part of labor organizations will receive no encouragement from him and if, per chance, one of their members should be accused of crime, the trial of the case will not be con ducted in such a manner as to lead people to believe that it was union labor on trial instead of an individual whohad violated the laws of his country by destroying life and property.

WILL ROOSEVELT COME BACK?

For some time past it has been fre quent with newspaper paragraphers to inquire, in one form or another, "What ias become of Theodore?" teh impliration being that he had fallen from public notice and his influence from clans power and authority that they public notice and his influence from (the people) should have retained. The its one time position of power in the affairs of the nation.

Public addresses he has not been making, and his weekly observations in The Outlook have been attracting

But now he has in a measure answered the paragraphic inquiries and in addition set the tongues of political gossip going as they have not gone since the days when he ceased being the great American maker of

It was all done by an editorial in he charges in effect has made a failure of handling the problem of big busi-In these days of high cost of living, ness. Why, therefore, is it not reason ders that the nominee shall receive a and the cost of high living, the thing able to suppose that the ex-president majority of the votes cast in the State, that is most puzzling to the average who has so vigorously pointed out the

The Wichita Times the State Senators and Representatives should not be bound to vote for on the size of his pay envelope to have to point out the way to success? That's morning of October 1st, and that if nature that will prove to those when the doubted its statements at the time

County at the head of the list of Texas will be largely, and perhaps altogether to escape the extreme penalty, if part of this paper, it will be observed

It can not be gainsaid that there men of this paper, be perfectly justi- The reason for this consolidation was anti-trust law will be to dissolve of maras, will have to lay low. The Mcfied in voting the instructions of their simple: Abilene, while it is a good fending combinations, yet allow them ... amaras may never tell who they cent support to two daily newspapers not essentially different from-a form have a very good effect. under two separate managements, and wherein monopoly is still enthroned

Such a course of action is like running around in a circle-it gets no-

the results.

other -Atlanta Georgian.

turkey hash has been served. .

secially if the parties who profit by of Sept. 30th, 1810, he placed a grip lish its truthfulness, but the reasons lck Remington put him into Art." The War Department has tempowhich was set to explode by an in- or wind-up it could be in a position to one that should appeal especially to Grande,

the State Senators and Represental editor is how he is going to manage failure will in addition offer himself fernal machine at 1:00 o'clock in the furnish evidence of a most convincing ination by a minority vote. It might ing), a nice, fat joicy turkey without | The ex-president describes the lives of those twenty-one victims of made, that they were simply deceived "failure" as follows: "The attempt that dastardly crime, he would gladly and defrauded. It is now in possession to meet the whole problem not by admake the sacrifice. A pretty speech, of such facts, and those who doubt is Grayson County is soon to vote on ministrative governmental action, but that. In the first place, his knowledge can convince themselves of their truth the question of voting \$400,000 worth by a succession of lawsuits, is hope of the effect of high explosives was fulness. The Times only wants a fall of good road bonds. Grayson is one of less from the standpoint of working next to if not expert, and he must profit on the service rendered, and by far the fairest and most honest way the best agricultural counties in state out a permanently satisfactory solu- have known when he deposited that it solicits and appreciates to the fullof settling a matter of that kind, and though the drouth this year has cut tion. Moreover, the results sought to grip that the explosion would not only est extent the patronage of all who in that event the nominee who has crops short. The corn crop was prac- be achieved only in ex- destroy the building, but destroy the want to deal and be dealt with hon won his nomination by a majority of tically a failure, and there was not treinely insufficient and fragmentary lives of those who were in it at the estly and fairly. the Democratic votes of Texas much of any other crops raised. As measure, by breaking up all big cor- time. That part of his confession will is entitled to and should receive a result hard times are prevailing in porations, whether they behaved well not be believed by any person of intelthe solid vote and support of every that section and the tax-payers realize or ill. Into a number of little corpora- ligence, and, it was made for a purpose grand jury delivered by Judge P. A that if they expect to keep Grayson tions, which, it is perfectly certain, -that of getting a lighter sentence, or

it succeeded in its purpose. It is that he commends highly the official The "better plan" which he submits perhaps best, however, that the acts of all our peace officers, both some opposition to the proposition, is that of the establishment of an ad-extreme penalty was not given him. but the chances are that it will ministrative commission to supervise By letting him live may be the means Martin probably is in a better posiall corporations engaged in interstate of bringing to justice those who were commerce, and to control them, even implicated with him, but who, so far, they have regarded their oaths, and to the fixing of the prices of their pro- have escaped, and doubtless nothing how well they have enforced the law, would please better that bunch of but if some of the rumors are true scoundrels than that the Mc-that are being circulated concerning is much virtue in this plan if, as now Namaras should be hung. So long as seems will be the case, the total effect they live those who were almost if the grand jury, in justice to both of the enforcement of the Sherman not equally as guilty as the McNa- Judge Martin and to the officers themtown, was not large enough to give de to be reassembled in a techincally but are, but the fear that they might will are guilty of some of the things charg-

In the final day of reckoning a man will not be asked: How much of the them a clean certificate. world's goods have you accumulated? Nor can it be doubted that there But rather, How did you accumulate is something the matter with the Sher- it? If every man should bear this in man law, either in its provisions or mind to the transaction of his bush their homes to Los Angeles without lene to give her solid support to one in the enforcement that has so far ness, he will at least have a clear conauthority of law, and were not only be- paper, whether it is issued once or been accorded it. It does not produce science and can sleep reasonably well, even if his purse is made the lighter And singing by their side." It may well be concluded that Amer- by dealing, honestly with his fellow can statesmanship has still before it man. It is just as dishonest and disthe task of evolving a workable plan honorable to accept money from a old time free grass days-the songs of controlling the great industiral man by deceit and deception as it is combinations before a proper balance to run your hand down in his pocket camp fire, that held the sleeping cat. FARM WANTED-We have a cash can be kept between justice to the and steal it while he is asleep. There the on their bedding grounds, that enpeople on the one hand and the busi- are those who will contend that a livened the dreary monotony of the ness growth of the country on the man who pursues the course outlined long drives, and that still echo faintly Fire Insurance and Real Estate, 722 above cannot suffer financially, but that is not always true. In fact, the Times is aware of instances where it Thanksgiving Day has gone, and has suffered financially by the dethanks for the five days that have ceit, lying and deception practiced by songs are printed just as they were passed since that time. Th elast of thee others, who would promise and back their promises up by affidavils, if need table in the rear of some saloon; oth-The present congress, according to could possibly do for the same money, enevlope while squatting around a in the United States, resigned her statement issued by Democratic or less. By reason of the fact that camp fire; still others were caught position today in anticipation of her Leader Underwood will be devoted so many otherwise good business men behind the scenes of some bronche early marriage to John C. Grier, a principally to lowering the present are inclined to place too much reliance busting outfit; and practically, all the Pittsburg traveling salesman. Miss high traiff, which in part accounts in mere statements made by persons songs were taken down from the lips Johns has been deputy sheriff of Fayfor the statement made by President who cared bittle for the truth so long of ex-cowboys themselves. The Houst ette county since the beginning of the Taft that his forthcoming message as the telling of a bare-faced lie ton Post says: "This book does an goldmounted police revolver, and a will deal principally with the trusts, would not land them behind the bars, important service to American Litera- badge studded with jewels. Since that it has been forced to accept work in ture." The Los Angeles Times says: time she has assisted in the capture in the West. Even in some of the same and cities it is being some to the same as assisted in the capture its line below the cost of production. "It should mightily please all who of several men, including a murderer, smaller towns and cities it is being sion given to the Associated Press it is no us eto say that it was foolish love a rollicking song." The St. Louis who had escaped from the county today, says that he did not intend to to do business that way. A statement Post-Dispatch says: "This book puts jail. out forth to put a stop to it, more es- take human life when, on the evening like that needs no argument to estab. the cowboy into Literature as Freder

by giving his life he could restore the doubted its statements at the time

Martin, and which appears in another county, precinct and municipal. Judge tion than any one to know how well the conduct of some of the officers selves, should investigate and probe to the bottom of the matter. If they ed against them they are not worthy t be entrusted to law enforcement, and if innocent the grand jury should give

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Uniontown, Pa., Dec. 4.-Miss Lucy Beech Johns of this city, who is said be, to do twice as much as the Times ers were scrawled on the back of an to be the only woman deputy sheriff

containing 16 stless of dynamite in that forced the Times to pursue such Theodore Roosevelt says: "This is rarrly removed the irrigation restricthe ink alley of the Times building, a course was the hope that in the end a work empadeally worth doing and tions upon the waters of the Rio



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MARTIN LITTLETON LETS LOOSE democratic possibilities, may at any A DIATRIBE AGAINST HIS ALLEGED DEFAMERS.

THE STEEL INVESTIGATION

Wall Street Gambler, He Said, Boasted Control of Committee That Investigated Trust.

By Associated Press.

House with a diatribe against those House. whom he charged had maliciously defamed him because of his indpendent attitude as a member of the States steel investigation. He charged that David Lamar, a "notorious bear operator" in Wall street kad

controlled this committee, a man who schedules it will be his pleasure to has pretended to those interested on make tariff recommendations to Conbehalf of the steel corporation, that gress. The subject will be treated in he could control the committee and a special message. some bill calling for an investigation the session. in order to serve the purposes of Conspicuous in the records of the their stock speculation in Wall Congress will be the coming vigorous street."

Martin is secretary of the Anti-Trust League.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 4.—"The contempt statutes, the latter to inmost important session since the clude provision for trial by jury in Civil War" is the prediction made by cases of indirect contempt. These Civil War" is the prediction made by cases of indirect contempt. These many Democratic leaders for the first will be pressed for passage before FOREIGNERS regular session of the Sixty-second adjournment. Congress which opened today.

Jegislation in a session that will lead tors of the trust laws and designed to

Of importance as to the bearing it will have on the approaching political contest in the nation; of particu- mittee bearing on this problem. In lar interest because of party differ. the Senate the trust question is under ences regulars and insurgents on consideration in the hearings before progressives among the democrats, merce which will continue for some and of unusual significance because of the heavy legislative program, it In line with the trust question will is at least certain that this will be be the determination of the fate of one of the liveliest sessions of Congress in many years.

With the gavels falling in the House and Senate at noon, the tariff and the trust stood out as the most important subjects for legislation with a big fight assured in both houses. Many other great questions confronting the Congress, all of them to be approached vigorously, include monetary reform, ratification of arbitration treaties with Great Britain and France, and the loan treaties with Nicaragua and Honduras: Alaskan legislation, the election of Senators by direct vote of the people, pension bills and the regular and permanent annual appropriations, to be under the direction te committee.

While the legislative struggles are in progress, politics is certain not to hope for triumph at the polls next striking out in earnest to capture their party convention, if possible; every move made in either branch of Congress from now until adjournment will be thoroughly considered from political as well as legislative viewpoints. The political pot in Washington will soon begin to boil, with the republican national committee meeting here December 12, to be followed January 8 by the democratic national committee. Selection of convention cities, choosing of committee attract as much attention from the nation's legislators as will the making

House, already considered among the to Congress.

merce. time make presidential pronouncement to his colleagues; and Repre-

country as presidential timber. Taft.

In the House the political interest Washington, D. C., Dec. 4.—Both attitude of Mr. Bryan, who has quarwill be further complicated by the tive E. H. Madison, (Rep) of Kansas. Houses of the Sixty-second Congress rel led with Mr. Underwood and

The tariff legislative program will follow the long awaited report of the House committee on the United tariff board which is expected to submit the result of its investigations on wool and cotton before the ohlidays. The Ways and Means Committee of claimed power to the control steel in the House, however, underwood, will begin at once the preparation of new "David Lamar," said Littleton, " is tariff bills. Throughout the recess a a notorious bear operator in Wall force of clerks and experts have been street, a man of unsavory and un- at work preparing for the committee. clean reputation, and character; a President Taft has given his pledge man who has boasted from the begin- that, when the tariff board submits ning of this investigation that he its report on the woolen and cotton

its conduct. I cannot say, because I Meantime, however, the Ways and money to Henry B. Martin, but it is tion of revised schedules to include my firm belief from the circumstances woool, cotton, iron and steel products, and their associations, that Lamar on sugar and other foodstuffs. An imhis own behalf and on behalf of oth- portant schedule to come up is the ers has been furnishing contributions sugar schedule and in dealing with will undertake the task of paring so-called, to the said Henry B. Martin this the House and the Ways and down the appropriations which for and maintaining his so-called anti- Means Committee will be guided the year 1911-12 amounted to \$1,026, trust league. I am informed and be- somewhat by the report of the spe- 287,505.81. lieve that more than two years ago cial committee of Inquiry into the Martin endeavored to procure some American Sugar Refining Company, senator or congressman to introduce which is expected to report early in

trust debates. The fight to amend the Sherman Anti-trust law already is on. In the House the question will be first considered by the committee Most Important Session Since Civil on Judiciary. This committee has determined also to report bills amending the injunction statutes and the

The committee has in hand a half sides of the big party line members most recent bill was drafted by Repin the House and Senate are drawn resentative Henry of Texas, providup to fight out weighty problems of ing for penitentiary terms for violaup to the Presidential campaign of eliminate from the Sherman law the "rule of reason" as interpreted by the Supreme Court. Some sort of a bill is certain to come from the comthe republican side; reactionaries and the committee on Interstate Com-

> the House special committee of inquiry into the United States Steel Corporation. The steel corporation has protested against continuation of the hearing in view of the ruling of the government against it. The question is certain to be brought up in the House for settlement within a few days and it will provoke a lively

As a part of the trust legislative federal incorporation act. He has stated his belief that a statute might be drawn-not as an amendment to the anti-trust law-to furnish protection which would induce companies engaged chiefly in interstate trade to agree to government supervision of their transactions.

The National Monetary Commission will submit the report of its long and exhaustive inquiry by Jan. 8. The Central reserve bank plan be overshadowed. With the demo- advocated by former Senator Nelson crats looking ahead with sanguine W. Aldrich, has been practically unanimously endorsed by the American will be held at the hall. November, and insurgent republicans Bankers' Association. Currency reform, however, probably will develop will take place the first Monday night many differing opinions before any legislation is enacted.

Of unusual interets in the Senate will be the continuance of the inquiry into the right of Senator Lorimer, of

sumed here tomorrow. chairmen who will manage the big campaigns and plans for the approaching party conventions and the proaching party conventions and the subsequent battle of the ballots will report recomplication of the poor lost subsequent battle of the ballots will report recomplication of the poor lost subsequent battle of the ballots will report recomplication of the poor lost subsequent battle of the ballots will report recomplication of the poor lost subsequent battle of the ballots will report recomplication of the poor lost subsequent battle of the ballots will report recomplication for you and give his statement as man's property by assault and vious much attention from the poor lost the performance of their duties by a statement as man's property by assault and vious much attention from the performance of their duties by a statement as man's property person constituted agency.

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between the United States and Russia, campaign publicity and a bill proposing legislative power to be conferred upon the Territory of Alaska. An effort also may be made o abolish the new court of Com-

The personnel of the House and Senate has changed somewhat, the democrats of the House having gainsentative Oscar W. Underwood, of ed one more in their majority. There caused by the death of Representa-

Obediah Gardner, of Maine, succeeds the late Senator Frye, in the cans.

In the House an interesting feature of the session in all probability will by the democratic majority.

Economy will continue to be the investigations into government departments by the House committees on expeditures are to be continued and recommendations are to be made along lines of economy for each department of the government.

Economy it is said also will guide the Appropriations Committee, the first democratic committee in many the so-called "pork barrels." Representative Fitzgerald, of New York, is the chairman of the committee which

CHINA IS NOW

NEITHER THE REBELS NOR THE IMPERIALISTS APPEAR TO HAVE ANY ORGANIZATION.

Occupation

keener apprehension that China is drifting into political chaos. Lack of cohesion, funds, and a real leader. are bringing the efforts of the revolutionists to naught. The rebel troops are deserting, but imperial government seems equally weak. Even the lives of foreigners are no longer safe in th interior. Millions are at the point of starvation and brigandage is the only profitable occupation. The arrival of Dr. Sun Yat Sen from the United States is awaited. He may prove the much lacked leader for the

I. O. O. F'S ELECT **NEW OFFICERS**

At a regular meeting of Panhandle plan President Taft has suggested a Lodge No. 341 I. O. O. F., held at the Odd Fellows Hall last night the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Noble Grand-A. C. Wilson. Vice Grand-Walter Lane. Treasurer-Mike Newman. Secretary-J. T. Young. Trustee-G. R. Morgan. Representative to Grand Lodge-Mike Newman; Alternate-W. P

Brooks. There were forty members present

The installation of the new officer in January. .

Daughters of the Confederacy.

both houses on the immigration laws, the abrogation of the treaty of 1832 JUDGE MARTIN'S CHARGE TO WICHITA COUNTY GRAND JURY

duties connected with the adminis- indictment and they are all triable tration of justice. I hope and trust in the district court. Misdemeanors, Alabama, the Democratic floor lead- are five members of the House, Dan- that you fully appreciate and person- except misdemeanors involving offi-Joseph A. Taggart, (Dem) of Kansas; laid upon you by the oath you have information and complaint and they In the senate, Mr. La Follette al- Kenneth D. McKellar, (Dem) of just had administered to you by the are triable in the county and justice ready has been proclaimed by pro Tennessee; W. D. B. Ainey, (Rep) court. That outh has a most pro courts. The county and district atgressive republicans as their choice of Pennsylvania, and William J. found significance; it is one not to be forney and in some cases the justice to wrest the nomination from Mr. Browning, (Rep) of New Jersey. lightly taken and certainly it should of the peace can institute prosecu-There is one vacancy in the House never be disregarded by those who tions for misdemeanors, but it re grand jury and investigate crime—it jury to institute a prosecution for a intended to separate you from all of lows that the investigation of felonies convened at noon with practically ev- branded him as a reactionary and Senate, and Hoke Smith, comes to the improper impulses which actuate is of far greater importance than ery member of each House in his now criticizes Speaker Clark in what the Senate from Georgia. Renewal human action; it provides that you that of misdemeanors; but by this many democrats declare is an effort of the effort to elect a president pro will disregard considerations of love remark I do not mean to convey the to cause a breach between the Speak. tempore of the Senate in place of and affection, fear and favor and the impression that you should neglect to Martin Littleton addressed the er and the majority leader of the Mr. Frye will be made. Senator Ba- hope of reward and will present investigate and prosecute any miscon was the leading candidate of the things truly as they come to your demeanors that may come to your democrats and Senator Gallinger, the knowledge; it provides in effect that knowledge, for it is your duty to preleader of the regular republicans at all men shall be equal before you, sent all cases of crime, no matter and the most humble, the high and may be. the low, shall be treated alike by There are several defendants inbe the abolition of the secret caucus deliberations may be absolutely free of the county, upon charges of felony chance have widened its field of op pure election. part of the oath means just what the that these parties may be brought to Many abortive efforts have been democratic "watch word" in the language imports—that you will a speedy trial if you find bills against made to drive this evil from "The call your attention to the law against House. In this connection all the never divulge the things that may them or may be discharged, if they Best Built City in Texas," some suc. the giving of rebates to shippers by to not know, that Lamar had paid Means Committee will begin preparate visit indictment of the social evil and they have to indict. appropriation supply bills including the court. As individual members of the evidence before you and not wait all told me, with one accord, that to no man or set of men for your ac- the consideration of other cases. tions and your duty is a duty you owe to your God, your country and your own individual conscience. No shall not do. The court can tell you what your duties are and define to

> General Directions. In order to ascertain the truth and to present things truly as indicated by your oath, it is necessary that you receive and hear evidence as to violations of the law. No rule can be indictment, but generally I will say fraud. that the grand jury should be satis-

the ordinary affairs of life. Being son taking. tion and that is.

of perjury and in cases where the lines. view of the testimony that you take other felony therein.

The Division of Crimes.

Gentlemen of the Grand Jury?, misdemeanors are those crimes which You are called upon and sworn to are punishable by pecuniary fine or have been selected to sit upon the quires the intervention of a grand is an oath which is calculated and felony in this court. It therefore fol

happen in the grand jury room unless are found to be not guilty by you, I cessful efforts have been made, but railway companies. The law contemrequired to do so under the solmeni- desire that you shall devote your they only lasted for a short time. The plates that common carriers shall ty of an oath in a court of justice. first labor to the investigation of the denizens of the bady houses have a treat all people alike and make no There should be no leak from the "jail cases" and act upon them as tendency to "come back" like the cat rebates to favored shippers either digrand jury room. The outside world early in the term as you can intelli- in the song, pretty soon after the rectly or indirectly. No discriminahas no right to know any part of gentaly do so. In passing upon these grand jury has finished its labors. your deliberations and any part of as well as all cases which come to I have spoken to most of the peace shipper as against the small, but all your actions until they are reported your attention it is well for you to officers of the city in other days must be treated alike. So, if you find to the court in the form of bills of act upon the finding of a bill of in about the enforcement of the law this law violated it will be your duty the grand fury you are responsible utnil your attention is ditracted by the business can be broken up if

Capital Cases, Murder and Rape.

creature in being in this state, with licly or privately that he cannot adopted since July 10, 1909 it is a one can interiers with your delibera-malice aforethought is murder. Mur-break up this evil, if he can receive penitentiary crime to sell any inder with express malice aforethought the proper co-operation of his fellows is murder of the first degree and all in the general force here and yet I other murder is murder of the sec. have seen from time to time indict. ony to engage in the business of sellyou the criminal laws of the state; ond degree. Manslaughter is a lowthe district and county attorneys are
ond degree. Manslaughter is a lowthe district and county attorneys are
or degree of homicide and occurs tions passed and all sorts of enwhen the killing is not the result of couragement promised and yet they cred and as binding as any other law also charged with the duty of aiding malice, but is upon sudden provoca- are here plying their vocation as gay. in the statutes of the state and you you with their knowledge of the law, but neither they nor the court has tion, producing in effect such a condi- ly and as flagrantly as in the days tion of the mind as to render it in gone by. Different administrations bills against any parties who may the right to say to you that you shall not indict any particular individual. capable of cool reflection and there have handled the matter and yet they fore not in a condition to entertain remain. Is it possible that we have malice.

Rape is the carnet knowledge of a the wrong persons? Is it possible woman, by force, threats or fraud or that this class of criminals are enthe carnal knowledge of a female not couraged to live here by those who the wife of the defendant, under the should be the protectors of society necessary for the finding of a bill of age of fifteen years, either with or

Country.

First of all, they should be satis- Among the felonies common in this and all doing their duty, but the prohibiting sale to minors or habitual fied that the defendant is guilty of country we find the offense of theft. statutes of this state provide that at drunkards or students of any instituthe charge. No innocent man should it is the unlawful taking of corpor. each term of the district court I tion of learning; against Sunday be subjected to prosecution, if it can eal personal property belonging to shall call the attention of the grand opening or selling on Sunday and be avoided by you. Yet on the oth- another from his possession or from jury to these matters and instruct numerous other provisions made for er hand no guilty man should be the possession of some person hold them to have the officers before them the protection of the people. I charge allowed to escape the penalty of his ing the same for the owner, with in- and see whether or not they are do- you to keep a watchful eye upon the misdeeds. The belief of the defend tent to deprive the owner of the ant's guilt should be such a belief as value of the same and to appropriate you would be willing to act upon in it to the use and benefit of the per
363 Penal Code). Now if this means inits it to be run at all.

defraud.

secure a conviction? The unsuccess- also a felony under our law and per- Code of Texas. ful prosecution of even a guilty man sons guilty of this offense should be support a conviction, as in the case ing officers do their duty along these have.

and that if you believe him guilty The fraudulent disposition of mort frequenting these dons of infamy charge to the grand jury upon this they are likely to take the same view gaged property is anoter felony which where if the dollars that should go subject which put all men upon noof it that you take; whether they do is of common occurrence in the to wives and children or fathers and tice of the provisions of this law. or not you are at least entitled to state. It is an offense punishable by mothers were not spent with these presume that twelve other resonable confinement in the penitentiary for women, they were robbed and beaten men will see the matter as you see any party to remove mortgaged prop- by the male companions of the prosti- importance of the question of public it. Where it is practicable I believe erty beyond the state borders or to tutes. Sometimes they told the tale health. The medical profession for that the grand jury should investi- sell or otherwise dispose of the same to the officers, but more often prob- several years have been trying to gate both sides of a case, before re without the consent of the party to ably they did not. My heart does not awaken an interest in the prevention turning a bill of indictment. But whom the property is mortgaged and bleed in sympathy for the man who of disease and they are now meeting this is not always practicable or pos- with the intent to defraud. An ap- thus subjects himself to this ignomi- with some success. The legislature sible. Attorneys often advise their plication of the criminal law to this nious robbery, but I do most heartily of Texas has adopted a sanitary clients to stay out of the grand jury class of offenders would be a safe sympathize with a community that code. It is the law and it was made room and make no statements before guard to the mercantile business of will permit such a class of people to for our observance. The pervalence that body and frequently a man con- the country. But in this connection remain here and ply such a nefarious of preventable disease in some parts templating prosecution decides to I would warn you to be careful and trade as this-laugh if you will, at of this county emphasizes the immake a fight of Mis case before the not allow your body to be made an the victim who goes drunk to the portance of obedience to the sanitary grand jury and does not refer that instrument through which the com- house of shame and loses his money, laws of the state. The protection of body to any witnesses whatever, plainant hopes merely to collect bad but after you have laughed at him the public health is really of more Houston, Texas, Dec. 5.—Prominent Again it often occurs that the guilt debt. It sometimes happens that in- ask yourselves whose fault it is that vital importance than the protection Illinois, to retain his seat. Hearings women from many cities and towns of a defendant is so plain and palable dictments for this offense are found the house of shame exists in the of private property and I invite your in the case which have been going on throughout Texas were on hand this that it would be a waste of your valin Chicago since October will be re- morning at the opening of the six- uable time to hear testimony upon of their debts become very uncertain as," and say, if you will, whether or teenth annual convention of the Tex- the matter other than the testimony about the criminal elements involv- not you want such conditions to be cer is doing his duty as well as city Conservation policies are to be as division of the United Daughters for the prosecution; so I can give you ed in the transaction. You are in no perpetuated.

urged on Congress. Included in this of the Confederacy. Mrs. A. R. How no invariable rule upon this subject instance to be used as a collection.

The mention of these felonies is gaged in running such houses and Crimes in this State are of two not intended to limit your investiga with such a strong law as this will imprisonment in the penitentiary and attention is directed to all of them

whether specificately mentioned or made it incumbent upon the district

you in your deliberations; it provides carcerated in the county jail upon flourishing in the district common portant statutes in the books than for secrecy of action, so that your commitments from examining courts ly called Mulberry Row and may per those intended to secure to use a from any sort of restraint and this awaiting your action, and to the end crations to other parts of the city.

been proceeding all this time against against these evils?

have charge of the enforcement of the Robertson-Fitzhugh law. Among "Stirring days ahead," are forecast dozen bills providing amendments to Millions of Natives Are Starving and fled, reasonably of two things before Minor Felonies Common to This the law in Wichita Falls that so far its many provisions there are those as I personally know, they are each providing for closing at midnight; anything at all it means that if you thus satisfied of the guilt of the de | Forgery in the making of a false find that, any of these officers are fendant there is one other inquiry to instrument purporting to be the act not doing their duty in tihs regard, amusement and pastime which are which you should direct your atten- of another with intent to injure and you will promptly indict them for not very strongly favored by the law. neglect of duty for which you have While they are permitted to exist and Second, is the evidence sufficient to Passing a forged instrument is abundant authority in Art 294-5 Penal are licensed, yet they are pretty

is not as a rule productive of any diligently prosecuted. The commer- duty an investigation is what they ing places unfit for children to fregood either to the commonwealth or cial world is entitled to protection want and ought to have and if they quent. So we have a statute which to the individual prosecuted. In against the wiles of the forger and are not doing their duty an investi- makes it a misdemeanor for any some cases the law itself prescribes it cannot get it unless the grand gation and a prompt prosecution is pool or billiard hall-keeper to permit the amount of evidence necessary to juries, the courts and the prosecut what the public wants and ought to any person under 21 years of age to

from what is known in law as an ac- common occurrence in this county, small matter. I have had some ex- someone standing in the place and complice—but as a general rule you It is the breaking and entering of the perience with the grand juries and stead of such parent and guardian. can safely predict that a petit jury house of another person with intent in the courts here in this city; I have I hope you will rigidly enforce this trying the case will take the same to steal therefrom or to commit some listened to many a story of men and law in this county for I well rememboys, debauched by drink and lust, ber my eminent predecessor giving a

Terrell Election Law. The legislature of the state has

Judges of the state to specially charge the grand juries upon the provisions By far the most common offenses of the Terrell election law in so far committed in your county are the as the same relates to the protection class known to the law as misdeman of the ballot from corruption. It is ors. Some of them are of such com- the intent of this law to secure to mon occurrence that but little at the people of this state an honest, tention is paid to them. In the city free, and untrammelled expression of of Wichita Falls we have three differ- their true sentiments at the ballot perform one of the most important imprisonment in the county jail. All ent sets of officers, supposed to be box. While it provides for the payfelonies must be presented by bill of looking after misdemennors here, ment of a poll tax as a prerequisite The county court, with its sheriff and to the exercise of the elective franhis deputies; the justice court, with chise, yet it never was intended as its constable and his deputies; and a tax measure but as a measure to er, also is talked of throughout the lel V. Stephens, (Dem) of Nebraska; ally feel the ersponsibility which is cial misconduct may be presented by the city court with its mayor or recorder and the marshal or chief of count to the citizens of this state police and his force of policemen. having sufficient interest in public With the burden of enforcing the affairs to pay a poll tax into the misdemeanor laws thus scattered treasury. There are many different widely among so many men and the crimes denounced in this law and responsibility resting upon each of your attention is directed to them them, it would seem that Wichita as a whole as time is hardly sufficient. Falls ought to be the quietest and to give them in detail. The most most law abiding town in the world common one of these crimes is the -but I have noticed in the public advancing of money by persons inprints that it has recently been stat- terested in the elections to pay the ed from such a sacred place as the poll taxes of irresponsible persons pulpit, that there are worse crimes who would otherwise not pay and committed in Wichita Falls than the then handing out these tax receipts crime for which Beattle was recently on or about election time to the man electrocuted in Richmond, Va. And paid for or some person who will im-I have been informed by reputable personate the man paid for. If anyand responsible people that there ex thing of this kind has been done in the last session. Senator Clapp was the rich and the poor, the influential how great or how small the offense lats evils in the city that are a dis Wichita county within the period of grace to the citizens of the state. | limitation, do not hestitate to return The social evil, I am told, is still a true bill, for there is no more im-

Rebates By Railways.

tion is permitted in favor of the large

Local Prohibition. In some of the precincts of this properly handled. In fact, I have county local prohibition exists and I never heard a sheriff, deputy sheriff, am directed to call your attention to The unlawful killing of responsible constable or police officer admit publish law. Where the law has been have violated it in such districts. I have not heard of such violations. vet the law makes it my imperative duty to call your attention to this

law each term of court. The Robertson-Fitzgerald Law. While upon the subject of the laws regulating the sale of liquor, I will call your attention to the pro-I want to say of the officers who visions of the license law known as

heavily taxed and in addition to taxa If these officers are doing their tion, the law looks upon them as beenter or remain in his place of busi-Gentlemen of the grand jury, this ness without the consent of the parprincipal part of the testimony comes | Burglary is another offense of too disorderly house proposition is no ent or guardian of such minor, or of

Our people are just awaking to the law. See if your county health offifew well directed prosecutions where

Grand Jury Procedure. I shall not call your attention directly to any other particular statutes. The district and county afforneys will be with you and will in-

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Fads and Fashions

New York, Dec. 2 .- There has been ! moving it up and down at their whim for their chief recommendation.
and pleasure, until the women were Wraps are trimined with heavy completely bewildered. It was, and laces edged with fur. Hoods of lace is now, by no means an unusual thing lined with shirred chiffon or soft to find in the same exhibit of some famous creator of fashions costumes of which every one has the waistline shown in many of the shops and are

During the last season the waistline was again slightly raised, and now word comes from Paris that the orings are used to ornament dresses newest models show a lowered waist. for afternoon or evening wear. line, one only slightly above normal, favorite embroidery of the moment is which probably means that ere long in Russian design worked on net. The colorings include blue and red, the waistline will again return to its the red being the predominating tone natural position. The long, graceful in a dress with this embroidery lines so engerly sought for by de- lower part is of white charmeuse, and signers of clothes have rejoiced in a vogue that has given them an opportunity to indulge their fancy to the utmost. With the return of the normal waistline will undoubtedly come the introduction of short trains on afternoon and evening gowns, for in no other way can that sweep of grace be obtained.

The accepted line of the waist this

and woollens, are much in vogue at the murdered persons on account the present time and will be much in jerlously. Top coats, polo and motor coats are tinued until April. all being made of reversible cloth. Soft neutral tones often have reverse sides in a brilliant shade of bright A GOOD HORSE green or blue, cerise or orange. which shows in collars and cuffs.

Smart coats are made up of dark polo cloth backed with white, the huge white collar and deep cuffs being chic and becoming if not exactly as serviceable as those of a darker some time the automobile has gradhue. Checkered effects are smart as ually been taking the place of the reversed sides to plain toned woolens. horse, and has been performing that Often these coats are in fact reversi- animal's duties, and thus decreasing ble, making a pleasing and convenient the price at which the beast may be change for the wearer. For instance, sold, and the only point along which a dark blue blanket coat, on loose, an argument can be carried on is the wide lines, has as its reverse side a comparative rapidity with which the light blue and white plaid surface, automobile is coming into its own During the day it is worn in the mot. Some assert that the horse is still : or car and in the evening is turned powerful factor in transportation and inside out and worn over a dark other problems, while others argue gown to the cafe and theatre.

Light weight double faced cloths more useful than the horse. are designed for coat suits. One at. Those who do not believe that the tractive model is of dark blue serge backed by a narrow tripe in oid the automobile should have been blue and black. The hem of the skirt present yesterday afternoon about is turned up on the right side, thus o'clock on the corner of Indiana and giving the effect of a band trimming, Seventh street, when Sheriff Ran-Collar and cuffs are treated in a like dolph sold at public auction a white by Mrs. Fred C. Barron, were espec of the edge with old blue satin.

brown satin-finished cloth faced with old looking. a small check in dark brown and The man who purchased the ant moss green. Besides the reveresd mal at such a cheap price yesterday side, this shows touches of green afternoon said that he had done so satin covered cords outlining the as a speculation, and that he intend seams and simulating buttonholes ed to hold the animal until the which meet large fancy metal but market rises in price, when he will tons. Black is faced with a soft deep toned yellow; deep blue, with cerise or the richer hablia tints.

are shading of violet and mire stone gray with red, beige and dark kept, which oats were worth over green. In the satins and other silk three dollars, or more than double en stuffs the color schemes are ever more complicated, a shot or change able effect often backing a plain col or. Black satin, showing a reversi ble side of rich purple, blue, yellow lieves that he will eventually make a or red, is being employed for after profit on his deal. noon and evening gowns, the bright side being used in many clever ways as trimming. There are many varieties and grades of these materials in . Is Judge Landis being considered the market and there is no doubt that for Justice Harlan's place? Or has he they will be worn a great deal during the winter.

Long coats of moleskin are a fad suished company of those fitted by of the moment, and Juding from the number of them worn must be selling well. They are levely in color and texture and the pelts are supple enough for graceful handling, but the fur is not so practicale as some of the tougher furs and has not the permanent value of the more costly furs such as sable, chinchilla, broadtail, etc.

Fur coats, showing two furs in com- for Justice Harlan's place the public bination are numerous, though usual- can quit guessing. ly developed in the less expensive pelts. Seal of the Hudson or French. variety and moleskin in combination are nopular and more effective than Woodrow Wilson in a signed state one would finagine before seeing ment issued here Tuesday night reone would imagine before seeing garding a story prince Tuesday that rich. Long straight scarfs and huge he had applied to the Carnegie foundmusts made of alternating bands of ation for a pension, admitted that these two furs are one of the fancies he had made such application before man. of the moment. Moleskin is often his election as governor of New Jercombined with ermine not only in sey. The governor justified his ac Gates were invited to appear Monda small furs but in extremely elegant tion on the grounds of long services coats, the soft gray and white form as a teacher, saying that he had no ing a most harmonious and charming private means to depend upon and cofor scheme.

The importance of lace in the bound by the principles of honor, put scheme of present day fashions can his family and all who may be denot be too strongly emphasized, pendent upon him for support at the Buffles of lace have been placed on mercy of any incalculable turn of the the lower edge of skirts under the wheel of fortune. tunic. There is little fullness in these new skirts, however. The A large number of Wilbarger coun therefore the ruffles must be scant. | county.

The use of lace on evening hats i considerable uncertainty concerning decidedly noticeable. High, puffed the position of the waistline during the past few months. The dictators in combination with Valenciennes of fashion have seen fit to juggle with are used on models that have light the waistline ever since last winter, ness of weight and fresh colorings

> pleatings of silk are in demand. Lace scarfs beaded and trimmed with bands of chenille embroidery are

Embroideries of all kinds and col upper part which includes tunic and

A franchise has been granted in Brownsville for the construction of a street railway system. Charged With the Murger of Five

Houston, Texas, Dec. 4.—The tris of A. H. Sheffield, charged with the season is one and one-half inches the latter's wife, two babies and Wai munder of five persons, Gus Schultz above the normal in the back, grad- ter Eichman, a family boarder, who unting to one inch above in front, were slain in their little home here The most fashionable frocks will be nearly two years ago, was called to made after that model, although in day. Sheffield has confessed to im the evening gowns greater liberties proper relations with Mrs. Shultz but will be taken with this portion of the denies the murders. The police have the confession of Frank Turney, de Double-faced materials, both silks claring that Sheffield wanted to kil

evidence during the winter season Later-Sheffie'd's trial was con

It is an undisputed fact that for that the automobile is already far

horse is being swiftly superceded by anner, but are faced within an inch horse for the sum of one dollar and fifty cents, the horse being in appa-Another trig suit is of tobacco ently good condition, and not at all

sell for a profit. However, it was rumored on the streets a short time after the sale, that the horse had Other interesting combinations ruined a sack of cats belonging to the wagon yard where it was bein: the original purchase price of the horse. In spite of this happening, the owner of the horse is said to have been heard to have stated that he be

Bryan Wants to Know.

The Commoner. his fine against the Standard Of Company, shut himself of the distin-

adjoint temperament for the supreme Mr. Perkins told us why Governor Hughes was "put over.' - Now will he tell us whom his former partner, J. Plermont Morgan, has recommended

or Justice Harlan's place? Do you hear of anyone being discussed for Justice Harlan's place who exembles him in any respect?

to big business will name their choice JNO. D. ROCKEFELLER

Wilson Asked Penson. Baltimore, Md., Dec. 6.-Governor that a man who goes into politic

fr ight ellhouette, although decided ty farmers have declared their intes ly removed from the hobble line of thou of attending the farm demon- States district court today. Each last season, must be adhered to and, stration to be conducted in that

ELKS REMEMBER District ABSENT BROTHER

MEMORIAL SERVICES AT THE orders entered. WICHITA SUNDAY WERE BEAU TIFUL AND IMPRESSIVE.

NEVER FORGOTTEN

heir Good Deeds Live Always I Hearts of Their Brothers-Address by Hon, Charles Batsell.

In observance of memorial day, as eleribed by the grand lodge, almost the entire membership of the local lodge of Elks, and friends to the number of several hundred, gathered in the Wichita Theatre yesterday afternoon to pay tribute to the memory of their departed brothers. For the occasion the auditorium and stage had been handsomely decorated with flowers and flags and em lems of the order. The program of the service was that laid down, by the grand lodge ritual, and was car ried out in most fitting and beautifu manner.

The oration of the day, delivered by Hon. Charles Batsell, of Sherman was one of the most brilliant efforts in exaltation of the order and i memoriom of the dead that has ever been heard here. Mr. Batsell has a magnificient voice and a splendie command of language, and in a call even tone he traced the dawn of civilization and the organization of society from the early savage begin ning to the present day of civiliza tion. He told of the birth of the Elk's order in New York, and like the early pioneer who started out from the Atlantic, it had sped of westward until now the Atlantic and the Pacific were welded together by the strong band of friendship, chari

and fidelity, and where ever the stars and stripes went, followed close the Benvolent and Protective Order of Elks, and wherever the stars and stripes were not recognized as the emblem of sovreignty, the order refused to go. In closing he called a tention to the beautiful thought tha an Elk is never forgotten, that n matter when or how or where his passing always in the hearts of hi rothers would remain the memor of his goodness, of his kindness and s' brotherly love.

In aubogy of the dead brother and especially of Mr. J. U. 'ODonho who so recently passed away, Mr. / H. Britain, exalted ruler of the lodge gave a most pathetic address in which he told the story of the your man's life, of his membership in th Elks, of his recent marriage ap death even in his honeymoon.

The program also included som most exquisite music. "Aria," a v cal solo by Mrs. E. E. Sanders, an "I know that my Redeemer Liveth. inet solo, "Thou Beautiful Evening Star," by G. F. Anderson and a viol! solo by Charles J. Templeton, wer well given and highly appreciated. The order of the service was as fo

Opening Ceremonies-Officers of th

Invocation-Rev. J. W. Hill. Selection "Arla," Vocal Solo, J. S. Voluntary Consolation Frang Liv Vicitia Theatre Orchestra. Clarinet Solo-"Thou Beautiful Fa

ing Star," Wagner, Mr. G. F. And

Violin Solo "Rercense de Tocelvi odard, Mr. Charles J. Tempeton.

Fulogy- Bro. J. U. O'Donohoe, A. Britain. Selection-Vocal Solo, "I know the y Redeemer Liveth," Handel's Me

tiah, Mrs. Fred C. Barron. Closing Ceremonies-Officers of the Doxology-(Audience Joining.)

Bone liction-Rev. J. W. Hill. The arrangement committee was

Program and Music-V. G. Skeen, E. est Katz, A. L. Huey. House and Decorations-A. G. Death rage, R) J. Martin, J. W. Stone. Speakers-C. W. Bean, J. W. Clas ey, A. H. Britain.

RECEIVES SUMMONS

By Associated Press.
Washington, D. C., Dec. 6.—The Senate was not in session today. It the House the Government estimate were attacked as misleading by the appropriation committee by the chair

John D. Rockefeller and Rev. F. D before the steel investigating com

INCICTED PACKERS PLEAD NOT GUILT

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 6.-The indicted packers made no further effort toda to delay their trial in the Unite them pleaded not guilty when Judge Carpenter called the case.

Court The docket was called in the dis- Falls vs. Louisa J. Morgan et al, W.

trict coutr Tuesday and the following F. Weeks appointed to represent Jennie Williams vs. Arthur Wil-

iams, divorce; no orders passed. Arthur T. Davis vs. Maud Davis, livorce: ne orders passed.

Leona Collias vs. W. F. Collins, di orce; no bond passed.

C. K. McGann vs. Elnor E. McGann livorce; no orders passed. O. W. Carter vs. Vera Carter, di vorce; no orders passed.

R. V. Gwinn vs. T. H. Collins, al to try title; no orders passed Robt. Cobb vs. Nettie P. Cobb, d vorce; no orders passed.

Mae Smith vs. George Smith, di orce; no ordres passed. Beatrice Fletcher vs. Frank Fletch r, divorce; no orders passed.

Henry Williams vs. Janey Williams divorce; no orders passed. The State of Texas vs. Morris

Gullihorn, recovery of penalty; no orders passed. The State of Texas vs. Abe Mar us, et al, for penalty on liquor li

W. S. Turnpaugh vs. Ethel Turn paugh, divorce; dismissed at cost of daintiff.

Adeline Rucks vs. Ft. W & D C Ry. Co., et al, injunction; dismissed at defendant's cost.

Lukes Zihlman vs. M. K. & T. Ry damages; set for Monday, Dec. 18. Charlotte Zihlman vs. M. K. & T Ty. Co., to perpetuate testimony passed.

A. J. Edwards vs. F. W. & D. C ly. Co., damages; set for Thursday Dec. 14. W. F. Investment Co. vs. C. M

Brown, et al, suit for debt; dismissed at costs of plaintiff. Ella Widner vs. H. W. Widner, di

orce; no orders passed. J. H. Marriott vs. The Texas Com any, infunction; set for Tuesday,

Bettie McFali vs. B. F. McFall, inction and divorce; passed. W. Lively vs. Minnie Lively, di

orce; no orders passed. T. C. Tate vs. The Texas Company, to cancel lease and damages; udgment for plaintiffs as per agree

Mrs. Lottie Proud vs. W. D. Davis & Co., et al, to try title and cancel Il lease! passed J. M. Powers vs. Electra Oil & Gas

o., damages and to cancel lease; J. R. Patty vs. C. O. Leike, suit to

ollect commission or land sale! passed W. M. Davis vs. City National Bank

al, garnishment; passed. itle and damages; continued to per- 12, 1912. ect service.

Chas. M. Bralkowiski vs. Burkbur Co., damages; set for trial Dec.-6th. ett Independent School District lebt; set for Thursday, Dec. 14. Wichita State Bank vs. Walter rown, et al, debt; continued to perect service.

Martha Clark et al vs. Pacific, Mu al Life Insurance Co., of California, recover insurance on policy; moon for cost bond filed. Fdgar T. Anderson et al vs. F. P.

Avis, to cancel deed and clear title asssed. First State Bank & Trust Co., vs F. Daniels, debt; passed. G. L. Collie- vs. W. M. F. Collier

vorce; no orders passed. Addie Allen vs. Will Allen divorce orders passed.

O. F. Marchman et al vs. Ethel oehrendt et al, to try title and for amages; no orders passed.

A. E. Peyton vs. Mae Peyton. orce; no orders passed. Chester Z. Wise vs. Lewis Grey et suit on contract; passed. Mattie A. Robertson vs. R. L. Rob-

rtson, divorce; no orders passed. Jake Nichols vs. Easter Nichols orce; no orders passed. Expertie Aunie M. Hemme, remov of disability as a minor; passed.

F. L. Powell et al vs. W. E. Craw nit for partition; passed J. C. Doneghy vs. Jas L. Roberts et il, debt and foreclosure; continued or service. Wichita Valley Railway Company

ry title; passed. Ameila Flippin vs. C. J. Flippin, ivorce; continued for service Lillie Frazier vs. W. T. Frazier, di-

orce; no orders passed. Blair & Hughes Co. vs. Hubbard Dry Goods and Grocery Company,

Smoot and Smott et al vs. B. F. Dutton et al, debt for attorney fees; H. C. Cowley vs. Lillie J. Cowley,

ivorce; no orders passed. Mattie Stegall vs. Hurbert Stegall, ivorce; no orders passed. W. J. Cain vs. Henry Sonnamaker et al, debt and foreclosure; con-

inued for service. C. B. Pratt vs. W. A. Pratt, d orce and partition; passed. Ira Goodwin vs. H. A. Goodwin, suit for partition and division of title;

R. H. Cook vs. J. M. Guffey Petro eum Company, suit for commission nd interest in lease; passed. Saillie Smith vs. C. H. Smith, di-

orce and injunction; passed. City National Bank of Wichita

rell. divorce; passed Sadie H. H. Fassett vs. J. B. Fas sett, divorce; passed. Myrtle Montgomery , vs. J. J. Mont-

gomery, divorce and injunction; pass-J. R. Chandler vs. E. A. Bedeckea, debt and foreclosure; passec.
Tessa Johnson vs. George N. John

on, divorce; passed. Mrs. Lena Thompson vs. W. A Thompson, divorce; passed. Pearl R. Johnson vs. Lee M. John

on, divorce; passed. Marthanville Banks of Marthanville Mo., vs. E. T. Brown et al, debt and foreclosure; passed. R. L. Tarlton vs. A. B. Tarlton, di

orce: passed, Hattie Lovd vs. B. M. Lovd. diorce; passed. J. M. Bell (guardian) estate of R.

Hester vs. Mrs. W. W. Bailey et d; debt; passed. S. J. Beasley vs. Richard Flood al, cancellation of contract; passed. H. Cramner vs. W. W. State, debt and froeclosure; passed. Amelia S. Ferguson vs. John E

Coller, debt and foreclosure; pass-F. T. Deniosn vs. Ella Denison, di orce; passed.

R. E. Montgomery vs. Chas. Seeley, tresspass to try title; inued for service. F. P. Avis vs. Chas. E. Coons et al, o try title and damages; passed. Ralph Ruth, by next friend vs. H. Lucke et al. to try title and dam-

San nel E. Bell vs. Andrew Benson al damages, debt and partition lien; passed.

nges: passed.

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L. A. Wallace et al vs. R. P. Webb uit for partition; passed. Mrs. Mattie Evans vs. W. P. Evans livorce; defendant granted to leave to amend rule for costs. W. Jerome Withers vs. Wichita

Falls & Northwestern Railway Co., damages: passed. A. B. Blank vs. Fort Worth & Dener Railway, damages; passed. Eva Blank vs. Fort Worth & De

William M. Kenk et al vs. W. F. Weeks, for debt and to clear title; passed. L. C. Gill vs. J. L. Gill, divorce;

er Railway, damages; passed.

Cases Bet For Trial By Jury. Ft. W. & D. C. Ry. Co., vs. Ralph Hines; injunction; set for trial Jan. 24, 1912,

Mrs. A. Bullinger and husband D. A. Brunlinger vs. E. G. Adams et al. to set aside deed; set for trial Dec. G. M. Griffin vs. W. F. & N. W

N. R. Stone vs. G. G. Buford, to try Ry. Co., damages; set for trial Feb. A. E. Mapes vs. F. W. & D. C. Ry.

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Richard Croker, former Tammany row, chief counsel of the McNamara Hall leader, picks Mayor Gaynor of defense, received not less than fifty New York City as the logical Democratic candidate for President.

Manager Dale Gear, of the Topeka Morrison was custodian of the fund.

Western league teYam, has signed Money for the defense fund is still two brothers from Las Vagas, N. M., pouring in representing subscriptions

Docket Called McNAMARA TELLS OF THE TIMES EXPLOSION

Warren B. Cottrell vs. Mary Cot- SIXTEEN STICKS OF 80 PER CENT DYNAMITE PLANTED IN INK ALLEY AND CLOCK FUSE SET FOR 1:00 A. M.

BROTHERS ARE SENTENCED

James B. Sentenged for Life and John J.Imprisonment for Fifteen Years. Gomepre Leadership Threat-

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Oct. 1, 1910.-Los Angeles Times ouilding wrecked, killing twenty-one April 12, 1911-James McNamar ar

ested in Detroit charged with mur er and conspiracy under alias of J B. Bryce and J. B. Bryson. Ortic CManigal arrested at same time or milar charges. April 22, 1911-John J., McNama

rrested at Indianapolis charged with nurder and conspiracy. McManigai makes confession, implicating the Me amaras and others. April 23-Samuel Gompers and other

abor leaders denounced the arrests of he McNamaras as infamous outrages. April 25-Detective William Burns rrested on charge of kidnapping pris ners from Indiana.

April 25-Victor, Berger, Socialist nember of congress, asks congress to vestigate the arrest and extradition J. J. McNamara. April 26-The Two McNamaras and

brile McManigal are placed in jail in s Angeles after a sensational jour ev from Indianapolis May 5-The McNamaras are ar aigned at Los Angeles,

Oct. 11-James McNamara is placed n trial. Dec. 1.-McNamaras confess

July 14-Trial set for Oct. 11.

crimes.

Sentence Pronounced

Los Angeles, Dec. 5.—Judge Bord well today sentenced James B. McNamara to life imprisonment in San Quentin prison. He sentenced John J. McNamara to

ifteen years. Seventeen policemen aided in search ng the spectators before they were allowed to enter the court room to

ear the sentences announced. Bordwell declared James B. Mc-Namara guilty of first degree murder and ald to him, "A man who will place fixteen sticks of dynamite in a place where, you as a printer knew gas was urning in many places, and knew many were toiling, must have had no egard for human life, and must have een a murderer at heart, and unde serving of clemency."

But for reasons other than the ple of non intent Bordwell declared he would impose a penalty of imprisonment for life.

McNamara's Confession Brief. Los Angeles, Dec. 5.—The brief conession which James B. McNamara wrote last night was made public to lav. It tells only of the Los Angeles Times explosion. He save he placed

styteen sticks of cighty per cent dyna mite in the building and did not inand to take life but only to scare the proprietors. His confession reads:

"I James B McNamara, defendar n the case of the people, having here tofore plead guilty to the crime o murder, desire to make this state. ment of facts; and this is the truth On the night of September 20, 1910 at 5:45 p. m. I placed in ink alley, a We urge all in Wichita Falls who portion of the Times building, a suft suffer from any stomach derange- case containing sixteen sticks of ment, indigestion, or dyspepsia, eighty per cent dynamite, set to explode at one o'clock the next morning. It was my intention to injure the building and to scare the owners. did not intend to take the life of any one and I sincerely regret that those infortunate men lost their lives. If the giving of my-life would bring them back I would gladly give it. In fact. in pleading guilty to murder in first degree, I have placed my life in the hands of the State.-James B. Mc-Namar."

The confession covers one side of an ordinary sheet of paper and was write fen with a fountain pen, supplied by one of his attorneys. It is probably the only written statement of the case that will ever be made by the writer or his brother, John J.

District Attorney John D. Fredericks, when asked if he possessed more details than the written text of the onfession, rentld, "Yes, in our conference wetalked over a wide arnge of things and learned much about dates, be discussed now, but obviously will be of value to the Federal authorities

All Strikes May Be Called Off. New York, Dec. 5.—Clarence S. Dar-

thousand dollars for his services according to Secretary Morrison, of the American Federation of Labor, today

said to be Indians and great ball made before the McNamaras pleas of guilty came. More than two hundred Galveston is the world's greatest thousand was subscribed to the fund. cotton exporting port, process [seld Morrison, and practically all of

this had been sent to the attorneys and expended. The money received since Friday will be returned to contributors and the residue if any will ! be redistributed said Morrison. There s a possibility of a conference here omorrow, as to setting all labor disoutes throughout the United States. n order that the unions may devote their undivided attention to the crisis growing out of the McNamara conspiracy. It is not known whether compers will attend this conference. If he is not there the leaders would be ree discuss the question of retaining him as their leader. Tomerrow's meeting was called originally to discuss the dispute between the carpenters and joiners and the sheet metal workers.

GUN DISCHARGED WHEN DROPPED

J. W. Short, deputy sheriff, and S. Walkup, constable of the Electra precinct received word Tuesday evening about 3 o'clock that two negroes were displaying guns across the river, and that an officer was wanted to arrest them before any damage was accomplished, as it was thought that the In his haste to get stare

the negroes, J. W. Short dropped a 38 caliber gun on the floor of the sherin's office in the court house. and it went off, tearing a large hole in the officer's trousers, and narrowly missing several men who happened to be in the room. However, no damage was done, although a good scare was experienced by all present. The bullet lodged in the side of the wall near the ceiling. Among those whom the bullet bare-

were Sheriff Randolph and Judge Edgar Rye, Tom Pickett and S. Walkup within a few inches of whose head the bullet passed. The Oklahoma Pecos Oil Company has shipped machinery to the Pecos-

Toyah oil field and will commence

ly missed when the gun went off

development work within a few days. Wilson county will vote on \$30,000 bond issue for purchase of two complete road building machines for building, including scrapers, etc.

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LABOR WAS DUFED.

Troy, N. Y., Dec. 2 .- "Labor

was duped" declared. Samuel

Gompers, president of the

American Federation of Labor

oday. "The severest criticism

that can be made against us

is that we had faith in the men

who were accused of the

to accept their innocence as a

fact. We assembled a fund of

\$190,000 to defend them. The

assumption is that labor un-

ions will suffer as a result of

the confession, but I don't

think they will, even if it will

- No Outside Pressure.

"Negotiations have been on for

orroborated by District Attorney.

Fredericks. "We expected at one time

that external pressure was exerted

from union labor sources and socialist

sources as General Harrison Gray Otis

held next Tuesday, in which Job Har-

Proceedings Lumped.

torney Fredericks obtained an adjourn-

hat Lawrence Sullivan, an investiga-

could have emphasized or equalized

the impression of tense anxiety which

pervaded the room. Once, for a mo-

ment, before J. B. McNamara stood up

to plead, a baby cried. Its startled

mother hustled it out of the room and

BURNS FEELS VINDICATED.

Just What I Said It Was-Over-

whelming."

every labor paper have so often printed stories of 'frame-up' in the case

that some good people were beginning

the action in court, he said;

The effect of this will be far reach

bor by which the radical element will

"Such men as John Mitchell-will con-

"But the plea of guilty entered by

"I have absolute information that

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when he said he feared further blood-

thy with the McNamara brothers.

on the square.

Los Angeles,

arrested at any time.

his arm around hind.

All of yesterday's proceedings were

do them no good.

By Associated Press.

Will Be Pushed Against Detective. Other Arrest for Dynamiting May Be Made Today.

By Associated Press. Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 2.—That the application of the Golden Rule and a principle of conciliation, founded on religious convictions, started the ball rolling toward, the admission of guilt by the McNamaras, was the theory which stands as foremost for the abrupt conclusion of the trial. The chain incidents produced wide speculation. These include the arrest of and the perturbation of the prosecu- presented a stone wall." tion when it was discovered that

be arrested in San Francisco, and Indianapolis, and that the Mc Namaras may be called on to testify against them was one of the reports today. Asked as to when the compromise affected was finally settled upon by which the McNamaras were plead as they did, District Attorney Fredericks said: "It never was that Jim would confess last Monday, settled till it happened, though I had but he did not." Darrow also denied every reason to expect it."

The McNamaras maintained cheerfulness today. They told their jailors they were glad the ordeal was

The eight jurors and two talesmen spent today in their homes delighted with the turn of affairs.

Ortie McManigal will also be sen tenced as he pleaded guilty to wrecking the Llewelyn Iron Works.

The State announced an intention of pressing the Franklin case to a finish and is said to be still working morning session of court, District Aton clues which may result in further revelations at the preliminary exam-

ination of Franklin next Monday. The confessions were received with much surprise here and the Central Labor Council issued a statement saying it is against lawlessness and disorder; and that organized labors believed the McNamaras were illegally deported from Indianapolis to Los Angeles, and came to their aid with there.

moral and financial help. "Upon the guilt of the accused be ing established," the statement said. a rigid enforcement of the waw."

Attorney Scott for the defense today said that John J. McNamara had seet inside the rail. James B. Mc would probably be refunded. been prevailed upon to plead guilty namara sat next to Attorney Scott. to the minor charge in connection with the Lewellyn Iron Works in order to save his brother's life. was each brother doing something for the other, James B. McNamara pleaded guilty to the murder because it

was waived against John J. In turn John J. agreed to plead guilty to the Lewellyn charge. If he had not James B. might have lost his life. The State wanted pleas of guilty from both," said Attorney Scott. District Attorney Fredericks said

that within 24 hours before the confessions strong pressure was brought to bear upon the defense, but would give no detail. "We gave our ultimatum that both

must plead guilty," he said, "they were guilty and we knew it. They had a pretty good idea of some of the things we knew about them and they Detective Says "Evidence Has Been perhaps saved many revelations by their action." It was said that James B. McNam

ara desired to confess earlier if he could clear his brother of all charges the prosecutor was unwilling.

The Nature of the Confession.

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 1. James B. McNamara pleaded guilty to murder the first degree in Judge Walter Bordwells court yesterday. His brother John A. McNamara, secretary of the International Bridge and Structural fron Workers, entered a plea of guilty to having dayamited the Llewellyn iron works in Los Angeles on Christ-mas day, 1910.

"I had absolutely no personal feeling James B. McNamara's confession against either defendant. I was emclears up absolutely the tragedy of ployed by the Mayor of Los Angeles the explosion, and tire which at 1:07 o investigate this case. My sole puro'clock on the morning of Oct. 1910, wrecked the plant of the Los Angeles pose was to make a thorough inquiry: Times at First and Broadway and caused the death of twenty one perit was-'overwhelming

For one of these deaths the McNamara brothers were indicted, and J. B. McNamara was on trial for the murder body was found nearer than that of ry action by the body of organized laany other to the spot where the dynamite was supposed to have been plac-

Dec. 5 was set as the date to sentence both men, and it is expected District Attorney Fredericks will ask life-imprisonment for James J. McNamara, the confessed murderer, and probably fourteen years for his brother. The great contention that the Los Angeles Times was not dynamited is

dend beyond resurrection or argument. close the case in my opinion. There hast night as the two brothers sat are others involved and they may be together in the county jail, refusing to see anyone or make any statement an nterest second only to the occurrence usell ming about the question with were ready to do anything to save the reference to James B. McNamara, McNamara brothers. That is what At. cent to make and prediction.

To this opposing counsel gave the

"He confesses because he was guilty, from Los Angeles at once." and that's all there is to it," declared "I was not surprised particularly to say,"

McNamara is to get off with a light entence are true, I shall be greatly isappointed. He deserves heavy punshment, if any one ever did."

Houston, Dec. 2.—Former Governor Folk of Missouri, speaking of McNamara's confession today said: "I do not believe organized labor should be held responsible for acts of these men. It is a great shock, but I see no reason why organized labor should suffer." The labor organizations were im-posed on and led to defend them be-cause of a deep conviction that they

"Astounded," Says Gompers.

of a clear sky." The exclamations are those Samuel Gompers, president of the the revolutionists. guilty in the McNamaraa cases.

Washington, was dozing in a Pullman river outside Nanking. The warships car on the Pennsylvania Railway's under Admiral Sah, which had been Detective Franklin on a charge of to confess because that was the best Congressional Limited, when he was two miles down the river, cautiously bribery; silence maintained by the thing he could do, in the opinion of awakened at a New Jersey station by approached and took a position under prosecution as to the origin of the counsel," said Afterney Darrow, chief an Associated Press representative, the guns of Lion Hill fort. Gen Lin, sponsibility among the city, precinct money used; the mysterious appears of counsel, "I will say now that there. He retired to the rear of the car, second in command of the revolution and county officers for the enforcement of the car, the district attempty's officer. tive, at the district attorney's office, I've studied this case for months. It and read carefully the accounts of ranged the terms of the capitulation the sensational developments in the of the entire city:

Darrow's statement was made as Los Angeles dynamiting cases. The veteran labor leader was visi-Sullivan's visit had become known looking squarely in the face of the to outsiders.

That other persons implicated in H. Franklin, an investigator employed to whose defense he and spoken and the contribution of the contributio the dynamite conspiracies elsewhere by the defense, and two others with worked so untiringly had admitted times in the northwestern quarter of him, might have precipitated a situa-Itheir guilt. Tears came into his eves tion untenable save by confession of and the hand that held the typed the United States coast, defender, pages shook. He said nothing, however, until he had finished the story. and then he broke forth with his exclamations of astonishment and indigveeks, 'asserted Darrow, and this was

> "If this is all true, my credulity has been imposed upon," he declared, men representing themselves to be "I am astounded at this news. We revolutionists are traversing the have had the gravest assurance given to us by everyone connected with the of villages. trial, either directly or indirectly, that these men were innocent."

charged tonight in a formal statement. Mr. Gompers asserted with the r that the municipal election to be greatest empabsis that not the slightest intimation of any such change in riman, one of the defense counsel'is the plans of the defense of the Mccandidate for mayor, carried any weight. It was learned that Harriman Namaras as developed yesterday had been communicated to him. Abso was not consulted at all in the deliberlutely the first news of the startling developments at the trial had been given him on the train, he said. Asked if he would have anything

in a few minutes. At the to say about the prisoners personally the labor leader replied: "No; I shan't add to their misery

ment until afternoon. This was conby condemnation of them. sidered plausible because of registra-"What effect do you imagine this tion fraud warrants known to be imwill have on labor unions?' was inending in connection with the coming quired. To this Mr. Compers snapped elections. Faith in this doctrine, howhis fingers and ejaculated: ever, was jolted when it became known

for employed by the defense, had been to employed by the defense, had been to employed by the defense, and that Attor can Federation of Labor for the defense of the McNamaras was men When the fund raised by the Ameri tioned, Mr. Gompers said contribu-At the afternoon session the court tions to date amounted to about room was packed, many attaches of \$190,000, which had been turned over Frederick's office being present. G. to the chief attorney for the defense the Central Labor Council insists on Ray Horton and W. Joseph Ford, two and that the collection is still going of Frederick's deputies were their best on. He added that in view of yeslothing and Mrs. Fredericks had a terday's developments the money

> Mr. Compers bristled up noticeably who slapped him on the back and put when shown the statement by William J. Burns at Chicago. When John McNamara entered and "I don't wish to mention Burns,"

> took a seat beside his brother, vacated for him by Darrow, there was some he said. He denied, however, that soubt of what would occur. The blead he had ever charged Burns ings of the men aroused no stir in "planting" the dynamite at Los he court room. No bailiff pounded for | Angeles.

> order. No relative was there to ween Reverting to the explosion, or to make a demonstration. A civil Compers continued: rase could not have been more quietly "We have discouraged acts like conducted and no amount of hysteria

these. We are patriotic and peaceloving men and we only have a wish to call out the best elements in his man nature. Those two men must have been crazy. It is an act that ! condemn with all the force that is in

the prisoner did not even look around. Asked again if he believed yesterday's developments would injure the cause of labor, tears came into Mr. lompers' eyes and he answered. They are not going to do it any ood. But I want to repeat that the cause of labor has been imposed up-Chicago, Ill., Dec. .1-"I consider the on both by supposed friends and eneoutcome a great personal vindication The men of labor were led be probed. for me," said William J. Burns here to believe that the McNamara boys today when told by the Associated were innocent and they acted on Press of the sensational developments in the McNamara case at Los Angeles. them myself protesting their inno-"Especially." he added "after men Only last September I visitoccupying such exafted positions as Samuel Compers and others have repeatedly charged me with 'planting' inferests a message that they were the dynamite at Los Angeles, Following them, every Socialist paper and

"The cause of labor can not win by such methods as these men pursued. Damage to property and destruction to think that the prosecution was not of life we have denounced and done all in our power to prevent. methods as these have got to be Bradley, B. J. Bean, J. C. Hines, L. N. stamped out.

"If, after it is known we have been imposed upon, we are denounced and attacked for supporting the defense The evidence has been just what I said of these men, then let them denounce and attack. The American Federa-After Mr. Burns had read reports of Labor is a law-abiding institu-

Mr. Compers said that he I think that the outcome of the known John J. McNamara for sev-McNamara case will result in summa- eral years.

man with a great fund of humor and I always believed in his inno L. Randolph. of these two men even if they had trol the policies of organized labor in the future. Nine-tenths of the total been able to get away with it withmembership of the labor body in this out being convicted. This unexpectcountry was absolutely out of sympaed self-conviction is nothing more or less than a failure of two individuals the McNamara brothers today does not to live up to the high principles of or-

> Asked what action the American Compers said the news was too re- panel.

torney Darrow was concerned about bor only closed its annual meeting as follows:and unless we obliterated the incident Thursday," he added. "As to a possible special meeting, it is too early! Relative to the sancity of their

when told that the McNamaras had pleaded guilty. We have evidence which possitively closed every avenue REVOLUTIONISTS. TAKE NANKING

IMPERIALISTS GIVE POSSESSION OF CITY AFTER PARLEY WITH THE REVOLUTIONISTS.

WHITE FLAG ON LION HILL

Clan Fighting Continues at Amoy and the law. As near as possible he Armed Sanda Are Levying Black-thought the jurors ought to investi

By Associated Press.
Nanking. Dec. 2.—Revolutionary impossible, if not impossible. But he impossible for the impossible. forces took possession of the city thought it advisable for the jurors New York, Dec. 2 .- "I am astound- this morning after a parley with the d, I am astounded; my credulity has imperial troops. At mid-day the white been imposed upon. It is a bolt out flag was displayed on Lion Hill fort inside the walls to the northwest inof dicating that the gunners had joined

American Federation of Labor, when Gen. Li Yuen Heng, the revolution-Fort a few days ago, occupied Shail Compers, on his way from Kwan, a town on the banks of the

Shots occasionally strike Monterey. A band of 300 rufflans have demanded enrollment at Amoy, but the revolutionary leaders have refused them, and they are-now threaten-

ing to cause trouble

DISTRICT COURT OPENED MONDAY

OVER 180 CIVIL SUITS AND SEV ERAL MURDER CASES ON THE DOCKET.

Where Convictions Aer Believed Impossible.

Two murder cases are set for trial wo other salleged murder cases will e investigated by the grand jury and about 180 civil cases including fifty. wo divorce cases will keep the Wichta county district court very busy durng its December term which opene today.

The trial of the Remberts charged with the killing of Ed Hardwicke here last spring is set for trial during the present term. Hardwicke was killed in a fight with the Remberts, when his throat was cut. The Remberts claimer that Hardwick accidentally cut his owr broat while attempting to stab one of the Remberts. The state expects to introduce testimony to show that he vas stabbed by one of the Remberts tho was pretending to separate the combatants. The trial of Dave Sewel therged with the murder of a negro i also scheduled for this term.

The grand jury will investigate the harge of murder against Frank Hursh or th ekilling of hi swife early in the summer. The mystery connected with the death of Flo Farrell who was found catally wounded on the floor of her room in the Flats last week will also Visiting Attorneys.

The visiting attorneys at the opening that belief. I received letters from of the court were, Sherley English of Dallas: Judge M. H. Garnett, genera ed them in the Los Angeles jail and attorney of the M., K. and T. Railway

they asked me to deliver to the labor at Gainesville, and J. C. North of Her ord, Texas. The Grand Jurors.

The following comprise the grand prors for the term:

G. D. Anderson, foreman; C. A. An tree, T. H. Barwise, J. M. Bland, R. J. Lockridge, J. H. Marriott, T. J. Wagconer and Tom Ragsdale. Balliffs for grand jury . are: Will Bryan, S. Walkup, R. T. Pickett and S

Judge P. A. Martin did not arrive in the city until 11:30 a. m., today, consequently the district court for this term did not convene until 1:30

1. Johnson.

The district officers present were, he was a good fighter," he said. "I Judge Martin, Attorney S. M. Fosbe suppressed. It will result, I believe he was a good fighter," he said. "I Judge Martin, Affordey S. M. Fos-in ending such outrages as the one at would never have suspected him of ter, Clerk Alex Kerr and Sheriff R. recommended this remedy while living The time of the court during the

afternoon sessions was taken up with the preliminaries necessary to the demands for the term.

ed, qualified and empaneled. Juors ganized labor and can not reflect just W. L. Robinson and M. W. Major condemnation on the cause of labor were excused by operation of law. Sheriff Randolph was sworn and in Federation of Labor might take, Mr. structed to fill the vacancy on the Judge Martin then instructed the

"The American Federation of La- jury as to their duties, in substance

oath and sacredness of their duty the Carancahua rivers.

jurors were told that they were for the time being separated from the body of the people and it was intended that they should be absolved from any consideration of love, affection or fear in the performance of their duty. The oath that they took was to be considered inviolate and their proceedings secret.

. The jurors were admonished to be discritions, in respective of persons position or reputations in the comfounity. They should be careful not MORE BRIBERY to present any one from malice, envy or revenge or protect any one whone the evidence pointed to violations of thought the jurors ought to investi-

gate both sides of a case, although to exercise caution, so as not to present indictments that would entail

Judge Martin then explained the definitions of the statutory laws of advised last night of the pleas of any leader who had captured Tiger misdemeanor and felonies. He then referred especially to the necessity of enforcign the laws pertaining to suppressing vice and immorality in the community. In this respect he called attention to the division of re-

ment for violations of the law.

Especial attention of the jurors was called to the houses of prostitution and their inmates, that have conply their - vocation within the city

limits and adjacent land He then called attention to the election laws, especially the illegal

munity

jurors the weight of the responsibility devolving on them in finding indictments against their fellow citi-

G. D. Anderson was appointed as foreman of the grand jury. The grand jury filed out of the court room and went to their room for deliberation. The judge then ordered the sherif to call the list of petit jurors for the

Judge Martin has announced the following calendar for the opening. week of the term:

Monday, December 4th, 1:30 p. m grand jury organized and charged Advised Not to Return Indictments and petit Jury for the week organiz

Calls for trial J. L. Maddox'vs. S. W. T. & T. Co., and A. P. Burleson vs. the J. E. Hutt Co. Tuesday, December 5th, S. M. Kennedy vs. R. M. Moore, appearance

decket will be called for orders and

default judgments at 9 a. m. North Texas Gas Company. Thursday, December 7th, G.

Boyd et al vs. J. F. Reed et al. A. J. Edwards vs. Ft. W. & D. C. Ry Friday, December 8th, Lucas Zihl man vs. M. K. & T. Ry. Co.

Saturday, December 9th, motion

County Court.

Judge C. B. Felder called the civil perning. All cases subject to trial by ury were set for trial the first and econd weeks in January, 1912, so as ot to conflict with the present session of the district court. The other cases. vere either passed by agreement of ounsel or continued until next term f the court.

The probate docket was also called or orders and passed for future dis-

The adjournment of the court is none or less dependent on an agree ment with District Judge P. A. Martin to adjourn over his court in favor of he county court, during the two first ceks in January.

The appearance docket will be call!

THE PERFECT WAY.

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R. F. Redinfi 1314 Eleventh street, Wichita Falls, Texas, says: "Doan's Kidney Pills have been used in my family and they have cured backache n Nocona and we have no inclination o withdraw anything we said at that time. It was about two years ago that we learned of the merits of Doan's Kidney Pills and since then we have never failed to advise their use when the opportunity has occurred." For sale by all dealers. Price cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. a sele agents for the United States. Remember the name-Doan's-and take no other.

At an election recently held h Macagorda county, it was overwhelmingly voted to issue bonds for the purpose of reclaiming a large tract of land between the Trespalacios and

AT PERIL OF LIVES

WIFE OF FIRST JUROR SWORN FOR MCNAMARA TRIAL GIVEN \$500 BY REPRESENTATIVE OF DEFENSE.

trouble and costs without punish WILL MAKE STATEMENT

John J.McNamara Will Tell What He Sought to Accomplish For. La-

bor Unions by Dynamiting.

details developed foday in the plot to o'clock this afternoon at the state bribe the McNamara jury. A signed penitentiary. statement is declared in the possession the district attorney, made by forenoon and the inadequate water Mrs. Robert F. Bain, wife of the first supply was quickly exhausted and juror sworn, charging that \$500 was for a time it seemed that not only paid her by angagent of the McNas, the prison but the whole town was mara defense to influence her hus doomed to destruction. The fire was tinuously been reported to live and band to secure a disagreement if, not finally checked through the use of Mrs. Bain gave the dynamite. an acquittal. money to the district attorney. Bain At the time the fire broke out most

said today this story is true. It seems certain that the state au- fields. They were quickly called in issuing of poll tax receipts, also the thorities and Federal Covernment and joined with the firemen and citijurors were directed to inquire in o will carry the dynamiting probe furth zens in an effort to save the peniviolations of the liquor law, especial er. McManigal has given the state tentiary and to save the town. Many ly granting license, boot-legging and much information concerning the oth- of them performed acts of daring er explosions and rumors have been bravery. The Judge then referred to the out for several days that the McNa- At 2 o'clock this afternoon no loss importance of enforcing the sanitary maras will make a full confession of life had been reported although a laws of the city and state, which about the other cases. The attorneys number had been injured. safeguards the health of the com- point out, however, that McNamaras At 3 o'clock it was believed that did not proprise to confess anything the town had been saved and that the

> cases. sion said today. "They are bearing spread of the flames. their burden bravely. They have a friends in Indianapolis to go to Cin. extinguished the flames. cinned to comfort their mother, whom they read had broken down.

"What did the McNamaras say upon them?" Scott was asked.

for publication yet, and they don't The fire destroyed the furniture fachave to make any more confessions tory, furniture warehouse, engine just yet, but John J. I think, will room, boiler room, chair shop, wagon make a statement sometime scon, factory, shoe shop and tailor shop, expressing his views and telling us and everything in the factory section. what he sought to accomplish. He The convicts fought the flames had certain ideas on how to make his heroically. One convict fell from the Wednesday, December 6th, A. E. fight in the world and he was convinced from the building while fighting and the best."

Mapes-vs. Ft. Worth & Denver City ed honestly that they were the best." the fire. It is not believed that any "Are the McNamaras

about their sentences?" "No, they are ready to take what Job Harriman, who is running for great to say definitely.

Board of Education." Assistant District Attorney said, "When we get through here. Appeals were sent to Houston for and when the Federal Government aid by both Huntsville authorities and finishes its investigations, the people by Governor Colquittoof Austin. The, lockett for orders at 10:00 o'clock this will realize how inadequate are our Governor arranged with railroad offilaws covering the bringing to trial of cials for quick transportation of fire people who commit a crime in one fighting apparatus from Houston. state and flee to another or who live in one stateand direct the commission of crimes in other states."

Ford went to Indianapolis to represent California in arresting John J. McNamara.

FIRE IN HUNTSVILLE PRISON THREATENING DESTRUCTION OF ENTIRE TOWN FOR SEV-ERAL HOURS.

RESORT TO DYNAMITE

After Damage Estimated at Million Dollars Further Spread of Fire Believed Checked.

By Associated Press. Huntsville, Texas, Dec. 4.—Fighting at the peril of their lives when they might have taken advantage of the confusion to mutiny and escape, four hundred of convicts in the state penitentiary after three hours amid crashing walls, have apparently got-Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 4. Further ten the flames under control at 3

The fire started at 11 o'clock this

of the convicts were at work in the

The judge impressed upon the but the Los Angeles and Lewellyn administration building and the ceil building of the penttentiary would be Attorney Scott who has been with saved. Four buildings were blown the McNamaras since their confes up with dynamite to prevent the

Estimates of the lots s a soldier's spirit and are ready to take 3:30 ran as high as a million dolfars. their medicine whatever that be. The fire was still burning but it was They feel that a burden has been lift. Delieved its further spread was inted from their minds. One of the possible. The Houston fire depart-first things they did was to telegraph ment is on its way here to assist in

Started in Engine Room.

The fire started in the engine room about the attacks of labor leaders and spread rapidly. In a little over an bour the water was practically "Well, they have not said anything gone and dynamite was resorted to.

worrying of the injuries will prove fatal. Of approximately four hundred convicts at Huntsville, it is not bethey get, . They are worrying only lieved this afternoon that one took about us fellows, . their attorneys, advantage of the fire to make his es-They think their confession has hurt cape, though the confusion is now too

mayor and myself, candidate for the Fafly half of the convicts were in the fields outside the prison when

Ford the fire broke out.

The business and professional men of Laredo have organized a Latin-American Club. The purpose is to promote business relations between



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TAFT'S MESSAGE TO THE SIXTY-SECOND CONGRESS

LEVOTED EXCLUCIVELY TO SHER. sion of the effort of a freedom lov-MAN ANTI TRUST ACT AND THE TRUST QUESTION

SUPPLEMENTAL

That Would Describe and Denounce Unfair Methods, Are Needed He

Washington, D. C. Dec. 5 .- Presi dent Taft's third annual message to Congress, devoted exlusively to the Sherman anti-trust act and the trust question in general was read in Congress today.

The President defended the Sher man act as interpreted by the Supreme Court of the United States, indicated plainly his opposition to the repeal or amendment of this statute, demental legislation that would depetition that are unfair,

To supervise corporations chartered junder the federal law, President Taft proposed the creation of an exect state Commerce Commission.

Speaking of the much discussed pointed out, has failed. dissolution of the Tobacco Trust, the President declared that in his opin- business violating the statute," he law has a decree more effective for would be drawn by the courts; but

Portions of his message of Janu. . "It is not the purpose of the statute ary 1910 proposing Federal incorpora- to confiscate the property and capito were referred to in this mes- tal of the offending trusts."

I renew." continued the President. ment of a general law providing for BILLS' BASKET BALL traint of trade should not, and does ganized at the high school building, of mean the denial of organizations not to be entrusted with our or foreign trade. It has was then that forely regative statute ilks the anti-trust law may well he supplemented by enceific provisions for the building up and regulation of legitimate antional and foreign come aroused, even more goals will be comfetition, as it is

The supplemental legislation the President desires is explained in a first year students in the high school. I want you to interest paragraph. "The attempt and purger taking much interest in basket the sale and use of Red derselling him at a price so unprofit these girls have a'ready been organ being able as to drive him out of business. ized. These teams will be tried out Cross or the making of exclusive contracts in practice games and these who under which they are required to give up associations chosen to represent the class in inwith other manufacturers and numer. ous kindred methods for stfling competition and effecting monoply, should be described with sufficient accuracy in a criminal statute on the one hand to enable the government to shorten its task by prosecuting Addickes and Bernice Langston for single misdemeanors instead of an the second year teams. entire conspiracy, and, on the other hand, to serve the purpose of pointing out more in detail to the bustness community what must be avoid

forth the details the federal incor- teams already organized are eagerporation act be recommended bu suggested that combinations of canital allowed to become federal cornorations should be subject to rigid rules as to organization and proced learned. Miss Emma Childers is takure, including effective publicity, and ing an active part in the stimulation to the closest supervision as to of interests in basket ball and is act stock and bond issues by the propos- ing as coach to the girls. ed executive bureau or commission in the Commerce and Labor Depart Federa! Incorporation, the President declared, would not exempt any concern or its officers from ship. prosecution ander the Sherman act for illegal acts. Such an act could be framed so as to prevent "vexatious and unnecessary invasion by the states" but yet permit control by the states with respect to purely local business. The courts should be empowered, the President said, to invoke the aid of the Bureau of Corporations in determining the suitable reorganization of corporations dissolved by decrees. This work, he pointed out, might be entrusted to the proposed supervisory commission which shoul dbe an executive tribunal, of the dignity and power of the Comptroller of the Currency or the Interstate Commerce Commission.,

The fact that it dealt with only one subject: that it was comparatively brief and that accompanying it was an appendix showing trust prosecutions instituted by all administrations since the enactment of the Sherman Act in 1890, made the message unusual. According to this appendix seven sults were brought under this act in the administration of President Harrison: eight in Mr. Cleveland's second term; three under President McKinley; forty-four under Mr. Roosevelt in about seven and onehalf years, and 37, so far, in the Taft administration.

The President frequently expresses law and what might be expected if

it were to be repealed. He says: The anti-trust act is the expres ing people to preserve equality of opportunity.

"This statute as construed by the Supreme Court must continue to be we are to banish individualism from all business.

intended to accomplish the purpose and blaze a clear path for honest merchants and business men to folrecent days by the fear of continued loaned at \$25 per bale, it will carry execution of the anti-trust law have 2,000,000 bales out of a 13,000,000 bale produced nothing but glittering gen- crop. The loan is at the rate of about

out suggested that Congress pass a man law) becomes better understood federal incorporation law and sup and the committing of it partakes more of studied and deliberate deflance of the law, we can be confident that juries will convict individuals cure from ordinary sources, and that jail sentences will be impos-

The attempt to find within which utive bureau, or commission, with monopolies and illeral combinations power akin to those of the Inter- might exercise moderate power and be supported by the courts. Mr. Taft

"Theorists and others engaged in "not in the history of American said, "have hoped that some such line purpose been entered by a no court of authority has ever a tempted it.

teams, which have recently been or are being put up today by the school arpenter, and other proparations a cial are being made towards getting the wife teams in condition.

begin with, and it is probable that after the teams become letter organiz article is ed, and more interest in the sport is erected.

The girls among the second and pose to suppress a competitor by un- ball, and four teams from among mas terclass games which will be played, later on in the season.

> The captains of the four teams B. Co. which have already been organized mas seal campain are Mary Orth and Marion Crabtree, Texas. Your house should use them innocent he may be able to prove him the part of Rip Van Winkle. On for the first year teams and Audrey on their Texas correspondence. Many

After the best team obtainable at he high school has been picked and he interclass games have been played, it is probable that games with out of town teams will be matched. Meantime the members of the various ly looking forward to the time when the first game will be played, and something concerning the relative strength of the four teams can be

should be able to put up a grea bat o for the bantamweight champion-

Economic Quackery. Pittsburg Dispatch.

The trait of human nature which makes us very sensitive to the motes in our brothers' eyes is exigently illustrated in the eagerness of southern ciation. governors to have the northern combition punished and abolished, and at he same time to put \$50,000,000 of ash into a combination to hoost the price of cotton-when some other peo ole will furnish the money.

The very large "if" comprised in latter clause is what redeems it from a proposition to restrict trade and prothe line of distinction for legitimate duction. The money is to be advancbusiness. It must be enforced unless ed to the growers of cotton up to the to have the privilege of naming any av of sale up to January 1, 1913, and get three-fourths of the advance. What "Much is said of the repeal of this price is not stated. But the condistatute and of constructive legislation tion on which the pool gets the 25 per 5 cents a pound, less than half the av erage price for the past ten years. In other words, the planters are to bind the rake of getting a loan at better terms for the lender than they can se

> This would certainly be an offense against the anti-trust act if it were not self-defeating. Suppose, however, that uld be the effect? Simply to place premium on cotton-growing in Asia rmanently drive hway from this

tobbers are using them now The Texas Anti-Tuberculosis association has un



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JUDGE MARTIN'S CHARGE TO WICHITA **COUNTY GRAND JURY**

at any time and if you should want further information from the court at any time, come into court in a body and present the question to the in his power. In the examination of witnesses the district and county attorneys have the right to be present and to question the witnesses but they must retire when you consider the propriety or find bills of indictment and when you are voting upon finding bills. No one but the memhers of the grand jury must be pres-Your foreman will swear the wit

esses or direct some other person to perform this duty for him. . He has authority to issue all necessary process to secure the attendance of vitnesses in this county, but if witmade to the court and the process must be issued by the clerk of the ourt under the direction of the court. If your process is disobeyed or ing the role of "Rip Van Winkle vaded or if, after appearing before traces his lineage far back into the ou a witness refuses to testify in eighteenth century, when his great answer to any proper question or in namesake. Thomas Jefferson, the manner treats the grand jury first, was a friend of David Garrick, with contempt, I will ask you to the greatest actor of his time. It was he court with your report in writing horses, that Thomas Jefferson, the showing just what your complaint 18 years of age, rode to London and may be against such vitness and I there met Garrick, who struck with promise you that the court will ren- the genius of Jefferson, proposed his der you such assistance as may be going on the stage in Garrick's comoccesseary to teach him the degree pany. This was the foundation of

xcuse as many as three of the grand found lodgings in New York, with a ry at a time, not more than that Mrs. Fortune. She had two daugh-

such hours and days as you wish, cis Thomas, who was the reigning except that you cannot adjourn for a singer in America at that time. She longer period than three days with had four children, two of whom died ent the consent of the court. Conclusion.

thing to present an indictment in the Fifth Avenue Theatre, New York. court against your fellow men; the He conceived the idea that it would

a man to violate the laws of his in the part his father had made faountry and go unscathed of justice; mous throughout the world. They o set at naught those legal principles came, they saw, and young Jefferson under which we are all required to conquered. The mantle of his father live and snap his fingers at the will had fallen on him and dear old Rip of the people expressed in our writ- would live in the son and be handed ten law and get the impression that down to generations as it has been suit of happiness.

vor or hope of reward."

in New York recently.

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JUYENILE COURT TOMORROW MORNING

Judge Felder has set for hearing LIGHT RAIN FELL the trial of eight juvenile offenders for tomorrow at 9 a. m. These boys were apprehended by

the officers in trespassing and carry ing off personal property.

Thomas Jefferson's Ancestry. Thomas Jefferson, the fifth, play of respect he should show to your the Jefferson family of actors. Jeffer son died in 1807. His family consist ed of wife and two sons. The elder ess; it follows that the foreman can arriving in 1797. Joseph Jefferson

and it is not wish to excuse that ters, one Euphemia, who became the of the others the quorem would be son, Joseph Jefferson, the third, was cord made last month, and when it E. B. Shelton, of Fort Worth, is a born in 1804. He inherited his father's talent. He married Miss Fran in infancy; the other two were Joseph Jefferson the fourth and Cornelia And now, gentlemen, in conclusion, Jefferson. Joseph Jefferson the let me again admonish you that the fourth, hardly needs an introduction. duties you are to perform are of the as he became known all over the reaching character. It is no small years ago Jefferson was taken ill at very fact of his indictment will fol- give his son Thomas an opportunity low him to the grave; no matter how to display his talents and allotted the night of the first performance all And it is no small thing to allow were eager to see this young actor

he can beat the law of the state in for over forty years. Thomas, we which he lives and which gives him will note as Jefferson the fifth. He the right of life, liberty and the pur- was born in New York, Sept. 10. 1857. In early boyhood he was sent The only safety of these rights and to London and afterwards to Paris the liberties we all enjoy lies in the to be educated. After adopting the enforcement of the law; not a part stage he made his first regular proof it, but all of it, "without fear, fa- fessional appearance at Edinburgh and continued in England, playing in a number of parts, while in Paris he Mike Gibbons knocked about all of played in French. On his return to that welterweight championship stuff the United States he was engaged out of Willie Lewis when the two met by Lester Wallack to join his company. The younger Jefferson has

played many parts. He has played total enrollment in the public schools and many others.

A light rain fell here today and throughout the city are justly proud unsettled weather is forecasted to of the record made in this respect.

FEWER TARDIES BUT ATTENDANCE NOT SO GOOD

At the regular monthly meeting of the principals of the different public schools throughout the city, which meeting was held during the after parents are being encouraged by the noon of December 4th, in the office of school authorities, as by this means the city superintendent at the High the teacher and parent are brought School, reports were made on the into closer touch with each other, and number of tardies, per cent of at are able to co-operate to a greater extendance, corporal punishments adtent in the education of the child. ministered, number of visits to par- For this reason the teachers are beents, and other features of school ing urged more and more to make work during the month just ended. visits to the parents of each student

pares very favorably with the reis taken into consideration that the new arrival.

with Joseph Jefferson, Edwin Booth, has been increased from 1593 last Lawrence Barrett, Neilson, Wallack, month 1672 this month and at the same time, in spite of the increased number of students enrolled, the number of tardies made has diminished from 134 last month to 126 this month, the degree of success attained by those who have been trying to HERE THIS MORNING ed by those who have been trying to school began can be observed, and the different public school teachers

night and tomorrow. The rain was . The record of attendance was not general over North Texas as far as as good this month as it was expect-Childress and south to San Antonio ed to be, the average attendance being only 94.9 per cent, as compared with 95.5 per cent for the last month. The reason for the drop in the attendance record is not known but is being investigated by the teachers.

Prof. T. L. Toland, superintendent of public schools, desires to call the attention of the parents of school students to the number of visits made to the homes of parents by teachers this month. These visits to The report as regards tardies com- at least once each month.



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SAYS NATIONAL BOARD OF IRON WORKERS' UNION APPROPRI-ATED MONEY FOR DYNA-

McManigal Exhibted More Regard fo Human Life Than McNamaras in Quaker City.

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 6.-The Mc Namara brothers were responsible for explosions in this city which damaged the structural iron works on several buildings, according to Detec tive Wm. J. Burns, who arrived here today. He said the probe in this city involved an explosion about a year of paving become general. ago in the cafe of Harry Edwards, reconstructed, and another that damaged the structural iron for the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company's elevated road. No one was injured in ett's division which made the glorious these explosions. After the detona charge of the field of Gettysburg. He tions sticks of dynamite were found is one of the very few survivors of his in an alley near the building of the Pittsburg Plate Glass Company in the center of the city. Burns claims one of the McNamaras was registered at a local hotel on the day of the explosion at the Edwards place Burns says that McManigal told him he came here with instructions to blow up the railroad but when h found the structure was near several tenement houses he feared there would be loss of life and went away without dynamiting the bridge.

Asked whether any present mem ber of the Structural Iron Workers Union would be arrested Burns said: "I do not care to say, but I will say this the national board of the asso ciation appropriated certain sums to the McNamaras, and in my opinion, they knew the money was to be used for dynamiting purposes.

Bordwell Gives Views. Walter Bordwell issued a formal statement late yesterday giving his burned to death by a mob of white sons of operation of defendant's views as to the McNamara trial and land tenants who objected to occuptermination. The statement follows:

thing in the McNamara cases save ton and incinerated. A crowd of explain the reasons why defendant the fact that the law applicable there- farmers looked on and jeered at to, I deem it due to the court and their cries as the slow fire from the this community that I should make a cotton seed consumed them. brief public statement regarding the circumstances surrounding the abrupt close of these cases, together with J. J. TAYLOR BUYS views as to such circumstances. This is done in the hope of correcting, if possible, some misconceptions due to erroneous publications and particularly to an article which appears in a local newspaper on the second terday by Mr. Jones to J. J. Taylor instant over the signature of Lincoln Steffens.

the court-other than the judge-is continue in the position for a time without justification in fact.

"I also wish to denounce the claims of that gentleman and of other persons acting for him, that the change of pleas from not guilty to guilty was due to his efforts, as groundless and untrue. He is correct in the statement that the court was not a party to any negotiations for what he

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STORAGE ROOMS

clean rooms in cold storage plants tired of dodging the officers.

where eggs are stored. In an aultimatum just issued by J. S. Abbott, state convinced that Edwards is felling the commissioner, it is set out that in whole truth but he will be held unmany cold storage plants eggs are til his story can be investigated. stored in dark and dirty rooms where Edwards claims that he enlisted at bad odors are absorbed and other Ponca City, Oklahoma, in 1901. deterioration sets in, and all eggs found in these unhappy surroundings will be confiscated. "There will be no cold storage eggs sold in Texas next summer unless conditions are greatly improved," said the commis-

War is to be made also against the shipment and sale of sick chickens istrator of the J. R. Roling estate. and fowls. It is declared the sick chicken industry must go. Two car-

WICHITA FALLS HAS THE BEST PAVING

"Wichita Falls has more good pavother city in Texas," said Maj. T. M. Burroughs of Fort Worth who was in the city on business today. "I don't mean comparatively speaking either. I mean that Wichita Falls has actually got more good paving than any other MAPES VS. F. W. AND D. ESCAPE WELL PLANNED FOR more and even newer laid pavement than Wichita Falls but none have so much good pavement.

Major Burroughs says that the first wood block paving was laid in San Francisco in about 1868. The next city to take up this kind of paving was Memphis, but some way the impression got abroad there in 1873 that this pavement was in some way connected with the spread of a vellow fever epidemic there and the pavement i was torn up. Not until the last few years he said, had the use of this kind

operating in the Southwest. He was a member of the Seventh Virginia Infantry of Kemper's Brigade of Pickregiment now living.

THREE, ONE OF THEM A NEGRESS. TO WAGON OF COTTON SEED AND INCINERATOD.

White Tenants Look Upon Horrifying Spectacle, Jeering Cries of Tortured.

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 6.-Judge Memphis, Tenn., Dec. 6.-Two negroes and one young negress were Savannah, Tenn., yesterday. They "In spirit of indifference to every. were tied to a wagon load of seed cot-

COLONIAL THEATRE

The Colonial Theatre was sold ye of Petrolia. The new purchaser has closed the house until Thursday "In the first place, the claim or night, to make some improvements suggestion that the termination of and will open at that time with the cases was due to the efforts of vaudeville and pictures. Mr. J. D himself and other outsiders who un Jones, who has been manager of the dertook to influence the officers of house for the past six months, will

After spending eight years dodging Uncle Sam's officers a man giving his name as William Edwards told the building the track Mr. Cramper beofficers of the city court this morning that he wanted to give up to answer a charge of desertion from the regular army. Edwards had been jailed ed their case. MUST BE CLEAN lar army. Edwards had been jailed and this morning was brought into court to answer a charge of intoxica-San Antonio, Texas, Dec. 6.—The and then told the court that he had SOCIALIST DEFEAT State Food and Dairy Commission is deserted from the Third Calvary at directing an attack against the un- Boise, Idaho, in 1903 and that he was

In the Probate Court. Judge C. B. Felder made the following orders on the probate docket this morning:

L. Wilkes was appointed guardian of his minor children. T. J. Taylor was appointed admin

Encouraged by the re-election loads of them already have been con- Governor Foss the Progressive Repufiscated in North Texas. The pure blicans in Massachusetts, it is said food laws of the State of Texas are will endeavor to prevent a solid wele to be vigorously enforced in every gation being sent to the Republican convention for President Taft.

A CONTINUANCE

WAS SET FOR NEXT TERM OF COURT.

Jury Selected and Testimony Begun in Damage Suit This Morning.

damages, the court granted the ap eral Reyes has not been seen about of the next term of the court.

Fort Worth and Denver Railroad, a men say that they are absolutely suit for damages was called for trial The defendants called for a jury, and Major Burroughs represents one of the morning hours were taken up federal officials say they are not the fight promoter, which was being the big refrigerator and safe concerns in testing the qualifications of the worrying so long as Reyes appears

A jury was empanelled and sworn and the case went to trial before noon. The list of witnesses was call- Reyes crossed into Mexico at Tamaued and the lawyers began when the piles, a portion of the rebpublic where the court adjourned at 12 m.

Mapes vs. F. W. & D. Ry.

This is a case where plaintiff sues he defendant railway company for \$3,000 actual damages, by reasons of depreciation of value of property situated between 4th and 5th streets on Indiana avenue. This property consists of a dwelling house and two lots. The Fort Worth & Denver Rail way Company built a switch within thirty or forty feet of plaintiff's property line, and plaintiff claims that he is annoyed by noise and smoke and the close proximity of defendant's trains operating on said switch track

together with the danger of accidents

to the members of his family. The first witness introduced by the plaintiff were Mesdames Mapes and Alexander, who gave evidence of the actual situation pertaining to annoyance from noise and smoke by rea trains. County Surveyor H. M. Snoddefendant's switch track. The ques tions asked Mr. Snoddy tended to company located its trackage so near to plaintiff's property. Especially show on cross examination that, by NEW GUARDIANS OF defendant's counsel attemptel to reasons of a viaduct built by the company under its tracks, changed the grade, so that said switch track was necessarily built on its present location. Plaintiff's attorney tried to show that for all purposes of servingthe public, the switch could have been built a greater distance from plaintiff's property. The line of questions asked Mr. Snoddy hinged upon whether defendant company in serving its best interests did no encroach upon the rights of the pub-

lic, including the plaintiff. Mr. Gates of the firm of Carroll Brough-Robinson-Gates wholesale gro cerers was on the stand and testified relative to arrangements made with defendant company to put in the

switch track. Mr. Cramner of the firm of Brown and Cramner was then placed on the stand, who also was questioned about he reasons for defendant company's switch track being built and the resulting conditions after the track had been built. As to the necessity of lieved that the increase of defendant company's business demanded it. At this time plaintiff's counsel rest

WAS OVERWHELMING

Their Ticket Snowed Under by 40,000 Majority in Los Angeles-Prohibition Amendment Lost.

By Associated Press. Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 6.—The socialists ticket was defeated yesterday by about 40,000 and Alexander and the "good government" ticket were overwhelmingly victorious. The prohibition amendment lost by large majority.

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adapted from the play. See it. 177-1tc Daniel, in Lynchburg, Va.

GENERAL REYES WAS GRANTED HAS DISAPPEARED

POLITICAL LEADER HAS

Mexican Secret Service Men Are Much Worried Over Reyes Disappear-

San Antonio, Texas, Dec. 6.—Gen. By Associated Press.

Austin, Texas, Dec. 6.—The court

it is still asserted that Reyes is in The case of A. E. Mapes vs. the bed. The Mexican secret service without information as to his move ments and are much worried. Local for trial next month. It is generally

> believed he has gone to Mexico. As far as ascertained here General unrest has been prevalent. Reyes seeemingly planned his advance with all the keen wit accreditd him as a military straegist. His best friends in San Antonio with whom he has had almost daily conferences with and his own lawyers said they know nothing of his departure. For two been told that the general could not be seen, that he was busily engaged

OKLAHOMA CITY

Oklahoma City, Okla., Dec. 6.-The market was steady and good, court of criminal appeals was abso-Steers brought \$5.65. Sixty head of lutely without power to prevent the calves were sold. Tops brought \$6.50. judgment of the House from being enmarket was ten cents lower, The bulk sold around \$5.90 and the top

CHINESE THRONE

Pekin, Dec. 6 .- Prince Chun, 're gent and father of the child emperor abdicated today. His place as guar dian of the throne taken jointly by two Manchu princes, Shih Shu and nen Shih Chang.

Resolutions of Respect Whereas, on the 17th day of Nov. 1911, Joe U. O'Donohoe a member in good standing of Wichita Falls Lodge girls and we wish them the best of No. 1105 Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, passed away at his

home in Electra, Texas. Resolved, by the members of said odge that in the death of Brother O'Donohoe we have lost one of our most loyal, true and lovable brothers. One universally admired and esteemed and one who in his daily walks emulated and practiced the principles of Elkdom, than which no

higher tribute can be paid, and be it further this brother in the very dawn of manhood but serves to remind each and all of us that life is but a transient thing, ever subject to the call of the Great Director of man's destiny, and ORGANIZE TO BREAK should admonish us to be ever ready to join this brother who has merely gone on before and awaits to greet

us when our time shall come, and be

t further Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions of respect and esteem be spread upon the minutes of this Lodge, and that the secretary berequested to forward 'a copy thereof to the relatives of our deceased thy in this time of sorest affliction. A. G. DEATHERAGE,

M. N. BONNER, H. W. GASTON, Committee.

J. O. Berryman, of the United ular sheet music 10c per copy. Call States Department of Agriculture is tion farm at Halletsville.

LEGISLATURE HAD HON. B. Q. EVANS

ing in its business district than any SUIT OF KENNEDY VS. MOORE BELIEVED AT SAN ANTONIO THAT SUPREME COURT DECIDES FAM-OUS WOLTERS AND GRAY CROSSED TO MEXICO. SENTENCE.

> House Had Not Been Properly Author ized by Governor-Judge Pender-

plication of defendant's counsel for his headquarters here for two days. of criminal appeals this morning disa continuance, and the case was set Many of his closest advisers here charged Jake Wolters and W. H. Gray senting

This is the case in which both were by a special session of the legislature and appealed their cases on a writ of habeas corpus.

The court held that the House had not been properly authorized by the lists and socialists. There are quit Governor to investigate the statewide a number of other candidates of con election and could not sentence Wol. gress in the fourth district. ters or Grav.

Four elaborate opinions were written n the Wolters Gray case. Judge Harper who wrote the main opinion in the Gray case, held that the Senate had a perfect right to create an investigation committee and conduct investigation into election frauds and make rec ommendations but that it had no pow er to punish for contempt anyone exdays callers at his residence have ther held that Gray was not obstructcept a member of the Senate. He fur ing legislation.

Judge Davidson wrote the main opinor was indisposed. Neither can it be ion in the Wolters case. After declar discovered that any passerby has ing the legislature had no authority caught a glimpse of him during that to conduct an investigation unless the matter had been submitted by the gov ernor he declared that the governor's request for \$27,500 to enforce laws could not be construed as submitting legislation on the subject of the in

vestigation. Judge Prendergast in dissenting in both cases, held the proceedings of both branches were regular and that Gray and Wolters were both guilty of Cattle receipts today were 1,000 nead. obstructing legislation and that the

Miss Allie Block has returned home

rom Wichita. Miss Clara Steffen entertained quite a number of friends Thanksgiv ing in honor of her guest, Miss Nellie Williams.

Prof. Edwin Williams visited here Sunday. Rev. Fitzgerald filled his appoin ment here Sunday. He has many friends in this community who are

glad to welcome him again.

F. J. Block made a quick trip Wichita Falls Monday. J. W. Campbell, government agen visited teh Bowman school Monday and organized a Boys Cotton Club and a Girls Tomato Club. Much interest

Miss Lillie Meahler entertained number of friendsl with an informal forty-two party Friday evening. J. L. McConkey was shaking hand

here Friday and Saturday. Miss Nellie Williams has returned to her home in Oklahoma. Rev. Bulgrin preached his first ser mon at this place Sunday, Services will be held every Sunday hereafter.

The Santa Maria extension of the Resolved, that the taking away of San Benito interurban will be started at once and completed by Januar

TREATY WITH RUSSIA

New York, Dec. 6 .- United States senators and representatives, diplo mats, educators and prominent men of affairs came to New York today to assist in the formulation of plans November, 1911: brother with the assurance that they for a nation wide agitation for the are possessed of our deepest sympa- abrogation of the treaty of 1832 with Russia because of that country's re fusal to honor without discrimination the passports issued by the United States. The Russian authorities have persistently refused to honor passports issued to Jews. As a con sequence of this attitude on the part of the Czar's government many planning to establish a demonstra- Jewish citizens of the United States among them men of the world wide A movement has been started to prominence as scholars, philanthro-Six reels of motion pictures, includerect a handsome monument over the phists and men of affairs, have been inging "Faust" in two reels with music grave of the late Senator John W. denied the privilege of visiting Rus-

tance in attendance upon district court here vesterday was Hon. B. O. Evans of Greenville, who is associated with Judges Scurry and Hughes attorneys for the plaintiff in the damage suit of S. M. Kennedy against R. over until the next term of the cour upon motion of the defense, and Mr. Evans left for his bome this morning. Two years ago Mr. Evans was a candidate for congress against Mr. Randell, but was defeated. He is again a candidate for that position, ion that the fellow who defeats him for the first day of the second week have also disappeared. At his home from custody, Judge Pendergast dis- will have to do some clever scraphas resided in Greenville for twentysentenced to forty-eight hours in jail five years, during which time he has served his county with distinction two terms in the legislature, and

has made quite a reputation as a de-

bator in political contests with popu-

MANNER OF ENFORCEMENT OF PROHIBITION LAW AND OLD FACTIONAL FIGHT IN GA.

PRIMARY HELD TOMORROW

Judge Russell, Col. J. Pone Brown and Former Gov. Joseph M. Brown Candidates For Governor.

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 6.-The perm anent successor of Hoke Smith as governor of Georgia will be selected by the Democrats in a statewide primary tomorrow. The campaign which closed today has been a very with its prisoners at a little station. spirited one and has presented sev-

eral unusual features. ordinary course of events woud have riddled with bullets and the assassins expired in July, 1913. The resignation of Governor Smith and the neces of their victims were encountered by sity of a special election to select his the soldiers when they alighted from

successor were brought about by the the cars. (Continued from Page Three.)

SERIOUS CHARGE AGAINST OFFICER

this afternoon on an indictment port.

charging him with rape. No details concerning the indictment have been made public. A defendant accused of such a charge Massachusetts the only State to cannot receive bail. It is understood is being shown, especially by the that Sanders will ask for an immediate trial.

FIX SALARIES OF CITY OFFICERS FOR 2 YEARS

The regular meeting of the city council Thursday night will be one of the most important of the year At that session the tax rate for the ensuing year will be levied and the salaries of all the city officials for the next two years fixed.

The tax rate is now sixty-five cents which is as high as can be levied under the present law. The rate will not be lowered but some changes may be made in the levies for the several departments. It is not expect ed that there will be any great changes in the salaries of any of the city officials.

County Tax Collections in November Deputy County Collector Bullard reports the following collections for

State taxes 1911-\$4,739.80. County taxes 1911-\$5,625.41. School taxes 1911-\$1,006.83. State back-taxes-\$23.74. County Redin taxes-\$33.09. School Redin taxes-\$24.34. State occupation taxes \$875.00. County occupation-\$437.50. Total taxes-\$12,765,71.

The L X ranch, near Amarillo, has cause they did not allow the United purchased from the Turkey track States to say upon what disputes the ranch in New Mexico, 8,000 head of arbitration treaties would not be cattle at a cost of \$250,000.

FORMER MEXICAN REBEL LEADER TAKEN FROM JAIL BY MOB.

Troops Are Sent, but Prisoners Are Riddled with Bullets and Assas. sins Flee in Hills.

City of Mexico, Dec. 6 .- "Che" Go mez, whose rebellion at Juchitan resulted in a clash between President Madero and the Governor of Oaxaca, was lynched late yesterday afternoon at Rincon Antonio.

Eight of Gomez's partisans met like fate.

Gomez, who was on his way to the apital, accompanied by ten of his followers, was taken from the train at Rincon Antonio, Oaxaca, yesterday afternoon and placed in jail by order of Gov. Benito Juarez, in spite of the fact that he had been promised safe conduct by the President and bore a passport signed by the Executive. He and eight of his followers were taken from the jail by a meb of residents of the little town, augmented by hundreds from the neighboring regions, marched two

miles from town and shot to death: Noting the ugly temper of the peo ple and anticipating trouble, the local authorities reported the situation to Gov. Juarez, who was in San Geronimo, about, forty miles from Rincon, Antonio. He secured the consent of Gen. Merodio to send troops to the village. Before the troop train arrived, however, the guard of nine Rurales, constituting the entire military force of the town had battled with the mob of a thousand or more, had been overpowered

by the rabble, and the prisoners were carried off into the hills. What the fate of the latter might have been is problemetical, but it was hastened by the approach of the troop train. The mob had stopped As the train appeared, it was recognized as a troop train, and without fled into the hills. Only the bodies

Reports from San Geronimo last night were that mobs of Oaxacans paraded the streets shouting, "Viva

Juarez," "Viva Oxaca libre. Among the lynchers were many of the former followers of Gomes, who declared that he had betrayed them. Numerous commissions are reported Alex Sanders, a deputy constable to have called upon the Governor and was arrested and placed in jail late assured him of their loyalty and sup-

> The decision of Rhode Island to hold biennial State elections leaves choose her governor and other officers annually.

> The Rolph administration, which is about to assume its duties in San Francisco, will inaugurate a plan of city government almost identical with the commission form of govern-

> General Henry H. Bingham, the "Father of the House of Representatives," who has served 17 terms in Congress from the First Pennsylvania district, may lose that title since the Republican leaders in Philadelphia are said to have decided that he shall not be named for re-election.

NOT YET READY TO ENDORSE TREATIES

The business men of Wichita Falls are not yet ready to give their endorsement to the proposed arbitration treaties between the United States and France and England not yet, A resolution urging the ratification o these treaties in the Senate was read at the meeting of the directors of the Chamber of Commerce Tuesday morn ing and by general consent its adoption or rejection was postponed until the next regular meeting. Some of the directors announced that they were ready to vote for the adoption of the resolution then and there, oth ers believed that the U. S. Senate could act without any advice from the Chamber of Commerce and still others objected to the treaties be

Paper Read Before the Wichita County Teachers Institute by H. R. Von Luterman

ent, Ladies and Gentlemen:

When towards the close of dast month a program of this session of institute came into my possession, and I noticed the subject assigned to me, my intention was to decline in I am with you today endeavoring to make the best out of this situation and hope you will kindly pardon possible differences of opinion.

In this fast age in which we are living, the making of money rapidly and with as little exertion as possible seems to be with a great many persons, the one chief object of life,

If parent and guardians can succeed in teaching those committed to their care to be sharp in trading, to secure a fortune, to keep up with the fashions and customs of the day, they are satisfied. They seem to forget, or fail to realize the importance of teaching the soil? We know the exhibitration the country, and frequent changes of Mr. Owens came to Burkburnett them in their youthful days to have a which comes from growing knowledge knowledge of and to cherish those sentiments and feelings which afore feeling. The expansion of mind, the can lead them in future years to regard correctly the rights of others and to have a proper interest for the welfare of their community and country. These prefaced thoughts then, friend, introduce for your considera-

tion our theme;

Education for Country Life. Addressing a professionad audience it is unnecessary to define education; suffice to state education is capital The quesinvested for the future. tion might suggest itself as to the advisability or necessity of some special training or course of study in this particular direction. The Ameri- is demanded of us not theory or specu can press has no very favorable opin lative philosophy, but hard-headed ion of the farmer as the following clipping taken from one of the leading magazines for the current month. it is not strange that farmers are, in life. Agricultural teaching, industrial the planters of the world, the pro- sire to do good things is qualified by the nature of their occupation, for the most part in world's of their own, ing zone of modern ecconomic and political advancement. Yet they are usually the worst sufferers from evils that could be righted."

As to conditions existing in some of these worlds of their own, a teacher, who has taught in rural districts for a number of years, has this to say: "I have been made to stop and think—what is this world coming to? find so many people living in a as how to beautify a home-merely a affairs. place to live. No training that will It is free to every citizen to disthe new structure of which the cor and set the latter adrift. The men ently rational part of the time after elevate the mind; no surroundings cuss public questions, and not only is nerstone was just laid, wa sdestroy were rescued, however, by a fisher she was shot she volunteered no it is impossible to say; but the time that will induce children to live live about the crowding influences of povtraining; no love for God in nature; not anything but live while we live, ter of social life in a district. Both through hard work, ignorance and in in town and country there are times differences. Oh, for some means to when the evenings are long, and dull, rouse such from their theory to a and we would gladly do something knowledge of the true life, the true to enliven them if we only knew what way of living."

is a sad affair. The first and chief holds regular meetings and proves condition of moral goodness is to love quite a success. We should not conthe Almighty God. I am not preach sider an hour or an evening taken ocing a sermon, I am stating plain ev- casionally for social interests as eneryday moral philosophy. But, foral tirely lost. On the contrary, we philosophy, no less than religion, in should feel a citizen's interest in the its higher principles rests upon the moral, intellectual and benevolent en-Almighty God as its very basis and terprises of our community. The infoundation. This great truth I cannot fluence of every intelligent and uptoo strongly emphasize, it is the les- wright person in a community is son above all others needed today, beneficial, and it is our duty to exwhen the question of righteous con-duct is forced to the front. Religion welfare not looking for any rewards T Maadge Paatje in the days of New is our safe-guard amid the trials and personally. Let us talk the social is our safe-guard amid the trials and personally. Let us talk the social Amsterdam, being a rural path be-temptations of this world. It is decenter idea over with our neighbors side a stream, still marked by the plorable that God is forgotten in so and ask our teacher to call a meet curved line of the present street many homes, or at least treated as a ing. It will be an easy matter to in- known during the early English per

But to return to our subject, you great need of social meetings in ev- jewelry district about 1840." evidently will agree with me there ery rural district. of such apalling conditions?

By wasting idly for the future to patrons of our schools?

tem of education pursued at our coun- are willing to accept assistance. quirements of the present age?

ers of our civilizations. They are foothold on the path of life. tion depends largely upon the country children of today, and yet we handicap them educationally by supplying them with instruction given by course of instructions, cannot pay much attention to rural conditions and medical conditi

grades of work in the same length of time that a graded school teacher Die Commission recommended a Mr. Chairman, Honorable Superintend- have said a new kind of country par at our disposal and thus had better ent. Who has the right to demand a better and different rural school? Isn't it you, Mr. Farmer?

Don't we know better than anybody what kind of school the rural districts need? Can'a body of men, no matter favor of someone more capable to how intelligent, tell us our needs as discuss this theme. However, as I well as we can tell them, if we will? failed in securing a willing substitute The great need of the farmer today is co-operation not only in things commercial, but scholastic. The farmer is the coming man, and if he will but rights, his future is assured. But sculptor can do to the clay, educa-

tion can do for the farmer. Doesn't it pay to acquaint your boy and girl with plant-life in its development? Wouldn't it pay you to train your child's mentality until it could grasp the beauty of the opening bud? of our work. Your child has the same growth of power takes the drudgery from his work, the same as yours Teach him to commune with nature and that will inspire respect for country life. Our children should be Stray Topics taught to love the country and when they grow to manhood and womanhood they will work for ideal country con ditions in home and school

The boys should be taught the proper knowledge of farming in all its various branches. The girls should have a most thorough course in household economics. A half developed hu man being is not a man. Today there common sense. Training is every thing. We count our progress by out ward and visible signs. The work of will illustrate. It quotes: "Perhaps schools should be a preparation for the main, most oblivious to the training and domestic science should world's progress. The breeders and receive more recognition. Our deducers of sustenance, though at the our ability to do them. The rapidity very base of all civilization, are, by with which new county boards are being formed and rural high schools established is encouraging to those inthus far just outside the electric flash- terested in educational progress in It shows in what close touch our

county superintendents and rural patrons are with latest educational ideas and demands. The conference for education is aggressive in its all the year round campaign for better school anniversary of its founding. houses, better schools and better support for schools. A very unfortunate feature of our rural districts is the unwillingness of its citizens to be achaphazard way; not a single thought tive in the administration of public ies. The first church was establish came, and fearing that their boat

secure a healthy condition of public sentiment. A teacher should cause the school house to become the cento do. Some districts have organized size ever built in the United States, of sunny Italy, not quite game enough A home or family void of religion a "Home and School Club," which being with whom we have little conterest the community when the meet lod both as Green Lane and Maiden
cern.
There is a Lane. Laid out as a street in 1681. ings are once started. There is a

seems to be something amiss in many - Encouragement we all need in the is really astounding. A short time rural vicinities. How then, are we to hard tasks of daily life, but no task ago a woman drove in her automobile bring about a most wholesome reform seems quite so hard if it can be dis- over a private road on the estate cussed with another or score of ethers. More education, more originalimake the developments? Who is to ty and more sympathy for humanity drove into a lake belonging to the take control of this matter? Who in rural society would exhalt the estate and came near being drowned. are to be taught; the pupils or the country and would give leadership to After the accident the woman declarthose who were willing to work for ed that her spill in the lake was due What branches of study are best advancement. It is our mission to the evil influence of an opel ring advancement advancement who need help and who which she were for the first time on the help those who need help and who which she were for the first time on the help those who need help and who which she were for the first time on the help those who need help and who which she were for the first time on the help those who need help and who which she were for the first time on the help those who need help and who which she were for the first time on the help those who need help and who were will be to the evil influence of an opel ring which she were for the first time on the help those who need help and who which she were for the first time on the help those who need help and who were the first time on the help those who need help and who were the first time on the help those who need help and who who help those who need help and who who need help and who were the first time on the help those who need help and who who need help and who who need help and who were the first time on the help those who need help and who were the first time on the help those who need help and who were the first time on the help those who need help and who were the help those who need help and who were the help those who need help and who were the help those who need help and who were the help those who need help and who were the help those who need help the help the help those who need help the help

try schools in accordance with the re- The first lesson we must learn in uirements of the present age? life is that we know but very little.

The teachers of our public schools and the sconer this lesson is learned are to a large extent the real build the sooner we will begin to get a real the shapers of destiny and are im- dom is life. We have no excuse pressing for good the next generation, whatever for remaining ignorant of They would be greatly aided if they the fundemental principles of our could rely upon the co-operation of own calling, agriculture. Every state parents. Our children should furnish has its board of agriculture to encour the incentive for earnest toil on the age us. We have our agricultura town people are ready enough to say papers, our department stations down. In its distress the Ritten Electra, to Miss Kate Weisenfels, that the future of the state and na and our department of agriculture emitted meows which, owing to its Electra; Luther J. Reders, Thornberry tion department of agriculture part of the parents. But rural and colleges, our farm institutes, our farm

underlie farming we can know and understand only as we learn them by careful study of our farm journels and the bulletins, that are issued by our state xepriment stations and our natural department of agritcule gives to two or three. The Country Considerable move could be stated in connection with our subject but I DISCHARGED TARGET RIFLE INTO new kind of country school. It should suppose we have exhausted the time come to a colse.

In conclusion let us stand by the need you and your encouragement. If you neglect them, then you have no cause to complain if they do not render best service. Help the teacher to Family inspire interest in your school, and thus help him and your children.

The community in which the pec

ple take little interest in the school will have a poor school and will de- Owens, a prominent Wichita county awaken to his needs and demand his serve nothing better. The school farmer living about five miles west of nearly always represents the condithis place ended his own life early firstly he must be educated. What a tion of the community; and this this morning with a 22-calibre target would always be the case were it not rifle. Mr. Ownes arose early and the that a few malcontents can often de other members of the family were stroy a good school. Grumblers do awakened by the report of the rifle no good. They are doers of evil- in front of the house. They ran out certainly doesrs of harm for the to find Mr. Owens dying on the front school. There are people who never porch. He had evidentaly placed the take any interest in their school un- rifle against his neck, the bullet What satisfaction would come to a til there is something to raise a row ranging upward into his brain and boy to be able to tell the needs of about. School rows are the curses of causing almost justant death. teachers is a misfortune to every about three years ago from Ellis

> stand by your teacher. H. R. Von LUTERMAN.

From Little Old New York

New York, Dec. 1 .- New York is getting to be quite an old city, and it hear of golden or centenary anniversaries of institutions endowed with sufficiently strong vitality. Georges' Episcopal Church, in Stuyesant Square, celebrated the hundredth anniversary of its inde pendent existence the other day. St orge's is now the largest single Protestant parish in the world, administering directly to more than 7.000 persons. The First Presbyterian Church of

Brooklyn recently celebrated its ninetieth anniversary, which was made memorable by a gift of \$100,000 Rensselaer Smith in memory of her leceased husband who had been a years. St. Peter's Episcopal Church in West 20th street became eighty years old a few days ago, and on the same day, the 18th street Methodist Episcopal Church celebrated the 75th

The cornerstone of the fourth St. Thomas's Church, at Fifth Avenue rowboat from Coney Island on Sept. and Fifty-third street was laid the other day with appropriate ceremon-was blown far out into the bay. Night ed on October 12, 1823. The third church, which is to be replaced by wrote the message, put it in a bottle then the members of the congrega. They had completely forgotten the tion have been worshipping in a loating message of distress, which temporary structure erected upon the eventually reached the shore and was site of the burned church. Around thrown upon the beach by the tide. this temporary structure the new edifice is now building. 'It will be of ginator of a new business which; solid masonry, without steel girders however profitable it may be, will or arches and it is said that it will scarcely be sanctioned by the laws be the most costly church for its The temporary structure will remain to establish himself in the black hand undisturbed during the building op line of business, conceived of a ratherations and will only re removed after the new church has been com-

tory of Maiden Lane, the old and faous thoroughfare which forms the seat of the jewelry trade in New York, was unveiled a few days ago It was donated by Edward Holbrod president of the Gorham Manufac turing Company, to the Maiden Lane Historical Society and gives the fol-Began to assume the character of

The inconsistency of some wome William L. Maks, a wealthy New Fork manufacturer. Going with great that occasion. This did not keep her,

from the owner of the estate. If, as the woman stated, the opal ring was the cause of the accident, Mr. Marks could logically be held responsible only in case he was responsible for the wearing of the ring by the injured woman.

A tiny black kitten with a bas voice caused a ghost scare and con-siderable exciement in New Rochelle the other night. It had climbed a tree on Church street in that village

HIS OWN LIFE

HIS NECK AND BULLET EN-TERED BRAIN.

Heard Report of Rushed Out On Porch to Find

Burkburnett, Texas, Dec. 1.-M. J

child. Get a good teacher and then county and his body is being prepar ed for shipment to Ennis today. The deceased was about sixty years of age and has several married daugh ters living in this section one of whom is Mrs. W. W. Linville, wife field. In a dispute over some cattle of a prominent farmer of the Charlie he was shot three times, twice in the community.

No cause is known why Mr. Owens should end his own life.

asked to accompany the policeman to point out the tree. But, long before they had reached the tree the presitent of the temperance society made his escape. To "see things" he evidently thought, was bad enough-to hear things" was too much. Upon reaching the tree, which the policeman found surrounded by a group of citizens, the brave guardian of the peace left his hat and overcoat in the rustody of one of the citizens and then cautionsly climbed the tree. He was greatly relieved when he found the little kitten, which has since then been adopted as the station mascot.

A late stroller on the beach at Far Rockaway a few days ago found common soda water bottle, tightly New York newspaper, dated Sept. 30. to the church by Mrs. William Van on the margin of which was scribbled the following message:

"Rudolph Boettcher, 1594 Third trustee of the church for twenty-one avenue, Manhattan. Kindly notify ny wife all lost. Boat went down. The finder of the message turned It over to the police and an investigation was promptly made. ascertained that William Boettcher, he brother of Rudolph Boettcher and 2 few friends had started out in a 30, A storm came up and the boat would presently capsize, Boettcher An enterprising Italian is the orlof this country. This particular son novel method of making money. He married a pretty Italian girl, liv-A bronze tablet giving a brief his old her for a good price to some other Italian. Finding this business o his taste and quite profitable, the man became hoggish and instead of eing satisfied with one wife at ime, he married half a dozen, so as o have a larger stock of women on and to offer to prospective purhasers. The peculiar business method of the Italian, however, finally attracted the attention of the auborities and he was arrested on a

> Marriage Licenses. Marriage licenses have been issued

harge of bigamy.

Richard Ellis, Charlie, Texas, to fiss Rachel Oleston, Charlie, Texas. Frank Issacs, Charlie, Texas, to liss Beatrle Horton, Charlie, Texas. feet from a revolver. Hardin Williams, Dundee, Texas, to Mr. Hardin Williams is the son of Ir. and Mrs. J. T. Williams of this ity. The ceremony will take place

ssued in Wichita county during the month of November, and a number of these were Issued to Oklahoma

The licenses issued follows: John Schrolder, city to Miss Mary

chne, Clinton, Okla.; S. E. Cropper, Burkburnett, Texas to Bertha M. Lohoefner, Burkburnett, Texas; Albert lendeman, city to Miss Grace Hebing. city; B. F. Terry, Dallas to Lucretia Orth, city; Ross Luthrell Oluskee, Okla., to Miss Mary Weynick; Oliver Walls, city to Mrs. Lizzie Jackson; ester Johnson, Petrolla to Miss Ola Curlee, city: J. G. Slick, Clarion, Pa., to Jene B. Zimmerman; Ben Calhoun, city to Miss Alice Tyson; Willie My-ers, Burkburnett to Miss Bessie Dykes, Burkburnett; C. A. Harris, city o Daisy Pierce, city; C. B. Barnett Charlie, Texas to Miss Beulah Penrod, Charlie, Texas; William Ende, Marlin, Texas to L. E. Cocran, Martin. Texas: J. G. Stearns, city to Miss Edith Lucas; J. A. Nelson, Charilton, lowa to Katherine Campbell, Neweastle; S. E. Wood, Petrolia to Miss Ella Wilson; L. J. Oakley, Randlett Okla., to Miss Josie Thompson, Randlett; Verna Holcomb, Petrolia to Ruby English, Gainesville:

YOUNG MAN DIES FROM GUNSHOT WOUNDS

James Farmer, Shot at Grandfield Last July Died at Home of Relatives Here Last Night.

From Saturday's Daily

night at his home on Fifth street, from the results of the wounds. At the time of the shooting which resulted in Mr. Farmers' death he was engaged in farming near Grandsevering the spinal cord. brought to this city where his mother and brothers reside and given such surgical aid as was possible, from the first the doctors decided that his case was hopeless. Since the paralyzed from the waist down, and has suffered terribly. His end came at 6:30 last night and to him was a little children and three brothers and a sister.

WAS IT SUICIDE AN ACCIDENT

Bullet Wound in Her Right Side. Made No Statement.

Flo Farrell, a woman of the Mulperry row district died in a local anitarium last night two hours after ful work. But when the public school she had been found lying on the loor of her room with blood streamng from a bullet wound in her right side between the ribs and the hip bone. While the woman was apparhe shot was accidental or inflicted by when the purposes of the parent with suicidal intent or was fired by and the teacher in regard to the child mother person.

dound.

Justice Brothers investigated the

clock and when those in the neighborhood heard the report and ran to the Farrell woman's house they found her weithing on the floor, about eight She was immediately removed to

the builet had shattered one of the kidneys and she died at about midnight without making any statement. A. Humphries, who owns some

Times office late this afternoon and and has a finer and keener insight in stated that he was the second person ISSUED IN NOVEMBER to the woman after she was injured, and that she told him she had hurt herself and called for Ed Funston. Humphries stated that the woman Thirty-four marriage ficenses were was sick and despondent over the death of her mother who resided at San Antonio.

onio for burial.

Polite Policeman Waits Until Servant's

The Mother and Her Part In Modern Education

Paper Read By Mrs. Dale

At no time in the history of our ditions for the present and future. Today as never before has the great power of womanhood and motherhood made itself felt in the world. the slave for the household, but homes, like individuals, and governments, pass through 'evolutionary These processes of evolustages. tion do not indicate a retreat or decay of the home and its principles:

sonal, but within us born out of the

Christ who lived for all is the thought,

the wish, the honest purpose to do

the children of our hour take our

lie school and we may well-call it a

safety valve. We all know or ough

to know that the unrestricted, like

the uneducated child is the danger-

ous child-a child given complete li

low students, to discipline, to use

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in part, at least the errors of its par

ents, places its feet upon the right

path the worth of the school is fel

and appreciated. But how much

greater its value would be if all pay-

ents and homes co-operated with it.

is one. I do not believe I am an idle

Iream when I say the day is near

learning and has a keep intellect and

lagg Young, of Chicago, when the

board of education had almost reach-

ed a climax. A woman was placed in

charge to see what she could do and

decidedly no, and to the surprise of

many educators who were aspiring to

hat high office, she made some won-

derful changes and accomplished

more for the public schools of Chi

cago in one year than had been done

to the hearts and minds of boys and

girls, and today, the mother is awak-

ening to the fact that she too, can

help and need not hesitate to offer

her co-operation and friendship to

be kind, honest, truthful, obedient, respectable and neat. If all children

her work would be one of great worth

and pleasure. The mothers can help

he teacher solve many difficult prob-

by a few words rightly spoken if not

able to help in a financial way. The

both in school and out.

the teacher of her child.

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cense in its home, allowed to overrule

Indeed their existence is but another proof that the home is strend ening One significant change will be, that idle children will not be tolerated by the state, society or individual parents. No matter what the wealth

poverty of parents of the future, the James Farmer, who was shot, at Garndfield, Okla., last July, died last idle child will be regarded as a menace to society and good govern afternoon ment, and an evil to itself. Much rethe goal is in sight, parenthood is more rapidly than ever before, teachback of the head and once in the the home-one to society and these the officers cannot understand how back, the latter bullet completely duties are inseparably interlinked. A home is useless, worthless to hu-He was manity which keeps, its influence wholly within itself and so the wise far-seeing mother is not satisfied within her own little realm, but knows the greatest good can be accomplish shooting he has been completely ed by serving the greatest number. In order to do this she must mingle at 6:30 last night and to him was a the needs and wants of officers is to find our an accident.

welcome relief. Although he leaves learns there are two great factors of er it was murder or an accident.

The body of the woman will be " tion of the state and its inspiration is from motherhood. None of us who The funeral was held this afternon

at 3 o'clock, Rev. Boone officiating.

to Farrell Died Last Midnight From

rom Saturday's Daily

The fact that the bullet entered at hand when the educator instead ier right side at a point so low in of being in an isolated class so far per body indicates that the shot was as the home is concerned, will be a either fired accidentally by the wo- welcome guest and teacher, parent nan herself or was fired by another and pupil will form a trinity of unity person with murderous intent, as no and the practicability of education case is known where an attempt to And who is bringing about all this suicide was made by shooting in that change? It is the mothers and daugh part of the body. That the shot was ters of our land. Since the world has ired at close range is indicated by learned that woman can receive and powder burns found around the I a great moral power, she is being call-

It has been learned that the dead voman quarrel with a man during sures good things accomplished by rave demanded money from her but so far the officers have been unable their brothers and in many instances dynamiting case are likely to occur o discover any clew that would inlicate that the woman was murder-

fair this morning but filed no re sort before leaving for Mineral Wells his afternoon.

The shot was fired at about 10:30

sanitarium where it was found that

property in that part of the city known as the "Flats," called at The She was about 22 years of age. The

remains will be shipped to San An-

I believe every mother has the right to demand pure, clean, upright teachers for the schools and we Brown Before Wichita should demand the best, and too, we should give the best. I believe every County Teachers Institute mother should stand for compulsory education and should stand for that which will broaden the minds, better the morals of our children. The moth-Nation has the mother found so great ers of this Southland should encouran opportunity to help better the conrural districts may have the same opportunity for an education and that our states may not rely by great but its size and farm products, but by the intelligence and morality of Not many years ago woman was con- its men and women and these things sidered only a home-keeper or rather may be accomplished by the united untiring, devoted efforts of our noble mothers of today.

OFFICERS INVESTIGATING WOMANS DEATH

County officers are investigating the causes that led up to the death in a dying condition in her home in the "Flats" night before last. This afternoon Dr. Jones cut into the body of the woman and extracted the mains to be done along this line, but builet, and an effort will be made to locate the revolver from which it was fired. The range of the bullet ing childhood, that it has three primal through the body is the foundation duties—one to the Creator—one to for the investigation being made, as the woman could have shot herself intentionally in the manner indicated. The bullet entered the body in the lower abdomen and ranged up through the kidney and liver and lodged in the back. Such a wound may have been possible through an accident, or by a gun in the hands of another person, but hardly by a person with with others, get new ideas, and learn suicidal intent, and the object of the society, and the home is the funda- shipped to San Antonio tonight.

see life in its clearest light, who are not afraid of the truth, live for the noment, we have our struggles and our ambitions which are strictly per-**NEW OFFICERS**

something for the future in which The Woodmen of the World held their annual meeting in the K. of places and this sentiment finds its P. Hall last evening and elected the most concrete expression in the pubfollowing officers: W. B. Collins, C. C.; S. T. Taylor, Ad. Lifeut.; W. P. Collier, Banker; J T. Young, Clerk: Ray Hammond, Escort; R. Marshall, sentery; Doctors W. H. Walker and J. C. A. Guest, Physicians and W. A. McClelland, Manager... all others, passes from that home to The lodge will install officers the

the public school a menace to his felfirst meeting in January.

ASSESSED \$500 FINE FOR BOOTLEGGING

In the case of the State of Texas s. Henry Crain, charged with sellwithout license (bootlegging on Sunday) the defendant Crain was found guilty and fined five bundred dollars. The defendant being unable to pay his fine was remanded to work on the county road.

BURNS SAYS FURTHER ARRESTS WILL OCCUR

ed into all fields of activity, and in By Associated Press Chicago, Ill., Dec. 2 .- According to men. As educators they have proven by Detective Wm. J. Burns, further to the world they are the equal of arrests in the Los Angeles Times have proven superior. Look at that any time. It is rumored that the Mcnoble and great woman, Mrs. Ella Namaras will be used as witnesses gainst those who are to be arrested in connection with the case.

to tide over a stubborn difficulty that was facing them and did she fail? No A NEW CIRCUIT TO ARCHER CITY

The Southwestern Telegraph and in three or four more previous to it, and has triumphantly entered on her Telephone Company has started work on the construction of a new circuit between Wichita Falls and Archer second year and is only 64 years of City. The new line will parallel the See the stride made by the leading Wichita Falls and Southern. A conteachers of New York City. They are struction gang of about fifteen men now to receive equal wages for equal work, and I have long wished for this arrived here last night to start the work at once. in every state. I believe woman has the natural gift for teaching children

OFFICERS OF SOUTHERN EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATIN

She may unite herself with a society whose aims and objects are all day Associated Press.

Houston, Texas, Dec. 2.—The Houston, Texas, Dec. 2.—The Southern Educational Association tothe modern education of today by day elected the following officers: training the little child at home to-H. L. Whitefield, Columbus, Miss., president; M. L. Britain, Atlanta, Ga., first vice-president; " H. F. Triplett, had this for a foundation on which the teacher could build her structure Beaumont, Texas, second dent; Mrs. J. D. Matlock, Birmingham, Ala., third vice-president. Secretary and other appointive offices to be announced later. ions. By her own co-operation she can do much to make more attractive play-grounds and assist in the games

Jim Knight, a brakeman on Northwestern railroad, accidentally mashed his fingers while on duty at Wellington last night, and returned mother of today should strive to keep here this morning, where he will re-her children interested in their work main until his recovery from his inbut there that he come to The dist without on lines ter appe "As to rely on last wee tempted James B efficient which s to an e could hav plea of g willing his broth that the suffer pu "The intereste Janes B his plea condition enced to should g would no "After defense torney t McNama

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BURNS MAKES OTHER CHARGES

but there is no ground for any claim that he induced the prosecution to come to an agreement in the matter. The district attorney acted entirely without regard to Mr. Steffens and on lines decided upon before the latter appeared on the scene.

"As to the defense, the public can rely on it that the developments of last week as to the bribery and attempted bribery of jurors in the James B. McNamara case were the efficient cause of the change of pleas which suddenly brought these cases to an end. The district attorney could have had James B. McNamara's plea of guilty long ago if he had been willing to dismiss the case against his brother, but he refused, insisting that the latter was guilty and should suffer punishment.

"The first proposition from those interested in the defense were that Janes B. McNamara should change his plea from not guilty to guilty on condition that he should not be sentenced to death and that his brother should go free. The district attorney would not agree.

"Afterwards emissaries from the defense brought to the district at torney the proposition that James B. McNamara would plead guilty and b. sentenced to death, if the court so ordered, provided that his brother should be saved. But the district attorney still would not agree.

"Those interested in the defense continued to urge his acceptance of the last proposition for ten days or more and until the bribery developments, revealed the desperation of the defense and paralyzed the effort to save John J. McNamara by sacrific ing his brother. Then it was that the change of pleas of these men was forthcoming.

"The motion broached in the Steffens article that the McNamaras, in the commission of the crimes, as confessed by them are two heroes, is offensive to common intelligence and repelling to the conscience of all just men-to say nothing of the abhorrence of the law for such sentiment -and I am confident that the district attorney was not influenced by any such sentiment in considering the proposal that the defendants should withdraw their pleas of not

"Upon the entries of the pleas of guilty both defendants placed themselves upon the mercy of the cour and the responsibility-sole and undivided-evolved upon the court to determine the punishment. That some mitigation of the extreme penalties demandable by the outraged law which can be expected in consequence of the change of the pleas in these cases, is in accordance with the principle commonly accepted in the administration of criminal juris-

"That expectation has not been disappointed in these cases. At the same time the duty of the court in fixing the penalties in these cases would have been unperformed had it been swayed in any degree, by the hypothetical policy favored by Mr. Steffens, who, by the way, is a professed anarchist, that the judgment of the court should be directed to the promotion of compromise in the controversy between capital and labor.

"The lesson taught by the cases is that the laws must be rigorously enforced against all offenders, wheth er they be rich or poor, high or low. capitalists or laborers-and that only by the obedience to the law can society be maintained or its effects en-

Prohibitionists First in the Field. Chicago, Ill., Dec. 5.-Confidence in the ultimate success of the prohibition cause and enthusiasm over the outlook for the coming national campaign formed the keynote of a great gathering of Prohibition party leaders and temperance reformers which assembled in this city today. The meeting here tomorrow of the Prohibitionist national committee is the magnet that has served to attract the foes of liquor from all parts of the country. At this meeting the committee will fix, the time and place for holding the national convention to name the party candidates for President and Vice President of the United States. Following precedent, the convention probably will be held the latter part of May or early in June. Chairman Jones and other influential members of the committee hold the convention in the far West, a year ago. Upon the death of Sena-Portland and Seattle are under conthe committee will consider bids from Milwaukee, Detroit, Boston and several other places.

Altus Okla, where he goes to assume was Col. J. Pope Brown of Hawkins precipitated a renewal of the old-time ests to start an organized campaign against the charge of baving killed a position with the Northwestern, ville, who formerly held the office of bitter factional strife. The Smith for the repeal of the amendment has Felix Slesonski. a position with the Northwestern,

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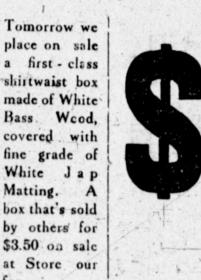
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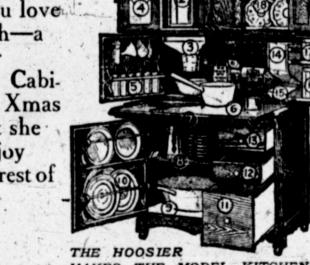
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Buy Herwho you love so much—a Hoosier Kichen Cabinet-a Xmas Present she will enjoy all the rest of her life



MAKES THE MODEL KITCHEN.



Here is a Big Xmas Bargain-This \$10.00 Spring Seat Rocker on Sale at our Store

\$5.85



Xmas Sewing Tables

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are said to favor the proposal to death of United States Senator Clay named Governor Smith in his stead. Brown from office. Mr. Smith accepted the election to

has been the stormy petrel of Georgia, in preference to "Little Joe." politics./ When Hoke Smith was first The greatest difficulty facing the Former Governor Joseph M. Brown is in addition to the Pacific coast cities fill the vacancy in the senate, but the in coming to a head and the result

T. R. T. Orth, left this afternoon for primary race. The first in the field ent contest for governor naturally alleged intention of the liquor inter- fend them at their coming trial

State treasurer. Then came kichard adherents look upon Brown's came tention to the question. As the came dacy as part of a plan of former Governor Terrell and the old machine to last to enter the contest was ex-Governor Terrell and the old machine to gain control of the Georgia Demography. Smith when he goes cracy and defeat Smith when he goes The candidacy of "Little Joe" before the people for re-election as Brown added spice to what would United States senator. Either 5. is an outland out probabilities of the people for re-election as option banner, while J. Pope Brown otherwise have been a continuous form. otherwise have been a very tame Pope Brown or Judge Russell would is an out and out prohibitionist and contest. For several years Browns be acceptable to the Smith faction that could possibly bring the legaliz-

reached however, until after a very then the governor of Georgia, appoint fice of railroad commission. The thorough discussion of the matter, ed ex-Governor loseph M. Terreil to political differences that had long existed between the two were not long ant issues upon which to wage the bition question the paramount is contest. The old issues had been sue. He has shown an inclination to legislature early in the present year was that Governor Smith removed worn threadbare and no longer interdirect treat the matter lightly from the ested the people. Finally two of the beginning of the contest, though he Brown limitediately began a cam- Russell, decided that the question of the question be left to the voters of Several of the Cleveland veterans the senate but did not go to Wash palgn to succeed Smith in the govern prohibition should be the chief issue the State. Personally, however, extended to be the chief issue the State. Personally, however, extended to be the chief issue the State. Personally, however, extended to be the chief issue the State. will have to work hard to hold their longton during the special session of paign to succeed Smith in the gover- prohibition should be the chief issue the State. Personally, however, except the special session of paign to succeed Smith in the gover- prohibition should be the chief issue the State. Personally, however, except the special session of paign to succeed Smith in the gover- prohibition should be the chief issue the State. Personally, however, except the special session of paign to succeed Smith in the gover- prohibition should be the chief issue the State. Personally, however, except the special session of paign to succeed Smith in the gover- prohibition should be the chief issue the State. Personally, however, except the special session of paign to succeed Smith in the gover- prohibition should be the chief issue the State. Personally, however, except the special session of paign to succeed Smith in the gover- prohibition should be the chief issue the special session of paign to succeed Smith in the gover- prohibition should be the chief issue the special session of paign to succeed Smith in the gover- prohibition should be the chief issue the special session of paign to succeed Smith in the gover- prohibition should be the chief issue the special session of paign to succeed Smith in the gover- prohibition should be the chief issue the special session of paign to succeed Smith in the gover- prohibition should be the chief issue the special session of paign to succeed Smith in the gover- prohibition should be the chief issue the special session of paign to succeed Smith in the gover- prohibition should be the chief issue the special session of paign to succeed Smith in the gover- prohibition should be the chief issue the special session of paign to succeed Smith in the gover- prohibition should be the chief issue the special session of paign to succeed Smith in the gover- prohibition should be the chief issue the special session of paign to succeed Smith in the gover- prohibition should be the chief in Jobs next season, as Harry Davis has ernorship with the middle of last primary and his election followed as would appear that the prohibition have slways been a consistent prohibition of promising youngsters month, when he resigned and was a matter of course, for in Georgia question had been disposed of as a bitionist. succeeded by John M. Slaton as act. the winner of the Democratic primary live issue several years ago when the ing governor, Mr. Slaton will con. Is as good as seated. But in his fight prohibitory amendment was added to of all months has been connected with time to hold the office until the lat. for re-election the victory was re the State constitution. But the proof al months has been connected with time to hold the olice and the winner versed and he was defeated by Hoke hibition law, or rather the manner of the part of January, when the winner versed and he was defeated by Hoke hibition law, or rather the manner of the part of January, when the winner versed and he was defeated by Hoke hibition law, or rather the manner of the part of January at law in

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The less cotton there is in the hands of the original producer the higher the price will go, and by January first the great bulk of the cotton crop will have passed out of the hands of the farmer to the speculator, and when it takes place we may reasonably look for a raise of 2 or 3 cents on the pound. But when it does there will be several politicians who will not hesitate to claim credit for putting the price up, and will ask compensation in a political way.

Wichita and Wilbarger counties now form one Representative district. So far as the Times is aware neither county has yet put out a candidate. Wilbarger now has the congressman from this district, and will in all probability continue to so long as John Stphens offers to serve. Considering this, it would seem that she might concede to Wichita the right to name the Representative. What says the Vernon Record and Call to a proposition like

If newspaper reports are to be re-Mr. Lane for the office of State Controller. The only objection that can be raised to Mr. Lane is that he is a prohibitionist and does not neglect very many opportunities to let the people know it. Mr. Barker takes the other side of the question. Aside from their difference of opinion on fect that more trades are being learned this one question, there is really no to young inside the walls of the and good men, and in the event there are more anti-prohibitionist Democrats in the State than there are prohibitionist Democrats, Mr. Barker good for Texas, or for any other state. ought to win in the Democratic primary election to be held next July, pect to adopt a trade of one kind or On the other hand, if there are more another, pro-Democrats than there are anti-Democrats, Mr. Lane should win: The campaign will be fought out along

close at hand. You can dodge one, but With but few exceptions, every one not the other, but the chances are engaged in business took a day off, that if anybody has to go empty-hand and enjoyed themselves with their no discredit to the fellow who, if need be, will permit his taxes go unpaid tically deserted and the homes of the Gompers. When the McNamaras were if it is necessary in order, to make happy at Christmas times those whom he loves and are dependent upon him for support and sustenance. The gifts need not be of an expensive nature, board. but it is a custom and practice indulged in by all Christian nations, and they are the better off for having inaugurated it. There is nothing equal to the disappointments occasioned by empty stockings on Christmas morn, prevailing all over the United States, and the Times trusts that there will be and the people have about concluded no cases of that kind to report in Wichita Falls this year. Do your of them go hungry a change has got shopping early.

The Merritt brothers who, through the trickery and machination of Pastor Frederick Gates were relieved of their fortune of \$20,000,000 by that old baldheaded religious fraud and financier, John D. Rockefeller, will probably be able to return thanks today that they are alive. They did not seem to have more sense than the average man is supposed to have or would have never been led into the trap so cleverly set to separate them from their fortune. With this extra \$20,000,000 Mr. Rocke feller will probably ease his conscience a little bit by turning over a small por tion to Peter Gates with which to endow some institution that will agree to engrave the name of the generous the past fifteen or twenty years, and if donor on one of its stained glass windows long after he is dead and gone tions are not what they should be, the to his reward, whatever that may be, and this writer has no hesitancy in that they have, by their suffrage, givexpressing a doubt as to which place he will finally land to be judged. The deal he pulled off with the Merritt's (the people) should have retained. The its one-time position of power in the may have been as Mr. Rockefeller says, "perfectly lawful" but it was also "perfectly awful."

that he will cast the vote of his district trict. His critics think he should vote Judge on the beach or not, has provfor the candidate who receives the at large. There are now four pronounce abused, there is no doubt. But, as a ed canddates for that position, and it receive a majority of the votes polled in the July Democratic primaries, and in a case like that it would be a difficult matter for a State Senator or representative to figure out just how to the doubt. It is that way in nearly publican politics to champion the polcast the vote of his district without every other thing, and it will be that being censured by the friends of this way with the "recall." or that candidate. Unless the State Democratic Executive Committee orders that the nominee shall receive a and the cost of high living, the thing able to suppose that the expresiden

tives should not be bound to vote for on the size of his pay envelope to have to point out the way to success? That's morning of October 1st, and that if nature that will prove to those who a candidate who has gained his nom- on his table tomorrow, (Thanksgiv- how runs the gossip. ination by a minority vote. It might ing), a nice, fat juicy turkey without The ex-president describes the lives of those twenty-one victims of made, that they were simply deceived and probably will be necessary to hold causing suspicion of larceny. a second primary in order to determine which of the two highest candidates the solid vote and support of every that section and the tax-payers realize Democratic State Senator and Representative, and unless they do give him their support without regard as to countles they must do something in how the majority of the Democrats in the way of building good roads. There their districts voted in the primaries, they will then have subjected themselves to just censure and should never carry, as it should. again be honored by the party. That is Democracy, and it is justice. If there is no double primary for the U. S. Senatorship and the nominee happens to be the choice of only a minority, then the State Senators and Representatives will, in the humble judg-

men of this paper, be perfectly justi-

respective districts.

Crimes like that to which the Mc-Namaras plead guilty cannot be con- the Times doubts seriously if the town and competition crushed. doned by any civilized people, and while labor organizations, nearly all of afternoon and a morning paper under them in fact, contributed to an enormous fund for the defendants under the belief and the impression that they lt was the sensible thing to do, at had been kidnapped and taken from any rate, and it will be better for Abitheir homes to Los Angeles without authority of law, and were not only be paper, whether it is issued once or ing prosecuted, but persecuted by capt twice each day rather than attempt ital, when the fact of their guilt so to support two dailies under two sepcleverly established by Detective Burns and District Attorney Fredericks, was developed, the defendant's attorneys, Scott and Darrow, two of guilty clients and advised them to en- the past four or five years. ter pleas of guilty even before the jury had been selected before which one of the desidants was to be tried. When asked why the defendants enterlied on Bob Barker is to contest with Fredericks made the simple reply "They plead guilty because they were Wichita Falls by F. Happy Day, secturkey hash has been served. . guilty and know that we could establish their guilt.

> We don't know who is authority for the statement, but there is an item going the rounds of the press to the ei-State penitentiary than out of it. If this is not true, someone who is acquainted with the facts should correct it. Such statistics as that are not and is a reflection on those who ex-

> Thanksgiving day opened bright, clear and crisp, with an atmosphere calculated to cheer the lagging ener gies of man, and make him look forward to higher and better things. milies and friends. During the no fhour the streets of the city were practhe time being all business cares were laid aside, and fathers, mothers, sis-

> In this particular section business conditions are bad on account of the drouth and consequent crop failures. but there is a fearful political unrest that if relief is to come before most to be brought about. The Republican party has been in power for the past sixteen years, and things have gone from bad to worse. No part of this political unrest can possibly be laid to the Democratic party.

Attorney General Wickersham is of the opinion that the people cannot be trusted to run the government, which means that he is ferninst the initiative and referendum tooth and nail. But the next most important question that will be asked and answered in next year's presidential election is: Are the people going to allow the trusts, through politicians like Mr. Wickersham and others make our laws and run our government? They the trusts and combines have had full sway for times are hard and business condipeople are to blame only to the extent en to the trusts, combines and politiclans power and authority that they public notice and his influence from quickest and best way to regain what they have lost is through the adoption of the initiative and referendum, and if need be, the recall also. A dishonest Senator Johnson of Memphis is he official has no more right to serve the ing censured some for giving it out people a minute longer after it has been demonstrated to the satisfaction for the candidate for the position of of a respectable number of decent, U. S. Senatorship who receives the law abiding tax paying citizens than largest number of votes in his dis- he (the official) whether he be a for the candidate who receives the en unfaithful to his trust. That there news. largest number of votes in the State is danger the "recall" may be It rule, the people are reasonable, and is not likely that any one of them will where it is abused once, there will be a dozen instances where it will not be

to give the one accused the benefit of

Grayson County is soon to vote on some opposition to the proposition,

but the chances are that it will

The Abilene Reporter has purchased the Abilene Morning News, and the two papers will be issued from the office of the Daily Reporter from now on under the management of Mr. Geo. Anderson, manager of the Reporter. fied in voting the instructions of their simple: Abilene, while it is a good is large enough to support both an one management, though Mr. Ander- where. son may have figured it out differently. twice each day, rather than attempt the results. arate managements. The three of four daily papers at Lawton have also con

> The Times acknowedges recepit of a copy of The Southwestern Telephone News of date November, 1911, a good

proper thing when she killed her husband who it appears had peddled on her virtues, and there is general satisfaction felt over her acquittal. White slavery traffic in the East is very common, and it is by no means unheard of in the West. Even in some of the smaller towns and cities it is being practiced, and but little efforts are out forth to put a stop to it, more esecially if the parties who profit by nce and financial standing in their espective communities. Of course here are different forms of the white slave traffic," and Patterson was guilty of the worst form imaginable. ind his fate was a just one.

The way it looks now John Mitchell is the man who will eventually suc ceed to the position now held by people abounded with good cheer. For first arrested Mitchell's advice, which was unheeded, was "suspend judgment until after the accused men have beer ters and brothers met around the festal given a tral." It was different with Gompers. His loyalty to the cause of labor swept him from his feet, and further and further out to sea until he was almost ready to join in the charge that the prosecution of the Mc-Namaras was nothing more nor less than a frame-up on the part of Detective Burns and the prosecution. Doubtless he was honest and sincere in his conviction. By giving that advice, Mitchell made himself unpopular in labor crcles. The blow, while a heavy one, is not necessarily fatal to union labor. All that is necessary to regain all the ground that has been lost can be regained by placing a man like Mitchell at their head, which will be a guarantee in itself that lawless-ness on the part of labor organizations will receive no encouragement from him and if, per chance, one of their members should be accused of crime the trial of the case will not be conducted in such a manner as to lead people to believe that it was union labor on trial instead of an individual whohad violated the haws of his country by destroying life and property.

> WILL ROOSEVELT COME BACK? For some time past it has been frequent with newspaper paragraphers to inquire, in one form or another, "What ias become of Theodore?" teh implisation being that he had fallen from affairs of the nation.

Public addresses he has not been making, and his weekly observations in The Outlook have been attracting no more than casual attention.

But now he has in a measure answered the paragraphic inquiries and in addition set the tongues of political gostip going as they have not gone since the days when he ceased being the great American maker of

It was all done by an editorial in The Outlook, in which he characterized the anti-trust policy of Taft's ad ministration as "chaotic," and insisted that it should be replaced by some taken advantage of simply because thing radically different. Thereupon they, (the people) arealways, inclined has arisen the pertinent question. "Will he come back into national Reicy of 'something different?'" Taft, he charges in effect has made a failure of handling the problem of big busi In these days of high cost of living, ness. Why, therefore, is it not reason majority of the votes cast in the State, that is most puzzling to the average, who has so vigorously pointed out the

"failure" as follows: "The attempt that dastardly crime, he would gladly and defrauded. It is now in possession to meet the whole problem not by ad-make the sacrifice. A pretty speech, of such facts, and those who doubt it ministrative governmental action, but that. In the first place, his knowledge can convince themselves of their truth in the first primary is entitled to the the question of voting \$400,000 worth by a succession of lawsuits, is hope of the effect of high explosives was fulness. The Times only wants a fair nomination, but that is the best and of good road bonds. Grayson is one of less from the standpoint of working next to if not expert, and he must profit on the service rendered, and by far the fairest and most honest way the best agricultural counties in state out a permanently satisfactory solu- have known when he deposited that it solicits and appreciates to the fullof settling a matter of that kind, and though the drouth this year has cut tion. Moreover, the results sought to grip that the explosion would not only est extent the patronage of all who in that event the nominee who has crops short. The corn crop was prac- be achieved are achieved only in ex- destroy the building, but destroy the want to deal and be dealt with honwon his nomination by a majority of tically a failure, and there was not tremely insufficient and fragmentary lives of those who were in it at the estly and fairly. the Democratic votes of Texas much of any other crops raised. As measure, by breaking up all big cor-time. That part of his confession will is entitled to and should receive a result hard times are prevailing in porations, whether they behaved well not be believed by any person of intelor ill, into a number of little corporathat if they expect to keep Grayson tions, which, it is perfectly certain, -that of getting a lighter sentence, or Martin, and which appears in another County at the head of the list of Texas will be largely, and perhaps altogether to escape the extreme penalty, if under the same control."

ducts, if that should be necessary.

It can not be gainsaid that there is much virtue in this plan if, as now The reason for this consolidation was anti-trust law will be to dissolve of maras, will have to lay low. The Mc town, was not large enough to give de to be reassembled in a technically but are, but the fear that they might will not essentially different from a form baye a very good effect. under two separate managements, and wherein monopoly is still enthroned

Such a course of action is like running around in a circle-it gets no-

other,-Atlanta Georgian.

by giving his life he could restore the doubted its statements at the time ligence, and, it was made for a purpose it succeeded in its purpose. It is The 'better plan' which he submits perhaps best, however, that the is that of the establishment of an ad-extreme penalty was not given him. ministrative commission to supervise By letting him live may be the means all corporations engaged in interstate of bringing to justice those who were tion than any one to know how well commerce, and to control them, even implicated with him, but who, so-far, to the fixing of the prices of their pro- have escaped, and doubtless nothing how well they have enforced the law, would please better that bunch of but if some of the rumors are true scoundrels than that the Mc that are being circulated concerning Namaras should be hung. So long as the conduct of some of the officers, seems will be the case, the total effect they live those who were almost if the grand jury, in justice to both of the enforcement of the Sherman not equally as guilty as the McNafending combinations, yet allow them ... amaras may never tell who they

will not be asked: How much of the them a clean certificate. world's goods have you accumulated Nor can it be doubted that there But rather, How did you accumulate It was the sensible thing to do, at is something the matter with the Sher- it? If every man should bear this in man law, either in its provisions or mind in the transaction of his busilene to give her solid support to one in the enforcement that has so far ness, he will at least have a clear con- Stampeding far and wide? been accorded it. It does not produce science and can sleep reasonably well, The cowboy's long, low whistle even if his purse is made the lighter And singing by their side." It may well be concluded that Amer by dealing honestly with his fellow This book is a collection of the task of evolving a workable plan honorable to accept money from a old time, free grass days the songs solidated and this will give to Lawton of controlling the great industiral man by deceit and deception as it is that whiled away the hour around the ness growth of the country on the man who pursues the course outlined Thanksgiving Day has gone, and has suffered financially by the deed pleas of guilty, District Attorney portion of which is devoted to giving thanks for the five days that have celt, lying and deception practiced by The present congress, according to could possibly do for the same money,

The Wichita Times the State Senators and Represental editor is how he is going to manage failure will in addition offer himself fernal machine at 1:00 o'clock in the furnish evidence of a most convincing

In reading the splendid charge to the grand jury delivered by Judge P. A. part of this paper, it will be observed that he commends highly the official acts of all our peace officers, both county, precinct and municipal. Indge Martin probably is in a better posithey have regarded their oaths, and Judge Martin and to the officers themselves, should investigate and probe o the bottom of the matter. If they are guilty of some of the things charged against them, they are not worthy to be entrusted to law enforcement, and In the final day of reckoning a man if innocent the grand jury should give

A Beautiful Christmas Gift. (Cowboy Songs)

What keeps the herd from running, west." ican statesmanship has still before it man. It is just as dishonest and dis- songs sung by the cow-punchers of the one real first-class paper which will combinations before a proper balance to run your hand down in his pocket camp fire, that held the sleeping catthe ablest lawyers in America, did the be better than four that have had a can be kept between justice to the and steal it while he is askeen. There the on their bedding grounds, that ennext best thing they could for their half-starved to death appearance for people on the one hand and the busi- are those who will contend that a livened the dreary monotony of the long drives, and that still echo faintly above cannot suffer financially, but along the now dim and grass grown that is not always true. In fact, the stretches of the old cattle trails from portion of which is devoted to giving an illustrated write-up of Wichita Falls by F. Happy Day, sectivity hash has been served. eneylope while squatting around a in the United States, resigned her Save for the infraction of the law, a statement issued by Democratic or less. By reason of the fact that behind the scenes of some broncho-early marriage to John C. Grier, a principally to lowering the present are inclined to place too much reliance busting outfit; and practically all the pittsburg traveling salesman. Miss high traiff, which in part accounts in mere statements made by persons songs were taken down from the lips Johns has been deputy sheriff of Fayfor the statement made by President who cared little for the truth so long of ex-cowboys themselves. The Houst ette county since the beginning of the Taft that his forthcoming message as the telling of a bare-faced lie ton Post says: "This book does an goldmounted police revolver and a will deal principally with the trusts, would not land them behind the bars, important service to American Litera- badge studded with jewels. Since that It has been forced to accept work in ture." The Los Angeles Times says: time she has assisted in the capture James B. McNamara, in his confession given to the Associated Press It is no us eto say that it was foolish love a rollicking song." The St. Louis who had escaped from the county today, says that he did not intend to to do business that way. A statement Post-Dispatch says: "This book puts jail. take human life when, on the evening like that needs no argument to establishe cowboy into Literature as Frederof Sept. 30th, 1910, he placed a grip lish its truthfulness, but the reasons ick Remington put him into, Art." The War Department has tempohe practice happen to be men of infla- containing 16 sticks of dynamite in that forced the Times to pursue such Theodore Roosevelt says: "This is rarily removed the irrigation restricthe ink alley of the Times building, a course was the hope that in the end a work empatically worth doing and tions upon the waters of the Rio which was set to explode by an in- or wind-up it could be in a position to one that should appeal especially to i Grande.

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House with a diatribe against those House. whom he charged had maliciously defamed him because of his indpendent attitude as a member of the House committee on the United States steel investigation. He charged that David Lamar, a "notorious bear operator" in Wall street had claimed power to the control steel investigating committee.

a notorious bear operator in Wall force of clerks and experts have been street, a man of unsavory and un- at work preparing for the committee. clean reputation, and character; a President Taft has given his pledge man who has boasted from the begin- that, when the tariff board submits ning of this investigation that he its report on the woolen and cotton controlled this committee, a man who schedules it will be his pleasure to has pretended to those interested on make tariff recommendations to Conbehalf of the steel corporation, that gress. The subject will be treated in he could control the committee and a special message. its conduct. I cannot say, because I Meantime, however, the Ways and first democratic committee in many do not know, that Lamar had paid Means Committee will begin prepara years to get a "whack" at the big money to Henry B. Martin, but it is tion of revised schedules to include appropriation supply bills including my firm belief from the circumstances woool, cotton, iron and steel products, the so-called "pork barrels." Repreand their associations, that Lamar on sugar and other foodstuffs. An im- sentative Fitzgerald, of New York 1 his own behalf and on behalf of others has been furnishing contributions sugar schedule and in dealing with will undertake the task of paring so-called, to the said Henry B. Martin this the House and the Ways, and down the appropriations which for and maintaining his so-called anti- Means Committee will be guided the year 1911-12 amounted to \$1,026. trust league. I am informed and be somewhat by the report of the spe 287,505.81. lieve that more than two years ago cial committee of Inquiry into the Martin endeavored to procure some American Sugar Refining Company, senator or congressman to introduce which is expected to report early in some bill calling for an investigation the session. in order to serve the purposes of their stock speculation in Wall street.

Martin is secretary of the Anti-Trust League.

many Democratic leaders for the first will be pressed for passage before regular session of the Sixty-second adjournment. Congress which opened today.

by Republican members, and on both the Sherman anti-trust law. The sides of the big party line members most recent bill was drafted by Repup to fight out weighty problems of ing for penitentiary terms for violalegislation in a session that will lead tors of the trust laws and designed to up to the Presidential campaign of eliminate from the Sherman law the

will have on the approaching politi- bill is certain to come from the comcal contest in the nation; of particu- mittee bearing on this problem. In lar interest because of party differ. the Senate the trust question is under ences—regulars and insurgents on consideration in the hearings before the republican side; reactionaries and the committee on Interstate Comprogressives among the democrats, merce which will continue for some and of unusual significance because of the heavy legislative program, it In fine with the trust question will is at least certain that this will be be the determination of the fate of one of the liveliest sessions of Congress in many years.

With the gavels falling in the House and Senate at noon, the tariff the hearing in view of the ruling of and the trust stood out as the most the government against it. The important subjects for legislation question is certain to be brought up with a big fight assured in both in the House for settlement within houses. Many other great questions few days and it will provoke a lively confronting the Congress, all of them to be approached vigorously, include monetary reform, ratification of arbitration treaties with Great Britain and France, and the loan treaties with Nicaragua and Hon. stated his belief that a statute might duras; Alaskan legislation, the elec. be drawn-not as an amendment to tion of Senators by direct vote of the anti-trust law-to furnish prothe people, pension bills and the tection which would induce comregular and permanent annual appro- panies engaged chiefly in interstate priations, to be under the direction trade to agree to government superthis time in the House by a democrat- vision of their transactions. ic committee,

in progress, politics is certain not to 8. The Central reserve bank plan Brooks. be overshadowed. With the demo- advocated by former Senator Nelson crats looking ahead with sanguine W. Aldrich, has been practically unhope for triumph at the polls next animously endorsed by the American November, and insurgent republicans Bankers' Association, Currency restriking out in earnest to capture form, however, probably will develop their party convention, if possible; many differing opinions before any every move made in either branch of legislation is enacted. Congress from now until adjournment Of unusual interets in the Senate will be thoroughly considered from political as well as legislative view. will be the continuance of the inquiry points. The political pot in Washing. into the right of Senator Lorimer, of ing here December 12, to be followed January 8 by the democratic nation sumed here tomorrow. al committee. Selection of conven-

across the horizon.

Champ Clark, the Speaker of the to Congress,

time make presidential pronouncement to his colleagues; and Repre-

In the senate, Mr. La Follette al ready has been proclaimed by pro-Wall Street Gambler, He Said, Boast- gressive republicans as their choice to wrest the nomination from Mr.

In the House the political interest Washington, D. C., Dec. 4.—Both attitude of Mr. Bryan, who has quarwill be further complicated by the Houses of the Sixty-second Congress rel led with Mr. Underwood and convened at noon with practically ev- branded him as a reactionary and ery member of each House in his now criticizes Speaker Clark in what many democrats declare is an effort to cause a breach between the Speak Martin Littleton addressed the er and the majority leader of the

The tariff legislative program will follow the long awaited report of the tariff board which is expected to submit the result of its investigations on wool and cotton before the ohlidays The Ways and Means Committee of tion of chairman Underwood, will be by the democratic majority. gin at once the preparation of new "David Lamar," said Littleton, " is tariff bills. Throughout the recess a

Congress will be the coming vigorous trust debates. The fight to amend the Sherman Anti-trust law already is on. In the House the question will be first considered by the committee Most Important Session Since Civil on Judiciary. This committee has NEITHER THE REBELS NOR THE determined also to report bills amending the injunction statutes and the Washington, D. C., Dec. 4.—"The contempt statutes, the latter to inmost important session since the clude provision for trial by jury in Civil War" is the prediction made by cases of indfrect contempt. These

The committee has in hand a half "Stirring days ahead," are forecast dozen bills providing amendments to Millions of Natives Are Starving and "rule of reason" as interpreted by Of importance as to the bearing it the Supreme Court. Some sort of a

> the House special committee of inquiry into the United States Steel Corporation. The steel corporation has protested against continuation of controversy.

> As a part of the trust legislative plan President Taft has suggested a federal incorporation act. He has

The National Monetary Commis-While the legislative struggles are sion will submit the report of its long and exhaustive inquiry by Jan.

campaigns and plans for the approaching party conventions and the subsequent battle of the ballots will aways Commission will report recommendations. A report also will be mendations. A report also will be mendations. A report also will be mendations as where resources are water power, coal, phosphate, oil, ard, State president, occupied the other than to say that I believe that agency.

Robbery is sometimes committed to the owner and the agent grand dury can be of inestimable as so should have the right to come be sistance to the ballots will ways Commission will report recommendations. A report also will be making of a man's property by assault and vice and when the making of the owner, down to the performance of their duties by a mendations. A report also will be making to find the making of the owner, down to the sallet and the reception of annual to his side of the matter before you may be reported. nation's legislators as will the making made by the Securities commission reports. The business sessions of present a bill of indictment against per day is the minimum punishment blamable violations have occurred. relating to railways and bonds and the gathering will continue until Fri- him. To enliven the political interest in the special Postal Commission which day and will be liberally interspersboth Houses there are candidates for has held sessions in Washington, New ed with receptions, luncheons and Crimes in this State are of two not intended to Hmit your investigation to these alone. Many other particular statement of the Presidency casting their shadows York and St. Louis also will report. The Employers Liability Commission ment prepared for the visitors by the demeanors. Felonies are those cases denounced by our statutes and they Wichita's "balf-acre" to be closed? Champ Clark, the Speaker of the has formulated a report to submit several local chapters of the organ which are punishable by death or are all for your guidance and your

Lively discussions are expected in between the United States and Russia, campaign publicity and a bill proposing legislative power to be conferred upon the Territory of Alaska. An effort also may be made

partment of the government.

the Appropriations Committee, the portant schedule to come up is the the chairman of the committee which

the session. Conspicuous in the records of the CHINA IS NOW

IMPERIALISTS APPEAR TO HAVE ANY ORGANIZATION:

Brigandage la Only Profitable Occupation.

in th interior. Millions are at the point of starvation and brigandage is the only profitable occupation. The arrival of Dr. Sun Yat Sen from the United States is awaited. He may prove the much lacked leader for the

I. O. O. F'S ELECT

At a regular meeting of Panhandle the Odd Fellows Hall last night the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Noble Grand-A. C. Wilson. Vice Grand-Walter Lane. Treasurer-Mike Newman. Secretary-J. T. Young. Trustee-G. R. Morgan.

Representative to Grand Lodge-

There were forty members present On next Monday a social meeting will be held at the hall.

The installation of the new officers will take place the first Monday night in January.

Daughters of the Confederacy. . ization,

both houses on the immigration laws, the abrogation of the treaty of 1832 JUDGE MARTIN'S CHARGE TO WICHITA COUNTY GRAND JURY

The personnel of the House and perform one of the most important imprisonment in the county ja l. All ent sets of officers, supposed to be box. While it provides for the pay-Senate has changed somewhat, the duties connected with the adminis- indictment and they are all triable The county court, with its sheriff and to the exercise of the elective franches are Alabama, the Democratic floor leadare five members of the House, Danithat you fully appreciate and personithat you fully apprecia sentative Oscar W. Underwood, of ed one more in their majority. There tration of justice. I hope and trust in the district court, with this deputies; the justice court, with this deputies; the justice court, with the district court. Kenneth D. McKellar, (Dem) of just had administered to you by the are triable in the county and justice police and his force of policemen. having sufficient interest in public Tennessee; W. D. B. Ainey, (Rep) court. That oath has a most proof Pennsylvania, and William J. found significance; it is one not to be torney and in some cases the justice misdemeanor laws thus scattered treasury. There are many different Browning, (Rep) of New Jersey, lightly taken and certainly it should of the peace can institute prosecu- widely among so many men and the crimes denounced in this law and There is one vacancy in the House never be disregarded by those who tions for misdemeanors, but it recaused by the death of Representa- have been selected to sit upon the quires the intervention of a grand them, it would seem that Wichita as a whole as time is hardly sufficient tive E. H. Madison, (Rep) of Kansas. grand jury and investigate crime it jury to institute a prosecution for a Fails ought to be the quietest and to give them in detail. The most Obediah Gardner, of Maine, sucis an oath which is calculated and felony in this court. It therefore folmost law abiding town in the world common one of these crimes is the
intended to separate you from all of lows that the investigation of felonies

—but I have noticed in the public advancing of money by persons in-Senate, and Hoke Smith, comes to the improper impulses which actuate is of far greater importance than prints that it has recently been stat. terested in the elections to pay the the Senate from Georgia. Renewal human action; it provides that you that of misdemeanors; but by this ed from such a sacred place as the poll taxes of irresponsible persons of the effort to elect a president pro will disregard considerations of love remark I do not mean to convey the pulpit, that there are worse trimes who would otherwise not pay and tempore of the Senate in place of and affection, fear and favor and the impression that you should neglect to committed in Wichita Falls than the then handing out these tax receipts Mr. Frye will be made. Senator Ba- hope of reward and will present investigate and prosecute any mis- crime for which Beattle was recently on or about election time to the man con was the leading candidate of the things truly as they come to your demeanors that may come to your electrocuted in Richmond, Va. And paid for or some person who will imdemocrats and Senator Gallinger, the knowledge; it provides in effect that knowledge, for it is your duty to pre- I have been informed by reputable personate the man paid for. If any. leader of the regular republicans at all men shall be equal before you, sent all cases of crime, no matter and responsible people that there ex. thing of this kind has been done in the last session. Senator Clapp was the rich and the poor, the influential how great or how small the offense ists evils in the city that are a dis Wichita county within the period of the choice of the insurgent republiand the most humble, the high and may be. the low, shall be treated alike by There are several defendants in. The social evil, I am told, is still a true bill, for there is no more im-In the House an interesting feature you in your deliberations; it provides carcerated in the county jail upon flourishing in the district common portant statutes in the books than of the session in all probability will for secrecy of action, so that your commitments from examining courts ly called Mulberry Row and may per those intended to secure to use a the House, however, under the direction of the secret caucus deliberations may be absolutely free of the county, upon charges of felony chance have widened its field of opfrom any sort of restraint and this awaiting your action, and to the end erations to other parts of the city. Economy will continue to be the part of the oath means just what the that these parties may be brought to Many abortive efforts have been democratic "watch word" in the language imports—that you will a speedy trial if you find bills against made to drive this evil from "The call your attention to the law against House. In this connection all the never divulge the things that may them or may be discharged, if they Best Built City in Texas," some suc. the giving of relates to shippers by investigations into government de happen in the grand jury room unless are found to be not guilty by you, I cessful efforts have been made, but railway companies. The law contempartments by the House committees required to do so under the solmeni-, desire that you shall devote your they only lasted for a short time. The plates that common carriers shall on expeditures are to be continued ty of an oath in a court of justice. first labor to the investigation of the denizens of the bady houses have a treat all people alike and make no and recommendations are to be made There should be no leak from the "jail cases" and act upon them as tendency to "come back" like the cat rebates to favored shippers either dis along fines of economy for each de grand jury room. The outside world early in the term as you can intell in the song, pretty soon after the rectly or indirectly. No discriminahas no right to know any part of gentaly do so. In passing these grand tury has finished its labors. Economy it is said also will guide your deliberations and any part of as well as all cases which come to I have spoken to most of the peace shipper as against the small, but all your actions until they are reported your attention it is well for you to officers of the city in other days must be treated alike. So, if you find to the court in the form of bills of act upon the finding of a bill of in labout the enforcement of the law indictment or in your final report to dictment just as soon as you have against the social evil and they have to indict. the court. As individual members of the evidence before you and not wait all told me, with one accord, that the grand jury you are responsible utnil your attention is directed by the business can be broken up if . In some of the precincts of this to no man or set of men for your ac- the consideration of other cases. properly handled In fact, I have county local prohibition exists and I tions and your duty is a duty you Capital Cases, Murder and Rape, Inever heard a sheriff, deputy sheriff, and directed to call your attention to owe to your God, - your country and one can interfere with your delibers. creature in being in this state, with licity or orivately that he cannot adopted since July 19, 1909 it is your own individual conscience. No! one can interfere with your deliberations or direct what you shall or
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the proper co-operation of his fellows toxicating liquor in these prohibited shall not do. The court can tell you is murder of the first degree and all in the general force here and yet I districts. In all or them it is a felwhat your duties are and denne to other murder is murder of the sec- have seen from time to time indictiony to engage in the business of sellyou the criminal laws of the state; ond degree. Manslaughter is a low ments found, efforts made, resoluting in such districts. Where the people charged with the duty of aiding are degree of homicide and occurs tions passed and all sorts of entire to time indicting in such districts. Where the people charged with the duty of aiding ou with their knowledge of the law, but neither they nor the court has the right to say to you that you shall not indict any particular individual.

> General Directions. In order to ascertain the truth and malice. to present things truly as indicated by your oath, it is necessary that you receive and hear evidence as to violations of the law. No rule can be FOREIGNERS ARE UNSAFE given as to the amount of evidence necessary for the finding of a bill of ndictment, but generally I will say that the grand jury should be satisthey return a bill of indictment.

First of all, they should be satisfled that the defendant is guilty of country we find the offens the ordinary affairs of life. Being son taking.

thus satisfied of the guilt of the defendant there is one other inquiry to instrument purporting to be the act not doing their duty in this regard, amusement and pastime which are which you should direct your atten, of another with intent to injure and you will promptly indict them for not very strongly favored by the law. tion and that is,

of perjury and in cases where the lines. Lodge No. 341 I. O. O. F., held at complice-but as a general rule you It is the breaking and entering of the perience with the grand juries and stead of such parent and guardian.

it. Where it is practicable I believe erty beyond the state borders or to tutes. Sometimes they told the tale health. The medical profession for Mike Newman; Alternate-W. P. that the grand jury should investi- sell or otherwise dispose of the same to the officers, but more often prob several years have been trying to gate both sides of a case, before re- without the consent of the party to ably they did not. My heart does not awaken an interest in the prevention turning a bill of indictment. But whom the property is mortgaged and bleed in sympathy for the man who of disease and they are now meeting this is not always practicable or pos- with the intent to defraud. An ap- thus subjects himself to this ignomi- with some success. The legislature sible. Attorneys often advise their plication of the criminal law to this nious robbery, but I do most heartily of Texas has adopted a sanitary clients to stay out of the grand jury class of offenders would be a safe sympathize with a community that code. It is the law and it was made room and make no statements before guard to the mercantile business of will permit such a class of people to for our observance. The pervalence that body and frequently a man con- the country. But in this connection remain here and ply such a nefarious of preventable disease in some parts templating prosecution decides to I would warn you to be careful and trade as this laugh if you will, at of this county emphasizes the immake a fight of his case before the not allow your body to be made an the victim who goes drunk to the portance of obedience to the sanitary grand jury and does not refer that instrument through which the combody to any witnesses whatever, plainant hopes merely to collect bad but after you have laughed at him the public health is really of more Houston, Texas, Dec. 5.—Prominent Again it often occurs that the guilt debt. It sometimes happens that in ask yourselves whose fault it is that vital importance than the protection ton will soon begin to boil, with the Illinois, to retain his seat. Hearings women from many cities and towns of a defendant is so plain and palable dictments for this offense are found the house of shame exists in the of private property and I invite your ton will soon begin to boll, with the or parties of a defendant is so plain and parable of a defendant is so plain and parable of private property and I invite your republican national committee meet. In the case which have been going on throughout Texas were on hand this that it would be a waste of your valin Chicago since October will be remorning at the opening of the six- uable time to hear testimony upon of their debts become very uncertain as," and say, if you will, whether or law. See if your county health offiteenth annual convention of the Tex- the matter other than the testimony about the criminal elements involve not you want such conditions to be cer is doing his duty as well as city Conservation policies are to be as division of the United Daughters for the prosecutions so I can give you ed in the transaction. You are in no perpetuated. tion cities, choosing of committee urged on Congress. Included in this of the Confederacy. Mrs. A. R. How- no invariable rule upon this subject instance to be used as a collection as are prescribed chairmen who will manage the big are water power, coal, phosphate, oil, ard, State president, occupied the other than to say that I believe that agency.

The Division of Crimes.

woman, by force, threats or fraud or that this class of criminals are enthe wife of the defendant, under the should be the protectors of society age of fifteen years, either with or without the use of force, threa's or I want to say of the officers who visions of the license law known as

Country.

keener apprehension that China is declared to prosecution, if it can eal personal property belonging to shall call the attention of the grand opening or selling on Sunday and cohesion, funds, and a real leader, be avoided by you. Yet on the oth- another from his possession or from jury to these matters and instruct numerous other provisions made for are bringing the efforts of the revolu-tionists to naught. The rebel troops are desgrting, but imperial govern. ment seems equally weak. Even the ant's guilt should be such a belief as value of the same and to appropriate ing disorderly houses (Read Art, according to law where the law perlives of foreigners are no longer safe you would be willing to act upon in it to the use and benefit of the per. 363 Penal Code). Now if this means mits it to be run at all.

defraud.

Second, is the evidence sufficient to Passing a forged instrument is secure a conviction? The unsuccess- also a felony under our law and perful prosecution of even a guilty man sons guilty of this offense should be is not as a rule productive of any diligently prosecuted. The commergood either to the commonwealth or cial world is entitled to protection want and ought to have and if they quent. So we have a statute which to the individual prosecuted. In against the wiles of the forger and are not doing their duty an investi- makes it a misdemeanor for any some cases the law itself prescribes it cannot get it unless the grand gation and a prompt prosecution is pool or billiard hall-keeper to permit the amount of evidence necessary to juries, the courts and the prosecut, what the public wants and ought to any person under 21 years of age to support a conviction, as in the case ing officers do their duty along these have.

they are likely to take the same view gaged property is anoter felony which where if the dollars that should go subject which put all men upon noof it that you take; whether they do is of common occurrence in the to wives and children or fathers and tice of the provisions of this law.

or not you are at least entitled to state. It is an offense punishable by mothers were not spent with these presume that twelve other resonable confinement in the penitentiary for women, they were robbed and beaten . Our people are just awaking to the men will see the matter as you see any party to remove mortgaged prop- by the male companions of the prosti- importance of the question of public

the law.

imprisonment in the penitentiary and attention is directed to all of them

Misdemeanors.

The unlawful killing of responsible constable or police officer admit pubwhen the killing is not the result of couragement promised and yet they malice, but is upon sudden provoca- are here plying their vocation as gay. tion, producing in effect such a condi- ly and as flagrantly as in the days will see that it is enforced and find tion of the mind as to render it in gone by. Different administrations bills against any parties who may capable of cool reflection and there have handled the matter and yet they bave violated it in such districts. I fore not in a condition to entertain remain. Is it nossible that we have been proceeding all this time against yet the law makes it my imperative the wrong persons? Is it possible against these evils?

have charge of the enforcement of the Robertson-Fitzhugh law. Among fled, reasonably of two things before Minor Felonies Common to This the law in Wichita Falls that so far its many provisions there are those as I personally know, they are each providing for closing at midnight; Among the felonies common in this and all doing their duty, but the problitting sale to minors or habitual statutes of this state provide that at drunkards or students of any in-Code of Texas

duty an investigation is what they ing places unfit for children to fre-

nected with the running of such a are complied with by the people. The for the men and women who are en-The mention of these felonies is gaged in running such houses and Terrell Election Law.

The legislature of the state has

whether specificately mentioned or made it incumbent upon the district judges of the state to specially charge the grand juries upon the provisions By far the most common offenses of the Terrell election law in so far committed in your county are the as the same relates to the protection class known to the law as misdeman- of the ballot from corruption. It is Some of them are of such com- the intent of this law to secure to mon occurrence that but little at the people of this state an honest, to abolish the new court of Com. Gentlemen of the Grand Jury: misdemeanors are those crimes which tention is paid to them. In the city free, and untrammelied expression of You are called upon and sworn to are punishable by pecuniary fine or of Wichita Falls we have three differ- their true sentiments at the ballot felonies must be presented by bill of looking after misdemeanors here, ment of a poll tax as a prerequisite grace to the citizens of the state. | limitation, do not hestitate to return

Rebates By Railways.

I am also directed by statute to tion is permitted in favor of the large this law violated it will be your duty

this law. Where the law has been in the statutes of the state and you duty to call your attention to this law each term of court.

The Robertson-Fitzgerald Law. While upon the subject of the laws regulating the sale of liquor, I will call your attention to the pro-

neglect of duty for which you have While they are permitted to exist and abundant authority in Art 294-5 Penal are licensed, yet they are pretty heavily taxed and in addition to taxa-If these officers are doing their tion, the law looks upon them as beenter or remain in his place of bust-Gentlemen of the grand jury, this ness without the consent of the parprincipal part of the testimony comes | Burglary is another offense of too disorderly house proposition is no ent or guardian of such minor, or of from what is known in law as an ac- common occurrence in this county, small matter. I have had some ex someone standing in the place and can safely predict that a petit jury house of another person with intent in the courts here in this city; I have I hope you will rigidly enforce this trying the case will take the same to steal therefrom or to commit some listened to many a story of men and law in this county for I well rememview of the testimony that you take other felony therein.

boys, debauched by drink and lust, ber my eminent predecessor giving a and that if you believe him guilty. The fraudulent disposition of mort-frequenting these dens of infamy charge to the grand jury upon this boys, debauched by drink and lust, ber my eminent predecessor giving a

and town health officers and see if

. Grand Jury Procedure. I shall not call your attention dineys will be with you and will in-

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moving it up and down at their whim for their chief recommendation. and pleasure, until the women were completely bewildered. It was, and laces edged with fur. Hoods of lace is now, by no means an unusual thing to find in the same exhibit of some famous creator of fashions costumes of which every one has the waistline at a different height.

During the last season the waistline was again slightly raised, and now word comes from Paris that the newest models show a lowered waist line, one only slightly above normal, which probably means that ere long the waistline will again return to its natural position. The long, graceful in a dress with this embroidery lines so eagerly sought for by de lower part is of white charmeuse, and signers of clothes have rejoiced in upper part which includes tunic and a vogue that has given them an op- bodice is in white ninon. portunity to indulge their fancy to the utmost. With the return of the normal waistline will undoubtedly come the introduction of short trains on afternoon and evening gowns, for Charged With the Murger of Five in no other way can that sweep of grace be obtained.

The accepted line of the waist this frock.

the present time and will be much in jealously. evidence during the winter season. Top coats, polo and motor coats are tinued until April. all being made of reversible cloth. Soft neutral tones often have reverse sides in a brilliant shade of bright A GOOD HORSE green or blue, cerise or crange, which shows in collars and cuffs.

Smart coats are made up of dark polo cloth backed with white, the huge white collar and deep cuffs being chic and becoming if not exactly as serviceable as those of a darker some time the automobile has gradhue. Checkered effects are smart as nally been taking the place of the reversed sides to plain toned woolens, horse, and has been performing that Often these coats are in fact reversi- animal's duties, and thus decreasing ble, making a pleasing and convenient the price at which the beast may be change for the wearer. For instance, sold, and the only point along which a dark blue blanket coat, on loose, an argument can be carried on is the wide lines, has as its reverse side a comparative rapidity with which the light blue and white plaid surface automobile is coming into its own. During the day it is worn in the motor car and in the evening is turned powerful factor in transportation and H. Britain, exalted ruler of the lodge inside out and worn over a dark other problems, while others argue gave a most pathetic address h gown to the cafe and theatre.

are designed for coat suits. One attractive model is of dark blue serge horse is being swiftly superceded by backed by a narrow tripe in old the automobile should have been blue and black. The hem of the skirt present yesterday afternoon about 4 is turned up on the right side, thus o'clock on the corner of indiana and cal solo by Mrs. E. E. Sanders, and giving the effect of a band trimming. Seventh street, when Sheriff Ran- "I know that my Redeemer Liveth," Collar and cuffs are treated in a like dolph sold at public auction a white by Mrs. Fred C. Barron, were espec of the edge with old blue satin.

brown satin-finished cloth faced with old looking. a small check in dark brown and moss green. Besides the reveresd mal at such a cheap price yesterday side, this shows touches of green afternoon said that he had done so satin covered cords outlining the as a speculation, and that he intendseams and simulating buttonholes ed to hold the animal until the which meet large fancy metal but market rises in price, when he will tons. Black is faced with a soft deep sell for a profit. However, it was toned yellow; deep blue, with cerise or the richer hablia tints.

are shading of violet and purple the wagon yard where it was being stone gray with red, beige and dark kept, which oats were worth over green. In the satins and other silk three dollars, or more than double son. more complicated, a shot or change able effect often backing a plain color. Black satin, showing a reversible side of de purple, blue, yellow or red, is being employed for after profit on his deal. noon and evening gowns, the bright side being used in many clever ways as trimming. There are many varie. The Commoner. ties and grades of these materials in. Is Judge Landis being considered the market and there is no doubt that for Justice Harlan's place? Or has he. they will be worn a great deal during by his line against the Stendard Oil the winter.

of the moment, and juding from the judicial temperament for the supreme number of them worn must be self bench? ing well. They are lovely in color and texture and the pelts are supple enough for graceful handling, but the fur is not so practicale as some of the tougher furs and has not the permanent value of the more costly furs such as sable, chinchilla, broad-

Fur coats showing two furs in combination are numerous, though usual can quit guessing. ly developed in the less expensive pelts. Seal of the Hudson or French variety and moleskin in combination are popular and more effective than Woodrow Wilson in a signed state one would imagine before seeing ment issued here Tuesday night reone would imagine before seeing garding a story printed Tuesday that the House the Government estimates. Dutton et al, debt for attorney fees; rich. Long straight scarfs and huge he had applied to the Carnegie found musts made of alternating bands of ation for a pension, admitted that appropriation committee by the chair these two furs are one of the fancies he had made such application before man. of the moment. Moleskin is often his election as governor of New Jetcombined with ermine not only in sey. The governor justified his ac small furs but in extremely elegant tion on the grounds of long services coats, the soft gray and white form as a teacher, saying that he had no ing a most harmonious and charming private means to depend upon and

scheme of present day fashions can his family and all who may be denot be too strongly emphasized, pendent upon him for support at the Ruffles of lace have been placed on mercy of any incalculable turn of the the lower edge of skirts under the wheel of fortune. tunic. There is little fullness in therefore the ruffles must be scant. | county.

considerable uncertainty concerning the position of the waistline during the past few months. The dictators decidedly noticeable. High, puffed WICHITA SUNDAY WERE BEAU Jennie Willia TIFUL AND IMPRESSIVE. combination with Valencienne of fashion have seen fit to juggle with are used on models that have light the waistline ever since last winter, ness of weight and fresh colorings

Wraps are trimmed with heavy ELK lined with shirred chiffon or soft pleatings of silk are in demand. Lace bands of chenille embroidery are shown in many of the shops and are in great demand in Paris as well as

Embroideries of all kinds and col orings are used to ornament dresses for afternoon or evening wear. favorite embroidery of the moment in Russian design worked on net The colorings include blue and red the red being the predominating tone

A franchise has been granted Brownsville for the construction of street railway system.

Houston, Texas, Dec. 4.—The trial

of A. H. Sheffield, charged with the murder of five persons, Gus Schultz season is one and one-half inches the latter's wife, two babies and Wal above the normal in the back, grad- ter Eichman, a family boarder, who uating to one inch above in front, were slain in their little home here The most fashionable frocks will be nearly two years ago, was called to made after that model, although in day. Sheffield has confessed to imthe evening gowns greater liberties proper relations with Mrs. Shultz but will be taken with this portion of the denies the murders. The police have the confession of Frank Turney, de Double-faced materials, both silks claring that Sheffield wanted to kill tion. and woollens, are much in vogue at the murdered persons on account of Later-Sheffleld's trial was

Some assert that the horse is still a that the automobile is, already far Light weight double faced cloths more useful than the horse.

Those who do not believe that the horse for the sum of one dollar and fifty cents, the horse being in appar-Another trig suit is of tobacce ently good condition, and not at all

The man who purchased the ant rumored on the streets a short time after the sale, that the horse had Other interesting combinations ruined a sack of cats belonging to en stuffs the color schemes are ever the original purchase price of the horse. In spite of this happening, the owner of the horse is said to have been heard to have stated that he be fleves that he will eventually make a

Bryan Warts to Know.

Company, shut himself of the distin-Long coats of moleskin are a fad guished company of those fitted by

Mr. Perkins told us why Governor Hughes was "put over." Now will be tell us whom his former partner, J. Piermont Morgan, has recommended for Justice Harlan's place?

Do you bear of anyone being discussed for Justice Harlan's place who resembles him in any respect?

If big business will name their choice for Justice Harlan's place the public

Wilson Asked Penson

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 6.-Governor

that a man who goes into politica The importance of lace in the bound by the principles of honor, puts

these new skirts, however, The A large number of Wilbarger coun straight silhouette, although decided ty farmers have declared their intenly removed from the hobble line of tion of attending the farm demon-

ELKS REMEMBER

Their Good Deeds Live Always Hearts of Their Brothers-Address by Hon. Charles Batsell.

In observance of memorial day, as prescribed by the grand lodge. most the entire membership of the local lodge of Elks, and friends to the number of several hundred, gathered in the Wichita Theatre yester day afternoon to pay tribute to the memory of their departed brothers, For the occasion the auditorium

and stage had been handsomely decorated with flowers and flags and emblems of the order. The program of the service was that laid down by the grand lodge ritual, and was carried out in most fitting and beautiful manner.

The oration of the day, delivered by Hon. Charles Batsell, of Sherman was one of the most brilliant efforts in exaltation of the order and in memoriom of the dead that has ever been heard here. Mr. Batsell has magnificient voice and a splendi command of language, and in a cali even tone he traced the dawn o civilization and the organization of society from the early savage beginning to the present day of civiliza-He told of the birth of the Elk's order in New York, and like the early pioneer who started out from the Atlantic, ft had sped westward until now the Atlantic and the Pacific were welded together by the strong band of friendship, chari ty and fidelity, and where ever the stars and stripes went, followed close the Benvolent and Protective Orde of Elks, and wherever the stars and stripes were not recognized as the amblem of sovreignty, the order re fused to go. In closing he called at tention to the beautiful thought tha an Elk is never forgotten, that n matter when or how or where h passing always in the hearts of hi prothers would remain the memor of his goodness, of his kindness and

In aubogy of the dead brother and especially of Mr., J. U. 'ODonhoe who so recently passed away, Mr. A which he told the story of the count man's life, of his membership in th Elks, of his recent marriage and death even in his honeymoon.

his brotherly love.

The program also included som most exquisite music. "Aria." a vo fally pleasing features, while a cla inet solo, "Thou Beautiful Evening Star," by G. F. Anderson and a violir solo by Charles J. Templeton, wer well given and highly appreciated. The order of the service was as fol

Opening Cerémonies-Officers of th

Invocation-Rev. J. W. Hill. Selection-"Aria," Vocal Scio. J. Se Bach, Mrs. E. E. Sanders.

Voluntary-Consolation, Franz Lis Wichita Theatre Orchestra. Clarinet Solo-"Thou Beautiful Ev

ning Star," Wagner, Mr. G. F. Ander "Memorial Day Oration-Charles Ba

Violin Solo—Bercense de Jocelyn Godard, Mr. Charles J. Tempeton. Eulogy-Bro. J. U. O'Donohoe, A. I.

Britain. Selection-Vocal Solo, "I know the My Redeemer Liveth," Handel's Mer siah, Mrs. Fred C. Barron.

Closing Ceremonies-Officers of the Doxology-(Audience Jolning.)

Benediction-Rev. J. W. Hill. The arrangement committee was a

Program and Music.-V. G. Skeeu, Er nest Katz, A. L. Huey. House and Decorations-A. G. Deatl.

erage, R. J. Martin, J. W. Stone. Speakers-C. W. Bean, J. W. Clas bey. A. H. Britain.

JNO. D. ROCKEFELLER RECEIVES SUMMONS

By Associated Press. Washington, D. C., Dec. 6,-The Senate was not in session today. In were attacked as misleading by the

John D. Rockefeller and Rev. F. I Gates were invited to appear Monda;

INCICTED PACKERS PLEAD NOT GUILTY

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 6 .- The Indicted packers made no further effort toda to delay their trial in the United States district court today. Each of them pleaded not guilty when Judge Curpenter called the case.

The docket was called in the dis | Falls vs. Louisa J. Morgan et al, W rict coutr Tuesday and the following F. Weeks appointed to represent

Jennie Williams vs. Arthur Williams, divorce; no orders passed Arthur T. Davis vs. Maud Davis.

divorce; no crders passed. Leona Collins vs. W. F. Collins, divorce; no bond passed.

C. K. McGann vs. Elnor E. McGann divorce; no orders passed. O. W. Carter vs. Vera Carter,

orce; no orders passed. R. V. Gwinn vs. T. H. Collins, al to try title; no orders passed Robt, Cobb vs. Nettie P. Cobb, orce; no orders passed. Mae Smith vs. George Smith,

vorce: no ordres passed. Beatrice Fletcher vs. Frank Fletch er, divorce; no orders passed. Henry Williams vs. Joney Williams

livorce: no orders passed. The State of Texas vs. Morris & Gullihorn, recovery of penalty; no orders passed. The State of Texas vs. Abe Mar

cus, et al, for penalty on liquor license: passsed. W. S. Turnpaugh vs. Ethel Turnpaugh, divorce; dismissed at cost of

Adeline Rucks vs. Ft. W. & D. C. Ry. Co., et al, injunction; dismissed defendant's cost.

Lukes Zihlman vs. M. K. & T. Ry lamages; set for Monday, Dec. 18. Charlotte Zihlman vs. M. K. & T. Ry. Co., to perpetuate testimony passed.

A. J. Edwards vs. F. W. & D. C. Ry, Co., damages; set for Thursday, Dec. 14. W. F. Investment Co. ys. C. M.

Brown, et al, suit for debt; dismissed at costs of plaintiff. Ella Widner vs. H. W. Widner, di-

orce; no orders passed. J. H. Marriott vs. The Texas Comany, injunction; set for Tuesday

Bettie McFall vs. B. F. McFall, metion and divorce; passed.

W. Lively vs. Minnie Lively, di orce; no orders passed. T. C. Tate 7s. The Texas Com any, to cancel lease and damages; udgment for plaintiffs as per agreenent.

Mrs. Lottie Proud vs. W. D. Davis Co., et al, to try title and cancel nil lease; passed. J. M. Powers vs. Electra til & Gas o., damages and to cancel lease;

passed

W. M. Davis vs. City National Bank t al, garnishment; passed. N. R. Stone vs. G. G. Buford, to try itle and damages; continued to per-

ect service. Chas, M. Bralkowiski vs. Burkburdebt; set for Thursday, Dec. 14. Wichita State Bank vs. Walter

Brown, et al, debt; continued to perect service. Martha Clark et al vs. Pacific.Muual Life Insurance Co., of California, o recover insurance on policy; mo-

ion for cost bond filed. Edgar T. Anderson et al vs. F. P. Avis, to cancel deed and clear title;

First State Bank & Trust Co., vs. E. Daniels, debt; passed. G. L. Collier vs. W. M. F. Collier, livorce: no orders passed. Addle Allen vs. Will Allen, divorce:

o orders passed. O. F. Marchman et al vs. Ethel Joehrendt et at to try title and for sch, and many people daily contract ment of facts; and this is the truth famages: no-orders passed.

A. E. Peyton vs. Mac Peyton, orce: no orders passed.

Chester Z. Wise vs. Lewis Grey il, suit on contract; passed. Mattie A. Robertson vs. R. L. Rob rtson, divorce; no orders passed. Jake Nichols vs. Easter Nichols ivorce; no orders passed.

Expartie Annie M. Hemme, removof disability as a minor; passed. F. L. Powell et al vs. W. E. Craw mit for partition; passed J. C. Doneghy vs. Jas L. Roberts et

al, debt and foreclosure; continued any one who has not been benefited or service Wichita Valley Railway Company to be without equal. They give very vs. C. E. Somerville, damages and to prompt relief, siding to neutralize try tille; passed.

Ameila Flippin vs. C. J. Flippin, divorce; continued for service Lillie Frazier vs. W. T. Frazier, di. nutrition and eradicate all unhealthy

vorce: no orders passed.

Blair & Hughes Co. vs. Hubbard. Dry Goods and Grocery Company, of Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets, which debt; dismissed at costs of plain gives 15 days treatment. At the end tiffs.

Smoot and Smott et al vs. B. assed H. C. Cowley vs. Lillie J. Cowley,

ivorce; no orders passed. livorce: no orders passed. W. J. Cain vs. Henry Sonfamaker store-The Rexall Store. O. F. et al. debt and foreclosure; con Marchman Drug Store.

tinued for Service. C. B. Pratt vs. W. A. Pratt, vorce and partition; passed.

R. H. Cook vs. J. M. Guffey Petrocum Company, suit for commission nd interest in lease; passed. Sallie Smith vs. C. H. Smith. orce and injunction; passed. City National Bank of Wichita

trell, divorce; passed. Sadie H. H. Fassett vs. J. B. Fas sett, divorce; passed.

Myrtle Montgomery vs. J. J. Mont gomety, divorce and injunction; pass J. R. Chandler vs. E. A. Bedecken debt and foreclosure; passed.

Tessa Johnson vs. George N. John son, divorce; passed. Mrs. Lena Thompson vs. W. A Thompson, divorce; passed. Pearl R. Johnson vs. Lee M. John

son, divorce; passed. Marthanville Banks of Marthanville Mo., vs. E. T. Brown et al, debt and foreclosure; passed. R. L. Tarlton vs. A. B. Tarlton, di

orce; passed. Hattie Loyd vs. B. M. Loyd, vorce: passed. J. M. Bell (guardian) estate of R J. Hester vs. Mrs. W. W. Balley et

al, debt; passed. S J. Beasley vs. Richard Flood e . cancellation of contract; passed. H. Crammer vs. W. W. State, debt and froeclosure; passed.

Amelia S. Ferguson vs. John E Roller, debt and foreclosure; pass F. T. Deniosn vs. Ella Denison, di vorce; passed.

R. E. Montgomery vs. Chas. Seeley, tresspass to try title; con tinued for service. F. P. Avis vs. Chas. E. Coons et al to try title and damages; passed. Ralph Ruth, by next friend vs. II

ages; passed. Samuel E. Bell vs. Andrew Benson t al, damages, debt and partition of lien; passed. L. A. Wallace et al vs. R. P. Webb,

Lucke et al. to try title and dam-

suit for partition; passed. Mrs. Mattie Evans vs. W. P. Evans divorce; defendant granted to leave to amend rule for costs. W. Jerome Withers vs. Wichita

Falls & Northwestern Railway Co., damages; passed. A. B. Blank vs. Fort Worth & Den ver Railway, damages; passed. Eva Blank vs. Fort Worth & Den er Raffway, damages; passed. William M. Kenk et al vs. W. F

passed L. C. Gill vs. J. L. Gill, divorce; passed. Cases Set For Trial By Jury Ft. W. & D. C. Ry. Co., vs. Ralph

Weeks, for debt and to clear title;

Hines; injunction; set for trial Jan 24, 1912. J. R. Patty vs. C. O. Leike, suit to Mrs. A. Bullinger and hurband D. ollect comunission or land sale; A. Brunlinger vs. E. G. Adams et al. to set aside deed; set for trial Dec.

16th. G. M. Griffin vs. W. F. & N. W. Ry. Co.; damages; set for trial Feb. 12, 1912.

Co., damages; set for trial Dec. 6th.

CAUSE FOR ALARM. Loss of Appetite or Distress After Eating a Symptom that Should

Not Be Disregarded. Appetite is just a natural desire for food. Loss of appetite or stomach distress after eating indicate indigestion or dyspepsia. Over eat ing is a habit very dangerous to

person's good general health. It is not what you eat but what ou digest and assimilate that does you good. Some of the strongest. heaviest, and healthiest persons are noderate eaters.

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Richard Croker, former Tammany Hall leader, picks Mayor Gaynor of New York City as the logical Democratic candidate for President.

suit for partition and division of title; Western league te Yam, has signed) two brothers from Las Vagas, N. M., pouring in representing subscriptions said to be indians and great ball made before the McNamaras pleas of dayers.

Galvesion is the world's greatest thousand was subscribed to the fund. players.

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Docket Called McNAMARA TELLS OF THE TIMES EXPLOSION

Warren B. Cottrell vs. Mary Cot. SIXTEEN STICKS OF 80 PER CEN DYNAMITE PLANTED IN INK ALLEY AND CLOCK FUSE SET FOR 1:00 A. M.

James B. Sentenced for Life and John J.Imprisonment for Fifteen Years. Gomeprs Leadership Threat-

BROTHERS ARE SENTENCED

Steps That Led to McNamara Contessions.

Oct. 1, 1910 .- Los Angeles Times building wrecked, killing twenty-one April 12, 1911-James McNamar ar

ested in Detroit charged with mur

ler and conspiracy under alias of J

B. Bryce and J. B. Bryson. Ortic GUN DISCHARGED dcManigal arrested at same time of imilar charges. April 22, f911-John J. McNama rrested at Indianapolis charged with

urder and conspiracy. McManiga! nakes confession, implicating the Mo Namaras and others. April 23-Samuel Compers and other

abor leaders denounced the arrests of the McNamaras as infamous outrages April 25-Detective William Burns arrested on charge of kidnapping pris oners from Indiana.

April 25-Victor Berger. Socialist nember of congress, asks congress to nvestigate the arrest and extradition f J. J. McNamara. April 26-The Two McNamaras and

Los Angeles after a sensational jour ney from Indianapolis & May 5-The McNamaras migned at Los Angeles. July 14-Trial set for Oct. 11

on trial. Dec. 1.-McNamaras confess icrimes.

Sentence Pronounced.

By Associated Press. Los Angeles, Dec. 5.—Judge Bord well today sentenced James B. McNa mara to life imprisonment in Quentin prison. He sentenced John J. McNamara t lifteen years.

Seventeen policemen aided in search ng the spectators before they were llowed to enter the court toom to bear the sentences announced.

Bordwell declared James B. Mc-Namara guilty of first degree murder and said to him. "A' man, who will place sixteen sticks of dynamite in a place where, you as a printer knew gas was burning in many places, and knew many were toffing must have had no regard for human life, and must have been a murderer at heart, and unde-

serving of clemency." of non intent Bordwell declared he would impose a penalty of imprison-

McNamara's Confession Brief. Los Angeles, Dec. 5.- The brief confession which James B. McNamara wrote last night was made public tolay. It tells only of the Los Angeles, Times explosion. He says he placed sixteen sticks of chabty per cent dynamite in the building and did not intend to take life but only to scare the

proprietors. His confession reads: "I James It McNamara, defendant in the ease of the people, having here There is nothing that will cause tofore plead guilty to the crime of On the night of September 20, 1919 at 5:45 p. m. I placed in ink alley, We urge all in Wichita Falls who portion of the Times building, a suff ment, indigestion, or dyspepsia, eighty per cent dynamite, set to exwhether acute or chronie, to try plode at one o'clock the next mornrefund their money without question did not intend to take the life of anyunfortunate men lost their lives. If the giving of my life would bring them back I would gladly give it. In fact, in pleading guilty to murder in first degree, I have placed my life in the

> Namar." The confession covers one side of an ordinary sheet of paper and was written with a fountain pen, supplied by one of his attorneys. It is probably the only written statement of the ease that will ever be made by the writer or his brother, John J.

hands of the State .- James B Mc

District Attorney John D. Freder cks, when asked if he possessed more details than the written text of the confession, replid, "Yes. in our conference wetalked over a wide arnge of things and learned much about dates, be discussed now, but obviously will be of value to the Federal authorities

All Strikes May Be Called Off.

By Associated Press. New York, Dec. 5.—Clarence S. Darrow, chief counsel of the McNamara defense, received not less than fifty thousand dollars for his services according to Secretary Morrison of the American Federation of Labor, today Manager Dale Gear, of the Topeka Morrison was custodian of the fund.
Western league teYam, has signed. Money for the defense fund is still

s a possibility of a conference here tomorrow, as to setting all labor disoutes throughout the United States, n order that the unions may devote their undivided attention to the crisis growing out of the McNamara conspiracy. It is not known whether lompers will attend this conference. If he is not there the leaders would be ree discuss the question of retaining him as their leader. Tomorrow's meeting was called originally to discuss the dispute between the carpeners and foiners and the sheet metal

this had been sent to the attorneys

and expended. The money received

since Friday will be returned to con-

tributors and the residue if any wilf

be redistributed said Morrison. There

J. W. Short, deputy sheriff, and S. Walkup, constable of the Electra precinct received word Tuesday evening about 3 o'clock that two negroes were displaying guns across the river, and that an officer was wanted to arrest them before any damage was accomplished, as it was thought that the In his baste to get stare.

the negroes, J. W. Short dropped a 38 caliber gun on the floor of the sheriff's office in the court house, and it went off, tearing a large hole ortic McManigal are placed in jail in the officer's trousers, and narrowly missing several men who happened to be in the room. However, no damage was done, although a good scare was experienced by all present. The bullet lodged in the side Oct. 11-James McNamara is placed of the wall near the ceiling. Among those whom the bullet bare-

> ly missed when the gun went off were Sheriff Randolph and Judge Edgar Rye, Tom Pickett and S. Walkup within a few inches of whose head the bullet passed.

The Oklahoma-Pecos Oil Company

has shipped machinery to the Pecos-Toyah oil field and will commence development work within a few days. Wilson county will vote, on \$30,000

ond issue for purchase of two complete road building machines for building, including scrapers, etc.

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GOLDEN RULE CAUSED MCNAMARA'S TO CONEESS

LABOR WAS DUPED.

Troy, N. Y. Dec. 2 .- "Labor

was duped" declared Samuel

Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor

today. "The severest criticism that can be made against us

is that we had faith in the men

who were accused of the crime. We had every cause

to accept their innocence as a

fact. We assembled a fund of

\$190,000 to defend them. The assumption is that labor un-ions will suffer as a result of

the confession, but I don't

think they will, even if it will

corroborated by District Attorney Fredericks. We expected at one time

that external pressure was exerted

sources as General Harrison Gray Otis

charged tonight in a formal statement,

or that the municipal election to be

held next Tuesday, in which Job Har

candidate for mayor, carried any

weight. It was learned that Harriman

Proceedings Lumped.

All of yesterday's proceedings were

morning session of court. District At-

terney Fredericks obtained an adjourn-

ment until afternoon. This was con-

sidered plausible because of registra-

tion fraud warrants known to be im-

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ever, was folted when it became known

hat Lawrence Sullivan, an investiga

tor employed by the defense, had been

in Frederick's office, and that Attor

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Ray Horten and W. Joseph Ford, two

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the impression of tense anxiety which

pervaded the room. Once, for a mo-

nent. before J. B. McNamara stood up

to plead, a haby cried. Its startled mother hustled it out of the room and

BURNS FEELS VINDICATED.

Detective Says "Evidence Has Been Just What I Said It Was-Over-

whelming."

today when told by the Associated

Samuel Gompers and others have re-

peatedly charged me with 'planting'

the dynamite at Los Angeles. Follow-

ing them, every Socialist paper and

ed stories of 'frame-up" in the case

that some good people were beginning

against either defendant. I was em-

to investigate this case. My sole pur-

pose was to make a thorough inquiry.

"The effect of this will be far reach

ing. I think that the outcome of the

bor by which the radical element will

"Such men as John Mitchell will con-

"I have absolute information that

torney Darrow was concerned about

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By Associated Press.

EACH BROTHER WAS ACTUATED IN PLEAS OF GUILTY OUT OF CONSIDERATION FOR

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PROSECUTIONS

Will Be Pushed Against Detective Other Arrest for Dynamiting May
Be Made Today.

By Associated Press.

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 2.—That
the application of the Golden Rule and a principle of conciliation, founded on religious convictions, started the bal rolling toward the admission of guilf by the McNamaras, was the money used; the mysterious appear of counsel, "I will say now that there are of the car, second in command of the revolution and county officers for the enforce ance of Lawrence Sullivan, the detective, at the district attorney's office, at the district attorney's office, and the perturbation of the prosecution of t and the perturbation of the prosecu- presented a stone wall." tion when it was discovered that

promise affected was finally settled upon by which the McNamaras were to plead as they did, District Attor that Jim would confess last Monday, but he did not." Darrow also denied ney Fredericks said: "It never was settled till it happened, though I had every reason to expect it."

The McNamaras maintained cheer fulness today. They told their jailors they were glad the ordeal was

The eight jurors and two talesmen svent today in their homes delighted with the turn of affairs.

Ortic McManigal will also be sen- was not consulted at all in the delibertenced as he pleaded guilty to wreck- ations. ing the Llewelyn Iron Works.

The State appounced an intention pressing the Franklin case to a finish and is said to be still working on clues which may result in further revelations at the preliminary exam-

ination of Franklin next Monday. The confessions were received with much surprise here and the Central Labor Council issued a statement disorder, and that organizel labor believed the McNamaras were illegally deported from Indianapolis to Los Angeles, and came to their aid with moral and financial help.

"Upon the guilt of the accused be-"the Central Labor Council insists on a rigid enforcement of the law."

Attorney Scott for the defense today said that John J. McNamara had seat inside the rail. James B. Mc- would probably be refunded. been prevailed upon to plead guilty to the minor charge in connection who slapped him on the back and put der to save his brother's life. was each brother doing something for the other, James B. McNamara pleaded guilty to the murder because it was waived against John J. In turn John J. agreed to plead guilty to the

Lewellyn charge. If he had not James B. might have lost his life. The State wanted pleas of guilty from both," said Attorney Scott. District Attorney Fredericks said

that within 24 hours before the confessions strong pressure was brought to bear upon the defense, but would

"We gave our ultimatum that both must plead guilty," he said, "they were guilty and we knew it. They had a pretty good idea of some of the things we knew about them and they perhaps saved many revelations by their action.'

It was said that James B. McNamara desired to confess earlier if he could clear his brother of all charges, for me," said William J. Burns here but the prosecutor was unwilling.

The Nature of the Confession, Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 1.—James B. McNamara pleaded guilty to murder in the first degree in Judge Walter Bordwells court yesterday. His brother John J. McNamara, secretary of the International Bridge and Structural Iron Workers, entered a plea of guilty to having dovamited the Llewellyn fron works in Los Angeles on Christ-

James B. McNamara's confession clears up absolutely the tragedy of the explosion, and fire which at 1:07 o'clock on the morning of Oct, 1910. wrecked the plant of the Los Angeles Times at First and Broadway and caused the death of twenty-one per-

For one of these deaths the McNamara brothers were indicted, and J. B. McNamara was on trial for the murder of J. H. Haggerty, a machinist, whose was found nearer than that of any other to the spot where the dynaany other to the spot where the dyna-mite was supposed to have been plac-in ending such outrages as the one at

Los Angeles. ence both men, and it is expected trol the policies of organized labor in District Attorney Fredericks will ask the future. Nine tenths of the total life imprisonment for James J. McNamembership of the labor body in this para, the confessed murderer, and country was absolutely out of sympa-probably fourteen years for his broth-thy with the McNamara brothers. er. The great contention that the Los Angeles Times was not dynamited is the McNamara brothers today does not dead beyond resurrection or argument close the case in my opinion. There

together in the county jail, refusing to arrested at any time. see anyone or make any statement an interest second only to the occurrence certain radicals in the labor movement itself hung about the question with

To this opposing counsel gave the when he said he feared further blood-

"He confesses because he was guilty, from Los Angeles at once." and that's all there is to it," declared "I was not surprised particularly to say."

when told that the McNamaras had plended guilty. We have evidence which possitively closed every avenue of escape, and they knew this.

"However, if the reports that J. J. McNamara is to get off with a light

sentence are true I shall be greatly disappointed. He deserves heavy pun-ishment, if any one ever did."

Gov. Folk's View.

Houston, Dec. 2.—Former Governor
Folk of Missouri, speaking of McNamara's confession today said: "I do not
believe organized labor should be held responsible for acts of these men. It is a great shock, but I see no reason why organized labor should suffer." The labor organizations were imposed on and led to defend them because of a deep conviction that they

were innocent.

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The veteran labor leader was visibly affected as he read how the men charges that the recent arrest of Bert bly affected as he read how the men and the recent arrest of Bert bly affected as he read how the men and the recent arrest of Bert bly affected as he read how the men and the recent arrest of Bert bly affected as he read how the men and the recent arrest of Bert bly affected as he read how the men and the recent arrest of Bert bly affected as he read how the men and the recent arrest of Bert bly affected as he read how the men arrest of Bert b the dynamite conspiracies elsewhere the dynamite conspiracies elsewhere may be arrested in San Francisco, and Indianapolis, and that the Mc-Namaras may be called on to testify against them was one of the reports today. Asked as to when the comclamations of astonishment and indigweeks, 'asserted Darrow, and this was

"If this is all true, my-credulity has been imposed upon," he declared.
"I am astounded at this news. We have had the gravest assurance given to us by everyone connected with the trial, either directly or indirectly,

that these men were innocent."
Mr. Gompers asserted with the Mr. Gompers asserted with the greatest empahsis that not the slightest intimation of any such change in the plans of the defense of the Mc-Namaras as developed yesterday had lutely the first news of the startling developments at the trial had been given him on the train, he said. Asked if he would have anything

to say about the prisoners personally, the labor leader replied:
"No; I shan't add to their misery by condemnation of them.'

"What effect do you imagine this will have on labor unions?' was inquired. To this Mr. Gompers snappe his fingers and ejaculated:

When the fund raised by the Ameri can Federation of Labor for the defense of the McNamaras was mentioned, Mr. Gompers' said contribu-At the afternoon session the court tions to date amounted to about room was packed, many attaches of \$190,000, which had been turned over to the chief attorney for the defense. and that the collection is still going on. He added that in view of yesclothing and Mrs. Fredericks had a terday's developments the money

namara sat next to Attorney Scott. Mr. Gompers bristled up noticeably

When John McNamara entered and "I don't wish to mention Burns." took a seat beside his brother, vacated for him by Darrow, there was some he said. He denied, however, that toubt of what would occur. The pleadhe had ever charged Burns ings of the men aroused no stir in the court room. No bailiff nounded for "planting" the dynamite at

order. No relative was there to ween Reverting to the explosion. Gompers continued: case could not have been more quietly

"We have discouraged acts like these. We are patriotic and peaceloving men and we only have a wish to call out the best elements in human nature. Those two men must have been crazy. It is an act that I condemn with all the force that is in

the prisoner did not even look around. Asked again if he believed yesterday's developments would injure the cause of labor, tears came into Mr. omners' eyes and he answered.

"They are not going to do it any good. But I want to repeat that the cause of labor has been imposed up-Chicago, Ill., Dec. .1-"I consider the on both by supposed friends and eneoutcome a great personal vindication The men of labor were led to believe that the McNamara boys were innocent and they acted on Press of the sensational developments that belief. I received letters from in the McNamara case at Los Angeles them myself protesting their inno "Especially," he added, "after men cence. Only last September I visit occupying such exalted positions as ed them in the Los Angeles fail and they asked me to deliver to the labor interests a message that they were

"The cause of labor can not win by every labor paper have so often printsuch methods as these men pursued Damage to property and destruction to think that the prosecution was not of life we have denounced and done all in our power to prevent. methods as these have got to be "I had absolutely no personal feeling stamped out.

"If, after it is known we have been ployed by the Mayor of Los Angeles imposed upon, we are denounced and attacked for supporting the defense The evidence has been just what I said of these men, then let them denounce and attack. The American Federa-After Mr. Burns had read reports of tion of Labor is a law-abiding institu-

> Mr. Gompers said that he had known John J. McNamara for several years. "John J. was a very self ontained

McNamara case will result in summa-ry action by the body of organized laman with a great fund of humor and he was a good fighter," he said. "I would never have suspected him of cence, but I would condemn the act of these two men even if they had been able to get away with it with out being convicted. This unexpected self-conviction is nothing more "But the plea of guilty entered by

less than a failure of two individuals to live up to the high principles of organized labor and can not reflect just W. L. Robinson and M. W. Major Last night as the two brothers sat are others involved and they may be condemnation on the cause of labor

Asked what action the American Federation of Labor might take, Mr. were ready to do anything to save the Gompers said the news was too re panel. "why did he confess?"

McNamara brothers. That is what Atcent to make and prediction.

The American Federation of La-

when he said he 'feared further blood-shed unless we obliterated the incident Thursday," he added. "As to a possible special meeting, it is too early

TAKE NANKING

MPERIALISTS GIVE POSSESSION OF CITY AFTER PARLEY WITH

WHITE FLAG ON LION HILL

Armed Bands Are Levying Black-

"Astounded," Says Gompers.

New York, Dec. 2.—"I am astounded, in a matter of cores took possession of the city this morning after a parley with the imperial troops. At mid-day the white flag was displayed on Lion Hill fort inside the walls to the northwest indicating that the gunners had joined the revolutionists.

The exclamations are those of Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, when advised last night of the pleas of any leader who had cautured Tiger.

ed them, and they are now threatening to cause trouble.

OPENED MONDAY

OVER 180 CIVIL SUITS AND SEV ERAL MURDER CASES ON THE DOCKET.

Advised Not to Return Indictment Where Convictions Aer Believed Impossible.

Two murder cases are set for tria' wo other alleged murder cases wil e investigated by the grand jury and bout 180 civil cases including fifty o divorce cases will keep the Wic' a county district court very busy dur ng its December term which opened

The trial of the Remberts charge with the killing of Ed Hardwicke her ast spring is set for trial during th resent term. Harlwicke was killed fight with the Remberts, when hi throat was cut. The Remberts claims that Hardwick accidentally cut his own broat while attempting to stab one he Remberts. The state expects ! troduce testimony to show that he as stabbed by one of the Remberts ho was pretending to separate the mbatants. The trial of Dave Seve harged with the murder of a negro

so scheduled for this term The grand fury will investigate the harge of murder against Frank Hursh th ekilling of hi swife early in the mmer. The mystery connected with be death of Flo Farrell who was found atally wounded on the floor of her room in the Flats last week will also be probed.

Visiting Attorneys.

The visiting attorneys at the opening f the court were: Sherley English of Pallas: Judge M. H. Garnett, general attorney of the M., K. and T. Railway at Gainesville, and J. C. North of Her ord, Texas.

The Grand Jurors. The following comprise the gran urors for the term:

G. D. Anderson, foreman; C. A. Anree, T. H. Barwise, J. M. Bland, R. J. Bradley, B. J. Bean, J. C. Hines, L. N ockridge, J. H. Marriott, T. J. Wagoner and Tom Ragsdale.

Bailiffs for grand jury are: Wil Bryan, S. Walkup, R. T. Pickett and F Judge P. A. Martin did not arrive

in the city until 11:30 a. m., today. consequently the district court for this term did not convene until 1:30 The district officers present were

Judge Martin, Attorney S. M. Foster, Clerk Alex Kerr and Sheriff R The time of the court during the afternoon sessions was taken up with

demands for the term. The list of grand jurors were call ed, qualified and empaneled. Juors were excused by operation of law. Sheriff Randolph was sworn and in-

the preliminaries necessary to the

Judge Martin then instructed the tury as to their duties, in substance ingly voted to issue bonds for the

structed to fill the vacancy on the

Relative to the sancity of their oath and sacredness of their duty the Carancahua rivers.

ed that they should be absolved from fear in the performance of their duty. The oath that they took was to be considered inviolate and their proceedings secret.

The jurors were admonished to be liberations, in respective of persons position or reputations in the community. They should be careful not to present any one from malice, envy or revenge or protect any one whom the evidence pointed to violations of the law. As near as possible he thought the jurors ought to investigate both sides of a case of the Clan Fighting Continues at Amoy and the law. As near as possible he gate both sides of a case, although By Associated Press.
Nanking. Dec. 2.—Revolutionary impossible, if not impossible. But he

think they will, even if it will do them no good."

The abrupt conclusion of the trial. The chain incidents produced wide speculation. These include the arrest of Detective Franklin on a charge of bribery; silence maintained by the money used; the mysterious appear- of counsel, "said Attorney Darrow, chief money used; the mysterious appear- ance of Lawrence Sullivan, the detective was no other reason or motive in it.

revolutionists are traversing the importance of enforcing the sanitary maras will make a full confession of life had been reported although a country and blackmailing inhalbtants laws of the city and state, which about the other cases. The attorneys number had been injured.

jurors the weight of the responsibili- cases. ty devolving on them in finding indictments against their fellow citi-G. D. Anderson was appointed as

foreman of the grand jury. The grand jury filed out of the court room and went to their room for deliberation. The judge then ordered the sherif to call the list of petit jurors for the

Judge Martin has announced the following calendar for the opening week of the term:

Monday, December 4th, 1:30 p. m grand jury organized and charged and petit fury for the week organiz

Calls for trial J. L. Maddox vs. 8

vs. the J. E. Hutt Co. Tuesday, December 5th, S. M. Kendocket will be called for orders and

Railway Company. P. L. Milkes vs "Are the McNamaras worrying of the injuries will prove fatal. orth Texas Gas Company.

default judgments at 9 a. m.

Thursday, December 7th, G. E. Boyd et al vs. J. F. Reed et al. A. J. Edwards vs. Ft. W. & D. C. R.

Friday, December 8th, Lucas Zih man vs. M. K. & T. Ry. Co., Saturday, December 9th, motion

Indge C. B. Felder called the civil cockett for orders at 10:00 o'clock this forning. All cases subject to trial by ary were set for trial the first and econd weeks in January, 1912, so as nt to conflict with the present session f the district court. The other cases were either passed by agreement of unsel or continued until next term f the court. The probate docket was also called

for orders and passed for future dis

The adjournment of the court is more or less dependent on an agree ment with District Judge P. A. Martin to adjourn over his court in favor of he county court, during the two first weeks in January.

The appearance docket will be call

THE PERFECT WAY.

Scores of Wichita Falls Citizens Have Learned It. If you suffer from backache, There is only one way to cure it.

The perfect way is to cure the kid-A bad back means sick kidneys. Neglect it, urinary troubles follow

Doan's Kidney Pills are made for Are endorsed by Wichita Falls peo

R. F. Redinfi 1314 Eleventh street. Wichita Falls, Texas, says: "Doan's didney Pills have been used in my amily and they have cured backache and kidney trouble. We publicly recommended this remedy while living n Nocona and we have no inclination to withdraw anything we said at that time. It was about two years ago Doan's Kidney Pills and since then we ave never failed to advise their use hen the opportunity has occurred." For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y: sole agents for the United States. Remember the name-Doan's-and take no other.

At an election recently held in Majagorda county, it was overwhelmpurpose of reclaiming a large tract of land between the Trespalacios and

jurors were told that they were for CONVICTS FIGHT FIRE body of the people and it was intend-AT PERIL OF LIVES

MORE BRIBERY

FOR MCNAMARA TRIAL GIVEN \$500 BY REPRESENTATIVE OF DEFENSE.

WILL MAKE STATEMENT By Associated Press. Dec. 4.—Fight

John J.McNamara Will Tell What He Sought to Accomplish For Labor Unions by Dynamiting.

details developed today in the plot to o'clock this afternoon at the state bribe the McNamara jury. A signed penitentiary. statement is declared in the posses- The fire started at 11 o'clock this sion the district attorney, made by forenoon and the inadequate water Mrs. Robert F. Bain, wife of the first supply was quickly exhausted and Especial attention of the jurors was juror sworn, charging that \$500 was for a time it seemed that not only called to the houses of prostitution paid her by an agent of the McNa the prison but the whole town was and their inmates, that have con mara defense to influence her hus doomed to destruction. The fire was tinuously been reported to live and band to secure a disagreement if not finally checked through the use of money to the district attorney. Bain At the time the fire broke out most

issuing of poll tax receipts, also the thorities and Federal Government and joined with the firemen and citijurors were directed to inquire into will carry the dynamiting probe furth zens in an effort to save the pentviolations of the liquor law, especial- er. McManigal has given the state tentiary and to save the town. Many ly granting license, boot-legging and much information concerning the oth of them performed acts of daring A number of irresponsible bands of sale to minors.

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The judge then referred to the out for several days that the McNa er explosions and rumors have been bravery.

sion said today, "They are bearing spread of the flames. their burden bravely. They have a They feel that a burden has been lift believed its further spread was imed from their minds. One of the possible. The Houston fire depart-first things they did was to telegraph ment is on its way here to assist in friends in Indianapolis to go to Cin- extinguished the flames, cinnati to comfort their mother, whom they read had broken down.

"What did the McNamaras say

upon them?" Scott was asked. "Well, they have not said anything for publication yet, and they don't

Job Harriman, who is running for great to say definitely. Board of Education."

Assistant District Attorney Ford the fire broke out. said, "When we get through here. people who commit a crime in one fighting apparatus from Houston. state and flee to another or who live in one stateand direct the commission of crimes in other states.",

Ford went to Indianapolis to represent California in arresting John J. McNamara.

FIRE IN HUNTSVILLE PRISON THREATENING DESTRUCTION OF ENTIRE TOWN FOR SEV. ERAL HOURS.

After Damage Estimated at Million Dollars Further Spread of Fire

ing at the peril of their lives when they might have taken advantage of the confusion to mutiny and escape. four hundred of convicts in the state penitentiary after three hours amid crashing walls, have apparently got-By Associated Press.

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 4.—Further ten the flames under control at 3

of the convicts were at work in the It seems certain that the state au- fields. - They were quickly called in

At 2 o'clock this afternoon no loss

safeguards the health of the cem- point out, however, that McNameras At 3 o'clock it was believed that did not promise to confess anything the town had been saved and that the The judge impressed upon the but the Los Angeles and Lewellyn administration building and the cell building of the penitentiary would be Attorney Scott who has been with saved. Four buildings were blown the McNamaras since their confes. up with dynamite to prevent the

soldier's spirit and are ready to take 3:30 ran as high as a million dollars. their medicine whatever that be The fire was still burning but it was

Started In Engine Room.

The fire started in the engine room about the attacks of labor leaders and spread rapidly. In a little over an hour the water was practically gone and dynamite was resorted to. The fire destroyed the furniture fac-W. T. & T. Co., and A. P. Burleson have to make any more confessions tory, furniture warehouse, engine just yet, but John J. I think, will room, boiler room, chair shop, wagon make a statement sometime soon, factory, shoe shop and tailor shop, nedy vs. R. M. Moore, appearance expressing his xiers and telling us and everything in the factory section. what he sought to accomplish. He The convicts fought the flames had certain ideas on how to make his heroically. One convict fell from the Wednesday, December 6th, A. F fight in the world and he was convinced from the building while fighting maps vs. Ft. Worth & Denver City ed honestly that they were the best." the fire. It is not believed that any

"No, they are ready to take what convicts at Huntsville, it is not bethey get. They are worrying only lieved this afternoon that one took about us fellows, their attorneys, advantage of the fire to make his es-They think their confession has hurt cape, though the confusion is now too

mayor and myself, candidate for the Fully half of the convicts were in the fields outside the prison when

Appeals were sent to Houston for and when the Federal Government aid by both Huntsyille authorities and finishes its investigations, the people by Governor Colquitt, of Austin. The will realize how inadequate are our Governor arranged with railroad offilaws covering the bringing to trial of cials for quick transportation of fire

> The business and professional men of Laredo have organized a Latin-American Club. The purpose is to promote business relations between the United States and Mexico.

The Cook always feels confident of pure and wholesome food when using DR.PRICES **Baking Powder** A Pure, Grape Cream of Tartar **Baking Powder**

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TAFT'S MESSAGE TO THE SIXTY-SECOND CONGRESS

opportunity.

all business.

"This statute as construed by the

we are to banish individualism from

"Mere size is no sin against the

"Much is said of the repeal of this

LEVOTED EXCLUCIVELY TO SHER. MAN ANTI TRUST ACT AND THE TRUST QUESTION

That Would Describe and Denounce Unfair Methods, Are Needed He

By Associated Press. Washington, D. C., Dec. 5.—President Taft's third annual message to Congress, devoted exlusively to the merchants and business men to fol-Sherman anti-trust act and the trust question in general was read in Con-

The President defended the Sherman act as interpreted by the Supreme Court of the United States, indicated plainly his opposition to the repeal or amendment of this statute, but suggested that Congress pass a federal incorporation law and supplemental legislation that woulld describe and denounce methods of competition that are unfair.

To supervise corporations charterand that jail sentences will be imposed under the federal law, President Taft proposed the creation of an exect utive bureau, or commission, with monopolies and illegal combinations powers akin to those of the Inter- might exercise moderate power and state Commerce Commission

Speaking of the much discussed pointed out has failed dissolution of the Tobacco Trust, the "Theorists and others engaged in President declared that in his opin- business violating the statute," he The South should not let itself be deion "not in the history of American said, "have hoped that some such line

"I renew," continued the President "the recommendations of the enact- GIRLS' BASKET BALL the voluntary formation of corporations to engage in trade and commerce among the states and with foreign nations. It is even more manifest now than it was then that the denunciation of conspiracies in restraint of trade should not, and does not, mean the denial of organizations large enough to be entrusted with our interstate or foreign trade. It has been made more clear now than it was then that purely negative statute like the anti-trust law may rell be supplemented by specific provisions legitimate national and foreign com-

The supplemental legislation the pose to suppress a competitor by un ball, and four teams from among mas seals. Every traveling man can able as to drive him out of business, ized. These teams will be tried out Cross Christmas seals are being sold, let me again admonish you that the fourth, hardly needs an introduction, are required to give up associations chosen to represent the class in in the general officer at Austin at once. reaching character. It is no small years ago Jefferson was taken ill at with other manufacturers and numerous kindred methods for stfling later on in the season. competition and effecting monoply, should be described with sufficient accuracy in a criminal statute on the one hand to enable the government for the first year teams and Audrey on their Texas correspondence. Many to shorten its task by prosecuting Addickes and Bernice Langston for jobbers are using them now. The Texas single misdemeanors instead of an entire conspiracy, and, on the other hand, to serve the purpose of pointing out more in detail to the business community what must be avoid

Mr. Taft did not attempt to set forth the details the federal incorporation act he recommended but suggested that combinations of capistock and bond issues by the propos. ing as coach to the girls. ed executive bureau or commission in the Commerce and Labor Depart-Federal incorporation, the any concern or its officers from ship. prosecution ander the Sherman act for illegal acts. Such an act could be framed so as to prevent "vexatious and unnecessary invasion by the states" but yet permit control by the states with respect to purely lo-cal business. The courts should be empowered, the President said, to invoke the aid of the Bureau of Cor-porations in determining the suitable reorganization of corporations disreorganization of corporations dissolved by decrees. This work, the pointed out, might be entrusted to the proposed supervisory commission which shoul dbe an executive tribunal, of the dignity and power of the Comptroller of the Currency or the

Interstate Commerce Commission. The fact that it dealt with only one subject; that it was comparatively brief and that accompanying it was an appendix showing trust prosecutions instituted by all administrations since the enactment of the Sherman-Act in 1890, made the message unusual. According to this appendix seven suits were brought under this act in the administration of President Harrison eight in Mr. Cleveland's second term; three under President McKinley; forty-four under Mr. Roosevelt in about seven and onehalf, years, and 37, so far, in the Taft administration.

The President frequently expresses fersely his opinion of the Sherman law and what might be expected if it were to be repealed. He says: The anti-trust act is the expre

law has a decree more effective for would be drawn by the courts; but such a purpose been entered by a no court of authority has ever at court.

tempted it. Portions of his message of Jami- "It is not the purpose of the statute ary 1910 proposing Federal incorpora to confiscate the property and capi tion were paterred to in this mes- tal of the offending trusts."

The attempt to find within which

The goals for the girls basket ball peal to you and engage your interest teams, which have tecently been or It is perfectly consistent with your ganized at the high school building, regular line, no matter what that may are being put up today by the school carpenter, and other preparations nacial profit to yourself nor your cusare being made towards getting the tomer, but the sale of same will return teams in condition.

ter the teams become better organiz article is cheap, within the reach of all, of the others the quoron would be son, Joseph Jefferson, the third, was ed, and more interest in the sport is selling at I cent each, and tere is no broken. aroused, even more geals will be competition, as it is the only thing of You have the right to adjourn to er's talent. He married Miss Fran-

The girls among the second and throughout the whole world. President desires is explained in a first year students in the high school | I want you to interest yourselves in longer period than three days with had four children, two of whom died paragraph. "The attempt and pur are taking much interest in basket the sale and use of Red Cross Christ out the consent of the court, derselling him at a price so unprofit these girls have already been organ- bein by asking in every town if Red And now, gentlemen, in conclusion. Jefferson. Joseph Jefferson the or the making of exclusive contracts in practice games and those who and when not handled you are author- duties you are to perform with customers under which they show up best in such games will be ized to take orders and send same to most important and the most far- world as the actor of his time. Ten terclass games which will be played Send a check or postoffice order for thing to present an indictment in the Fifth Avenue Theatre, New York.

which have already been organized mas seal campaign committee, Austin. are Mary Orth and Marion Crabtree, Texas. Your house should use them innocent he may be able to prove the second year teams.

After the best team obtainable at the high school has been bicked and the interclass games have been played, it is probable that games with out of town teams will be matched Meantime the members of the various teams already organized are eagerly looking forward to the time when the first game will be played, and tal allowed to become federal cor. something concerning the relative porations should be subject to rigid strength of the four teams can be rules as to organization and proced learned. Miss Emma Childers is takure, including effective publicity, and ing an active part in the atimulation to the closest supervision as to of interests in basket ball and is act-

Johnny Conlon and Frankie Burns should be able to put up a grea' bat-President declared, would not exempt the for the bantamweight championPittsburg Dispatch.

our brothers' eyes is exigently illustrated in the eagerness of southern ciation. governors to have the northern combination punished and abolished, and at the same time to put \$50,000,000 of cash into a combination to boost the President of Texas Anti-Tuberculosis price of cotton-when some other peosion of the effort of a freedom loving people to preserve equality of ple will furnish the money.

The very large "if" comprised in latter clause is what redeems it from Supreme Court must continue to be a proposition to restrict trade and prothe line of distinction for legitimate duction. The money is to be advancbusiness. It must be enforced unless ed to the growers of cotton up to the limit of \$25 per bale. The latter are to have the privilege of naming any day of sale up to January 1, 1913, and get three-fourths of the advance. What they will get if there is a decline in form you as to the law upon reques price is not stated. But the condi- at any time and if you should wan statute and of constructive legislation tion on which the pool gets the 25 per further information from the court intended to accomplish the purpose cent of an advance if there is oneand blaze a clear path for honest and presumably intereset on the loan body and present the question to the low. It may be that such a plan will ey pledge themselves to keep up the give you such assistance as may be

recent days by the fear of continued loaned at \$25 per bale, it will carry torneys have the right to be present execution of the anti-trust law have 2,000,000 bales out of a 13,000,000 bale and to question the witnesses but produced nothing but glittering gen- crop. The loan is at the rate of about they must retire when you consider 5 cents a pound, less than half the av- the propriety or find bills of indict-"As the offense (against the Sher- erage price for the past ten years. In ment and when you are voting upon man law) becomes better understood other words, the planters are to bind finding bills. No one but the memand the committing of it partakes themselves to reduce their crops for more of studied and deliberate de the sake of getting a loan at better flance of the law, we can be confident terms for the lender than they can sethat juries will convict individuals cure from ordinary sources.

against the anti-trust act if it were not self-defeating. Suppose, however, that be supported by the courts, Mr. Taft Africa and South America and thus a premium on cotton-growing in Asia country the business it now enjoys. luded by such economic quackery.

AN APPEAL TO TRAVELING MEN

dress has been sent out by J. W. Graves of the Texas Anti-Tuberculosis

To the Traveling Men of Texas: wish to offer a side line that will ap Three sets of goals will be used to more real satisfaction than anything and it is not wise to excuse that ters, one Euphemia, who became the

> same at once at I cent each to Mrs. O. court against your fellow men; the He conceived the idea that it would Anti-Tuberculosis association has un-



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dertaken to sell 1 000 000 seals to se cure funds for the establishment of a The trait of human nature which hospital on the Texas guil coast for nakes us very sensitive to the motes in children crippled by tuberculosis of the bones, and for other work of the asso

Will you aid in this way the further ance of this great work? J W GRAVES

Association.

CHARGE TO WICHITA **COUNTY GRAND JURY**

at any time, come into court in a be evolved but I submit that the dis- price by reducing the area planted. in his power. In the examination of cussions which have been brought in Suppose the whole \$50,000,000 to be witnesses the district and county at ent at this time.

Your foreman will swear the wit has authority to issue all necessary process to secure the attendance of witnesses in this county, but if witnesses are wanted in other counties the application for the same must be made to the court and the process must be issued by the clerk of the court under the direction of the court. If your process is disobeyed or evaded or if, after appearing before traces his lineage far back into the you a witness refuses to testify in eighteenth century, when his great answer to any proper question or in namesake. Thomas Jefferson, the with contempt, I will ask you to the greatest actor of his time. It was he court with your report in writing horses, that Thomas Jefferson, then may be against such witness and I there met Garrick, who struck with promise you that the court will ren- the genius of Jefferson, proposed his der you such assistance as may be going on the stage in Garrick's comnecesssary to teach him the degree pany. This was the foundation of of respect he should show to your the Jefferson family of actors. Jeffer bonorable body.

its kind, and it is now known and used such hours and days as you wish, cis Thomas, who was the reigning except that you cannot adjourn for a singer in America at that time. She

Conclusion. himself to be.

And it is no small thing to allow the right of life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness.

the liberties we all enjoy lies in the to be educated. After adopting the enforcement of the law; not a part stage he made his first regular provor or hope of reward."

Mike Gibbons knocked about all of played in French. On his return to that welterweight championship stuff the United States he was engaged out of Willie Lewis when the two met by Lester Wallack to join his comin New York recently.

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JUVENILE COURT

the trial of eight juvenile offender for tomorrow at 9 a. m. These boys were apprehended by

the officers in trespassing and carrying of personal property. Thomas Jefferson's Ancestry. Thomas Jefferson, the fifth, playing the role of "Rip Van Winkle" any manner treats the grand jury first, was a Triend of David Garrick, promptly bring such witness before in 1745, on one of his father's farm showing just what your complaint 18 years of age, rode to London and son died in 1807. His family consist Nine of your number must concur ed of wife and two sons. The elder, n the finding of a bil lof indictment Joseph Jefferson the second, became and nine of your number constitutes an actor. He was born in 1774. He be. In the sale of same there is no fi- a quorum for the transaction of busi- left England and came to America, ness; it follows that the foreman can arriving in 1797. Joseph Jefferson excuse as many as three of the grand found lodgings in New York, with a jury at a time, not more than that Mrs. Fortune. She had two daugh begin with, and it is probable that af the commercial world affords. The many for in case of sickness of any young comedian's wife. His second born in 1804. He inherited his fath in infancy; the other two were Joseph

Jefferson the fourth and Cornelia The captairs of the four teams B. Colquitt, general chairman Christ- very fact of his indictment will fol- give his son Thomas an opportunity low him to the grave; no matter how to display his talents and allotted him the part of Rip Van Winkle. On the night of the first performance all were eager to see this young acto man to violate the laws of his in the part his father had made fa country and go unscathed of justice; mous throughout the world. They to set at naught those legal principles came, they saw, and young Jefferson under which we are all required to conquered. The mantle of his father live and snap his fingers at the will had fallen on him and dear old Rip of the people expressed in our writ- would live in the son and be handed ten law and get the impression that down to generations as it has been he can beat the law of the state in for over forty years. Thomas, we which he lives and which gives him will note as Jefferson the fifth. He was born in New York, Sept. 10, 1857. In early boyhood he was sent The only safety of these rights and to London and afterwards to Paris of it, but all of it, "without fear, fa- fessional appearance at Edinburgh and continued in England, playing in a number of parts, while in Paris he

pany. The younger Jefferson has

played many parts. He has played with Joseph Jefferson, Edwin Booth, Lawrence Barrett, Neilson, Wallack,

Judge Felder has set for hearing LIGHT RAIN FELL

A light rain fell here today and unsettled weather is forecasted tonight and tomorrow. The rain was general over North Texas as far as as good this month as it was expect-Childress and south to San Antonio. ed to be, the average attendance be-

FEWER TARDIES BUT

the principals of the different public made to the homes of parents by schools throughout the city, which teachers this month. These visits to meeting was held during the after parents are being encouraged by the noon of December 4th, in the office of the city superintendent at the High the teacher and parent are brought School, reports were made on the into closer touch with each other, and number of tardies, per cent of at- are able to co-operate to a greater extendance, corporal punishments administered, number of visits to par- For this reason the teachers are beents, and other features of school ing urged more and more to make work during the month just ended. visits to the parents of each student

pares very favorably with the record made last month, and when it is taken into consideration that the new arrival.

total enrollment in the public schools has been increased from 1593 last month 1672 this month and at the same time, in spite of the increased number of students enrolled, the number of tardies made has diminished from 134 last month to 126 this nonth, the degree of success attained by those who have been trying to keep down the tardy record since school began can be observed, and the different public school teachers throughout the city are justly proud of the record made in this respect.

The record of attendance was, not ing only 94.9 per cent, as compared with 95.5 per cent for the last month. The reason for the drop in the attending investigated by the teachers.

Prof. T. L. Toland, superintendent of public schools, desires to call the attention of the parents of school students to the number of visits school authorities, as by this means tent in the education of the child. The report as regards tardies com- at least once each month.

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