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# THE CONTRACT SYSTEM

SEVENTY-FIVE THOUSAND OF THEM INAUGURATE A BIG MOVEMENT FOR RELIEF

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—Representatives of about seventy-five thousand tailors throughout the country have just held a convention here to take measures for fighting the contract system. Fifty-nine local unions were represented by delegates from New York, Newark, Boston, Philadelphia, Pittsburg, Baltimore, Syracuse, St. Louis, Chicago and a number of other cities. All the clothing trades were represented except the cutters.

To carry out the objects of the convention an executive committee was ap-

After the convention was over the chairman made the following statement: "Our objects are to do away with the contract system in the trade, to bring about a uniform system of wages and hours of labor; to fight for the substitution of electricity and steam power for bring about other reforms. This is the biggest movement in the trade yet undertaken. Strikes will not necessarily be our weapons in the fight if we can accomplish the reforms by peaceful agita-

Headquarters will be established in

#### FORT WORTH MAN HAD THE LOWEST BID (By Associated Press.)

(Special to The Telegram.)

dition to the Dallas federal building. Of the two bids that were received on time generally thought that the Dallas firm had won. Mr. Bardon's bid arrived several hours after bids were supposed to be closed, having been delayed by the bad terfered. Pitts is in jail here. The af- ago. Two of Knapp's former wives mysweather, but was opened anyhow by fair created a big sensation. Supervising Architect Taylor. The Barden bid was considerably less than \$119,000 and it is feared in Dallas that Knight & DALLAS BOYS TIRED Kenyon have lost.

It was stated in the office of Messrs Knight & Kenyon that nothing further had been learned from Washington and that the matter of who gets the big contract is still in doubt.

#### FOR A NEW DORMITORY FOR GIRLS INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

propriating \$50,000 to erect a dormitory play. Rosser Thomas, John A. Hann being the fact of the legislature being almost ready to adjourn seems to be the board's only ground of fear that the bill fail to pass.

# SUNDAY SALOONS STANDARD OIL IS JEROME'S

(By Associated Press.) ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 25 .- District Atyesterday in advocacy of the Jerome bill,

on Sundays. would be swept out of office. The mayor million dollars. M New York is prattling about the liberal enforcement of the law when there is no CAR FAMINE THROWS such thing. You must either enforce a law or not enforce it. We are not a aw-abiding community, but we could learn to obey a law that we respected.'

\* of security in Cape Colony is great- \* ducers. \* er than it has been at any time \* \* since the Jameson raid and that \*

THE CONTRACT EXTRA! EXTRA!

# EIGHT STRIKING MINERS KILLED IN WEST VIRGIN

(By Associated Press.)

They followed this defiance with hos- in the arm.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Feb. 25.-A | tilties by opening fire on the deputies. pitched battle took place at Wright's coal The latter responded and a battle raged works today, between 100 deputy United furiously for several minutes. Eight States marshals and deputy sheriffs and striking miners were killed outright and 250 striking miners, who refused to per- twelve wounded, two mortally. One colmit the federal officers to serve injunc- ored deputy marshal was killed and two wounded. Special Officer Smith was shot

## TEACHER SHOOTS TAKEN FROM HIS PUPIL IN A BED TO THE

SPARTENBURG, S. C., Feb. 25.-Pro-DALLAS, Texas, Feb. 25.—A Fort at Inman yesterday shot Ed Foster, one city, was routed out of bed at the home of his pupils, during a scuffle in which of his bride, formerly Miss Anna May several of the larger boys attacked the Gamble, this morning by the police and

> erally regarded as a peaceful man. Foster was shot in the abdomen and his con- taken away in irons.

whip Foster, when the other pupils in- came the wife of the prisoner two weeks

(Special to The Telegram.) DALLAS, Texas, Feb. 25 .- Hardly a boy of all the gay crowd that left Dallas last under the fluttering pennants of the a strong effort being made by the board are on a training ship in the harbor of Chinese colony. The body was dressed of Texas at Denton to secure the pas- navy yard. And they are a displeased lot. ments, golden dragons winding their pre-

ed to each member of both houses by the out of the service, but to no avail. Sena- innumerable candles, which, with tink friend as follows:

tary would not hear to it."

# CORNERING THE

(By Associated Press.) CITY OF MEXICO, Feb. 25 .- General Gasper Ochoa, who owns the Popocatafore the senate and assembly committees petl volcano, including the immense sulphur deposits in its crater, is reported to permitting saloons in New York to be have sold that property to an American open between the hours of 1 and 11 p. m. syndicate in which the Standard Oil interests are largely interested. The purchasers intend to build a cogwheel rail-

## MANY MINERS OUT OF WORK

CAPE FOR ENGLAND TODAY \* tricts fully 70 per cent of the workmen officials were unable to say whether of Herbert, the British ambassador to the here. \* are idle. Of twenty-eight mines of the not the captain would lose his license in United States, before England appoints \* LONDON, Feb. 25 .- Mr. Cham- \* dle road, sixteen are shut down and othberlain will leave Cape Town for \* ers have but a fair supply of cars. The \* England today. The Cape Town \* six largest mines on the Baltimore and \* correspondent of the Morning Post \* Ohio railroad are idle. This is said to \* telegraphs in reference to Mr. \* be a good showing compared to the con-\* Chamberlain's tour that the feeling \* ditions at the mines of independent pro

about all that it was intended to. 

were visited by a hurricane Feb. 12. The ple were injured, six seriously. They being favorable. The proprietors of both casion. He accepted several weeks ago. 

the ple were injured, six seriously. They being favorable. The proprietors of both casion. He accepted several weeks ago. senate met today quay and sea were brought to Peoria and placed in the papers are in the deal. The morning field The Dallas committee has extended severe brought to Peoria and placed in the papers are in the deal. \* bill today. Kean of New Jersey objected was terrilic and much damage was done. hospital.

(By Associated Press.)

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Feb. 25.-Albert fessor Reuben Pitts of the public school Knapp of Hamilton, Ohio, formerly of this teacher while he was whipping Foster. taken to Hamilton, charged with murder. The police say Anna May Gamble is his last and surviving wife. Knapp was

Although only 41 years old. Knapp has The fuss grew out of Pitts' attempt to had four wives. Mrs. Knapp No. 4 hedead. Knapp was seen at another time carting away a heavy box from his home. Knapp was reared in this city and served a term in the penitentiary.

#### GORGEOUS FUNERAL OF A CHINESE BRIDE

American navy is not sorely disgusted May Llyn, bride of Sung Fung, an actor with his place and pulling every string in the Chinese theater in Doyers street, possible whereby a discharge may be ob- has been held with pomp and circumtained. Nearly all the Dallas youngsters stances unusual even for New York's San Francisco just off the Mare Island in gorgeously embroidered oriental gar-There is too much work and too little tecting folds about the slight form. No ray of sunshine was admitted to the all their political influence to get them the death robe glittered in the light of tor Culberson, after exhausting all his ling bells, kept at bay the horde of dev means in fruitless efforts to get Dallas ils ever ready to rush in and bear away boys home again, has written to a Dallas one so young and fair. The close air 'It is out of the question to get a dis- burning eastern incense. A wreath of charge from the navy except for mental wax flowers lay on the coffin, the trib-M. Stoddard, directors; John A. Hann, and physicial disability. I tried for three ute of an occidental mourner. As the Several hundred Texas boys enlisted in friends, actors, of the bereft husband. Uncle Sam's navy last summer and fall. who chanted the story of his grief and Not even influential United States sena- eulogized the virtues of his bride. As rein its trip to the cemetery, where the conveniently near the coffin. Coins were

> use in the other world. When the body of May Llyn was lowpeside the coffin again to serve her spir be disinterred and taken back to China when even her ghostly tribulations will

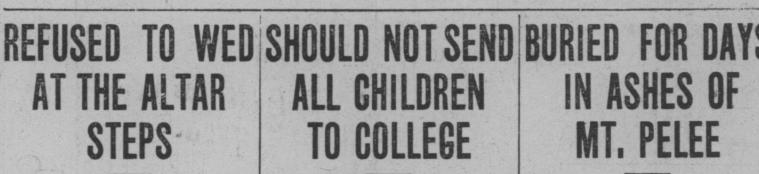
placed in the folds of the garments for

#### CAPTAIN OF MADIANA IS OUT OF A POSITION

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.-On the steamer CANADA HEARS NOTHING das, was Captain Frazer, of the ill-starred Madiana, wrecked on the Bermuda reefs, New York could be closed on Sunday and way up the mountain and operate the and with him arrived Chief Engineer (By Associated Press.) kept closed, but it could not be enforced sulphur deposits on an extensive scale. Nelson and three assistant engineers. permanently, for the men who enforced it The purchase price is said to be five Chief Officer Williams, two officers and special cablegram says: experience. On the Trinidad's arrival he neither has any protest been received was confined to his stateroom and could against the selection of Messrs. Root. pany had been severed, although it was of the treaty under which the tribunal molished. Traffic was blocked for several stated the company had no steamship to is to be appointed. This must be handed hours. offer to Captain Frazer at present. The to President Roosevelt by Sir Michael consequence of the wreck, as they had its commissioners." not yet received the official reports of the findings of the Bermuda court.

#### HURRICANE SWEEPS ROBERT LOUIS STEVENSON'S ISLAND IBy Associated Press.)

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, Feb. 25. — When the Tutulia and the Samoan group generally Acme. five miles from here. Fifteen per- large afternoon paper, the outlets by rail invited to deliver an address on this oc-



GROOM, SAYING SHE WAS! BEING SOLD

They were all

LEXINGTON, Ky., Feb. 25 .- The neigh-

borhood of the village of Hustlersville, in dents of Boston University are discussthe minister asked her assent to the un-

the church was filled with friends and still think that they can have them continues: relatives of the couple. Miss Logan was trained to lives of usefulness by packing | "On the next day it got very warm. I The minister, the Rev. Dr. Chinn, thought other things, he said, many a boy would thought the prison was on fire. Ashes regular party. twice if he understod her to say she did and many a girl to the millinery trade. the bars. not take Million for her husband

that they are not married."

for the promise of her hand in marriage, ma'am. and that she made up her mind to show

## ABOUT ALASKAN TRIBUNAL

#### INTERURBAN CARS COLLIDE IN FOG NEAR PEORIA

GIRL THROWS OVER INTENDED AN AUTHORITY HOLDS THAT SURVIVOR TELLS OF HIS EX-TOO MANY GOOD MECHAN-ICS ARE THUS SPOILED

The wedding had been announced, and who, knowing their children lack brains, for fighting with a prisoner. His story so of others. Too many feel that going to college is

## FREIGHT CARS RUN AMUCK

on the Pennsylvania railway at Kittan- food and little air." ning Point this morning. R. E. Cooney, 26 years old, was fatally

The seriously hurt are: H .M. Storey, C. W. Leech, T. L. Gill and John D.

J. H. Cox. was killed, aged 30. The wreck was caused by thirty-six freight cars running wild down the mountain and colliding with another train on the same track. Thirty cars were de-

The injured were brought to a hospital

#### WACO SEEMS TO HAVE TOO MANY NEWSPAPERS

nounced this morning that beginning next pected to be a memorable gathering. Ex- \* Miss Jones had been following the \* WACO, Texas, Feb. 25.-It was an-Monday the morning Times-Herald will President Cleveland, Richard Olney and \* specialty of toe dancing since she \* PEORIA. III., Feb. 25.—During a dense be discontinued or merged into the afterfog this morning three interurban cars, noon field, with the Evening Telephone, occupy seats about the banquet board. \*\pm obliged to cancel her engagement \*\pm occupy seats about the banquet board. HONOLULU. Feb. 25.—The island of crowded with working men, collided at and an effort will be made to build up a Mr. Bailey is the only southern senator \* recently on account of illness, which \* will be left unescupied -

do-ing the same

WE MUSTN'T

MISS ANY OF

HIS POCKETS

OF THE DISASTER

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, Feb. 25.-Joseph Scibarace, the St. Pierre survivor who has for a reorganization of the party Clark county, is greatly stirred over the ing a talk which Professor Marshall L. arrived here, tells an interesting story of sound money basis that he holds it in conduct of Miss Bessie Logan, who, after Perrin of the university gave to his class his experiences at the time of the erup- his power to make or unmake them, just making all preparations for her wedding on the subject of indiscriminately send- tion of Mont Pelee, he being at that time as they did him. These men are the men a prisoner. Scibarace says he was who now are willing to be guided by the According to the noted professor, a placed in jail for slashing a man with a councils of Grover Cleveland, David B. great mistake is made by those parents knife. Then he was put in the dungeon Hill, William C. Whitney and a score or

"The pile of straw I used for a bed KING EDWARD TICKLED going to redeem their lives. It some- took fire, but I stamped it. Hot ashes times ruins them. Some people are no sifted on my head, arms and back. I "This girl says she will not take this good in college, but all right in other was stripped to the waist and every man to be her husband. I here declare lines. It is much better to be a success- ashes stopped falling. I was sore and ful laborer than a tenth-rate minister, a ashes stoped falling. I was sore and The girl says her father received money fifteenth-rate lawyer or a petty school- hungry. I did not know how long I stayed

"Finally I went to sleep and knew nothing more until I found myself in the ON A MOUNTAIN SIDE friend in the prison. The father had rekilled and one fatally injured and four and had me dug from the ruins. I was others seriously hurt in a freight wreck told that I was buried four days without

#### SENATOR BAILEY IS DETAINED IN CHICAGO (Special to The Telegram.)

DALLAS, Texas, Feb. 25.-A telegram Senator Joseph W. Bailey, by the com- expected. mittee having the coming St. Patrick's dress the United Irish Societies of Dal- x STAGE DANCER SUFFERS las on March 17 by reason of having ac- | democratic gathering in Chicago on March | (By Associated Press.) 16. Mr. Bailey expresses regret that hc ★ NEWARK, N. J., Feb. 25.—Helen ★ is prevented from meeting with Dallas \* Loder Jones, a toe dancer, known \* friends on the anniversary of the birth of \* on the stage as Elcita, is dead from \*

The Chicago meeting referred to is ex- \* cessive dancing. - oral invitations.

# **BOLT IN 1904**

UNLESS THE CONVENTION EN DORSES FREE SILVER HE WON'T SUPPORT TICKET

HAS SERVED NOTICE TO THIS EFFECT ON THE CAMPAIGN. MANAGERS, WHO CAN'T IN-DUCE HIM TO RECONSIDER

(Special to The Telegram.) NEW YORK, Feb. 25 .- Mr. Bryan will bolt the next democratic presidential ticket unless the national convention of 1901 shall reaffirm the 16 to 1 plank in the Kansas City platform. He will not only insist upon an indorsement of the silver plank, but also upon many other planks of the platform of 1900, on threat of placing in the field an independent ticket. In the words of one of the hig party leaders in this city, the situation just now is an embarrassing one, for the Nebraskan has flatly refused to recede

one iota in his financial views. When in New York last he received calls from a number of men prominent in the party, state and nation, with all of whom he held long conferences concerning the lines upon which the battle of next year should be fought. But there

an's closest friend to New York's political whirl, is quoted topicatt as eas its phases, but more especially with regard to the views that the local democrats are likely to take in the next campaign. I had thoroughly canvassed the field here and had come to the conclusion never again stand for Mr. Bryan's views ported him in 1900 only because they were regular democrats—that it was that fact alone that had made it possible for the leaders to turn over the original votes to the democratic ticket. I teld him that such a thing would be impos for the small investors and hank deposlief that the stability of their savings. ard where it is. But I could not convince Mr. Bryan of this fact.

"Try as I would, I could not swerve him from his desire for bi-metallism. Other leaders from eastern and southern states had presented him with the same facts, but it had apparently had no effect upon his views. He would not for a mement agree that the last national platform with the silver plank left out and PERIENCES IN JAIL AT TIME clared that the Kansas City document should be reaffirmed in tote or not at sall. and all the time.

dressed in a pink organdie gown and them off to a university. Dr. Perrin de- heard the sound of explosions, but to be a candidate again he will be in a carried pink roses. The pair were at- clared that careful judgment should be thought it was only thunder. Shrieks and position to place an independent ticket in used in choosing between practical in- cries followed the great noise. Then all the field that, they declare, will poll as Miss Logan persisted in her refusal. struction and higher education. Among was still and it began to grow hot. I many votes as that nominated by the

## TO RECEIVE FRANCIS

(By Associated Press.) LONDON, Feb. 25 .- Mr. Francis, prestdent of the St. Louis exposition, accompanied by Ambassador Choate, was received in audience by King Edward at Buckingham palace today. The king gave a most cordial reception to Mr. exposition and promised to lend all possible influence toward providing for a

#### DALLAS RISES TO GREAT . HEIGHTS OF HOSPITALITY

representation of Great Britain at St.

DALLAS, Texas, Feb. 25.—Dallas will formally invite the Rock Island to locate has been received from United States its general offices here. This move was

PENALTY OF PROFESSION &

\* heart disease, superinduced by ex-



WEDNESDAY,

REPRESENTATIVE SALES

\$2.60. Other cows, fat and in good con-

RECEIPTS

RECEIPTS BY RAILROADS

INDIVIDUAL SRIPMENTS

CATTLE-M. Starnes, Tyler, 72; Swan

& L., Tyler, 70; B. L. Scott, Sherman, 60

and 3 calves; W. B. Ellis, Baird, 30 and

1 calf; J. C. Adams, Abilene, 69; John L.

Turner, Mount Vernon, 14; R. G. Cates,

Grapevine, 21; D. Waggoner & Son,

Bowie, 211; W. H. Myers, Henrietta, 27;

W. E. King, Seymour, 30; Sim Warren.

Iowa Park, 55; W. A. Sansom, Alvarado,

87 and 5 calves; D. F. Sansom, Alvarado,

27; F. M. Sansom, West, 48; Humes Bros.,

San Angelo, 101; Ardmore Oil Mill Co.,

Ardmore, I. T., 56; W. G. Benson, Pros-

per, 27; W. Scott, Brownwood, 150; M. M.

HOGS-J. L. Turner, Mount Vernon, 56;

Kay Bros. & Co., Athens, 61; E. C. True,

Ryan, I. T., 79; Catron, Bonham, 82;

Boyd. Wortham, 51 and 3 calves.

Moore & Co., Durant, I. T., 105.

was \$3.40. Some sales: No. Ave. Price.

HOGS-Sales were very slow.

LARGEST RECEIPTS IN WEEKS

pick from, the prices stayed at almost

of the 43 received went through and were

While the cattle market kept up, so

much cannot be said for the hogs. The

slump today was again fully 10 cents,

and commission men and buyers wran-

gled over prices all forenoon without making a single sale. About 1:30 Swift

broke the ice by purchasing 78 head, and

after that things went better. Just what

is causing the lower prices of the past

not seem to be easily explained. In jus-

tice to the packers, be it said that none

of the hogs offered was equal to what

STOCK YARD NOTES

Colonel J. L. Turner of Mount Vernon

was at the yards today with a mixed

shipment of hogs and cattle. Regarding

conditions in Franklin county, Colonel

Turner says it has been unusually wet;

creeks are running over their banks, the

roads are almost impassable and it is next

to an impossibility to get to a shipping

point. Colonel Turner is one of the vet-

eran hog raisers of Texas and perhaps no

shipper to the Fort Worth market is so

well qualified to give his experience as

dled no less than 9,000 hogs. His favorite

Heretofore Colonel Turner has found

goat peas the best food. Patches of from

three to four acres are fenced off and

just as the pods are beginning to turn

cat the pods, but will not hurt the vines

in spite of the child laber inw.

under 14 are employed in New York city | Ribs-

tne packers really want.

not offered here.

draggy, because buyers had so much to ish, with the following range:

34.... 810

28.... 896

3.... 662

Cattle. Hogs. Calves.

383

No. Ave. Price.

1.... 860 \$2.40

8.... 911 2.75

2.... 790 2.60

25..... 802 2.00

30.... 796 2.35

4.....1,070 2.65

Last year ..... 807

Grande, 6 (177).

tral, 1 (61).

26.... 730

# At 64c on the Dollar

We have bought the bankrupt stock of Louis Shapira, 1508 Main street at 64 cents on the dollar and shall place it on sale Saturday, February 28.

This stock consists of Men's Shoes, Hats, Clothing and Furnishing Goods. L. Shapira was in business only about three months, so you will find these goods all new

The shoes are from two of the leading makers of guaranteed footwear-Hamilton-Brown and Friedman Bros.

The other goods, such as Hats, Clothing, Shirts, etc., are from standard manufacturers and you will find every item in this stock marked at an extremely low bargain

Watch The Telegram for price quotations on this stock; its going to be a money saving opportunity which you should take advantage of.

### New Rubber Overshoes

| MEN'S STORM  | RUBBERS, ALL SIZES | 75¢ |
|--------------|--------------------|-----|
| LADIES STORM | RUBBERS, ALL SIZES | 50¢ |



The kid-I never seen dat jay afore in me life, but I'll just jolly him an' git de thet young thief! Biff!! Bift!! ob carryin' his grip!



The kid-Hi! boss. Don't you remember me? I'm de boy wot carried yer grip



Farmer-Oh! air ye? I been laylı' fer



The kid-Sa-a-y! How was I ter following prices: One, weighing 310, at he'd had his old satchel stole?

## Explosion at Fort Lafayette



(Copyright, 1903, by W. R. Hearst.) By the explosion of a big 13-inch shell at Fort Lafayette four men were hogs ever found." blown to pieces and seven were maimed. In the picture is shown the historic old fart at the top. Below is shown how the shells are handled in the fort, and above at a specific of a shell similar to that which caused the disaster. At the state are sargeons and officers going to the scene of the accident.

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#### MARKETS BY WIRE

from special reports received by wire: COWS-The Scott cows formed the CHICAGO LIVE STOCK

and feeders, \$2.40@4.50.

dition, brought customary good prices. 5.....1,054 3.90 6.95.

Sheep-Receipts, 23,000 head; steady to 2.60 2.35 | 10c lower; native sheep, \$3.60@5.60; west-31..... 746 2.35 ern sheep, \$3.75@5.60; native lambs, \$5@ FOOT AND MOUTH 2.65 7.15; western lambs, \$6.25@7.25.

> KANSAS CITY LIVE STOCK KANSAS CITY, Mo., . ep. 25.-Cattle-Receipts, 7,000 head, including 1,000 Tex-

17 ans; steady. Top for steers ......\$3 85 light, \$6.50@6.60; mixed, \$6.80@7; ship-Top for hogs ...... 6 50 6.85.

Sheep-Receipts, 3,000 head; stronger.

CATTLE-Santa Fe, 5 cars (161 head); EAST ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK Denver, 4 (112); Cotton Belt, 2 (35); Rock NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, Ill., Feb. Island, 9 (211); Katy, 6 (158); Texas and 25.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,500 head, includ-Pacific, 9 (301); Central, 2 (51); Rio ing 2,000 head; steady; beeves, \$4.15@ 5.25; stockers and feeders, \$2.40@4.30; the quarantine was put in force. HOGS-Cotton Belt, 1 car (56 head); Texas fed steers, \$3.50@4.60; cows and Rock Island, 1 (79); Katy, 2 (187); Cen-heifers, \$2.15@3.20; calves, \$8@14 per

Hogs-Receipts, 6,500 head; 5c lower than yesterday's average; pigs and light, Individual shipments to the yards for \$6.40@6.90; packers, \$6.75@7; butchers, the past twenty-four hours were as fol-\$6.80@7.15.

Sheep-Receipts, 1,000 head; strong; native, \$4.40@5.50; lambs, \$3.50@7; Texas sheep, \$3.25@4.25.

COTTON MARKETS Furnished by special leased wire to Co., Fort Worth, Tex.

GALVESTON GALVESTON, Texas, Feb. 25.-There was a strong tone to the spot market today, middlings selling at 913-16c. Sales, 3,807 bales, f. o. b. 3,050.

HOUSTON HOUSTON, Texas, Feb. 25.-Firmness characterized the spot market. Middlings, 9 13-16c. Sales, 1,650 bales, f. o. b. 1,300 bales.

NEW YORK NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—Spots were yards last night nine carloads of steers steady in tone. Middlings, 10.05c. Sales,

from Bowie, consigned under the firm 500 bales. Futures closed very steady, as follows: name of Dan Waggoner & Son to W. E. Open. High. Low. Close. at Los Angeles, Cal. The steers were March ...... 9.75 9.83 9.73 9.83-84 weighed at the yards and were shipped May ..... 9.72 9.84 9.70 9.82-83 out early this morning. It was the most July ...... 9.50 9.64 9.49 9.63-61 valuable bunch of cattle that has gone

through the new yards. There were 211 NEW ORLEANS, La., Feb. 25 .- Spots head with an average weight of 1,051. Were steady. Middlings, 91-16c. Sales. They were bought at \$3.85; and the bunch 800 bales, f. o. b. 1,700.

brought in round numbers \$8,850. The Futures closed firm, ranging: Open. High. Low. Close. highest priced steers sold this morning March ...... 9.60 9.73 9.60 9.73-74 No. Ave. Price. May ...... 9.68 9.83 9.68 9.82 \*3.....1,103 \$2.75 24..... 814 \$3.25 July ....... 9.77 9.90 9.76 9.88-89 pounds; corn, 60c per bushel, shelled 18..... 833 3.00 70..... 654 2.45 HESTER'S SEMI-WEEKLY

by Mr. Hester, with comparisons for lar & Redin: CALVES-Two calves were sold at the three years is as follows: \$2.60; the other, weighing 160 pounds, at Receipts .....

Shipments ... 62,617 71.444 43.860 Stocks ..... 246,735 407,543 5,390,649 No. Ave. Price. No. Ave. Price. 115 \$5.35 78.... 171 \$6.50 interior towns has been as follows:

NORTH FORT WORTH, Texas, Feb. Receipts ...... 45,110 67,149 25.—What were perhaps the heaviest re- | Shipments ...... 57,175 ceipts since the new stock yards were Stocks ................ 174,819 282,171 opened were turned into the North Fort LIVERPOOL Worth market this morning with an LIVERPOOL, Feb. 25.-There was an

abandon that looked as if it might flood easy tone to spots and a fair demand for the buyers. But even 43 cars (over 1,200 | midlings at 5.30d. Receipts, 6,000 bales, head) could not seriously hurt prices, and all American; sales, 10,000 bales. though sales this morning were a bit | Futures opened easy and closed fever-

|   | February-March5.15-17           | 5.14    |
|---|---------------------------------|---------|
|   | March-April5.14-17              | 5.14    |
|   | April-May5.15-17                | 5.15    |
|   | May-June                        | 5.16    |
|   | June-July5.17-19                | 5.16    |
|   | July-August5.16-19              | 5.16    |
|   | August-September5.05-07         | 5.05    |
|   | September-October4.78-79        | 4.76    |
| 1 | October-November4.57-58         | 4.56    |
| ı | RECEIPTS                        |         |
| 1 | . The receipts of cotton at the | leading |

two days is a delicate matter, which does accumulative centers today, as compared

| - lib il                |         | The second secon |
|-------------------------|---------|--|
| with the same day last  |         |  |
|                         | Today.  | Last year.   |
| Galveston               | 5,030   | 5,921  |
| New Orleans             | . 4,519 | 7,763  |
| Mobile                  | 958     | 35   |
| Savannah                | 3,302   | 2,245  |
| Charleston              | . 298   | 382  |
| Wilmington              |         | 993  |
| Norfolk                 | 2,349   | 900  |
| New York                |         | 671  |
| Boston                  | 1,364   | 2,959  |
| Philadelphia            | 750     | 5  |
| Various                 |         | 1,150  |
| Total                   | 19,723  | 23,030   |
| Memphis                 | 1,790   |  |
| Houston                 | 5,026   |  |
| The following is the es |         |  |
| for tomorrow, compared  |         |  |

during the last three years he has han- 1901: breed is the Poland China with Berkshires New Orleans...3,000 to 4,500 9,620 9,562 second. Farmers in Franklin county will Galveston .....4.000 to 5,000 7,638 3,817 try alfalfa this year for the first time. Houston .....2,500 to 3,000 4,912 3,197

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS cHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 25.-The grain and provision markets today had the folyellow the hogs are turned in. They will lowing range of prices: Wheat-Open. High. Low. Close.

|  | w neat- | Open. | nign.   | Low.   | Close.  |
|--|---------|-------|---------|--------|---------|
| if taken out soon enough and turned, into  | May     | 77    | 77%     | 76%    | 771/8   |
| another patch. By keeping up a rotation.   | July    | 731/8 | 731/8   | 73     | b7339   |
| each patch can be used several times in    |         |       |         |        |         |
| a season. Colonel Turner will have one     |         | 45%   | 461/4   | 451/2  | 4614    |
| field of corn this season and says that    | July    | 44%   | 44%     | 441/8  | 445%    |
| farmers would do better to raise more      | Oats-   |       |         |        |         |
| corn and less cotton. He also uses oats    |         | 351/8 | 351/2   | 35     | a351/2  |
| to a limited extent in feeding hogs, but   | July    | 321/2 | 33      | 321/2  | b32 7/4 |
| says that, "After all, I notice that the   | Pork-   |       |         |        |         |
| slop-fed hogs get fat the quickest of any. | Cash    | 17.12 | 17.15 1 | 7.07 1 | 17.20   |
| Milk is the best thing on which to raise   | May     | 17.55 | 17.70 1 | 7.55   | 17.72   |
| hogs ever found."                          | Land    |       |         |        |         |

July ...... 9.45 9.47 9.45 9.55 It has been found that 16,000 children May ...... 9.60 9.65 9.62 9.65 Carp . Comings & S. S. S. S. D. D. S.

Full Report 12 Hours Ahead of Any Other North Texas Newspaper May ...... 9.67 9.75 9.67 9.72

NEW YORK STOCKS The following figures, furnished by George C. Hoffman, Fort Worth, Texas. The following report of the live stock indicate the opening and closing prices markets is prepared daily for The Tele- of the stocks named on the New York gram by the Fort Worth office of the Stock Exchange: Atchison, 87, 86%; Evans-Snider-Buel Commission company, Atchison preferred, 10014; Illinois Central, 144%, 144%; Louisville and Nashville, 125, 125; Missouri Pacific, UHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 25.—Cattle—Re- 113%, 112%; Frisco, 88, 851/2; Peoples Gas, ceipts, 21,000 head; steady to 10c lower; 104, 104%; Reading, 62%, 62; Rock Island, ones which have been bringing \$2.55 and beeves, \$3.50@5.55; cows and heifers,\$1.50 49%, 49; Southern Pacific, 64, 63%; South-@4.75; Texas steers, \$3.75@4.50; stockers ern Railway, 35%, 35%; St. Paul, 177%, 1771/4; Sugar, 1321/4; United States Houston and Galveston, where he spent Hogs-Receipts, 36,000 head; slow; 5@ Steel, 38%, 39; United States Steel pre- several days, supposedly on business con-10c lower than yesterday morning; light, ferred, 88%, 88%; Western Union, 83%. No. Ave. Price. \$6.80@6.95; mixed, \$6.80@7.80; heavy ship- 89%. Stock sales up to noon amounted Island deal. 1.... 900 \$2.40 ping grades, \$6.70@7.20; rough, \$6.45@ to 283,200 shares. Call money in New York city was at 3 per cent.

DISEASE IS A FAKE

El Paso Herald: Yesterday Dr. T. A. Bray. United States animal inspector at this post, received a telegram from Act-Hogs-Receipts, 9,000 head; 5c lower; ing Chief Farrington of the animal bureau at Washington authorizing the doc- on his way to Houston. Top for cows ....... 3 50 ping grades, \$6.75@6.90; rough, \$6.60@ tor to allow cattle shipments to continue. The message stated the reported footand-mouth disease was a fake.

In accordance with the above instruc tions the quarantine was raised yesterday afternoon and cattle will now be admitted into the United States from Mex- tity could not be ascertained. Mr. Stevico after inspection, the same as before

Washington was received last night emculture had received a message from their wake. Inspector W. J. Shaw of Nogales, Ariz, disease epidemic and that the message and Texas Central. announced that there was no evidence Mexico.

The Telegram from F. G. McPeak & that Secretary Wilson had notified the British authorities at London of the re- MEXICAN CENTRAL WILL sult of the investigation.

> Dr. Bray, as soon as he received his wire from Washington, advised the officials of the Mexican Central and the Sierra Madre lines that they could begin ocrt from Mexico City, says: United States.

this week and others will do likewise.

authorized by the authorities at Wash-

LOCAL MARKETS These quotations were furnished by the

Watkins Hay and Grain Company: Prairie hay, \$12@14 per ton; johnson grass, \$13 per ton; bran, \$1.10 per 100 oats, 50c per bushel; chops, \$1.15 per 100 14..... 910 3.40 211....1,651 3.85 The semi-weekly statement compiled pounds; rice bran, \$16 per ton.

These quotations were furnished by Bo-

The movement since last Friday for five for the cure of Indigestion, Dyspepsia, dent of the Rock Island system. He that place, but the acquisition of he cured-and we also mean their results, construction and operation. such as sour stomach, fermentation of sleeplessness-in fact, any trouble conbooks free of cost. If you never tried Monday. August Flower, try a 25-cent bottle first. We have never known of its failing. If introduced this year. Regular size 75 of Rock Island lines. He went from here G. G. GREEN,

Woodbury, N. J. At W. L. Smallwood and Martin, Smallwood & Walkup.

SPECIAL MEETING

There will be an open meeting of Trinity Lodge, No. 82, Columbian League, at Odd Fellows' hall, 605 Main street, on Thursday night, Feb. 26, at 8 o'clock

Business of great importance demands your presence, and you are also requested to bring your friends. You will be entertained with music and addresses will be given by the deputy supreme com. the supreme lodge of the Columbian tobacco than the irrigated valleys of New League, Detroit, Mich.

A. R. BENNETT, Commander.

#### ADDITIONAL CITY BRIEFS

leans shoe store, is retiring from business on account of his health and has placed the entire stock of ladies and gents shoes on the market at greatly reduced prices. This store is one of the best known shoe stores in this city on account of its reliability for the best shoes at the lowest prices. The sale will continue until the entire stock is sold. and the bargains offered during the sale should certainly appeal to the shoe-buy-

The Daughters of the American Revolution have issued invitations for a tea with Mrs. A. J. Roe for the afternoon of Monday, March 2, the anniversary of the Declaration of Texas' Independence. The proceeds will be sent to the Daughters of oped the Republic and will be applied to the preservation of the old missions.

adds a new delight to pastry

GENERAL MANAGER GOODNOW OF ROCK ISLAND ON QUIET TRIP

Accompanied by J. F. Stevens, Who Will goes unverified. Be Vice President of Rock Island System-General Attorney Low Also on Hand-Southern Pacific Deal On

General Manager Goodnow of the Rock acres southeast of the city at a cost of Island system passed through Fort Worth \$10,000. Monday night on his way home from nected with the Southern Pacific-Rock moved.

With Mr. Goodnow was J. F. Stevens, former general manager and chief engineer of the Great Northern railway. Advices from Chicago today say that Mr. Stevens will become vice president of the Rock Island system and have charge of construction and operation.

Another event of importance in connec tion with the Southern Pacific-Rock Island deal was the quiet trip of General Attorney M. A. Low of the latter road, the offices at Greenville, but this number who passed through Fort Worth Monday

MR. STEVENS MENTIONED

When General Manager Goodnow and Mr. Stevens, formerly of the Great Northern, passed through Fort Worth last week bound for Houston and Galveston, only Western railway into Welletka, L. T. Mr. Stevens was mentioned and his idenens was also the only one mentioned when train is to be put on at once on the conhis private car bound northward went pleted portion of the line and six loce-An Associated Press dispatch from through again Monday night. Today. however, the fact crept out that General bodying the same information. The dis- Manager Goodnow had been with him and patch stated that the secretary of agri- that General Attorney Low followed in

The two first named spent about four who had been sent by the authorities at days in Houston and Galveston. They Washington to investigate the rumored went from here there over the Houston

Although none of the officials were inwhatever of foot-and-mouth disease in terviewed on the trip, it is generally believed here that they were on business The dispatch from Washington added connected with the consolidation plans.

## GO TO SAN ANTONIO

A dispatch to the St. Louis Globe-Dem-

receiving shipments of cattle for the The members of the board of directors of the Mexican Central railroad, who are Mr. Hunt, the stock buyer, left for making an inspection trip over the lines Chihuahua to commence at once his of that system, have decided upon some to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on shipment of cattle, which had been de- important extensions and new lines. each box. 25c. layed on account of the quarantine. W. Construction is to be pushed on the Mexico City and Tampico line, and there is It is reassuring to be told by our con Mexico awaiting shipment to California to be no cessation in the work of build- suls that, whether overproduction should points, expects to begin moving his stock ing the new line to San Antonio, Texas result from overstimulation of our in-Much importance is attached to the lat- dustries or from diminished home con-Dr. Shaw, who returned from Mexico ter line, as it will afford the Mexican sumption, the foreign markets are be-Friday, left yesterday over the Southern | Central a new short route between con- coming more and more accessible to our Pacific for Nogales. While here he de- necting lines in the cnited States and goods, and that in even the remotest conclined to give out the result of his in. the Mexican cities, connection being made ners of the earth we are gaining subvestigation, as he did not consider it with the existing main line of the syswould be proper until its publication was tem at Torreon. It is further learned CATTLEMAN DECIDES IN that if the Mexican Central does not succeed in purchasing the Mexican (Vera Cruz) it will build its own line to Vera Cruz from a point on the new Tampico line. General Manager H. R. Nickerson who is heavily interested in live stock has been with the party very little, owing Pecos county and also in the Creek co to serious illness.

## GREAT NORTHERN MAN

We would like to ask, through the col- John F. Stevens, general manager and tledom, and arguments proved futile t umns of your paper, if there is any per- chief engineer of the Great Northern son who has used Green's August Flower railway, is to become first vice presi- ple have always been a little foolish al and Liver Troubles that has not been will, it is said, be placed in charge of numerous railroads and the Swift and

Mr. Stevens was in Fort Worth Mon- tion of the fact that it pays to be for food, habitual costiveness, nervous dys- day and also last week. Considerable ish sometimes. Mr. Baldridge says pepsia, headaches, despondent feelings, uncertainty surrounded his identity and ditions in Pecos county are quite not until yesterday was it given out that promising as they are anywhere else nected with the stomach or liver? This he was a Great Northern official. He the state, and nothing short of rulnow medicine has been sold for many years in traveled in a private car on the Rock prices could make a comman real all civilized countries, and we wish to cor- Island and went from here to Galveston this year. respond with you and send you one of our last week, returning from Galveston

When he was here last week it was stated that he was a Rock Island official with you. The 25-cent size has just been dispatch he was on a tour of inspection south over the Houston and Texas Cen-

## SANTA FE INTERESTED

A dispatch from Albuquerque, N. M., says: "Wesley Merritt, industrial commissioner of the Santa Fe, visited in the city last week. The gentleman is much interested in the plan to cultivate tobacco on a large scale in the Rio Grande valley, and establish a tobacco factory in Albuquerque. From experimentation it is known that no part of the United mander and other members direct from States is better adapted to the culture of Mexico. Kentucky tobacco growers are also interested in the project and the Commercial Club of this city has taken up the matter."

#### MORGAN HAS SECURED CONTROL OF FRISCO

NEW YORK, Feb. 25 .- It is reported from creditable sources on Wall street today that the activity of the past few days in Frisco stock has resulted in J. P. Morgan & Co. securing control of the system, which will, as a consequence, bemerged eventually with the Southern railway, which the Morgan interests already own.

The fact that Morgan wants the Frisco is not new and it has been reported at various times that he had secured control. The recent meeting in St. Louis, when new directors were chosen, was expected to show that he had secured control, but nothing to indicate this devel-What has increased the belief, how-

ever, has been the frequent conferences

eral directors, particularly James L. umns of The Telegram. Should re-Campbell of St. Louis, who is known as see it advertised there, insert an one of the big men in the directorate. Itsement telling of your fod The consolidation of the Southern and rightful owner will make himself the Frisco would give the latter an en- to you at once. The rate is 1 trance to the Atlantic coast and give it word first insertion, 1/2 cents each

Louis and Kansas City. It is trying enter New Orleans and Galveston, a has a network of lines throughout p southwest. The Southern is in almost equally strong position in the southeast

RAILROAD NEWS AND PERSONAL

Activity in Frisco stock on Wall street during the past few days has caused renewal of the rumors to the effect the J. P. Morgan & Co. are securing control of the system. The report, however, atill

Surveyors on the Trinity and Brazos alley railroad who have been working out from Covington arrived in sight Hillsboro yesterday.

The Frisco will build big shops at Oblahoma City and has bought fifty-four

The Texas and Pacific has begun laying seventy-five pound rails on the Sherman division, the old light rails being re-

General Roadmaster A. Ball of the Cotton Belt, with headquarters in Mount

Pleasant, has resigned, effective Feb. 21 The Wells Fargo Express Company na made arrangements to pension all old eme ployes who have reached the point where performance of duties is difficult.

The general offices in Texas of the Union News Company of St. Louis will be removed this month from Greenville to Denison. Sixteen men are employed it will be increased to 25 in Denison. The company formerly had two general offices, one being in Fort Worth, but the was closed some time ago.

Only twelve miles more of track must be laid to complete the Fort Smith and which is more than half the distance from Fort Smith to Guthrie. A passenger motives have been ordered.

The outlook for a settlement of the demands of Santa Fe conductors and trainmen for more wages is looking gloomy as both sides are becoming more determined as the conferences continue.

Texas and Pacific east-bound passen ger train No. 6, due here at 6:45 o'clock this morning, did not arrive until ? o'clock this afternoon, as the result of a freight wreck near Sierra Blanca vesterday morning.

Advices from El Paso say that Eraineer H. A. McFarland was probably fatally hurt in the accident and Fireman Johnson was badly hurt. They were east-bound on a light engine, which jumped the track while going at full

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it falls

## FORT WORTH'S FAVOR

San Antonio Express: Earl Baldri try, is in the city for a few days. comes back to Texas for keeps now will locate at Fort Worth, having sol his residence at Wagoner. That city FOR ROCK ISLAND more centrally located for his diversit interests, but he contends that he is go A dispatch from Chicago , says that ing there because it is the center of ca convince him otherwise. Fort Worth pe Armour plants is a practical demon



Our shirts for full dress are ready to wear when you buy IN TOBACCO RAISING 'em - look for "Cluett" or "Monarch" Brand-they fit. Cluett, Peabody & Co.

> WANTED-At private house, South Je nings avenue, six boarders; men a wives or gentlemen; the best of ever thing; ideal summer home. Phone is



in New York between Mr. Morgan and And want to return it to its President Yoakum of the Frisco and sev- owner look over the Lost and Fou an all-powerful position in the south. The secutive insertion, a price that is system already reaches Chicago, St. low for the service rendered.

STOVES AND RANGES SAVE FUEL

Our line of Stoves and Ranges is the finest to be found in this city and if you are thinking of buying you will save money by taking advantage of this great cut in prices. Remember these prices are for tomorrow only and this is the chance of a life time to buy the best stove made at the price of a cheap one. One aluminum finish, Bridge, Beach & Co.'s Superior Steel Range, our regular price is \$65.00, but for tomorrow only, we will sell this range

for ...... \$50 to Another Bridge, Beach & Co.'s Stell Range that sells regular for \$50.00, tomorrow, only ..... \$40 00 One Quick Meal Steel Range, regular only ..... \$4 50

price \$50.00, tomorrow, only ..... \$37 50 One Superior Cast Range with high shelf, regular price \$45.00. tomorrow, only ...... \$35 00

Superior Cook Stove, 17-inch Oven, regular price \$25.00, tomorrow only ..... \$20 00 Superior Cook Stove, 19-inch Oven, regular price \$28.00, tomorrow,

only ..... \$22 50 Superior Cook Stove, 21-inch Oven, regular price \$31.00, tomorrow only ..... \$25 00

One 15-inch oven, Bridge, Beach & Co.'s Stove, regular price \$10.00, tomorrow, only ..... \$8 00

Quick Meal Gasoline Stoves, will be offered during this sale at prices never before heard of.



STOVES AND RANGES SAVE WORRY

# IF YOU ESTIMATE IT-IT IS YOURS!

Estimate with us tomorrow; We have secured the Telegram Money Jar for tomorrow and for that one day only, will make special prices on Stoves, Ranges, Cutlery, Graniteware, Tinware and all Cooking Utensils. Nearest Estimate wins. One estimate with every 25c purchase.

## **CUTLERY**

Our line of Cutlery is as fine as can be found in the city, and the prices quoted for tomorrow should not be over-

Large assortment Scissors, ranging from 7 to 9 inches long, choice, tomorrow ...... 25c

Real Safety Razor, regular price \$2.50, tomorrow, only ..... \$2 00 Elegant Ivory Handle Carving Set, regular price \$12.00, tomorrow, only ..... \$8 00

Fine Buck Horn Handle Carving Set, regular price \$7.50, tomorrow, only ..... \$5 00 Buckhorn Handle Carving Set, sells regular \$5.50, tomorrow.

Our entire assortment of Carving Sets have all been reduced for our big sale tomorrow. A set of six triple plated Knives and

Forks, regular price \$3.00, tomorrow, only ..... \$2 00 A set of Rogers' Bros. At triple plated Knives and Forks, sells everywhere for \$5.00, our price tomorrow.

only ..... \$3 00 Aset of six Rogers' Bros. At Teaspoons, sels regular, \$2.00, our price, tomorrow, only ...... \$1 25 Good Steel Butcher Knives 6 to 10 inches long, regular price 35c, tomorrow, only ..... 25c The genuine Wilson Butcher Knives, 7inch blade, regular price 50c, to-

The genuine Wilson Butcher Knives, 6inch blade, regular price 35c, tomorrow, only ..... 25c Bread Knives that sell regular at 50c, choice tomorrow, only ..... 25c



regular price \$3.00, tomorrow, only ...... \$2 25 6-gallon Deep Hotel Sauce Pans, regular price \$4.50, tomorrow only ...... \$3 00 Galvanized Coal Hods, regular price 50c, tomorrow, only..... 35c Japanned Coal Hods, regular price

lar price \$1.25, tomorrow only ...... 90c No. 8 Tin Wash Boilers, regular price \$1.50, tomorrow only ... \$1 00 Medium sized Japan Bread and Cake

Large sized Japanned Bread and Cake Boxes, regular price \$1.25, to-5-gallon Galvanized Oil Can, regular price 75c, tomorrow, only.. 45c 10-quart Galvanized Water Pails, regular price 25c, tomorrow only, 15c Galvanized Slop Jars, regular price

50c, tomorrow, only ......... 30c Japanned Slop Jars and Pails, regular price 40c, tomorrow, only .. 25c Galvanized Foot Tubs, regular price 50c, tomorrow, only ...... 35c Lightning Potato Slicers, regular

Flour Bin and Sifter, regular price \$2.00, tomorrow, only .. .. \$1 50

If you are in need of Tinware or Cooking Utensils you will do well by reading these prices carefully, as this will be the last chance you will get to buy the following at the prices they will be offered tomorrow-

4-gallon Deep Hotel Sauce Pans,

40c, tomorrow, only ...... 30e No. 8 Galvanized Wash Boilers, regu-

boxes, regular price \$1.00, tomorrow, only ...... 65c

price \$1.00, tomorrow, only..... 65c

# SOLD FOR \$65,000

J. T. SMITHER OF NEW YORK IS ONE OF THE PURCHASERS

George B. Loving & Co. Managed Deal and John M. Scott Will Be Director of New Concern-Extensive Improvements

this morning of the sale of the Weatherford Water. Light and Ice plant to J. T. ists for \$65,000. The purchasers will take

possession of the property at once. and John M. Scott of this company will be one of the directors of the new water

IMPROVEMENTS PLANNED Extensive improvements are to be made at once in the plant and it will be extended to make of it a complete and up-

J. T. SMITHER WELL KNOWN Mr. Smither, one of the purchasers of the Weatherford plant, is well known in Texas. He now owns the water works and electric lighting plants in Temple and Belton, Texas. Mr. Smither, F. E. Merrill of Temple, Texas, and John M. Scott will be the directors of the new Weathbriord company. They are all practical water and light men.

OWNED IN NEW YORK The Weatherford Water, Light and Ice plant is the only one of the kind in that tity and furnishes the water supply and the lights for it. It was formerly owned New York people who have sold it to Mr. Smither and his associates.

#### PAVEMENT IS CERTAIN ON FIFTEENTH STREET

All but two property owners on Fifteenth street between the Jennings avenue viaduct and Main street are said to soon as the weather will permit.

The movement for pavement originated among the property owners themselves, and they have pushed it along, asking the city council for permission. The street, if paved, will form a driveway from the end of the viaduct to Main street and will be of great benefit to all persons residing in the southwestern part of the city.



## WEATHERFORD PLANT THREE RURAL MAIL CARRIERS WANTED

building or the Metropolitan hotel. pointment as carriers.

THREE ROUTES PLANNED Petitions have been presented for three

mail routes for the postoffice department, pays \$50 a month, the carrier to furnish will conduct an examination Saturday his own horse and vehicle. He is permitmorning of applicants for positions as ted, however, to do an express business carriers on routes to be established out on his own account and many carriers of Fort Worth. The examination will be have found profitable business in the de-

Applicants must pass tests in reading None of the routes from Fort Worth, it and writing and furnish evidence of good is said, will be longer than twenty-four character in order to be eligible to ap- miles and can easily be covered in six hours a day.

IMPORTANCE NOT REALIZED

rural routes out of Fort Worth. Inspec- the importance of these routes," said a carriers can be secured. An attempt to the country, for they hasten the develop-The deal was concluded yesterday by Saturday failed on account of a scarcity nection between it and the city closer. day will be the last announced, it is said them established and aid the farmers in over into Alabama and, being a slick and the desire for rural delivery in Tar- their efforts. It is to be hoped that talker, he soon formed quite a large colrant county may be disappointed unless enough applicants for places as carriers In other counties the position of rural nation."

## PHONE EXCHANGE FOR THROCKMORTON STREET

of Eleventh and Throckmorton streets All material not now on the ground is in vesterday from W. J. Bailey for \$5,500. shipment, according to Mr. McElroy, but They will be the site for the telephone tracers are being used to find it. exchange building on which Vice Presi. The Fort Worth Telephone Company is dent F. B. McElroy of the company says one of the numerous independent conwork will begin in sixty days.

time to get the lines in." THREE-STORY BUILDING

phone company.

THREE STREETS COMPLETED southside. They are Kentucky, Louisiana plans for them are under consideration.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS Lillian S. Thompson to O. B. Quarles, lot 6, block 4, Goldsmith's sub-division, and 14, block 2, R. M. Page addition. \$1,200.

J. W. Goldsmith to Lillian S. Thompson, the same property, \$250. James D. Farmer et ux to T. T. Thomuson, lot 24, block 8, M. G. Ellis' addition,

R. L. James et ux to Elisha Meyer, lot ), block 9, M. G. Ellis' addition, \$300. H. B. Herd to W. B. King, lot 14, block 75, North Fort Worth, \$1,250.

J. D. Farmer et ux to W. B. King, lots

2, 13 and 14 and south half of lots 3 and acres Thomas Akers' survey, \$1,250.

"The exchange will be in operation in every state in the union and then coabout seven months," said Mr. McElroy operating in establishing toll lines to comthis morning. "It will take that length of pete with Bell Company throughout the that the Fort Worth Company will build The exchange building will be a three- several toll lines and will have connecstory brick structure, 40 by 74 feet. It tion with all other Texas cities in a walked every foot of the way for 200 Pittsburg ...... 22 will face on Throckmorton street and short time, as well as with Kansas City will be occupied exclusively by the Tele- and intervening points. The line from and there is also a line for some dis-Mr. McElroy said this morning that tance south from Kansas City. The con- the river and buried in Texas soil, and San Diego ...... 48 street and work will probably begin as poles were up on three streets on the necting links can be put in easily and above their graves, at his own expense, Santa Fe ...... 22

12, block 10, North Fort Worth, \$1,350, N. L. Belden to A. Sandegard, lots 13 again."

Sam Rosen to Mrs. Minnie M. Walls. lot 23, block 10, Rosen Heights, \$200. William Lahey to Peter Howard, 50x 125 feet, block 5, Van Zandt addition, \$359. Ed M. Wray to B. K. Coffman, lot 2. block 92, city, \$3,000; Grove and Fifth

Smithfield (old town) 11/2 acres, \$200. lis' addition. part block 30, Edwards' heir addi \$410.

## NEGRO'S SCHEME TO MAKE MONEY

1110 Main Street A Phone 850-3 r

ESTABLISHES A COLONY OF HIS OWN RACE IN MEXICO

gin at 10 o'clock, either at the postoffice livery of packages to farmers along their And Then Leaves Them-He Has Them Plant a Large Crop of Cotton-He Pockets Receipts and Then Ships Out

Smither of New York and other capital- and they will probably be established if great advantage both to the city and to man reporter. "The late Colonel Jesse the Ohio valley. W. Sparks was for many years the Amerihold an examination for applicants last ment of the country and make the con- can consul at the port of Cuidad, Por- outlook for Fort Worth vicinity with firio Diaz, Mexico. Along some time in colder Thursday, but probably clearing in George B. Loving & Co. of Fort Worth. of applicants. The examination Satur- Other cities take a live interest in having the '80s a 'nigger' named Eliis went the late afternoon. ony of negroes to go with him to Tallilu- last twenty-four hours-minimum and enough applicants appear for the tests. | will appear Saturday to enable an exami- la, Mexico, where he set them to work | maximum temperature, wind in miles per draining off a large lake, which he plant- hour at 8 a. m. and rainfall in inches: ed in cotton. He worked the negroes like peons and when the crop was gathered and marketed, he pocketed the Abilene ...... 42 money and skipped out, leaving them Amarillo ...... 22 there in a starving condition, about 200 Atlanta ...... 38 miles from the Texas border. Many of Bismarck ..... 2 them died, and those who could do so Chicago ...... 24 made their way on foot back to the Cincinnati ..... 24 United States, most of them coming Corpus Christi .. 56 The Fort Worth Telephone Company and Hattie streets. Some delay is being through Porfirio Diaz, and calling on Col- Denver ...... 16 bought two lots at the northeast corner caused by delays in shipment of material. onel Sparks for relief. The old man was Detroit ....... 20 a typical southern gentleman of the old El Paso ...... 38 school and never failed to hit a negro Fort Worth .... 48 for his impudence, nor to help him out Galveston ...... 50 of trouble. Among the last of the ne- Jacksonville .... 46 groes to come straggling in was a very Kansas City .... 26 aged couple who had sold their cabin in Memphis ...... 30 Alabama and followed their grandchildren Mobile ...... 42 with Ellis to the wonderful El Dorado of Modena ...... 20 the west. When they reached the con New Orleans .... except an old corn sack, tied on with Palestine ...... 48 strings. Old Jack and Aunt Dinah had Phoenix ...... 38 miles. Jack died in about one hour after St. Louis ...... 26 reaching the consul's office, and Aunt St. Paul ...... Sherman to Vinita, I. T., is complete now Dinah only lived two days. Colonel Salt Lake City ... 20 Sparks had their bodies carried across San Antonio .... 48 he placed a plain little slab bearing the inscription, Here lie two good, old time TO SEE DEMONSTRATION IN darkies; we will never see their like

No torture to that of a rheumatic. Prescription No. 2851, by Elmer & Amend, quickest relief of all.

E. F. SCHMIDT, Houston, Texas, Sole Agent.

Hazel Salve that is made from the pure, The men made to sell.

## Weather Conditions

RAY, The Up-to-Date Stove Man

Observer George Reeder issued the following report of the weather conditions

this morning: The moderate storm disturbance noted vesterday morning in the extreme souththe resultant features are sharply drawn; Kansas and the Panhandle of Texas; rain throughout the greater portion of Texas and the territories, while the cloudy and threatening rain area extends eastward "That reminds me," said a house mem- across the southern states to the Atlantic. ber yesterday in a group of men who The temperature is 32 in the Panhandle and 60 along the coast. The coldest weath-

Rain and disagreeable weather is the

WEATHER RECORD Following is the weather record for the

Temperature. Min. Max. Wind. fall. Stations-

## DOMESTIC SCIENCE METHODS

The domestic science department of the Woman's Club invite their friends and all persons interested in improved home living to a demonstration by Miss Belden in the rooms of the department near the corner of Fifteenth and Main street, Friday afternoon, between the hours of 3 and 6. In addition to the demonstration by G. G. Wilkinson et ux to W. M. Hale, ing. itching and protruding piles, cuts, Miss Belden, there will be a luncheon pre-Smithfield (old town) 1½ acres, \$200. burns, bruises, eczema and all abrasions pared by the pupils showing the character of the pupils showing the pupils showing the character of the pupils showing the character of the pupils showing the pup unadulterated witch hazel—all others are counterfeits. De Witt's Witch Hazel erintendent Hogg, the officers and chair-James B. Googins to W. B. King, lots 1, H. R. Whyte to George H. Whyte, 10 Salve is made to cure—counterfeits are men of the sections of the Department Club are specially invited.

#### BIG CROWD ATTENDS COLONIAL PARTY

The colonial party given by Annie Carter Lee chapter, Children of the Con-

federacy, last night in the rooms of the Confederate Veterans in the courthouse, young folks and the director, Miss Melton. The attendance ran up into the hundreds and the late comers had to be content with standing in the hall or around the windows on the outside. The decorations were as patriotic as the occasion demanded, flags and the national colors blending with the "stars and bars" loved and fought for by the forefathers of the young folks of the society.

The program opened with a grand march participated in by all the members of the chapter, and was followed by a minuet danced by eight couples, one of the dancers being a "gentleman of the old school," in queue and knee breeches, who joined with enthusiasm in the frolic of the children, notwithstanding his more than three score years and ten.

The entire membership of the chapter was dressed in the costume of their fore-

Dudley Tarlton impersonated "The Father of His Country," and Elizabeth Hovenkamp, his good wife, Martha. After the program, ice cream and cake was served and the young people danced for a while as the close of their very

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tive title of the novel in Ainslee's for

March. The author is Kate Jordan (Mrs.

by Prince Vladimir Vaniatsky, is a pleas-

every third line. "How Men Propose,"

by Dorothy Dix, will tickle all women

pecially the unmarried ones, to find out

Henry, whose strong and original narra-

tive talent is displayed in various maga-

zines from month to month, appears in

Palm." It is a bully story. Lucia Cham-

berlain is diverting and witty in "Cas-

silly's Heat,' the tale of a San Francisco

is from Henri Lavedan, and is a curi-

whose whole career was dominated by a

"Cherchez La Femme." The best of it is

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Besides these, there are a dozen other

HOW TO GET RID OF A LOVER

Our esthetic friend, Edmund Russell,

Keep him broke by means of theater

Always wear a dirty flannel saeque and

Insist upon his taking you to supper

Frequently speak with contempt of

men who lack the money-making faculty.

Remark often that you were never in-

Pencil your eyebrows and put on plenty

Prove to him by figures that no young

LITTLE TELEGRAMS

The forests of South Africa are com-

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FORT WORTH, TEXAS, FEB. 25, 1903.

Standard oil stock continues to go right on up in spite of congress' antitrust legislation.

may not be grafters, but by being of? The whole agricultural problem is there they throw themselves liable to an open book to him, and if he were of judgeships is to provide by law that that suspicion.

would stand no show in a war with out, buy a few acres of ground-any- ington.-Dallas News. Germany. No wonder his wife is su- kind of ground would do-and become ing for divorce.

Speaker Neff predicts a short session for the legislature. The lobby- ment that he has been informed that ists predict a long session. Our money there is not a United States consul in in Galveston correspondence to eastern is on the lobbyists to win.

The Shah of Persia is quoted as be any representatives down there. ing anxious to visit America. We hope he will come and bring every one of his 410 wives with him.

Joe Chamberlain's position down in newspaper. Africa trying to smooth it over with the Boers is very much like that of the man who puts a No. 10 boot on your corns and then says "excuse me."

failure of Senator Hanna's pet meas-Trinity that it will take years to over- at the proper moment, brings forth the taxation. It is founded upon ignorance of the leading features of the Peck's Bad

that will issue policies only on Chris- on the floor of the house. tians. It is needless to say this is not a fire insurance company.

the joy possible out of the prospect of smashed on the rocks off the coast of an S. & S. packing house in that city. Six months from now you won't made Mr. Fordney even more earnest in be able to extract a smile from the his argument. He reached a feverish most frivolous citizen of the Trinity comparison as to the objections raised city on that subject.

closest the furnace door in the next the map of the world." doesn't provide flagmen enough to with a whoop. prevent the constantly recurring grade crossing horrors, or the hotel proprietor who permits his guests to where he talks with many colleagues of go to sleep in a fire-trap?

ple have decided to add another story ruary sheet of an enormous calendar in to their six-story building now under his hand, stood up to request an agreeconstruction at Fifth and Main streets. If they are attempting to keep pace cussion, still remaining on the democrat- ployes, for such a course would have the with Fort Worth's growth and the in- ic side of the senate, but he talked in a appearance of charity. But let him reccrease in value of real estate in this manner, they might as well build a sixteen-story skyscraper at once and Mr. Hoar in a thin voice, which was great value of those services and would be done with it.

The next time the President asks ter at the sally. Littlefield for an anti-trust bill the Maine congressman will, no doubt, have a previous engagement. Work- when he was in the west. One of them be. Still the senate is not convinced that ing all summer and fall and part of was that a cattleman is a great fellow, a change is desirable. It prefers to tack the winter on a measure, only to have and that a sheep rancher is of no earth- all sorts of legislation upon appropriation it summarily turned down and himsuch matters.

It is very much to the credit of the Democrats in Delaware that they are a sheep man." fighting Addicks almost as actively as sharply; "it isn't fair to appeal to my sue, cloth of gold or silver, to prevent its Chicago Man—Sure. It's the Masonic be used to determine the work done by are sand a Republicant of production in that way."

a man of this sort is repudiated by a AMONG EXCHANGES portion of his party, he is given encouragement and support by the organization of the opposite political NOS. 1010 AND 1012 HOUSTON STREET the case. Addicks is such a reproach Telegram. obliterated in the effort to bury him.

#### ALL KINDS

tors who could settle that Venezuelan terminus. Railroads unload and recontrouble in three days. We know some sign an shipments that come here. who will do up a first-class job for 50 per cent of the fee in advance. But darn ye!" are the introductory words of they are modest and we will not call the Panther City man.-Dallas Timestheir names. -Bonham Favorite.

These are the same editors who watch out for the army engineers when town in Texas. Such an expression they are preparing to make a report would be simply impossible for even the on the feasibility of making streams navigable in Texas, and often declare Herald. that the engineers do not know what they are talking about. We have diplomats, civil engineers, metallurgists, political economists, agriculturists, business men and statesmen on the lot will do. But there must be a snagpress of Texas .- Dallas News.

This is the fourth time the Dallas News has said something of this kind, Herald. and it is beginning to dawn on us that pear in the columns of The Fort Worth it may be intended for sarcasm. At Telegram will be gladly corrected upon first we thought it a genuine tribute to the all-round capability of the Texas editor, and we were glad. But now- extravagance of the present judicial syswell just imagine our feelings. It is tem of Texas brought up such a cry that lish what you said. horrible. Referring, however, to the ing to cut down the judicial districts. special knowledge of the editor, did it Everywhere the necessity for reduction ever strike you as at all humorous was realized, but practical politics prethat the News has a \$14.00 a week par- vented its accomplishment. And now, agrapher who can tell the farmers of dollars being thrown away annually the Kansas City Journal. the state more about their business legislature is going right along creating All the hangers-on down at Austin than they themselves ever dreamed new districts and adding to this extravnot so loyal to his employers, and con- each county must pay the salaries of its vinced that his duty to the farmer lay own judges. To the creation of new pub-Poultney Bigelow says this country in sticking to his desk, he could go independently rich in a few seasons.

> A magazine writer makes the state- every undertaking of merit must be South America that remains sober af- papers that Government Engineer ter midnight. Wonder if Texas has Ritchie is now engaged in the prepara-

A newspaper all smeared with advertisements on the front page ought to be sold at cut rates. It is only part fords and bridges, every strategic posi- be given in Greenwall's opera-house

### WASHINGTON DAY BY DAY

A pie, a nice custard uie, a la Restaurateur Page, constitutes the daily lunch, or the piece de resistance thereof, for Dallas hopes are centered in the pasRepresentative Sibley of Pennsylvania. Representative Sibley of Pennsylvania. Representative Sibley of Pennsylvania. Representative Sibley of Pennsylvania. page of the ship subsidy bill. The Every afternoon when his stalwart form is let down to the restaurant floor in one and manhood enough to stand up in fa- and George Barlow, than whom there is of the light running elevators and his vor of what is just and right and wipe no better man for the part, will play the another man is of the party. are will be a blow to navigation in the shadow crosses the threshold, the waiter, fat pie. Mr. Sibley tolerates nothing but and class prejudice and should have no Boy company is the famous travesty sexmilk and eggs on his custard pie. It must be builded broad and deep, and lightened days.-Paris Morning News. It is to be hoped no more warships there must be a brown tint on its surwill visit the shores of Texas again face, which the chef in the bowels of the soon. It is too hard on the legisla- capitol, where the cooking is done, knows well how to make. A thin steel knife tors. Many a good poker game was carves the creation into four equal parts, state in which to locate and make a Interrupted by that Galveston junket- and the Pennsylvanian is soon ready for

Of course, Mr. Sibley doesn't eat all of the big pie himself. There is generally The Rev. C. M. Sheldon is at the a friend or two along with him, and all head of a movement at Topeka, Kan- of them make a large hole in the pie besas to establish an insurance company fore chairs are pushed back and Mr. Sibley is again ready to resume his duties

Representative Fordney, the champion raconteur of the house, was arguing earnestly in behalf of American registry Now is the time for Dallas to get all for the good ship Mira, which has been Nova Scotia. There was opposition on the part of some republicans, and that and the benefits that would accrue.

"Why, Mr. Speaker," said he, "the objections raised here to the passage of Which will be entitled to a seat this bill don't amount to a fly-track on

A laugh went around the mahogany the railroad magnate who desks, and Mr. Fordney's bill passed

Senator Aldrich is occasionally active nothing. on the democratic side of the chamber. that political faith, here and there among the seats, or back on the red upholstered sofas. That was the case the densome income by increasing the pay The Fort Worth National bank peo- other day, when Mr. Quay, with the Feb- of those who are the instruments of his ment for a vote on the statehood bill. Soon Mr. Aldrich broke into the dis-

> "The statements of democrats on the other side of the chamber," interposed as would be commensurate with the nevertheless clearly audible, "are not also serve to decrease the embarrassheard over here."

Senators shook their sides with laugh-

President Roosevelt absorbed many of so long as there is a persistent minority, party." the likes and dislikes of the ranchers no matter how small that minority may y use to himself or to anybody else.

A few days ago a Montana man was pernicious way rather than adopt rules self cast out from the ring, is calcu- here backing another Montana man for that would end profitless discussions. lated to dampen one's enthusiasm in an office. The president told him that There are many things that need changhe could do nothing for him, as he had ing in the senate and determined to appoint still another Mon- struction is one of them .- Philadelphia tana man to the place.

"Why," sald the visitor, "that man is

Houston sends out a story that two car loads of Paul Jones rye whisky passed faith in order to create division among through that city this week en route to its opponents. In Delaware this is not California. Sounds faky .- Fort Worth

Passed through at night at full speed; to decency that party lines have been but the shippers didn't dare route the consignment through Fort Worth, even with these precautions.-Houston Chron-

Can't route things through Fort Worth. There are just lots of Texas edi- This point isn't a way station; it is a

> "I'm from Fort Worth. Now grunt, Herald.

Fort Worth people use the purest Englowest citizen of the city. Some Dallas man must be trying to fool the Times-

Every town in Texas should have its snagboat. Can't get water freight rates the car."-Chicago Record-Herald. without one. If there is no creek to moor it in, a duck pond or even a vacant boat.-Fort Worth Telegram.

The Telegram will soon be entitled to first place in the anvil chorus.-Denison

The anvil chorus is preferable to the mourners' bench.

REFORMING THE JUDICIARY It has been only a short time since the the legislature spent several months trywith already too many and thousands of agance .- Weatherford Democrat.

One way to prevent the multiplication the poor. Music is such an aid to digeslic offices there is no end. It is growing tion, you know!-New York Weekly. worse all the time, especially in Wash-

LARGE, IF IT INCLUDES TEXAS

All things for Texas must be large to be in accord with universal fitness, and wide-out and generous. This reflection was caused by the recent announcement tion of a military map of the state of

REPEAL OCCUPATION TAX LAW in the legislature in favor of repealing best farce comedy that will be seen here there will be members with backbone ural-born bad boy, will play the title role the limit. out such an unjust and unequal system of part of Schultz the German grocer. One place on our statute books in these en- tet, presenting a short travesty on "Flo-

SOME TEXAS EYE-OPENERS

If the homeseeker of the old states night 10, 20, 30, 50 cents. home the last census report would give nim a good idea of the best place to locate. According to the report of the last census, Texas farm lands were valued at less than an average of \$6 per acre. In 1899 all Texas products, all products of farm animals, etc., amounted to \$239,823,-244. More than one-third as much as all the farming lands in Texas were valued

STRENUOUS DEMANDS OF SOCIETY Numerous cases of nervous breakdown among women in New York and Washington, including the wives of the president and the attorney general, call attention to the overstrenuous life not only of wealthy women, but of well to do. If there were pleasure in this dreary round called "gay" there would be more excuse for it. But there is none. The same people meet day after day, compare notes of the last ball or dinner and drearily speculate upon the next, exhibit their jewels and gowns and yearn for Lent, which will be a travesty upon its origin and merely a period of rest and preparation for new toils that come to

WHY NOT RAISE WAGES?

The world is waiting for a multimil-Honaire who is willing to lessen his bursuccess. Let him do what he pleases with his surplus accumulations. It would not be in every sense agreeable to see him bestow it as a gratuity on his emognize the past and present services of his helpers by such an increase in wages ment of riches.-Kansas City Star.

WHERE A MINORITY RULES

bills and beat around the bush in that lous ob | Philadelphia Press. Inquirer.

The filmsy paper called tissue paper heard that you Chicago people have a "Now, see here," replied the president, was originally made to place between tis- corner on wind. fraying or tarnishing when folded

### ALLEGED HUMOR

A FRANK ASSURANCE The star-Didn't you think I was really

THE FORT WORTH TELEGRAM.

The soubrette-Why, of course! I never suspected you of acting.

WELL SEASONED The rural groom-Some folks said it was rather late in the day when we got

The waggish porter-But you shouldn't object to that; they might have said 'season" instead of "day."

IN KENTUCKY "The colonel consults his wife about everything.'

"So I believe. Allus tells her who he's goin' to shoot and what for."

SUSPICIOUS

"There's something strange about that nan." said the clerk at the sleeping car window. "I wonder if it wouldn't be lish and most chaste language of any well to tell the conductor to watch him, so that he'll be prepared if anything hap-

> "Why?" asked the station master. "I didn't notice anything queer about him." "But you weren't near enough. He tought an upper berth without first asking for a lower one near the middle of

BUDDING ARTISTIC GENIUS "Yes, our George is so fond of art!" "Indeed!"

"Yes. Why, he can remember all the pictures that go with the patent medicine advertisements and tell just where each belongs."-Cleveland Plain Dealer.

LITERALLY EXACT

saying anything.

The politician-Now, don't quote me as

The reporter-Oh, no! I'll simply pub-THE IDEAL HUSBAND

She-Gertrude says she will never mar-

ry until she finds her ideal. He-What is her ideal? She-Oh, any man who will ask her .-

ANOTHER TENDER HEART

copies of Beethoven's symphonies among

Clara-coing in for charity again, are ou? What is it this time? Dora-We are going to distribute cheap

OF COURSE

"Is he poor?" "Poor? Why, he's a titled foreigner," -Detroit Free Press.

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the supervision of Colonel Ritchie. It chairs) while laughing at the perform- ed 87 various ways to do it, Here are vertising. "L do not believe," said a ordinance. will show every stream in the state, its ance of "Peck's Bad Boy," which will a few he omitted: tion, every highway whether public or Thursday matinee and night, Feb. 26. tickets, cabs and marrons glaces. private which can be used for troops The matinee curtain will rise at 3:15 to Eat raw onions at every meal. and every railroad and the sidings there- give the school children a chance to witness the matinee, and at night at 8:15. have dirty finger-nails when you receive This piece of American humor is an him. everlasting favorite, and inclusive with Talk baby talk to him when you are in There seems to be a strong sentiment the strong line of specialties will be the a crowded street car. catchy act ever seen on a stage. The riage is a good establishment, with a of awful suffering and when all other owner's agent or person in rodora." This is the prettiest and most matinee prices at 10, 20, 30 cents, and butler, a personal maid, and a carriage

### WHITELAW REID'S DAUGHTER



MISS JEAN REID

Among the fair debutantes of this sea-

son is Miss Jean Reid, daughter of White .

law Reid, newspaper man and statesman.

A GOOD THING

you've got such a nice teacher.

Uncle John-That's right.

temple ---

Willie-Yes; she's teh best ever.

NEVER TOUCHED HIM

ortogo Tribune

Uncle John-I'm glad to hear you say

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point of landing of the French troops, has been accepted. least injurious of alcoholic drinks are is eau de cologne, which wrecks the March 15. health of many women.

Italy needs a new university. The Institute di Studi Superiori of Florence has al limit for return March 15. four times as many students as it had in 1872 and it is now proposed to convert this into a university.

Umbrella bearers are shown in ancient sculptures at Persepolis, where a king 's This picture shows Miss Reid as she ap- depicted in royal state attended by a fly A majority cannot rule in the senate peared shortly before her "coming-out flapper and an umbrella man. In Persia royalty.

> THE ONE WHO DARED "I am the most important thing around know why that puny gasoline stove is good alike for young and old. Willie-Yes; she gets sick every other putting on airs."

week or so an' there ain't no school .-- "Perhaps it has a right," said the coal scuttle: "It is the only thing in this house that dares to blow up the cook."-Fhiladelphia Record.

Satirical New Yorker-I have always A pressure record attached to the row each oarsman

# In Extraflusband, GBY HARRIET MONROE, D

notable for intense dramatic quality and his early experiences on the circuit, when hdelity of characterization. In scene-set- Arizona was the happy hunting grounds about six or eight months, I should say ting this novel is peculiarly attractive. of bandits, Indians, "greasers" and mil-The earlier parts of the story are laid in itant, cowboys, with a few peaceful citithe familiar purlieus of New York society and the latter in the environment of to lay the foundations of civilization. she lit out," the American colony in Paris. In the One of his tales was the story of a suit same number is a most amusing and for divorce-or, rather for the annulment yer, chipper little play by Caroline Duer, 'The of a marriage-tried before him in those

sophical in a paper on "The Sublime Art the overmarried; they made it easy for a breezes." of Pleasing Actors." A new writer with gentleman that had dropped his spouse, a gift of fun, decidedly full and original, for one reason or another, in the States lawyer, who must have been a tenderis David Barton, who contributes a story, to find a more congenial household deity foot. "An Obstacle to Marriage." It is one of in the wilds. After specifying all posthe most laughable bits of fiction pub- sible causes-from brutality to incomlished in many days. Charles Battell patibility of temper-as sufficient for a Loomis, in "My Authors' Beading," gives legal divorce, the accommodating law a valuable hint to the man that finds he's added: "Or for such other cause as the

forgotten his latchkey and is in a quan- judge, in his discretion, may determine." dary as to where to spend the night. But the suit in question was brought "Parsifal,' by Guy Wetmore Carryl, is a for a reason which even the church would quaint, pretty love story of an American consider sufficient. The plaintiff, a rich, girl abroad. George Horton, author of middle-aged mine owner, alleged that the "Like Another Helen," and other good defendant had another husband living. novels, is in evidence with a virile story The defendant, a frowsy and slightly of Chicago people, "Miss Black's Affin- damaged lady of forty or less, wiked a riage to the mine owner, her attorney reity." It reads like a page from the ilfe bit when her husband's lawyer preferred quested her to turn her eyes upon Timchronicles of the middle west metropo- this charge and regained her poise when othy. lis. "The Subjugation of Ekrim Pasha," her own denied it. But when the former called one Timothy Royce to the wit- he asked. ing story of a love affair in diplomatic ness stand she started and fixed her circles. Oscar King Davis offers "How beadlike eyes upon the tall, loose-jointed, Molly Joined, 'a tale full of sentiment lanky southwesterner that came forward a proud man, well filled out an' lively: and the spirit of war. A most ingenious from a corner of the courtroom to take no such good-fur-nothin' bag-o'-bones as

little skit is "Sound and Fury," by S. H. the chair. Peters. There are not more than a couple | When the witness had confessed his of pages of it, and there is a laugh in name and age-"Do you know this lady?" inquired the plaintiff's lawyer. "Waal, I thought I knew her twenty readers. The men ought to read it, es- years ago," the witness drawled.

"How well did you know her?" "She was my wife," said Timothy, thar cowboy-what's his name?-that was how they ought not to propose. Olivier confronting the angry, beadlike eyes. "May I trouble you to bok carefully at the lady? Are you sure that she was But his opponent on the cross-examina-Ainslee's with "The Shamrock and the your wife?"

'She ain't so purty as she was. She's a little the worse for wear, but it's the sleigh ride. The translation this month same woman. "Please tell the story of your mar-

ously tender and simple story of a man riage," said the lawyer, "Waal, they ain't much to tell," said supreme dread. "A Lecture," by Helena Timothy. "Her mother kept a boarding-M. Livingstone, touches lightly and with house at a camp down near Bisbee, an' women was scarce in them days, an' I

tery story of New Orleans life, called was to it, I guess." HALF A CENTURY

A Prominent Politician Is Convinced At a recent club dinner given by news- and prohibiting the use of water closets aper men at Washington, the conversa- and urinaries connected with the depots tion turned upon the subject of testi- of the city of Fort Worth, Texas, at being done at San Antonio, but is under and the fat will lean (on the arms of rid of a lover and has already enumeration of Colored Division of Co prominent pelitician who was present, Be it ordained by the city council of "that one newspaper testimonial in a the city of Fort Worth as follows:

hundred is genuine.

cian's satisfaction. Cut him out of the conversation when selected. He had been completely cured with some passenger or employe of said of a case of hemorrhoids, or piles, by the railroad company.

married couple can live decently on less borough's answer: this town, a man nearly eighty years of such persons who are at such depol age, and who has been a sufferer with awaiting the arrival or departure of piles for, perhaps half a century has been trains. from Mexico in 1902 65,213 cattle, 2,776 Pile Cure. I felt especially interested in lating the provisions of the foregoing or dation that Mr. Young began the use of demeanor, and on conviction thereof shall the remedy after having used so many be fined in any sum not exceeding twenothers. Yours respectfully, Geo. W. ty-five dollars. posed principally of stunted and guarled

Scarborough, Ph. G." The Pyramid Drug Company of Marshall, Mich., have this letter in their posthe activities. Darkness is supposed to session and are willing to guarantee with genuineness of Mr. Scarborough's testi-

is the Blake victory medal, struck in 1683. It is of gold, oval in shape and its A Weak Stomach causes a weak body and invites disease. Wax is not gathered from flowers nor Kodol Dyspepsia Cure cures and strengthfrom any other source, but is a natural ens the stomach, and wards off and oversecretion of the bees and is only pro- comes disease. J. B. Taylor, a promi duced by them during heavy honey flows. nent merchant of Chriesman, Tex., says: 'I could not eat because of a weak stom-Illinois ranks first among the states in ach. I lost all strength and was run down the manufacture of agricultural implein weight. All that money could do was ments, bicycles, cars, glucose and dis- done, but all hope of recovery vanished. tilled liquors, and in slaughtering and Hearing of some wonderful cures effected by use of Kodol, I concluded to try it. P. Martini's design for the Admiral de The first bottle benefited me, and after Ternay monument, to be erected on the taking four bottles I am funy restored to my usual strength, weight and health. shore of Newport harbor, at the actual

Special Rates Via M., K. and T. \$10.60 to Galveston and return, account According to Dr. Baudran of Paris the Scottish Rite reunion and ceremonial service of the Mystic Shrine. Tickets on sale cider and beer, while the most injurious March 7 and 8; final limit for return April 30 one-way "colonist" tickets to \$9.05 to San Antonio and return, ac-

ount Woodmen of the World convention. Tickets on sale March 9 and 10; fin-T. T. McDONALD

City Ticket Agent, 906 Main street. One Minute Cough Cure gives relief in

causing the cough, and at the same time active livers, by arousing the sec clears the phlegm, draws out the in- moving the bowels gently, yet effects the umbrella is still an appendage of flammation and heals and soothes the and giving such tone and strength to affected parts. One Minute Cough Cure glands of the stomach, liver and bo strengthens the lungs, wards off pneu- that the cause of the trouble is re monia and is a harmless and never fall- entirely. These famous little pills ing cure in all curable cases of Coughs, a decided tonic effect upon the or Colds and Croup. One Minute Cough involved, and if their use is continu here," said the big range; "I'd like to Cure is pleasant to take, harmless and a few days there will be no return of

The judge had many stories to tell of | "How long did you live together?" The witness paused to reflect. "Oh

"Did you see her again?" said the law-

"Yaas, I went to her mother's an' tried to persuade her to come back, but she'd once humorous, incisive and mildly philo- The Arizona statutes were indulgent to had enough of it, so I just punched the "Punched the breezes!" exclaimed the

> "Yaas-vamoosed, skedaddled, skipped the ranch," the witness explained. "Was there ever a divorce?"

"Never." "Have you ever married again?"

"Not on yer life," said Timothy; "one job o' that kind was enough fur me." The cross-examination failed to shake this testimony, so the fair defendant was called to the stand. After she had given her latest name, made an ineffectival dash at her age and confessed her mar-

"Were you ever married to this man?"

"Never," she exclaimed, resentfully "My first husband was a handsome man

ain't." "State how you know of his death."

prouded the lawyer. "I was told he died and believed he died," said the lady. "An' I married the; killed by a greaser."

"Do I have to answer that question,

RÍ

"That will do," said the lady's lawyer.

"Yes," said the ruthless embodiment of

"Well, then-five or six times." The unchivalrous judge was obliged to decide for the plaintiff, and the fair defendant as she saw the mine owner and that delighted in scorning the conven- fell in love with her an' married her an' his gold departing without so much as a

pots of the city of Fort Worth, Texas,

Section 1. It shall hereafter be unlaw-The owner of one of the largest news- ful for any person to loiter around and papers in the country was present and about any passenger depot or railroad took up the subject vigorously, finally station in the city of Fort Worth, Texas, agreeing to let his opponent select any and all persons shall be considered as testimenial in his paper and wagering to loiterers and idlers who may be aroun establish its genuineness to the politi- and upon the premises and who are not there as passengers or intending to be-Quite by accident the case of Mr. New- come passengers, or upon business conton K. Young, of Pennington, N. J., was nected with such railroad companies, or

use of Pyramid Pile Cure. The politician | Section 2. It shall hereafter be unlawwas especially skeptical regarding this ful for any person to use the privies, wacase, as it was alleged that Mr. Young ter closets, toilets or urinaries of any dewas a man over eighty years of age and pot or railroad station in the city of Fort had been cured of piles after fifty years Worth, Texas, without the consent of the the politician should write to Mr. Geo. the provisions hereof shall not apply to W. Scarborough, Ph. G., a prominent the employes engaged at such depot or resident of Pennington and that the re- station building nor to passengers or persuit of the controversy should rest upon sons who may be at such depot intending his reply. The following was Mr. Scar- to become passengers or to those who may be at such depot on any matter of 'Dear Sir: Mr. Newton K. Young of business with the railroad company or to

Section 3. Any person or persons vio

Section 4. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and ten days publication, as

Filed Feb. 6, 1903. JNO. T. MONTGOMERY,

Feb. 6, 1903. JNO. T. MONTGOMERY, City Secretary.

Recorded in Ordinance Book D, Page 634, Feb. 16, 1903. JNO. T. MONTGOMERY,

City Secretary. This ordinance not having been approved nor disapproved by the mayor

within three days after its passage, as

required by the charter, it takes effect the same as if approved. JNO. T. MONTGOMERY, City Secretary.

SPECIAL HOUSTON AND TEXAS CEN-TRAL RATES We are now selling and will sell unti-

certain California points for \$25. For further information call, phone address, W. R. SMITH, C. P. & T. A.

Hotel Worth. Phone 431

De Witt's Little Early Risers do I

one minute, because it kills the microbe gripe nor weaken the system. They which tickles the mucous membrane, biliousness, jaundice, constipation and

Transfer, Storage, Packing

Timothy smiled and murmured, "No. 1

tion, cruelly asked the witness how "Sure!" 'said Timothy, confidently, many times she had been married. judge?" asked the lady, appealing to the gallantry of the court.

tions. James L. Bliss contributes a mys- tuk her home. That's about all there good-by was left to meditate upon the ORDINANCE NO. 859 An ordinance prohibiting persons from loitering and idling in and around the de-

required by law.

City Secretary. Passed under suspension of the rules,

#### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* MONEY SENT AWAY

boes not build up our town. Why not buy Queen Quality starch and thereby keep you. money at home.

Your grocer keeps it and will tell you how to save 10 per cent hy using Queen Quality Starch. Manufactured by

Queen Quality Starch Company, Fort Worth, Texas.

# THE CITY

THE WEATHER

o noon; colder Thursday.

Nash Hardware Co. El Paso Times: H. Marx of Fort Worth die. is at the Sheldon.

Riessing's Studio, Sixth and Houston. M. A. Williams, Thomas R. Heall and

Dr. Abdill, dentist, Columbia building. the city last night.

Denison Herald: Mrs. James Lattimore authorities. of Fort Worth is in the city on business. Miss Minnie Batton has returned home

night. Ladies free, gentlemen 50 cents. Mabel Humphreys.

Roy & Leffler, practical jewelers, 602 right wrist and into his abdomen. Main street. Work called for and delivered. Phone 1536.

Fort Worth police. They are believed to Worth. have gone to Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McElrov of Pecos. Texas, were in the city today on their way home from Vermont, where they nent cattleman of the Pecos country.

Mrs. Dan Waggoner of Decatur, widow

nurse in the Indian service. From among not to come with the two boys. those who pass a nurse will be selected for the Seger school in Oklahoma at a salary of \$600 a year.

to be given by the Missouri Avenue sion of the affair. dered. Admission free.

gave a smoker last night in its rooms in and he was shot in the encounter. the Dundee building, entertaining a large it was announced that another smoker ing to the city after the shooting. would be held Saturday night.

The members of the First Christian church will give a reception to their departing paster and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Chalmers McPherson, at the church on Sixth and Throckmorton streets, tonight. It will not be given by any one department of the church, but by the congregation and all the members and friends are invited to be present. No cards will be issued and all will be welcomed.

J. C. Cook and J. R. Harmon, who said they were telegraph operators from Dalhas, were fined \$1 and costs in the corporation court this morning for trespassing in the Texas and Pacific station. They were arrested there by Officer Holley at an early hour this morning. The arrests are the first that has been made under the new ordinance prohibiting loafing about the railroad stations.

All members of the Ladies' Aid Society and the Missionary Society of the First Baptist church are urgently requested to NEW STAMPS ON SALE meet in the parlors of the church at 3 P. m. next Friday.

Grand Ruler L. O. Harvey of the grand lodge of the Mystic Circle of Texas, attended the meeting of Fort Worth No.

### GREENWALL'S OPERA HOUSE

The Forever Favorite Musical Farce of Washington (1732-1799.) Comedy,

## PECK'S BAD BOY

Thursday matinee, and night at 8:15.

# TWO PLUCKY BOYS

REFUCO CRUTZE IS DESPERATELY WOUNDED, BUT ESCAPES

Finally Secured Early This Morning in a

Refuco Crutze, a Mexican, lies desperately wounded in the county jail, where he may die as the result of wounds received late last night in an encounter with two plucky boys at the J. D. Hagler farm, about eight miles from the city. Carrying a 45-caliber bullet that shate leaving a trail of blood from his two • The forecast until 8 p. m. Thurs- • wounds, the Mexican staggered almost day for Fort Worth and vicinity: seven miles to Fort Worth and finally, Tonight, rain; Thursday, rain ex- too weak to go any farther, crawled into cept probably clearing in late after- a tent near the Trinity river to die. He • was found there about 3 o'clock this morning by Sheriff Honea and two depu-• • • • ties. They brought him to the county jail and dressed the wounds. Crutze is still in a precarious condition and may

ATTEMPTED BURGLARY The two farm hands-one aged about

21 and the other 16-who brought news CARL SHREVE ASSAULTED IN ASSIGNMENT FOR MARCH TERM, Ed Britton of Thurber were in the city last night, tell a straightforward story of the shooting to the sheriff's office late of the affair.

They are employed on the Hagler farm 8. B. Fuller, Ford Bentley and M. V. and late last night, hearing a noise and Bentley, all of millsboro, were visitors in discovering the Mexican trying to go through the house, proceeded to capture J. W. Adams & Co., Feed, Fuel and him silently and quickly. They then Produce, 400 W. Weatherford. Phone 530. saddled their horses, put the Mexican on Max K. Mayer is in Paris, Texas, on a third and started for town with their burglar, intending to give him to the

When the lights of Fort Worth were seen the Mexican saw the purpose of the street in front of the Y. M. C. A. build- district courts for the northern district ride and, suddenly exclaiming "Take-a to ing, about 9 o'clock last Saturday night. sued today by J. B. Fink, deputy clerk. Parr's letter, but after a thorough search after a short visit with her aunt, Mrs. Fort Worth," slipped off his horse and He resisted them, but was knocked down It had not been expected to have the asattempted to drag down the older of and received injuries with which he was signment ready for publication before He then turned the letter over to Mar-Attend Prof. Foote's german Thursday the two young men, who was the only confined to his room Sunday and Monday. next Sunday, but Mr. Finks succeeded shall Howell of North Fort Worth. one armed. In the desperate scuffle Abilene Reporter: Miss Carrie Shugart which followed the Mexican trying to get course of the struggle gave Mr. Shreve ment four days earlier.

> LEFT HIM DYING Supposing they had killed the man, the

Then they galloped to town and notified the sheriff of the affair.

MEXICAN FLED When the sheriff, his two deputies and have visiting. Mr. McElroy is a promi- the two farm hands got back to the farm of the Y. M. C. A. building. One was be- No. 158, Mrs. Cornelia Adair vs. A. N. they found the Mexican had fled. started a search in the night for the trying to keep out of the mud. Mr. of the late Dan Waggoner of that place, 3 o'clock this morning, when he was of the two passed without saying anyarrived in the city last night, accompanied found in the tent near the river, half thing. The second asked Mr. Shreve for dead from exhaustion and his wounds. a match. How he managed to go as far as he did nounced that an examination will be held why he started directly for Fort Worth my cigar if you wish." in Fort Worth April 7 for the position of when he apparently was so determined

CRUTZE'S STORY ence at an evening with "Military Men." there managed to get the Mexican's ver- the "light" was being secured.

League at the parsonage, 713 Missouri Crutze claimed he was hunting for avenue, Friday, Feb. 27. Refreshments work and that arriving at the Hagler will be served and a short program ren- farmhouse two negroes invited him in. Afterward he started away and while on The Fort Worth Builders' Exchange the road to town two men held him up

The sheriff's force believes the story of number of friends. President S. A.Tom- the two young men and warmly comlinson was master of ceremonies. A num- mend them for the way in which they ber of speeches explaining the objects and acted, both in capturing the burglar purposes of the exchange were made and without bloodshed and in at once com-

Detective Zimmerman will try to get some information out of the Mexican this afternoon-that is, if the latter lives long enough.

|   | FAMILY LIQUORS AND WINES                |
|---|---|
| ı | gallon Claret 75                        |
| l | gallon Zinfandel\$1.0                   |
| 1 | gallon Sweet Catawba\$1.5               |
| 1 | gallon Port or Sherry\$2.0              |
|   | gallon Angelica or Tokay\$2.5           |
| 1 | gallon Imported Port\$3.0               |
| 1 | gallon Imported Sherry\$3.0             |
| 1 | gallon Green River Whisky \$3.5         |
| 1 | gallon Clark's Pure Rye\$4.0            |
| t | gallon Cedar Brook\$4.0                 |
| l | quart Green River\$1.0                  |
| 1 | dozen pint Beer\$1.2                    |
| t | dozen quart Beer\$2.0                   |
| ľ | dozen Domestic Ale and Porter \$1.2     |
| t | dozen Imported Ale and Porter \$2.2     |
|   | Eros delivery in the city Telephone 342 |

## AT THE POSTOFFICE

H. BRANN & CO.

Within the past few weeks three new office, including the famous "Martha fee-diseases when well made Postum derson et al. las. The meeting was largely attended. Washington," the first stamp ever issued in this country bearing the likeness home of C. A. Johnson at Jackson and the 2-cent, 5-cent and 8-cent stamps of Dinwiddle county, Va., writes: "Up to S. Witherspoon et al. Macon streets at 7 o'clock last night. the 2-cent, 5-cent and 8-cent stamps of a short time ago coffee had me a great the series of 1902. The reason they have been so long in getting to Fort Worth is sufferer from constipation, nervousness In the kitchen. the paper was burned that the local postoffice has been well and indigestion. About the middle of July S. Witherspoon et al. over the room, the damage amounting to supplied with the other kinds and the I quit coffee and began using Postum and government will furnish no new stamps ever since I have been improving. My

till the old ones are used up. and bears an engraving of Washington have induced several of my friends to The 2-cent stamp is carmine in color after the Gilbert portrait. Flags drape try it. You are at liberty to use this," either side of the picture and the stamp Name given by Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., Pacific Railway Company. Thursday, Feb. 26, Matinee and Night, bears the dates of the birth and death Battle Creek, Mich.

bears the dates of the birth and death of in if the use of even one cup a day is and Pacific Railway Company. Lincoln (1809-1865). On either side of continued. the head stand female figures holding

branches of laurels.

Alexander Hogg, superintendent of the body. Take away the cause organ organ of the body. Take away the cause organ organ organ organ or

## NEWSPAPERS CAN DO CAPTURE BURGLAR MOSTFORFORTWORTH

BY MAYOR T. J. POWELL

In my judgment the newspapers of Fort Worth can do as much if not . • more in the upbuilding of Fort Worth than any other agency. To do this, • · however, they should have the generous support of Fort Worth people in · • the way of advertising and home patronage and assistance generally.

A first-class up-to-date newspaper is the best advertisement any city • Tent Near North Fort Worth and ever had. It reaches more people and is read by more people and is read Brought to the County Jail, Where, It of for pamphlets describing it had been expended judiciously in the newspapers Is Thought, He Will Die-Has Queer • the results for Fort Worth would have been far greater.

Fort Worth is on the eve of a tremendous development. Its great rail-• way facilities and its unrivaled access to contiguous territory in Texas • · ought to bring to it the granaries, storehouses and manufactories of Texas · products, and this result can be hastened more rapidly by judicious and · liberal newspaper advertising than in any other way.

I understand that The Evening Telegram is preparing a special issue • · setting forth the advantages of Fort Worth. In the preparation of this · paper I bespeak for it from the citizens of Fort Worth a most liberal and . generous patronage in order that it may be made, as I have no doubt it will . be, the greatest advertising medium ever issued in Fort Worth. Hundreds tered his wrist and then entered as ab- throughout the country and I have no doubt that it will be the means of • of thousands of copies, if it meets expectations, should be sent broadcast . o domen, finally lodging in his back, and interesting thousands of people in the marvelous development of Fort Worth and Texas that is immediately in front of us.

WHICH BEGINS NEXT MONDAY

MONDAY, MARCH 9

TUESDAY, MARCH 10

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 11

THURSDAY, MARCH 12

No. 225. Andrew A. Blair et al. vs. D.

FRIDAY, MARCH 13

SATURDAY, MARCH 14

No. 242, Matador Land and Cattle Com-

MARCH 17; WEDNESDAY, MARCH 18

THURSDAY, MARCH 19

No. 247, Lula A. Murphy et al. vs. Tex-

No. 249, The Cage Cattle Company vs

FRIDAY, MARCH 20

SATURDAY, MARCH 21

No. 266, L. F. Wilson vs. G. N. Sparks.

MONDAY, MARCH 23

No. 260, W. E. Hughes vs. W. H. An-

No. 261, Frederick P. Olcott vs. J. W.

TUESDAY, MARCH 24

No. 265, L. F. Wilson vs. J. O. Lyles

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 25

THURSDAY, MARCH 26

No. 267, Walker Brothers vs. Texas and

No. 269. Mrs. H. M. Roughton et al. vs

Mrs. Charles W. Hyde will talk on Aph-

No. 256. Charles Deitz vs. Texas and

pany, Limited, vs. L. P. Jones et al.

as and Pacific Railway Company.

Pacific Railway Company.

Life Insurance Company.

Criminal docket.

Company et al.

graph Company.

Wisham et al.

S. Witherspoon.

et al.

No. 191, T. T. Murphy vs. the Western

#### CASE SETTING IN HIGHWAYMEN WORK ON SEVENTH STREET

FRONT OF Y. M. C. A.

celved Saturday Night - Assailants Used "Knucks" - Told an Officer But Police Headquarters Have No Report

Carl Shreve of 815 Lamar street was assaulted by two highwaymen on Seventh term of the United States circuit and The men used "knucks" and in the in completing and printing the assignare still black as a result.

INTENDED ROBBERY

The men, it is believed, intended rob- for proper orders and setting. The moassociates, have been received by the would be dead before they got to Fort a pedestrian frightened them away. Mr. ting: Shreve says furthermore that he had little money on his person at the time. He had been downtown to buy some cigars cific Railway Company. and was on his way home.

The two men met him directly in front racific Railway Company. hind the other and they seemed to be Askey and A. J. Askey. missing burglar, which finally ended at Shreve was similarly engaged. The first

"I haven't got a match," said Mr. The civil service commission has an- is a mystery and it is also a mystery Shreve. "But you can have a light from Company vs. Parlin & Orendorff Com- you will render him all the assistance

The man took the cigar and started to light his cigarette from it. While he was in the act a blow from behind sent Union Telegraph Company. This morning Detective Jake Zimmer- Mr. Screve against the fence. It had No. 199, Frederick P. Olcott vs. Robman, the only man on the force who can come from the man who had passed him ert Moody George Washington requests your pres- talk Mexican, went to the county jail and first and was standing back of him while liam A. Williamson et al.

BOTH MEN ENGAGE

Mr. Shreve was stunned by the blow, but managed to regain his feet and re- T. Finley et al. sisted the man who had struck him. Both No. 237, Matador Land and Cattle Comnow and with baretists and "knucks" al.

struck him repeatedly. The struggle continued until a man came out of the Y. M. C. A. building Kansas City vs. John Ledbetter. and approached the three. The high-

waymen then ran. COVERED WITH BLOOD Mr. Shreve walked to his home bleed-

two men that fitted the descriptions.

ing from a number of wounds. He was unable to go to work until yesterday. After the fight he was able to give a good description of the men, and Monday afternoon his wife, while downtown, saw

TOLD AN OFFICER At Mr. Shreve's home this morning it was stated that he told an officer on the street Monday evening about the assault o and was informed in reply that it was the third assault in a month on Seventh street. Mr. Shreve also, it is said, furnished the officer with a description of Company. the men and told of his wife seeing two

that fitted the descriptions. NO REPORT MADE At police headquarters all knowledge of No. 253. S. B. Glazner vs. Texas and the affair is denied, and Chief Rea says Pacific nallway Company.

no report of it has been made. Mr. Shreve is a plumber and came to Pacific Railway Company et al. Fort Worth from New Orleans in Decem-

#### THE POSTMASTER

Shook Off Coffee and Got Well It's so easy to shake off coffee and cof-Cereal Food Coffee is served in its place that it doesn't take long to tell the tale. The postmaster of a flourishing town in troubles have now quite disappeared.

"I attribute my recovery to Postum and et al.

There is a reason. Coffee is a definite Pacific Railway Company. The 5-cent stamp is blue, and also poison to many persons and disease sets No. 252, George H. Dashiell vs. Texas

When the poison is withdrawn and a pure food beverage like Postum Food Pacific Railway Company. The 8-cent stamp is the "Martha Coffee used the return to health is natur-Washington" and is the most elaborate al and prompt if the disease is not too Texas and Pacific Railway Company. N. B.—The curtain will arise at 3:15 in design of the three. The stamp is advanced, and many, very many old light brown in color. The dates of 1732 chronic diseases disappear when the cofand 1802 are on either side of the pichidden nervous disorders, that is coffee lecture was to have been given a week Alexander Hogg, superintendent of the keeps the nerves poisoned and that con ago, but was postponed on account of

## THE PARR CASE IS INTERESTING

HABEAS CORPUS PROCEEDINGS FOR POSSESSION OF CHILDREN

T. M. Parr of Arkansas in Court Seeking to Recover Three' Little Girls Who Were Brought Here by His Wife, Who He Alleges, Deserted Him Some Months

The hearts of sympathetic witnesses were touched when tears coursed down the cheeks of Mrs. Ella Parr of Camden, Ark., as she sat in the office of the district clerk and wept brokenly because they were trying to take her children from her by habeas corpus proceedings in the district court, instituted by T. M. Parr for recovery of his three little girls who have been living with their mother in North Fort Worth. So far the proceedings have resulted in nothing, but Marshal Howell is working up other features of the case which are developing. FATHER TRACES CHILDREN

About two weeks ago T. M. Parr wrote from Camden, Ark., to Chief Rea of this city, describing his wife and asking if she could be located here, as she had his children, and he wanted them. He said he was too poor to make any search for his missing wife other than through the means employed, but said if she could be found here he would come down from Arkansas to get the children. Parr's letter to the chief stated that his wife had Confined to His Room With Injuries Re- Criminal Docket WIII Be Called First left him in September, 1901, taking the Three Days of the Second Week-Cases youngest little girl, aged 7, with her. It further stated that she left home under Filed After This Day Will Be Called the name of Ella Smith, going with a for Setting the First Day of the Term | man named Garrett, who assumed the name of Smith. She represented the child, it is said, as her niece, calling her The assignment of cases for the March | Tommy Kingwell.

POLICE AT WORK Detective S. S. Potts of the city force of Texas has been completed and was is- took up the case on the strength of

Marshal Howell after several days' work has returned home to Fort Worth after a the gun and the young man trying to several blows on the back of the head The date of issuance is Feb. 23 and all succeeded in locating Mrs. Parr, alias visit of a few weeks to her friend, Miss retain it, the pistol was discharged and from which he suffered severely. They cases at issue filed after that date will Smith, with the child and with a man the ball passed through the Mexican's also struck him in the face and his eyes be called for setting the first day of the named Smith, alias Garrett, all living in term. All appearance cases filed will be a tent some distance south of the stock called on the first Tuesday of the term | yards. A few days before ready to serve papers in the case the couple moved to Descriptions of E. J. Arnold, the St. two boys carfed him back to the house bery, but did not succeed in searching Mr. tion docket will be called each Monday the Luther hotel, on Weatherford street, bery, but did not succeed in searching Mr. Louis get-rich-quick promoter, and his and there left him, believing that he Shreve's pockets before the approach of during the term. Following is the setcers, accompanied by Marshal Howell, succeeded in finding them Monday, when No. 254, Lela Duval vs. Texas and Pa- Parr arrived from Arkansas.

CHARGES ABDUCTION Parr brought with him the following No. 257, Dollie Wilson vs. Texas and letter to Marshal Howell:

R. D. Howell, City Marshal, North handed you by T. M. Parr of this county. No. 163, Lula T. Lewis vs. Iowa Life who visits your city for the purpose of recovering his children, who have been No. 165, D. G. Galbraith vs. De La abducted by their mother, and who is going under an assumed name and pass-Vergne Refrigerator Machine Company. No. 179. The Comanche Mercantile ing the children as her nieces. I hope you can, and I assure you it will be appreciated by yours truly,

"M. L. CROSS, "City Marshal, Camden, Ark." Armed with this letter and accompanied by Parr. Marshal Howell went to No. 222, Charles O. Carpenter vs. Wil- Fort Worth and from there took the county authorities to the Luther hotel, where Mrs. Parr was found.

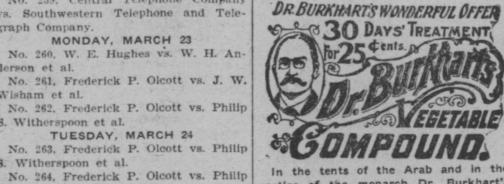
Further than the above, the authorities claim that Mrs. Parr, representing her own daughter Tommy Parr as her highwaymen joined in the attack on him pany, Limited, vs. Mrs. Annie Cooper et niece, Tommy Kingwell, aged 7, secured a life insurance policy on the latter and that last Christmas she went back to No. 240, Interstate National Bank of Arkansas and abducted her two other children, aged 14 and 10, and brought No. 268, Will Morgan vs. Texas and them back with her, claiming them to be her nieces from Tennessee, and that shortly after her return here she attempted to get life insurance policies on No. 210, Birdie C. Steelman vs. Home both girls in the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, but that the local agents refused. It is further stated that MONDAY, MARCH 16; TUESDAY, the insurance company is interested in the case on its own account.

## No Dessert More Attractive

Fort Worth and Rlo Grande Railway Why use gelatine and spend hours soaking, No. 250, J. D. Bedford et al. vs. Cht- sweetening, flavoring cago, Rock Island and Pacific Railway and coloring when

No. 251, J. T. Smithers vs. T. Smith. produces better results in two minutes? Everything in the package. Simply add hot

water and set to cool. It's perfection. A surprise to the housewife. No trouble, less ex-No. 255, William Pollard vs. Texas and pense. Try it to-day. In Four Fruit Flavors: Lemon, Orange, Strawberry, Raspberry. At grocers. 10c. No. 259. Central Telephone Company vs. Southwestern Telephone and Tele-



castles of the monarch Dr. Burkhart's Vegetable Compound is taken for the cure of Kldney, Stomach, Liver and Female Diseases, Rheumatism, Malaria, Palpitation of the Heart, Headache, Pain in the Side, Sour, Sick or Bloated Stomach, etc. No. 258, Bristow Young vs. Texas and 10 days' treatment free. All Druggists. DR. W. S. BURKHART, Cincinnati, O.

# HAND

FOR TOILET AND BATH

Fingers roughened by needlework catch every stain and look hopelessly dirty. Hand Sapolio removes not only the dirt, but also the loosened, injured cuticle, and restores the fingers to their natural beauty.

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# MEMBERSHIP OF TRIBUNAL

WILL PROBABLY BE ASKED TO NAME THREE VENEZUELAN **ARBITRATORS** 

Washington, Feb. 25.-Mr. Bowen, the Venezuelan plenipotentiary has proposed to the allies that the czar of Russia be asked to name the three arbitrators who are The Hague tribupal shall decide the question of preferential treatment. The suggestion has been approved by the state de-

In diplomatic circles the announcement of the proposed compliment to the czar in connection with the Ven-Ezuelan affair is a subject of comment. The allies have not yet signified their acceptance of the suggestion, but this s regarded as well night certain.

Conte Cassini, the Russian ambassa-Mor, will not be officially informed of the fact until all the powers have agreed to the suggestion, when he will his sovereign. The ambassador evi. J. P. Morgan & Co. Mently was was placed on hearing of this renewed evidence of friendship for his country on the part of the United States.

"I can only say," the ambassador paid to a representative of the Aswhich Mr. Bowen has proposed."

## SERIOUS WRECK ON

El Paso, Ter. Feb. 25.-A serious wreck occurred on the Texas and Pacific railroad ten miles east of Sierra Blanca Tuesday, resulting in probable fatal injuries to Engineer H. A. luries to Fireman Johnson.

Large Cargo.

Galveston, Feb. 25 .- The big steamship Irak, measuring 5323 tons net and 12,000 dead weight, passed out of the harbor and across the bar for Liverpool, with nearly a \$1,000,000 cargo.

Child's Neck Broken.

Haskell, Tex., Feb. 25.-The twoyear old daughter of a Mr. Denson fell into a dry well and broke her

Legislators Back at Austin. Austin, Feb. 25.—The legislators have returned from Galveston. They had an enjoyable time.

#### TILLMAN CONTINUES ON INDIANOLA CASE

Washington, Feb. 25.-The Indianmajor portion of the time of the senate Tuesday. Mr. Tillman spoke for three hours in continuation of his re-

mack of Tennessee During the morning hour several bills and resolutions were discussed and consideration was given the bill to further provide for the safe keeping of public money on deposit in national banks. The agricultural appropriation was also considered and the committee agreements agreed to except the statehood rider, which was

Assistant Commissioner.

Washington, Feb. 25.-Francis A. customs now stationed at Che Foo.

No Official Confirmation.

New York, Feb. 25 .- The recent activity in St. Louis and San Francisco shares caused a general belief that control of the road had changed hands and the opinion in Wall street was the negro who was almost lynched that J. P. Morgan & Co. were the new here Moray night for having killed owners. No official confirmation of Jim Jones, a Kansas negro, in a sa- omnibus bill as it came from the house these reports were obtainable Tues- loon quarrel, in a confession alleged without amendment, but not to antag be asked to present the invitation to day, however, at the banking house of that he is the pugilist who fought

Result of Buggy Collision.

Austin, Feb. 25 .- As the result of a collision of their buggies on a public road a few miles from Austin, and an interchange of shots, Emil Ammann in 1896, but returned to this country pociated Press, "that his majesty will and the proprietor of the Montopolis leeply appreciate the compliment saloon, are dead, and the officers are searching for a negro. Mr. Ammann had been to Austin to get a physician for his sick wife.

#### TEXAS AND PACIFIC NEW ORLEANS CARNIVAL ENDS IN BLAZE OF GLORY PHILIPPINE CURRENCY

New Orleans, Feb. 25.—The carnival closed in a blaze of glory. In point of attendance of strangers it has been the McFarland of this city and severe in. most successful ever held, while the pageants have been on a scale of great artistic splendor. The parade Tuesday Comus. Its title was "A Leaf from the Mahabaharata," and it illustrated society event of the season was the ball of Comus at the French opera-

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and tissues. Every atom of the body is dependent upon the blood for its existence. The

bones would decay, muscles shrink and the skin become parched and shriveled but for the

pimples and the red disfiguring bumps so often seen upon the face and neck are also evidences

of diseased blood. The use of cosmetics, face bleaches, soaps and lotions hide the blemishes

and conceal for a time the roughness and redness of the skin, but do not reach the cause,

the body, and upon its purity depends your health and happiness. If disease has already

entered and you are suffering from some malady for which an impure blood is responsible,

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nutriment they draw from the blood, and so long as it

remains uncontaminated and pure we are fortified against

disease and health is assured. But the blood is constantly

exposed to poisonous elements from a thousand sources;

we come in contact with infectious diseases almost every

day; we breathe into our lungs the germs of Malaria;

the water we drink is teeming with millions of microbes,

the dust of the streets is filled with bacteria, and when

these gain access to the blood are distributed to all parts of the system and the blood becomes a carrier of disease

instead of health. Deadly poisons are generated within

the body itself, which pollute and vitiate the blood, from

a bad condition of the blood. Rheumatism, Scrofula,

Catarrh, Eczema, Tetter, Acne, Contagious Blood Poison

and many other equally as distressing ailments are due

to a depraved condition of the blood, for which there is no

cure except through the purification of the entire blood

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making of bone and muscle and nourishment for the nerves

#### SUBMITTED BY BOWEN DEMOCRATS DRAFT OF PROTOCOL

Washington, Feb. 25.-Minister Bowola, Miss., postoffice case occupied the en submitted the draft of the protocol which he hopes will be signed by the allied powers, specifying the conditions under which The Hague tribunal question and was allowed by Mr. Car- will be called upon to settle the question of preferential treatment in the payment of Venezuela's indemnities to Judge Penfield, the solicitor of the state department. After the latter had suggested a few changes Mr. Bowen submitted the document to the repre sentatives of the allied powers. In its incomplete state the protocol, which will serve as a patttern for all three has not yet been made public, but it is understood that one interesting feature it probably will provide for is a conduct of proceedings at .The Hague in the English language. Another feature of the protocol is that the arbi-Cark has been appointed assistant trators themselves, and not the signacommissioner for China to the St. tories to the protocols shall select the Louis exposition. He is an American facts upon which they shall base their originally from Memphis, Tenn., and decisions as to whether or not the one of the youngest commissioners of preferential treatment shall be accord-

#### BLACK HEART" SAYS HE FOUGHT BOB FITZSIMMONS

Enid, Okla., reb. 25 .- "Black Heart' Fitzsimmons in 1891 and who fled in 1896 after having killed a man in California in a street fight. The prisoner is in abject fear of his life and stated in jail Tuesday that after committing the California crime he went to Cuba in 1900. He was supposed to have died on the Pacific coast. Two weeks ago "Black Heart," who has been in the territory for some time, fought six rounds with a local man. All talk of lynching has subsided.

## BILL PASSES THE HOUSE

Washington, Feb. 25.—The house passed the Philippine currency bill, accepting the senate bill so far as it relates to the islands. The commitnight was by the Mystic Krewe of tee amendment striking out the international monotary conference was agreed to. The contested election in twenty superb floats the great epic case of Wagoner vs. Butler was under poem of the Hindus. The culminating consideration for a time and the Democrats began a filibuster which they threatened to continue if the case is pressed. The case was withdrawn with an agreement that it is not to come up until Thursday.

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WILL PUSH THE PASSAGE OF THE OMNIBUS BILL WITH-**OUT AMENDMENT** 

Washington, Feb. 25.-The Democratic senatorial caucus rejected the two-state proposition for the admission of new states submitted by the Re

After the adjournment of the caucus the Democratic members of the committee met the Republican members of that committee who have been friendly to statehood. They decided to ask the chairman of the two committees on the postoffice and agriculture to withdraw the statehood riders which the committees have placed on two appropriation bills. They also decided to continue the fight for the onize appropriation bills or legislative business with it.

The Republicans have decided to present their compromise bill to the

The indications are very strong that the question will receive very little if any more consideration during the session and even the best friends of statehood generally admit that there is no chance for success at this time. During the caucus speeches were made by Senators Clay, Bacon, Dubois, Simmons, Foster of Louisiana, Bate, Morgan, Pettus and others. All the speakers took positive grounds against the compromise proposition. At the same time they favored placing the future course of the party with reference to the statehood bill as such, and also as a rider in the hands of the Democratic members of the committee on postoffices. A Democratic senator, a member of the committee on territories, wrote the following, which after submitting to several of his colleagues he gave out for publication:

'The Democratic caucus rejected the proposed compromise statehoood bill for the following reasons:

"When Arizona and New Mexico were made territories their areas were established for ultimate statehood purposes, and all the interests and expectations of the people of the two erritories have been in anticipation of

"It would be gross injustice to the people of both to join them in one state. From east to west as railways must be built it will be 1500 miles across them. The proposed state would be as large as Texas and Texas is too large for convenient govern-

"Many Democrats feel that the Republican fight for statehood has not been sincere, they having used the statehood bill as a buffer to prevent trust discussion and legislation. For Democrats now having stood almost a solid body for the admission of the three territories, to accept the proposed consolidation would be to have played into the hands of the Republican anti-trust cabal.

'The people of the Arizona are unanimously opposed to consolidation with New Mexico and the people of both the territories should be con-

"The provisions in the consolidation bill for ultimate separate statehood are a snare. The question of separation into two states must be submitted to the voters of the entire state and experience has taught that after the interests of one area have been consolidated as a single state a majority cannot be secured

"The Democrats have stood for the statehood bill as it passes the house. They believe that each is entitled to statehood, and they have loyally stood by the Republican minority in their efforts to give them statehood; but they will not inflict the injustice that probably never can be repaired of forcing the people of the two territories into a state so large that it would forever continue a burden they should not

#### RUMOR THAT THE PANAMA OFFER MAY BE WITHDRAWN

Washington, Feb. 25.-A report was in circulation Tuesday night that if the Panama canal treaty is not ratified by March 4 the Panama Canal company will withdraw its proposition. It is also said Republican lead ers are willing to vote on statehood bill provided it does not become effective until after next year's presidential

Agreement Signed.

Washington, Feb. 25.-President Rooserelt has signed the agreement drawn under the terms of the Pilatt amendment for the coaling stations at Guantonamo and Bahia Honda, Cuba. The document is not a treaty, but is rather an agreement, therefore it will not be necessary to submit it to the United States senate, all that remains being for the navy department to do. Minister Squieres, who brought the agrement here, will return to Havana Tuesday by way of New York.

Birmingham, Ala., Feb. 25.-A robber entered the Woodward saloon, the most fashionable buffet in the city, and walking behind the counter took \$300 from the cash drawer and escaped. Zeke Solomon, the propriedashed into the passing crowd and and rheumatism offer but bery the saloon was well filled with

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#### NOTED POLITICAL LEADER STRICKEN IN NEW YORK

New York, Feb. 25 .- E. Ellery Anderson, lawyer and political leader. died suddenly of heart disease at his home, aged sixty-nine years. Mr. Anderson was an independent Democrat. He vas one of the leaders of the "Anti-snap convention" movement in 1892, was receiver of the Union Pacific railway at one time, and held positions as director in other railroads.

#### TEN THOUSAND ATTEND DENVER FAT STOCK SHOW

Denver, Feb. 25.-About 10,000 persons attended the first annual exhibition of the Denver Fat Stock and Feeder show at the stock yards Tuesday. There were about 1500 cattle on exhibition and the championship was awarded to a steer which was fed on sugar beets and alfalfa. The owner was D. R. G. Brown of Aspen.

#### BRANCH HOUSE TO BE LOCATED AT MUSKOGEE

Muskogee, I. T., Feb. 25 .- The chamed contracts with representatives of the packinghouses of Armour, Cudahy, Swift and Nelson Morris, and each of the above firms will locate a branch house in this city this spring. They seemed to have reached an agreement to make Muskogee the central distributing point for Indian Territory and will build their warehouses here as soon as it is possible to do so.

Monster Eagle Slain.

Chickasha, I. T., Feb. 25.-Henry Ireton, a farmer, killed a monster golden eagle on Winter creek, eleven miles east of Chickasha. The bird was a magnificent specimen, standing three feet high, with wings which measured eight feet three inches from tip to tip

Located at Fort Supply. Guthrie, Okla., Feb. 25.-The bill locating the insane asylum at Fort Supply passed the senate by a vote of 8

Much Stock Drowned.

Evansville, Ind., Feb. 25.-The river fell seven-tenths of a foot Tuesday, but farmers in the bottoms will not be able to move into their somes for another week. A great deal of stock has been drowned. It is estimated that the loss to corn in crib and growing wheat between this city and Paducah

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# CURRENCY BILL IS LITTLE ADS THAT BRING BIG RESULTS

Washington, Feb. 23.-Special.-The present congress has not shown any disposition to enact currency legislation, and had it not been for the persistence of Representative Fowler of New Jersey the house would never have agreed to even consider the currency bill bearing his name, which was brought forth after much effort upon the part of the banking and currency committee. Knowing that the \$7 A DAY is what our agents make; the bill or anything like it could not become a law, members of the house did not care to put in time talking about it or trying to amend it. The fact is it is only such measures as seem almost imperative that get any attention these days in the house. The Fowler bill has been the subject of discussion in the financial journals and in banking circles. It is rather an interesting fact that, while all this kind of work was being done on the house side, Senator Aldrich comes along with a measure which is likely to be enacted into law, as it is the only financial legislation that can pass at this session. Monument to Smithson.

It is expected that before this congress adjourns provision will be made for a monument to John Smithson, the founder of the Smithsonian institution. Away back in 1838 Smithson bequeathed to the United States \$515,169, his entire fortune. He made the bequest to repay in part the damage which his family had indicted upon America. Smithson is the family name of the paris of Northumberland, and this famlly was the most vigorous in carrying put the policy of oppression and afterward the cruelties of war against our people during the Revolution. That he has made recompense for those wrongs is evident to any one who has considered what has been accomplished by the institution of science and learning founded by the fortune of John Smithson. A monument to bim would be very appropriate.

Cutting Off Illustrations.

shall not have as many illustrated re- | street. Phone 998-2 rings. ports as has been the custom. As a matter of fact, these pictures ought to ing the debate on Gillett's amendment to prevent wasting money on illustrations be called attention to the publication of pictures marking the boundary between the United States and Mexico. "Here is a volume," said Gillett, "containing nothing but pictures, each picture baving upon it as a central feature one boundary post. The first one is marked No. 1, and the last one is marked No. 258, all practically just alike, differing somewhat in the mountains or villages or cats or dogs and horses that are put in to make it a pretty picture."

"What would such a book as that be worth now," asked Representative Lacey of Iowa, "if we had it, printed a hundred years ago, containing illustra-

thing," answered Gillett. "It would not locate a single stone, because you cannot by the picture tell where it is. It is simply the picture of a monument."

"If my friend will allow me," said Joe Cannon, "I will suggest that that line was never surveyed, so that it | MONEY TO LOAN would be like the picture of a bole." After that Gillett's amendment was

The President's Salary.

Probably if the wave of prosperity continues there will be an increase in the salary of the president. A great many men in congress have come to the conclusion that the president does not get salary enough. A discussion was started about the expenses of the White House, the cost of entertaining, etc., and when it became known that this expense was nearly all borne by the president it dawned upon many members of congress that \$50,000 a Jear was really inadequate pay for the thief magistrate of the greatest nation on earth. Some of those who first criticised the presidential expenditures have veered around to the position that it would be a good thing to double the salary in order that he might live well. entertain in a befitting state and yet save something for the future. Big Men From Idaho.

Considerable curiosity has been shown in the personality of Senator Elect Heyburn of Idaho because he is the largest man who has come to the senate in a long time. He weighs 329 pounds and takes up a lot of room. Dietrich's Philippine Book.

Senator Dietrich of Nebraska has Jublished a book on the Philippines. One day he took the floor on the statehood bill, spoke a short time on the Philippines, asked and obtained permission to publish tables and extracts regarding the Philippines, with the result that in a few days there appeared in the Record eighty-two wide colmms of Philippine affairs. He left M. S. WALLER-Architect and superinnothing untouched, but completely cleared up the subject. He gleaned everywhere, taking in all manner of data from the congressional investigations, from the war department reports and from every other possible source. ARTHUR W. DUNN.

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T. P. DAY, 414 Houston street.

Wheeler and Wilson Sewing Machines.

tendent. 808 Main street. Phone 1766. Rooms 11-12, Columbia building.

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CORNICE WORKS-T. A. Coughlin, manufacturer of Galvanized Iron Cor-

#### FOR SALE

FOR SALE-Restaurant and short order stand. 307 West Weatherford street.

ONE FINE NEW UPRIGHT GRAND Piano, cost \$375, at \$240, on payments. Two new sewing machines, half price, on payments. Above taken under mortgage. Mechanics Loan Co., 7061/2 Main street, Room 3.

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FOR SALE-4-room house, \$250, if sold at once. John Burke, 109 E. Fourth st. GET your Blank Books, Stationery, Toys and Fancy Goods and Sheet Music at Carruthers' Book Store.

FOR SALE-Fifty feet east front, Tucker Hill. Call 415 East Third. FOR SALE-A square piano, as good as

new; will be sold for storage. DARRAH

STORAGE COMPANY, 1601 Houston street. Phone 65. INTELLIGENT MAN to call on business SIX PHOTOS AND ONE PHOTO BUTTON for 15 cents. Children un-

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every day. 908 Houston street. Phone 901. VISIT Mexican Curio Store and Mutuscope parlor for ladies and gentlemen, now open. Front street, near Main.

RY ONE BOTTLE Dr. Brown's Blood Purifier and you will be surprised wiit will do. Ask your druggist for it.

WATERMAN'S "IDEAL" FOUNTAIN PENS.

> CONNER'S BOOK STORE, 707 Houston street,

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#### FOR RENT

H. Veal Jewell. H. C. JEWELL & SON, The rental agents of the city, 1000 Hous-

FOR RENT-Nicely furnished, large south rooms, suitable for either couple or several young men. With or without board. Apply to Mrs. J. A. Thomas, 5111/2 Main street.

FOR RENT-New 2-story 8-room house, with bath; all modern conveniences. Corner Wheeler and Daggett avenues, No. 309. Apply 405 Henderson street.

McCLUNG & JEWELL, Real Estate and Rental Agents. All kinds of property for sale or exchange. 107 West Ninth.

stock of typewriters for rent. LYERLY & SMITH, 506 Main street.

### PERSONAL

WANTED-The man I cannot fit with one of my \$12.50 suits or \$4.50 pants: made by union tailors. R. E. Cavette, Tailoring, 1002 Houston.

W. C. BALLEW, Expert Watchmaker and Diamond Setter. 409 Main street.

DILLARD & PRESSLEY-Cabinetmakers, furniture repairing, upholsterers and refinishers. Mirror plating. Phone 727-2 rings, corner Jennings and Texas.

AM EXTENDING my business and must have second-hand goods to meet the demand of my installment and rental customers. I also exchange new goods for old and, therefore, will pay more for second-hand furniture and stoves than any other dealer in the city. IXL Second Hand Store, corner First and Houston streets. Phone 1329.

REPAIRING first-class sewing machines and bicycles. T. P. DAY, 414 Houston

DR. D. H. HARRIS, Dentist, Columbia building, Seventh and Main.

MRS. JENNIE M. RYAN-Spiritual medium and psychometrist; readings daily. 415 East Third, corner of Grove.

HUGH H. LEWIS, corner Thirteenth and Main - Closing out heating for ice boxes and refrigerators. Phone 396.

DR. H. D. GROVE, dentist, careful and conscientious work. Room 9, over Parker's drug store.

DR. J. F. GRAMMER, Dentist, 506 Main street, over Mitchell's jewelry store. TEETH-For a few days longer I will

make best artificial teeth at \$4.50 a set. DR. DANIELS, 7031/2 Main. DR TAYLOR (Colored)-Specialist in

genito-urinary diseases. 112 W. 11th st. A. R. EMBREY, carpenter and builder, 208 West Second street. Phone 684.

Job work a specialty. DR. GARRISON, Dentist. The best is cheapest. Corner Fourth and Main streets. Phone 729-4 rings.

YOU CAN'T GET AROUND IT-Wash ing must be done. The linen must be properly laundered—washed and ironed that is not all. You want the best -that is not all. You want the best work; want it done promptly without damage and with the least possible inconvenience to yourself. So just refer the whole matter to the Natatorium Steam Laundry. You will be satisfied. Just try it. Phone 176. 103 East Belknap street.

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WANTED-At once, good sound horse, on terms. Apply 1824 College avenue. WANTED-50 sets second-hand furniture. J. S. Morris, 1204 Houston.

block from business center; accommodations first-class. All departments WANTED-Clean rags. Keystone Printsupervised by Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Linding Co., 213-215 Main street.

WANTED-Your laundry. Shirts &c. collars 11/2c, cuffs 11/2c. Cheapest rate on family laundry. Cavette's Cut Rate Laundry, 1002 Houston street. Phone.

## FURNITURE REPAIRED

GLOBE FURNITURE CO. buys, sells.

manufacturer of Galvanized Iron Cornice and Corrugated Cisterns. Window Caps, Finials, Sky Lights, Tin. Slate and all kinds Metal Roofing. Also Fire and all kinds Metal Roofing. Also Fire Froof Shutters, Smoke Stacks, etc. Proof Shutters, Smoke Stacks, etc. Proof Shutters a specialty. 1409-Warm Air Heaters a specialty. 1409-1411 Jennings avenue. Phone 608-4r.

#### SPECIAL NOTICES

ATTENTION Royal and Select Masters-The council of Royal and Select Masters attendant to Fort Worth chapter, No. 58, will meet at 7 o'clock Thursday evening. Feb. 26, for the purpose of work. Excellent Commander Sam T. Cochran of Dallas and members of Dallas council will confer the degrees. It is expected that Dallas council will attend in a body. After the work a banquet will follow. All Royal and Select Masters are earnestly requested to be present on this most interesting occa-

A. R. SCHULTZ. W. H. FEILDS. T. I. G. M. Secretary:

DR. C. J. McCORMICK-Dentist. Best work and best prices. Corner Third and Main streets. S. S. SHEPARD, merchant tailor-Clean-

ing, pressing, repairing and dyeing a specialty. 1115 Houston street. WANTED-The man I cannot fit with one of my \$12.50 suits or \$4.50 pants;

made by union tailors. R. E. Cavette,

Tailoring, 1002 Houston. NELSON TAILORING COMPANY-We have the prices and the goods on easy

payments. 1208 Main street. GET THE ENTERPRISING carriage works prices before going elsewhere. 1015 Houston.

PHONE 501 and call for Arthur Woodard when you want a hack.

C. BELLING-Teacher of instrumental music. Piano, violin and special courses for mandolin and guitar. Second floor Masonic Temple, Second and Main

TOM FINNIE will send that white hack for your wedding and the black one when you die. Tel. 188.

TO BE MARRIED in Fort Worth you

must get the best carriages. You will find them at Purvis & Colp's stable, phone 86. EVERYTHING new at JOE DIEHL'S

CURIO AND NOVELTY STORE, corner Eighth and Houston. FOR THE BEST the market affords

and cooked in way to make you en-

joy what you eat, try Mason's restaurant, near Tenth and Main sts. W. T. LADD TRADING CO. for your fur-niture, stoves and all kinds of house-hold goods. Easy payments. 912 Main

DON'T FAIL TO TRY Dr. Brown's Great Healing Salve, the best in the world. For sale by all arst-class retail and wholesale druggists.

#### BUSINESS CHANCES

'THIS BEATS NEW JERSEY"-Charters procured under South Dakota laws laws, blanks, by-laws and forms to PHILIP LAWRENCE, late Assistant Secretary of State, Huron, S. D.

WANTED TO EXCHANGE-New Columbia disc graphophone and twelve records, value \$30, for horse. Call or address 618 Burnett street.

FOR EXCHANGE-A country stock of general merchandise, no millinery or fixtures, but all clean, solid, up-to-date salable goods, less than 18 months old, invoicing about \$11,300; open for fullest investigation. Will have to be removed. Owner wants small part cash, but will assume some on good property; balance good town property or farm land. Address, giving full particulars of what you want to trade, to Brown & Co., 414 Hall Building, Kansas City,

OF INTEREST to the investing public. We pay cash dividends each week on investments placed with us; your money always subject to your control; highest references furnished from investors; special interest to saving bank depositors and persons desiring investments; we are an established success. Write B. R. Gornto & Co., Norfolk, Va.

### HOTELS

stoves at actual cost to make room ATTERBERRY HOTEL, Carendon, Tex., Located northwest of depot. Rates, \$1.50 to \$2 per day. First-class accommodations to traveling public. Free sampleroom in connection.

> NEW ARLINGTON HOTEL, Weatherford, Texas-Near all depots. Rates \$1, \$1.50. B. R. WOMACK, proprietor.

RILEY'S HOTEL, formerly Hotel Good. Sample-room free. Rates \$2 per day. J. C. RILEY & SON, proprietors, Childress, Texas.

HOTEL BOWIE, BOWIE, TEXAS-W. E. Kain, proprietor. Rates \$2 per day. The best conducted hotel in the city. Convenient to depots and business center. Large sample rooms.

THE BELLEVUE HOTEL-J. H. Stroud. proprietor. Rates \$1.50 per day. One and one-half blocks from depot. All departments first-class. A trial solicited.

THE MANSION HOTEL-C. F. Somerville, proprietor. Rates \$1 per day, meals 25 cents. Free bus to and from all trains. Special attention paid to homeseekers. Wichita Falls, Texas. Best rooms in town.

VERNON, TEX., CITY HOTEL-One block from courthouse, convenient loca-tion, all departments, first-class, rates \$1.00 per day. A triai solicited.

QUANAH, TEXAS, COTTAGE HOTEL formerly the St. Charles, remodeled, newly furnished, table fare homelike and served well. Take the cindered DECATUR, TEX., CITY HOTEL-One

BOWIE, TEX., NATIONAL HOTEL-Everything new except the name; in business center; fine cuisine and polite attention. Rates \$2 per day. T. J. Robertson, proprietor, formerly of Ver-

#### PALMISTRY

are located in the storeroom, 300 Main street. Don't miss having your hand read by the noted palmist. Here a read by the noted palmist. Here a short time only. Readings, 20 cents.

#### REAL ESTATE - INVESTMENTS

T. A. CAMBRON AND I. T. VALENTINE (Attorney at Law), comprising the firm of T. A. Cambron & Co., Real Estate, Loan and Rental Agents, 200 Main street, are pushing their business and respectfully solicit your patronage in

GEO. W. PECKHAM & CO., Real Estate. 310 Hoxie Building. We have a good line of customers and it will pay you to list your property with us at once.

LOTS FOR SALE-For small payments down and balance to suit purchaser. Seibold Loan Company, Room 314, 2 Wheat building.

66,000 acres of land in La Salle county Texas, at \$2.00 an acre. W. H. Graham & Co., Cuero, Texas.

REAL ESTATE & RENTAL AGENT-Notary public. Pension claims a specialty. James McNamara, corner Fourth

and Rusk streets. WHERE A HOG WOULD THRIVE-

YEA, HE WOULD MULTIPLY. 175 acres, 9 miles from Fort Worth, on turnpike road, 11/2 miles from good railroad town, on banks of prettiest stream of everlasting water in Tarrant county, 100 acres rich valley land in cultivation, 50 in timber, 2 in orchard; 7-room residence, 3-room tenant house, barns, etc.; A1 well and windmill; fenced and cross-fenced; \$25 per acre. Think about that price.

ROSS & BUCHANAN, Land Title Building.

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#### Or Come to See me. I might have just what you C. L. SMITH, Real Estate and Loans, Fort Worth, Tex.

W. M. MASSIE-General land agent, Panhandle and western lands only. The central plains a specialty. More than twelve years as surveyor and land agent at Floydada, Floyd county, has acquainted me well with the beautiful plains and northwest Texas in general. Home office, Floydada, Texas; branch office, Room 507 Hoxie building, Fort Worth, Tex.

LEWIS & POWELL-602 Main street, Scott-Harrold building. Phone 1840. RANCH-12 miles from Fort Worth we have a bargain in 650 acres of fine prairie land. About one-third is fine black agricultural land; balance has heavy turf of mesquite and sedge grass. It is al fenced and cross fenced. Abundance of water on the place. We consider this land a snap at \$11 per acre.

We can build you a home in North Fort Worth on very easy payments. for a few dollars. Write for corporation ON EAST SIDE-Corner 50x100, east front, with five-room house, convenient to car line and business part of city. Price. \$900.

> FOR INVESTMENT we have a fine new seven-room modern cottage, on Jennings avenue, rents for \$25 per month. Price. ON SOUTHWEST SIDE-Two houses on very large lot, in fine neighborhood, rents for \$25 per month. Price, \$2,000.

ON QUALITY HILL-Vacant lots, 50x160,

east front, back to 60-foot street. Price. ON HOUSTON STREET-Nicely located business property. Price, \$4,000. This WE HAVE a bargain in one of the best lots on Main street. Call and see us.

602 Main street, Scott-Harrold Building. Phone 1840. A. N. EVANS & CO.,

LEWIS & POWELL,

Real Estate, Loan and Rental Agents.

Bargains in City Property. AN ELEGANT two-story frame residence of eight rooms, lot 100 feet front, with water, bath, barn, fences, etc. Price, \$3,000; terms \$500 cash, balance to suit. NICE FOUR-ROOM frame cottage, South

Side, good neighborhood. Price, \$850; \$100 cash and \$20 per month. A NICE NEW eight-room frame restdence on Jennings avenue, with all modern conveniences, two story barn. picket fence, all new. Price, \$1,900;

one-third cash. TWO-STORY brick building on Houston street, well located and rented. Price, \$5.500; good terms.

THE PRETTIEST vacant lots in the city, in the Goldsmith addition, lying between Jennings avenue and Main street. Priced from \$250 to \$350. Also lots in the Emory College addition, from \$200 to \$350 per lot; terms one-fourth cash.

balance one, two and three years. WE HAVE money to loan for building purposes. If you desire to build see us. A. N. EVANS & CO., 706 Main street.

CHEAPER THAN RENT-5-room frame house, corner lot, 50x100, east side, \$1,250; \$150 cash and \$15 monthly. A snap in 8-room modern new resi-

in on west side; price \$5,000; easy terms. Over 2,000 residences in the city to sell. You can certainly get a bargain

dence, corner lot, 65x100 to alley; close

out of this number. Acreage property on South Main street at prices that 50 per cent profit is a certainty. We can sell you acreage near packing-houses at about what lots are worth.

M. L. CHAMBERS & CO., 509 Main street.



MEN AND WOMEN.

## Why Pay Rent When You Can Own Your Home

An Opportunity to Get - a Home on Terms Within the Reach of Anyone

We will furnish you a lot in the Union Depot Addition, and build you a home to suit you on monthly payments.

If you are able to pay rent, you are able to pay for your home upon the terms offered you.

The day you close your contract with us, we are ready to start the building. I have several pieces of choice income bearing business

property and a number of nice residences for sale. I. CARB.

906 MAIN STREET.

PHONE 602-3 RINGS.

#### want. I am satisfied I REAL ESTATE - INVESTMENTS ALLISON & BURGHER, Real Estate,

Loans and Insurance, 601 Main street.

(Rock Island Ticket Office). Phone West side, close in, six-room frame cottage, hall, porches, servant's house, woodshed, chicken-house, gas, newly

painted and papered, nice fence and shade trees; lot 66x100; price \$2,000; one-half cash, balance easy. West side, four blocks from Main street, seven-room cottage, large hall with sliding doors, porch, bathroom, toilet, newly papered, hot and cold water, gas, east front; lot 58x100; price

Taylor street, eight-room two-story frame, halls, porches, bathroom, shade trees; lot 50x100; price \$3,700; one-third cash, balance terms. South side, six-room cottage, recep-

tion hall, bath, two mantels and grates,

outhouses, on car line, corner lot, south

and east front; lot 66x103; a bargain at \$2,400; easy payments. For sale-West side, six-room cottage, brick foundation, cement walks, two-story barn and buggy-house, chicken-house, shade trees, nice lawn and flowers, south front, corner lot, 50x120 to alley; price \$2,250; easy payments. For Sale-Close in, brand-new west side six-room two-story house, reception hall, mantel and grate, sliding doors, bath (porcelain tub), toilet, plas-

50x100; price \$3,500, \$1,000 cash; balance North side, near packeries and close to Main street, several choice lots and TEXAS AND PACIFIC PASSENGE half block of ground that we can sell at a bargain if you see us quick, as it won't keep long at figures we have on

tered; in fact, strictly up to date; lot

good outhouses, fine mantel and grate, sink in kitchen, everything up to date and in good condition; lot 50x110 to alley; price for short time only \$2,500, \$1,000 cash; balance by the month. For sale-One four and one five room cottage, on east side, good neighbor-

and \$1,250; small cash payments and easy terms. For Sale-Several lots in Fairmount addition, nicely situated; also lots in other portions of city. Some good propositions on Main, Houston and

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WORTH, TEX.

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ALLISON & BURGHER,

Throckmorton streets.

fice. Phone 1800.

hood, barns, buggy sheds; prices, \$1,200

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**USE THE COLUMNS** THE TELEGRAM

TRAIN SCHEDULE

STATION Corner Main and Front Streets. TEXAS AND PACIFIC.

Hemphill street, five-room cottage, bath and toilet, electric lights and gas, lights and gas, bath and toilet, electric lights and gas, ligh ....Dallas local .....12:55 pm....Wills Point local ..... 3:10 pm...
4:15 pm... Abilene M. and Ex. .. 5:30 pm...
(West Bound.-5:20 am..... Dallas local ..... 8:40 am. 7:45 am... Abilene M and Ex. .. 8:40 am. 11:30 am...Wills Pt. and Ft. W... 2:55 pm... Dallas and W'frd .. 3:00 pm.

5:10 pm.... Dallas Local ..... 6:30 pm... St. Louis Express ... 7:55 pm..... Cannon Ball .... 9:20 pm. TRANSCONTINENTAL. (Texarkana, Sherman and Paris.) Arrive.
6:10 pm..... Passenger dally .... 8:35 am. MISSOURI, KANSAS AND TEXAS. Arrive. (North Bound.) Leave.

8:10 am. Katy Flyer ... 8:30 am.

10:55 am. Passenger Daily ... 11:45 am

10:50 pm. Passenger Daily ... 11:20 pm

(South Bound.)

7:45 pm. Katy Flyer ... 8:15 pm

7:10 am. Passenger Daily ... 7:30 am.

5:10 pm. Passenger Daily ... 6:00 pm.

houses or take up vendors' notes, see 601 Main street, Rock Island ticket of-COTTON BELT 6:25 am. ..... 10:15 pm FORT WORTH AND DENVER. Arrive.
5:10 pm.... Colorado Express ... 9:45 am.

9:55 am..... W. Falls focal .... 6:00 pm. 6:00 am...Colorado M. and Ex...11:10 pm. FORT WORTH AND RIO GRANDE. Arrive. (Frisco System.)

10:55 am... Mail and Express ... \$:15 pm.
6:00 am... Mixed Acom'dtion .. \$:30 pm. RED RIVER, TEXAS AND SOUTHERN.

Arrive. (Frisco System.) Leave. 2:55 pm... World's Fair Spl. ...11:05 am. 7:35 pm... Mixed Ac'mdation. .. 6:00 am. ROCK ISLAND.

7:10 am..... Fast Express .... 8:30 pm. 7:30 pm.... Mo. River local .... 8:30 am. SANTA FE UNION STATION Corner Fifteenth and Jones Streets.

GULF, COLORADO AND SANTA FE
Arrive. (North Bound) Leave
7:05 am. Limited 7:52 am
8:20 pm. Day Express 8:27 pm.

(South Bound)
7:40 am. Day Express 7:50 am.
8:55 pm. Limited 9:10 pm

HOUSTON AND TEXAS CENTRAL 11:50 am .. Daily Accom'dation as 1:05 pm 9:10 pm.... Daily Passenger .... 6:50 pm 8:05 am.... Daily Passenger .... 8:50 am DALLAS-FORT WORTH INTERURBAN

Cars leave Fort Worth for Dallas and

Intermediate points on the hour, begin-

ning at 6 o'clock a. m. and continuing until 11 o'clock p. m. Schedule between Dallas and Fort Worth the same as that applying between Fort Worth and Dallas.

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# SPECIAL Shoe Sale For Rainy Weather

There's no use wearing worn out shoes, when you can buy Shoes at these prices—

| Men's Victor Calf Shoes, solid leather, a special  | 98c |
|--|-----|
| Men's Scotch Calf in plain or cap toe, a good one, at \$1                                      | 50  |
| Men's Union Made Extra Heavy Sole, double stitched, \$1  | 98  |
| Men's Dress Shoes in box calf and vici kid, special \$1  | 98  |
| A Fine Dress Shoe, vici or box calf, guaranteed as good as any advertised \$3.00 shoe, special | 48  |

## Ladies Shoes

Ladies' Kid Shoe, stock tip, solid leather, special..... \$1 35

| Our line of special \$1.48 has values up to \$2:00, but we will give choice at special price | 8 |
|--|---|
| A beauty, made with dull kid top, bevel sole, very sightly special                           | 8 |

Velvet Kid in stock or pat tip, as good as you find priced at \$3.00, special ..... \$2 50

## Childrens Shoes

| Children's size, 5-8 solid leather, stock tip, at             | 50c  |
|---|------|
| Children's size 81/2-11, solid leather, stock tip, at         | 75c  |
| Children's sizes 11½-2, solid leather, stock tip, heavy sole, | 1 00 |

These prices are within reach of everybody and every pair guaranteed to give reasonable wear. Let us sell you your Shoes and you will become our customer.

YOURS FOR BUSINESS.

# Knight Dry Goods Co

311-313 Houston St., Fort Worth, Tex.

## SETH HILL JURY IS DISCHARGED

FAILS TO AGREE AFTER TWENTY HOURS DEBATE OVER CASE

Trial of Elihu Foster, Charged With Mur-Argued-But One New Case Filed To-

fury in the case of Seth Hill, the young is charged with the theft of a hand axe. negro boy from Bellville, whose trial on a charge of criminal assault was concluded yesterday afternoon in the Forty-eighth You Can Try It For Yourself and Prove district court, the jury disagreed and was discharged by Judge Dunklin,

In the Forty-eighth district court this morning, Thomas Jefferson, colored, plead guilty to forgery of the name of A. Dent. and was sentenced to two years in the proven by actual experiment which any

This afternoon the case of Elihu Foster, charged with murder, was taken up very small pieces, as it would be if masand at 2:30 the work of selecting a jury | ticated, place the egg and two or three

SEVENTILENTH DISTRICT COURT In the damage suit of T. M. Anderson



### **DUNLAP HATS**

SPRING OPENING

### WASHER BROS.

Century Building Eighth and Main

ACCREDITED AGENTS FOR FORT WORTH, TEXAS Company, arguments before the jury wo still being heard this afternoon. COUNTY COURT

ned \$1 and sentenced to one day in jail. amendments were carried.

C. Scott vs. the Fort Worth Light and appointment was decided. Power company, to appoint a trustee in

PRISONERS NOT TRANSFERRED Jailor Roy has been expecting a penitender, is Begun in Forty-eighth District tiary transfer agent all week to transfer Court-Anderson Damage Suit is Being a number of prisoners who have recently (By Associated Press.) been sentenced, but he has not yet arcounty jail.

CHARGED WITH THEFT 'After being out about twenty hours, the this afternoon against F. L. Vincent, who fetched for them were the following:

INTERESTING, IF TRUE

One grain of the active principle in 1862, to General C. S. Hamilton, \$27.50. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will digest 3,-000 grains of meat, eggs or other wholeagainst the Cameron Mill and Elevator it at this temperature for three and onewould have been in the healthy stomach

are composed of vegetable essences, ARIONS HAVE SOCIABLE aseptic pepsin, disatase and Golden Seal. which mingle with the food and digest it thoroughly, giving the overworked stom-

ach a chance to recuperate. Dieting never cures dyspensia, neither nor in fact will there be disease of any

pepsia Tablets are world wide and they Morris, O. J. Taylor, M. J. Kain, E. V. are sold at the moderate price of 50 cents Dunn and Jacob Schreiner. for full sized package in every drug store in the United States and Canada, as well as in Europe.

Big Slaughter One dozen \$5 photographs for \$3. Short time only. Guaranteed first-class. JOHN SWARTZ, 705 Main street.

Gaston Bros., 906 Houston street

# HOSPITALS IN NEW YORK

PATIENTS TO THE NUMBER OF PRECAUTIONS TAKEN

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.-Crowded to 'ts itmost capacity, Bellvue hospital is hardable to care for patients. The epidemic of grip has brought the number of patlents up to 920. Spring mattresses are used as temporary beds and every available inch of space is being used,

So serious is the epidemic in Brooklyn that the health department sent a special warning to all keepers and janitors of public buildings, insructing them to use extraordinary care for the proper ventiation. A corps of inspectors has started to disinfect the courtrooms. This treatment may be extended to the school hous-

Twelve deaths from the grip were reported last week. Since January there have been forty-six deaths from the disease in Brooklyn, which the health officials consider an alarming record.

## THE COUNCIL TALKS

Telephones were the principal thing alked about at the regular meeting of the North Fort Worth council held last evening. The first telephone talk sprang up when the ordinance providing that all poles for any telephone or electric light where blocks will be when the streets soap at his home, 1606 Jones street.

J. F. Henderson of the Southwestern afternoon. Telegraph and Telephone Company was asked his opinion of the ordinance and ROOSEVELT SENDS IN said that it was not the policy of his very glad to have a telephone pole in ront of his property, just so it wasn't directly in front of his gate, because it was so handy for a hitching post. It was discussed informally by the members of the council and it was finally decided to have the ordinance prepared

\* In the county court this morning Nannie | ceed 2 per cent of their gross earnings on Shephard plead guilty to theft and was phones in North Fort Worth. These

But one suit was filed in the district to Town Marshal Howell, who is ex of court, and that was a suit begun by H. ficio tax assessor, was discussed, but no

#### HISTORIC COLLECTIONS OF LATE PETER GILSEY SOLD

NEW YORK, Feb. 25 .- Interesting as a surgeon. rived and the prisoners are still in the items, theatrical, literary and political of the collection of the late Peter Gilsey have been sold at auction in this city. A case was filed in the county court Among the items old and the prices Autograph letter of George Ive of

Great Britain, four pages, Carolina House, June 19, 1806, to Count Hardenbough, a German statesman, \$5.50. Autograph letter in pencil of U. S.

A portrait of Nell Gwynne with Lamb, thorne, signed N. H., Liverpool, April 20, 1855, to Elizabeth Peabody, \$51. Autograph four-line poem of Oliver Wendell Holmes, signed by him, Boston,

Nov. 28, 1864, \$10.50. Autograph letter of "Stonewall" Jackson, Conrads Store, Virginia, April 21,

A rare colored portrait of Thomas Jef Autograph letter of Lady Hamilton, Richmond, Nov. 13, written probably shortly after the death of Nelson in 1805,

A portrait of Jacob Hall, the rope Half length portrait of John Hender-

son, one of the few actors considered worthy of being buried in Westminster Abbey, mezzotone by J. Jones, after Gainesborough, London, 1783, \$80.

## TIME WITH AMPHIONS

Members of the Arion Club to the number of twenty-four accepted the invitation of the Amphion Club of Dallas to

good punch and plentiful.

THE FORT WORTH TELEGRAM.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25 .- The Evening 920 ARE CARED FOR - THE Telegram today prints a story to the effect that the anarchists all over the world are about to meet in secret convention in Paris to devise plans that may radically affect the crowned heads of Europe. All the preparations for the convention are carefully guarded, but the plans became known through the boastful talk of a youthful delegate to the conference from this city.

This man is an Italian known as Angelo and Ruodlph. He gave up his place Saturday, declaring he had been selected as one of five delegates from the United States to the convention.

archistic plans are to be discussed and perfected at this world's convention, it is said, and it is even whispered that before the adjournment of the meeting details will be perfected and lots will have been assigned to men for deeds the full accomplishment of which may shape the destinies of the reigning houses of

## ABOUT TELEPHONES CHILD FALLS IN BOILING SOAP

r power or street car company, must be morning from burns received four days

are run through, and when in place in The child was playing in the kitcher sidewalk. The idea of the ordinance is moved from the stove to the floor he live stock business in Texas. He was this afternoon accomplished nothing defito prevent telephone and other companies stumbled and fell into it. His body was not only known throughout the live stock nite. from putting poles directly in front of a scalded almost all over and he suffered raising and trading sections of the Unitman's gate or otherwise inconveniencing terribly until death came this morning, ed States, but had an extensive acquaint

WASHINGTON, Feb. .25.-President Roosevelt sent the following appointments to the senate today:

Frank Y. Campbell of Ohio, to be assistant attorney general. Melville W. Miller of Indiana, to be as-

sistant secretary of the interior. To be postmasters in Texas: Henry J. Veltman at Brackettsville, William Mc-Mannis at Baird, Louis Woote at Co-

#### AN EX-MAYOR ACQUITTED OF EMBEZZLEMENT CHARGE

gan last Friday, on the charge of destroying the records of the city waterworks constituting, it is alleged the only evidence of extensive peculations and embezzlements, came to an end Tuesday when the jury, after an hour's deliberation, gave a verdict of acquit-

#### NOTED ALABAMA SURGEON KILLED BY RAILROAD TRAIN

Birmingham, Ala., Feb. 25.-Dr. W B. Davis, one of the most prominent physicians in the southern states, was run over by an Alabama Great Southern passenger train at the Twenty fourth street crossing and instantly killed. He had a national reputation

#### SHREVEPORT CITIZENS STRING UP A NEGRO

Shreveport, La., Feb. 25.-Word has been received here of the lynching of a negro named Frank Brown at Mc-Dade, a station on the Shreveport and Grant, headquarters La Grange, Nov. 4. Rad River Valley railroad about twelve miles from Shreveport. Mr. McDade and the negro had a dispute about work and a young man named Harvey Connell interfered. Brown shot him twice. Infuriated citizens promptly lynched the negro. Connell was FORT WORTH AS brought here for treatment. He is not badly wounded.

Negro Shot to Death.

Griffin, Ga., Feb. 25.-Wm. Fambro, a negro, was shor to death on the outskirts of this city by a mob of men who fired on his house. Fambro's wife, who was in the house, escaped injury. The negro some time previously had been aircsted on a charge of insulting a white woman and her child.

#### COURTHOUSE BURNS AT MERIDIAN, MISSISSIPPI

Meridan, Miss., Feb. 25 .- The courthouse of this, Lauderdale county, was totally destroyed by fire. It was a brick structure, erected in 1880 at an original cost of \$25,000. Since that time there has been expended \$15,000 in extensions. Many valuable records were lost. The building was partially covered by insurance.

The new armored cruiser recently built ing the foremost position as a family clusion of all others. Don't fail to try a very pleasantly. A feature was the sing- bottle, especially if you are weak and run ing of four or five numbers by the Arions. down or suffer from poor appetite, heart- hat in mute appeal, while the man with Another feature was the punch served by burn, belching, nausea, headache, indithe hospitable Dallas folks. It was rare gestion, dyspepsia or constipation. It cannot help but do you good, and if taken The club members and their guests all regularly will surely restore you to pergot home safely and are around today. feet health. The genuine must have our annoyance of having dessert that is "just need have no fear of embarrassment automatic coupler and a host of HAVE YOUR SUIT CLEANED AT The Dallas club will return the visit at Private Stamp over the needs of the bottaston Bros., 906 Houston street.

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## THE GRIP CROWDS ANARCHISTS WILL CONSIDER BILL TO DEBAR FAITH **CURERS**

SOME OPPOSITION DEVELOPS IN THE SENATE AND ACTION IS DEFERRED

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 25 .- The senate this morning passed finally the Frisco combination bill and postponed until Friday the Chicago, Rock Island and Texas consolidation bill, and made it a special order for that day.

It passed the bill preventing the operation of blind tigers in school districts and began the consideration of the medical bill, which debars from practice all save those of the accredited medical fraternierable interest throughout the state from the faith curers, Christian scientists and other faith practitioners, and they are here in force fighting the measure.

'Considerable opposition to the measure developed in the senate this morning. A motion to postpone it indefinitely was discussed at length and finally withdrawn. At noon a proposition was adopted to defer action until next Friday.

The house, after a lengthy discussion, engrossed its bill providing for the establishment of an agricultural bureau here at the capital in conjunction with the insurance department.

#### SPENT ALL HIS LIFE IN THE STATE OF TEXAS

B. Loving of Fort Worth, who dropped The funeral took place at 3 o'clock this ance in Europe with capitalists who had investments in either lands or cattle in this country. George Loving may have report. No time was named for another had enemies, but they were few. He meeting. was about 52 years of age and his whole SOME NEW APPOINTMENTS life had been spent in an honest, earnest effort to advance the live stock interests hane, Henderson and Newby. of his native state. He was distinctively Loving's Bend, on the Pecos river, while urgent business. en route to Colorado with a herd of cattle. No more generous, loyable man ever ate at the chuck wagon or participated in the councils of cattlemen than George

### **NEWS BUDGET FROM ROANOKE**

ROANOKE, Texas, Feb. 24.-Miss Stella Shurtleff of Austin is visiting relatives and friends here for a few days. Miss Sallie May Dorris is on the sick

Miss Jessie George left last night to visit relatives in Oklahoma City. her brother, Hon. S. H. Cowan of Fort Worth, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Cadd and E. C. Brand were in Dallas last week. R. L. Bowen, railway agent here, is

on the sick list. Howard Hammett, the 4-year-old son of B. M. Hammett of this place, happened to the misfortune of falling in the fireplace, burning his hands and face con-

The recent rains and snow have been a great benefit to wheat.

### A BANKRUPT STOCK SALE

W. C. Stripling Offers the L. Shapira Stock at Bargain Prices, Beginning Saturday The stock of clothing and shoes of L. gain prices. Watch for the big announcement and prices in Friday's issue of The

## **BLIND MEN SEE IT**

The blind man who had been playing a Fifteenth and Main streets rather unting in the patient attitude of a professional beggar did not seem to mind it. Instead he looked as if he had been expecting it, for he did not resent, but asked politely: "Going home?"

"Yes," said the other. "I've done pretty well today. How are you doing?" "Fair," said the man who was sitting down. "I just came to this corner to day, but I think it'll be a pretty good place when I get it worked up.'

"Who are you working for now?" asked the man with the hand organ. "Mac," said the other. "I've been working for him ever since two weeks ago. I've done pretty well. "How much did you get today?" said the man who had been bumped, after a

"About six," was the answer. "What did you do?" "Only four and a few cents," was the reply, and it was spoken so low that the listener had to lean forward to catch the

"Say, this town's easy, isn't it?" asked the man with the hand organ, after an-The other nodded and just then, hearing the footsteps of an approaching pedestrian, he relaxed into an attitude of

the hand organ slowly trudged up the street. The saving of a few cents on a bottle

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#### CHARTER COMMITEE PREPARES NO REPORT

The charter committee of the city ouncil held a brief meeting in the office of Mayor Powell at 11 o'clock this mornines and eight inches distant from the kettle full of it boiling hot had been re- who has ever been identified with the ing, but so far as could be ascertained

City Attorney Orrick's draft of a new charter was not read, it is said, and the time was spent in discussion of various points without any final decision on a

Those present were Mayor Powell, City Attorney Orrick, Aldermen Moreland, Le-

All members of the Young Women's footsteps of his father, Abner Loving, Society of the First Baptist church are who was mortally wounded by the In- requested to meet in the parlors of the dians in 1868 at what is now known as church Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock on

> Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Matlock have returned from a trip to Washington and

Sheriff Goodfellow of Coleman county

## other eastern cities.

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