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FORT WORTH, TEXAS, SATURDAY, MAY 7, 1904

PORT ARTHUR IS BLOCKED BY TOGA

JAPANESE ADMIRAL SUCCEEDS IN CUTTING OFF ENTRANCE TO THE HARBOR TO ALL VESSELS EXCEPT SMALL BOATS

TELEGRAPH DOWN

Lines Are Cut and Russia Has Received No Message From & Russians four Hours-General Kuroki . Position in Two Divisions

TOKIO, May 7, 3 p. m.-Vice Admiral . sea girt stronghold at the ex-Togo reports the entrance to Port Arthur tolocked completely to vessels, except the small boats. He adds that the Japanese to most confidence expressed in the tolocked completely to vessels, except the small boats. have not lost a single war vessel, although de ability of the fortress to withthe attack resulted in considerable loss of stand a siege. The whole of the &

NO NEWS FOR 24 HOURS

was filed at 6 o'clock last night. It is believed the spot where the Japanese cut the railroad and telegraph line is near Port Adams, opposite Pitsewo. No news of other landings on the Liao Tung peninsula has reached the general staff. In sula has reached the general staff. Important developments are hourly expected from Front Western Properties. pertant developments are hourly expected from Feng Wang Cheng. News of heavy fighting there is anticipated. A telegram from General Kuropatkin says: "General Kuroki's army is advancing upon the Russian position in two divisions. The enemy with artillery has reached than the Japaneses operations of the fortress. Successive lines of defense must be carried and the Japaneses operations of the fortress. Successive lines of defense must be carried and the Japaneses operations of the fortress. Kao Li Meun, called the Kate of Korea, . vanced position of Kin Chou until . which is within ten miles of Fan Wang & their siege guns are landed. In &

ADMONISHES THE TROOPS

PORT ARTHUR. Friday.-Lieutenant General Stoessel has issued an order to the treeps of his command as follows: to sports and fireworks. Many Ko-"On April 30 and May 1 the enemy crossed rean officials attended the exercises. the Yalu river in great force and our troops fell back to positions which had been previously selected. Yesterday the enemy effected an important landing on the Liao Tung peninsula south of Pitsewo and in the vicinity of Kin Chou bay. Now our work is beginning, for naturally the enemy will destroy railway communicaand endeavor to drive our troops back to Port Arthur and besiege this ortress. Russia's bulwark in the East. We will defend it until the arrival of Manchuria since the Russian reof troops, which are coming to relieve verses on land, says a World dispatch you to display unceasing vigilance and of this the guards along the railway caution and you must be ready at all line have been considerably strengthtimes to demean yourselves toward your ened. general with the dignity and order beseeming the glorious troops of Russia. No matter what happens, you must not lose your heads, but remember that everything is possible in war and that we shall be able with God's help to cope with the arduous tack imposed upon us."

PORT ARTHUR CONFIDENT

PORT ARTHUR, Friday.-A parade of the garrison here was held today in honor of the empress. General Stoessel, in a speech to the troops, alluded to the latest phase of the war by which Port Arthur is threatened on the land side and impressed firm confidence in the endurance of the defenders of the Kwan Tung penin-The general's address was received with cheers from the assembled soldiers

NO CORRESPONDENTS ALLOWED

hostilities, and Lieutenant Newton A. down from the north and rescue them." Muccully, United States naval attache, and others have been provided with quar-

NO TROOPS FOR SHAN HAI KWAN

rent report that Russia purposes sending either side. The Japanese destroyed th nied today. The Russian government has ings. made no such report and has not contemplated taking such action.

ROTTEN CONDITIONS IN KOREA

SEOUL, May 5, 8 p. m .- Yi Yungtae, the new minister of the home department, There is a regaining of confidence from the fact that no drastic reforms follewed the signing of the protocol during Marquis Ito's recent diplomatic visit to the emperor's palace. The Japanese authorities are not likely to interfere at present, desiring completely to conciliate emperor's position or possibly they are pied Feng Wang Cheng. allowing things to run from bad to worse until it will be come imperative to intervene with a heavy hand. Certain districts command from \$5,000 to \$10,000, according to the reputation they have for * AMERICANS ARE MATERIALISTS * squeezing possibilities. A governorship * CHICAGO, May 7.-A denial of the * mands a high price. The emperor uses 🛊 charge that Americans are materialthe funds so obtained for secret intrigues and to entice political refugees living in Japan to return to Korea, where instant to fraternity convention at the Univerexecution follows. To clean up old grudges | sity of Chicago. He said has been the emperor's great ambition for many years past.

FENG WANG CHENG CAPTURED?

JAPS CELEBRATE VICTORY

SEOUL, Korea, May 6, 2:30 p. m .-The Japanese residents of this city * vice president. The next annual * held services today both in celebration | meeting will be held in New York. * of the victory on the Yalu and in * The convention closed with a dinner * ntrymen who fell in battle. After | fifty delegates from twenty-four colmorial service luncheon was | teges were present. afternoon and evening was given over *****

RUSSIANS THINK PORT ARTHUR IMPREGNABLE

the necessity for maintaining Arthur, south, the meantime the people must ac- .

direct news from Port Arthur.

PORT ARTHUR, May 6, 3 p. m .- Six

of the enemy's cruisers are continuall;

I consider it my duty to call upon from St. Petersburg. In consequence

were seriously wounded.

32,000 IN PORT ARTHUR

10,000 sailors on board the ships at Port Arthur, the defending force is about 22,00 men. In anticipation of the severance of communication all valuable public documents have been removed to Mukden and the work of supplying the fortress with provisions and ammunition has been progressing for weeks. The authorities are apparently satisfied that practically n non-combatants remain there. The in habitants of Port Dalny were sent away MUKDEN, May 7.-Still no foreign some time ago. The newspapers accept newspaper correspondents are allowed at the news stoically, adjuring the people not Liao Yang, where all foreign attaches are to be discouraged. The Novoe Vremya Captain William V. Judson of says: "The fortress and its defenders the engineer corps. U. S. A., who is in must now shift for themselves until our company of the Russian army during the army in sufficient strength can come

RESTROY RAILROAD

ST. PETERSBURG, May 7, 6:10 p. m. The Russian retreat from Feng Wang Cheng is confirmed. The Japanese pressed ST. PETERSBURG, May 7.- The cur- the retreating troops with few losses or to Shan Hai Kwan is officially de- railroad at Port Adams, blowing up build-

JAPS ARE INTRENCHING

ST. PETERSBURG, May 7, 5:30 p. m. According to persistent rumors, General Kuropatkin decided not to give battle at Feng Wang Cheng. The Russians have all parties, while still suspicious of the fallen back and the Japanese have reoccu-

★ life? Not the great leaders of com- ★ * mercial life, but the pioneers of the * ★ Yellstone Park. We are idealists." ★
★ Mr. Mable was elected president ★ * and Collin Armstrong of New York * memoration of those of their * at the Auditorium. One hundred and *

Port Arthur in Last Twenty- sin the Far East is remarkable. In military circles it has been . considered inevitable from the & first. No attempt was made to & Is Advancing on Russian strategic point of view the in- the vestment of the fortress was res garded as relieving the military s has been much embarrassed by & . Kin Chou, thirty miles above Port & The Russian capital has now been without news from Port Arthur for almost twenty-four hours. The last telegram received was filed at f cicles leave to the commanded by a chain of the most formidable fortifications the most formidable fortifications the most formidable fortifications the most formidable fortifications to the most formidable fortifications the most formidable fortifications to the most formidab secamp commanded by a chain of se

custom themselves to be without &

HOSTILITY AGAINST RUSSIANS NEW YORK, May 7 .- Signs of growome evident among the inhabitants

According to a Mukden dispatch, a railway guard two miles north of Tyndsjatoun numbering one hundred men was attacked last Sunday by Sharp fighting took place, during which one Russian was killed and Lieutenant Korableff and four men

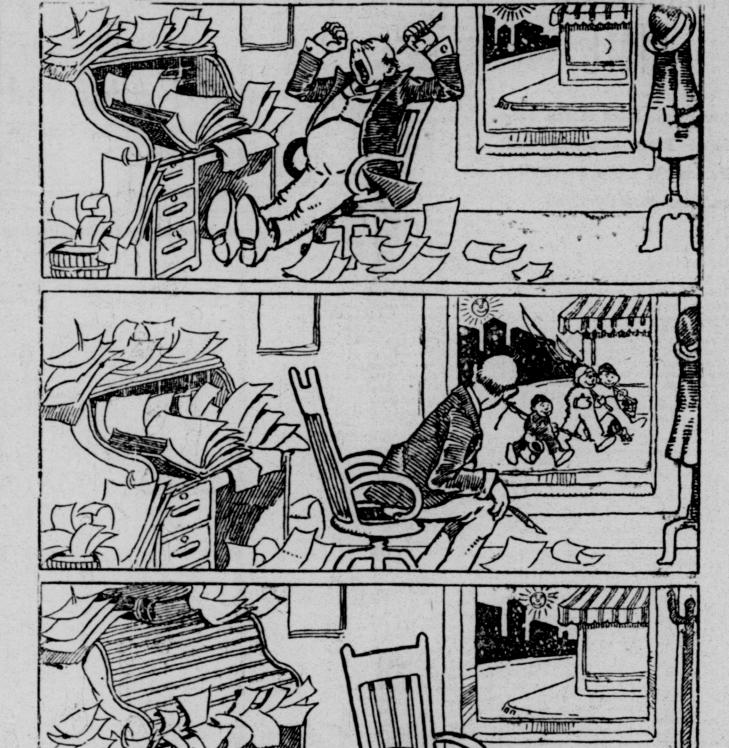
PORT ARTHUR, May 7.- In addition to

SHAN HAI KWAN, China, May 7.-An rifle and revolver match began today officer of a torpedo boat who arrived here at Armbruster's Park, Greenville, N. from Yin Kew today, after confirming the J. The French end of the competition announcements of the landing of Japanese is to begin tomorrow. The match, has reopened for sale the public offices troops on the Liao Tung peninsula, says which is reported by cable, is between which have been discontinued for some the Japanese are rapidly intrenching a team of fifteen marksmen of the through fear of Japanees interven- themselves and mounting rapid-fire guns. Cercle des Carbiniers de Paris and a

RUSSIANS REFUSE BATTLE

* MABIE DENIES CHARGE THAT

"Whom would we name if asked to *



A CARTOON WITHOUT WORDS

Pensylvania Properties United George Mason Killed and His Will Supplement His Gifts to Control 117.000 Acres

of Coal Land

PHILADELPHIA, May 7.-An Important step has been taken toward the completion of the Central Pennsylvania biextending over several months, it has

Negotiations for this purchase were begun last year, but owing to the unfavor- and is also otherwise injured. It is not able financial situation and the demoraliz- expected to live. ation of the bituminous market the plan

was temporarily abandoned. Through this addition to its property the Pennsylvania Coal and Coke Company now controls upwards of 117,000 slightly injured. acres of coal and surface land, chiefly in counties, containing more than one bilion tons of coal.

Upon these lands are located forty-four operating collieries with a daily shipping capacity of 25,000 tons. It owns also about 2,000 coke ovens, with a daily capacity of 2,000 tons.

FRANCO-AMERICAN SHOOTING MATCH

NEW YORK, May 7.-The American end of the second Franco-American team of fifteen of the Manhattan cut off for a while yesterday, owing Rifles and Revolver Club.

According to the articles of agreement each man of the team is to shoot forty consecutive shots with each weapon, ten shots on a target. The rifle match the target is the French honor target, with a 161/2 inch bullseye, at 200 yards.

ONLY FIVE YEARS TO LOSE A MILLION

chant, who inherited more than \$1,000,000 five years ago, has filed a petition in bankruptcy. with liabilities of \$48,300 and * give the highest type of American * assets doubtful.

The petitioner was employed as sales-* west, men of the old south, sturdy * man in the paper business by his grand * New Englanders. Our idealism would * uncle. Augustine Smith, who died in Jan-Japanese captured Feng Wang Cheng May

4, after fierce fighting, and that the losses
on both sides were heavy.

**New Englanders. Our idealism would **

**not pick the great industrial centers **

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** of our country as the things to be **

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** February of this year. February of this year. the loss of his fortune to the slump in cotton following the Sully failure.

CONFERENCE AT PALMER

WAXAHACHIE, Texas, May 7 .- The district conference of the Waxahachie district of the Methodist church will convene at Palmer next Tuesday. There will be about seventy-five preachers and delegates in attendance. Bishop Duncan of North Carolina will preside over the conference.

Child Blown Away and Injured

HAMILTON, Texas, May 6 .- Last night a cyclone struck the section of tuminous coal consolidation. The Penn- the country about Star mountain, losylvania Coal and Coke Company, through cated about twenty-five miles southits president, W. A. Lathrop, has an- west of this place in Mills county, and nounced that as a result of negotiations blew away five houses, killing George purchased all of the capital stock and Mason and blowing away one of his franchises of the Beech Creek Coal and children. The child was not found un-Coke Company. The terms were not made til this morning. The child is still alive but has one of its thighs broken,

> Cebe Hooker and his house were blown away. One child was killed, and other members of his family were

The house of a Mr. Rayburne was Blair, Cambria, Clearfield and Indiana also destroyed, injuring four of the family, but none seriously. John Mason was also injured, but to what extent was not reported. Heavy rains have fallen throughout

never better. TELEPHONE POLES ARE BLOWN DOWN

this country for the past ten days, and

prospects for all kinds of crops were

DENTON, Texas, May 7.—The high wind which accompanied the rain which fell in this county Thursday night is reported to have done a great deal of damage in the vicinity of Pilot Point and Sanger, stations north of

Telephone connections between the town of Pilot Point and Denton were to the fact that some twenty poles had been blown down and other damages done to the Southwestern's system. Reports received here yesterday aft-

ernoon are to the effect that several barn and outhouses in the vicinity of the revolver at fifty yards. For the Aubrey and Pilot Point were blown down and otherwise damaged. The storm cloud seems to have taken a direct patch across Denton county and was several miles in width. Reports have not yet been received from

all points along its wake, but it is be-

lieved that the damage done is not

extensive. News was received from the Sanger NEW YORK, May 7.—John Campbell community that a farm house there smith of this city, formerly a paper mer-had been totally wrecked, the family occupying it having taken refuge in a storm house or cellar. The storm was accompanied by a heavy hail in some sections which did more or less damage to crops.

NEW UNIFORMS OF THE TEXAS GUARD

AUSTIN, Texas, May 7 .- The order

fully and carefully set forth.

It will be several days before the order is promulgated.

Catholics by a Donation of \$1,500,000

CHICAGO. May 7 .- A dispatch to the Record-Herald from St. Paul, Minn., says: James J. Hill, president of the Northern Securities Company and the Great North- Brooks of the Twenty-sivth district ern Railroad, will supplement his many court today overruled all of the degifts to the Roman Catholic church by fendant's special and general excepa donation of \$1,500.000, given jointly by himself and Mrs. Hill, toward the erection of the new \$3,000,000 cathedral, Two of the state of Texas against J. M. of the wealthiest parishes of St. Paul will Guffey Petroleum Company and others. the gift has been made by the clergy in This is a penalty suit involving sevconnection with the further statements of eral hundred thousand dollars in penthe progress of the cathedral movement. The remaining \$1,500,000 is already in sight and will be given by other wealthy

RATES FOR BURGLAR INSURANCE HIGHER

CHICAGO, May 7.-The activity of burglars has made burglary insurance in Chicago unprofitable to the companies that have been placing it. The announcement that a new schedule of rates on burglary insurance will go into effect here on June 1 has brought to light some class of insurance. Representatives of quired by law. No more franchise prominent insurance companies acknowledge that in the last ten years the Chicago agencies handling burglary insurance have sustained a loss of from \$20,-000 to \$30,000, in spite of the fact that the rates here are from 25 to 40 per cent higher than in New York, Philadelphia and other larger cities.

During the last five years the number of burglaries and thefts in Chicago has increased to an alarming extent, insurance men say. Several companies have either stopped taking risks or have transferred their business to some other com-

DECISION AFFECTING SUGAR AND TOBACCO

NEW YORK, May 7.-A decision of considerable interest to importers has shall be relieved from such forfeiture been handed down by the United States circuit court of appeals. In effect the court decided that the assessment of duty upon goods withdrawn from a bonded warehouse for consumption shall be upor the basis of the tariff prevailing at the time of withdrawal. The collector at this port, who had maintained that the duty should be levied on the basis of the rates in effect at the time the goods wer placed in bond, was overruled.

This decision will affect an immense number of importations of sugar and tobacco, and also will apply to hundreds of importations which were in bond at the time the war tax on tea was taken

McCOY AND O'BRIEN BOUT

forms are made, and the style is place on the same night that Jeffries minutely described and every detail and Monroe meet in San Francisco. Both McCoy and O'Brien have already gone into training for the bout.

DOUBLE TRAGEDY OCCURS AT LULING

TWO PROMINENT BUSINESS MEN KILLED BY MAS-TON NIXON, A BANKER-AFFAIR TAKES PLACE IN FRONT OF STORE OF THE FORMER

NEW YORK, May 7.-Tests are * being made of various chlorides and ★ other chemicals in connection with a ★ roject now under discussion by the * health department to check the * * spread of tuberculosis here. It is * * planned, should the tests prove suc-* cessful, to use disinfectants in the * water with which the streets are ★ It is believed that tuberculosis as ★ we'll as many other diseases are

* spread chiefly in the dust of the * * streets, as a result of the drying of * the saliva which has been expector-* ated by persons suffering from con-As yet the matter is in an ex-* perimental stage, and it may be sev-

MAY SPRINKLE STEETS TO

* sprinkled.

CHECK TUBERCULOSIS

+ eral weeks before any practical dem- + * onstration is made. The tests are * ★ ing germs without spreading offen- ★

WARREN SHOOTS

Hillsboro Capitalist Kills Himself This Afternoon After Wounding His Wife

HILLSBORO, Texas, May 7 .- John D. Warren shot himself and wife shortly before 1 o'clock this afternoon. died instantly. His wife is still alive but will die.

The cause of the tragedy is unknown. Warren was a capitalist and farmer, and formerly a merchant and banker.

ANTI-IHUDI LADE

Judge Brooks Rules Against and hence many more teachers will be J. M. Guffey and the Petroleum Company

AUSTIN, Texas, May 7 .- Judge tions to plaintiff's petition in the case alties for alleged violation of the anti-

Thus far the ruling of the court is a victory for the state. The case must now come up on its merits.

SECRETARY BEGINS

AUSTIN, Texas, May 7 .- The secretary of state commenced today the work of forfeiting the charters of all the domestic and foreign corporations startling facts in connection with this failed to pay the franchise tax renow operating in Texas that have !taxes will be received after this date and as charters of approximately twelve hundred corporations will be forfeited.

The statute under which these for-

feitures are made provides any corporation either foreign or domestic which fails to pay the tax provided for herein, shall forfeit its wight to do business in this state, which forfeiture shall be consummated without judicial ascertainment by the secretary of state entering upon the margin of the ledger kept in his office relating to such corporations, the word forfeited. The same act provides that any corporation which shall within six months after the list has been published pay the tax and \$5 additional for each month or fractional part of a month which elapse after such forfeiture, of its right to do business in the state. and when the said tax and penalty are fully paid to the secretary of state it shall be the duty of said officer to shall be the duty of said officer to renew and reinstate said right by cancelling the word forfeited on his ledger. and substituting therefore the word "revived."

PHOTOGRAPHS TAKEN

Gilbert, superintendent of capital o unsettled weather with probably buildings and grounds, is having some | • showers. fine photographs of the state house . Oklahoma, Indian Territory and PHILADELPHIA. Pa., May 7.-This and campus made from different points. • East Texas (north)-Tonight and new uniforms for the members of the fight to take place here between "Kid" hands of the printer, consists of forty printed pages.

The material out of which the uniforms are made on which the uniforms are made on which the uniforms for the material out of which the uniforms for the date originally fixed for the fight to take place here between "Kid" the Daughters of the Republic to be probably showers.

McCoy and Jack O'Brien. By mutual hibition at the St. Louis exposition. Sunday increasing cloudiness; probably showers sunday in the been postponed and will probably take been po represented from points not hereto-fore photographed, and will present winds on the coast. the state house and surroundings in an entirely new light.

Victims Are Robert Malone and John Veasey, the Latter a Commander of Spanish War Veterans—The Trouble Was Caused by Business and Family Troubles

double tragedy occurred at Luling, a town, * being conducted with regard to kill- * twenty miles south of here, today. Maston Nixon, a prominent banker of that section, shot and killed Robert F. Malone and Captain John Veasey. An old feud is said to have existed between Nixon and Malone. Today Nixon approached Malone, who was standing in front of a store, and after a few words shot him, killing him almost instantly. Captain Veasey, a clerk in Malone's store, rushed out and grappled with Nixon. Another shot was fired in the scuffle and Veasey

There is much excitement in town over

WAS FAMILY TROUBLE

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, May 7.- News as received this morning from Luling of the killing of John Veasey and R. W. Malone there by S. M. Nixon, their brother-in-law. The trouble was due to domestic and business affairs. Nixon is in jail and there is much excitement in the town. Veasey was junior vice corps commander of the Spanish War Veterans.

CREEK TEACHERS IN CONVENTION

MUSKOGEE, I. T., May 7.-The fifth nnual session of the Creek teachers' nor-Monday, June 6, and closing at noon Satarday June 11. Okmulgee is easily acressible from all parts of the Creek naion. Trains arrive at hours that make it possible to be present at the opening seswill be expected at the orphan a mile from the railway station, and con-

veyances meet all trains. A recent appropriation made by the congress of the United States provides for large increase in the number of schools, needed the coming year. Appointments will be made as soon as possible after the close of the normal. Preference in making appointments will be given those with experience in our schools who attend the normal.

Applicants for certificates will be examined in arithmetic, geography, grammer. United States history, physiology and reading. All papers will be graded on spelling and penmanship. Board, lodging and tuition for the week

will only cost \$3.50.

WOMAN SLASHED TEN TIMES WITH RAZOR

DENTON, Texas, May 7 .- A difficulty occurred between two women living four miles east of here last night, in which one was severely slashed by some short instrument, supposed to be a razor. The principals in the affray were Mrs. Givens and a girl named Eula McBride. former called on the McBride girl at her home and both went for a walk apparent-TO ANNUL CHARTERS by in a friendly mood. Soon afterwards the trouble arose, which is supposed to have its origin in jealousy. The McBride girl received ten slashes about the throat, waist and arms. A physician worked seven hours with her. She will recover.

WANT ONLY LANDS OF CREEK FREEDMEN

MUSKOGEE, I. T., May 7 .- The regular sale of Creek lands owned by the Creek Indians by blood was held in the office cf the United States Indian agent here. There were only eleven tracts listed for sale, ther being only six sold for the sum of \$6,466. The town is full of land buyers, but it seems that they all want the land owned by the Creek freedman.

TO ORGANIZE AN ANTI-PARKER CLUB

DENTON, Tex., May 7.-A peteition has been received here from citizens of the Lewisville district in the southern part of the county, calling a meeting for the purpose of organizing an anti-Parker club. The meeting is to be held at the justice of the peace's office in Lewisville this afternoon at 3 o'clock. The petition is signed by a large number of citizens.

THE WEATHER

The forecast until 8 p. m. Sunday • for Fort Worth and vicinity-In-· creasing cloudiness tonight, probably • thunderstorm shower. Thunderstorm OF CAPITOL GROUNDS . showers Sunday and slightly cooler. The Washington forecast for the · southwest is as follows:

AUSTIN, Texas, May 7.-Mr. C. E. . Arkansas-Tonight and Sunday

VICTIMS OF A

Territory People Make Advance Payments to Home **Building Concern**

ARDMORE, I. T., May 7.—Ardmore, Pauls Valley, Wynnewood, South McAlester and Sulpnur have been made the victims of a clever home building scheme in \$25, according to the size of the loan the months from the date of the approval of applicant desired to make, promised to citizenship of such citizens. loan a sum sufficient to purchase a home at 5 per cent interest, payable in from ten to twenty years. The advance payments were made, but no loans were ever

The federal court in session at Pauls Valley is investigating the matter, and two of the promoters have been convicted and awaits the sentence of the court.

INJUSTICE TO CLUB

ARDMORE, I. T., May 7.—The dispatch sent out from Ardmore, stating that the ocratic club had passed resolutions condemning the Hamilton statehood bill does an injustice to the club for the reason that only eight members were present at the last encampment of the guard, will an officer of the club was present on ac- to Captain Robertson of the signal corps, count of a downpour of rain. The con- who is secretary of the association. stitution of the club requires the presence quorum. What action the club will take is not known, but it is certain that these resolutions were passed without the with shooting and killing George Ashby knowledge of the club.

ALL PASTORS TAKE PART ARDMORE, I. T., May 7.-Rev. P. M. Fitzgerald, a Presbyterian evangelist, has closed a two weeks' revival here. More than 100 conversions were witnessed. The meetings were held in the Methodist church and all the pastors of the city took an active part in the good work.

DISTRICT COURT ADJOURNS ARDMORE, I. T., May 7 .- The district court has adjourned at Pauls Valley, and will convene Monday at Purcell. G. W. Chappelle, an attache of Buckskin Bill's wild west show, who shortchanged a victim to the tune of \$35, entered a plea of guilty and was sentenced to penal servi-tude for eighteen months.

COMPROMISE WITH DEPOSITORS ARDMORE, I. T., May 7.—The Mer-chants and Planters bank, which recently failed at Duncan, has compromised with its depositors on a 50 per cent payment. The first installment of 20 per cent was paid today, and the remainder will be paid within thirty days. The former president of the bank, Colonel C. M. Hobbs, dled this week at his home at Hope, I. T.

THE MOORE KILLING ARDMORE, I. T., May 7.—John G. Moore, who was killed a few days ago at Roosevelt, Okla., was a brother to Mrs. Byron Drew of this city, formerly of Terrell, Texas. Mrs. Drew has employed former District Attorney A. C. Cruce to prosecute the slayer. Mr. Cruce departed for the scene of the crime today.

result of the failure here of the Capitol ing to Oklahoma City, Shawnee and other places, instead of all being left in the Guthrie banks as heretofore. Although failed to provide water by means of wells, side banks for portions of these deposits. neglected to care for their ranges by movyet none as yet put up any security, and that is the first thing to be considered, according to Treasurer Rambo. When the Capitol National falled the territory had on deposit there about \$250,000. This was, of course, covered amply by security

The Citizens' bank of Enid has been turned over by the territorial bank commissioner to the receiver, Robert Denton, who was named recently by Judge Beau-The announcement was made from Ho

bart yesterday that it is now fully decided to reorganize and reopen the defunct Farmers and Merchants' National bank, which closed its doors there about two weeks ago. The officers of the reorganized bank are now being considered.

FEDERAL COURT AT PAWNEE GUTHRIE, Okla., May 7.-In the federal court yesterday at Pawnee Elijah

Tinsley, a 13-year-old boy, was acquitted of killing his stepfather, John Tinsley, last summer in the Osage Indian country. He his mother, Mrs. Sarah Lenox, who was of them are even sleek and fat. indicted with her son, but also acquitted at the present term of court.

Ed Lisle, colored, who killed United

GRUB STAKE COMPANY

Lawton. All these gentlemen are inter-ested in the mountains and are members "I have not depended of other mining companies. Mr. Beam is a member of the well-known assaying of various types, and my cattle never firm of A. M. Beam & Sons of Denver, which has had a branch office in Lawton for some time past.

WOMAN UNDER ARREST OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., May 6 .- Mrs. Mary Cartwright was placed under arrest day or two ago and said he felt so easy of D. J. Spencer. Spencer was an old cattlemen is anything but discouragement. There will be some depression of prices, in his room two months ago, leaving an as was to be expected, but to give the estate valued at \$50,000.

APACHES CELEBRATE LAWTON, Okla., May 7.—The Apache does Indians are having a big dance and bar-

becue at Four-Mile crossing, four miles west of Fort Sill. The Apaches are prisoners of war upon the Fort Sill military reservation. This is their first dance in ome time, and is being largely attended by the members of the tribe. They will be headed by old Geronimo, whom the whites call Chief Geronimo. They will also hold another dance tomorrow night.

LAWTON DAILY CONSTITUTION LAWTON, Okla., May 7.-The first is sue of the Lawton Daily Constitution came out yesterday morning. The Constitution is a democratic paper, and is edited by N. W. Smails. Mr. Smails edited the Herald at Fremont, Neb., for over a qurter of a century.

ALLOTMENTS IN SHORT TIME ARDMORE, I. T., May 7.—The Dawes commission will begin the arbitrary allotment of lands within the next few days. the effect that it will arbitrarily allot and which the promoters, in consideration of complete partial allotments of all approved citizens at the expiration of twelve

> NINE FAILED TO PASS GUTHRIE, Okla., May 7.-Out of the fifty-four applicants for county teachers' certificates, but nine failed to pass, as a result of the recent examination held here by County Superintendent Derrick. The best average, 94, was made by Charles Baird of Garden. There were two first sections of the state being greater than in grade, sixteen second grade and twenty- the cyclone north of Cisco. one third grade certificates issued.

MEETING OF GUARD GUTHRIE, Okla., May 7 .- The first an-

has been placed in jall at Pawnee, charged and a number of bruises. try. James is held without bond

El Paso Banker and Cattleman Says Losses in His Section Have Not Been General, and

(El Paso Herald.)

Men Are Strong Financially

"The reports of thousands of cattle dyng on the range, and of cattlemen sacriwest," said H. L. Newman, president of will soon fall to their normal level, the Lowdon National bank and proprietor of one of the largest ranches in this secshowers on Sunday with slightly lower tion, covering some 225 square miles.

"If that were the true situation, it FUNDS FOR BANKS

GUTHRIE, Okla., May 7.—The stateand our people would have to take the people would have to take the state and our people would have to take the been indicted for selling whisky in the state been indicted for selling whisky in the state. National bank the territorial deposits will the only cattle that are suffering or have be scattered throughout the territory, go- suffered so far are the herds of careless or inexperienced ranchmen who have

there have been applications made by out- or have overstocked their ranges, or have ing the herds. "We should look upon rain in April and

May as a fine thing, and it would mean better prices and a more active market. But so far the grass on our ranges in this country is holding out pretty well, and we should not be worried if we had no rain to speak of for two months yet. I have just made a sale of 1,500 head, 500 to be shipped next Monday and 1,000 May 10, at no very great reduction from last year's prices. The sale of 1,000 head was to a man who came here expecting to find all the ranchmen in a mood to give their stuff away, and he had no intention of buying at the prices I named. But when he saw my stock, which is all in excellent

"I have heard of losses in the western part of this state, and also in New Mexico and Arizona, but they are isolated, and do not indicate any general disaster. People in my office today who have just been through Southern Arizona report that the killed his father with an ax in protecting cattle through there look well and some

condition, he closed the contract without

"The business of cattle raising is being The time is past when herds could be march down Houston street to Front, up States Deputy Marshal Jones last July in turned out on free range and allowed to Main street to the court house, and take the Osage country, was sentenced to life rustle for themselves. I took a tract of the cars for Handley. All baggage should land in this county that my friends pro- be brought to the cars north of the court nounced practically worthless, and put in house not later than 8 o'clock. wells and fences and other necessary im-LAWTON, Okla., May 7.—A charter was provements, until it is now a property granted Thursday to the Grub Stake Min-worth having. All around me other ing Company of this city, with \$2,000,000 ranchers have taken up tracts and the ciation and promising to entertain each capital stock. The incorporators are J. A. Beam of Denver, Col.; C. A. Ramsowers, Paso county and over across the line in J. S. Spencer and Dr. A. X. Campbell of New Mexico, are dotted with ranch houses for the enjoyment of all at the park.

"I have not depended on the wind for years to do my pumping. I have engines want for water near their ranges.

"As a banker, doing an extensive business in cattle loans, I will say that there is not a piece of cattle paper in this bank that I do not consider gilt edged; indeed, one of the heaviest borrowers came in a notion to northern buyers that they can come down here and pick up cattle for little or nothing is all wrong, because it does not represent the true conditions at

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Other Points Than Moran Suffered From Cyclones and Furious Windstorms—Broken Wires Now Repaired

munications re-established throughout the than Moran to have been visited by destructive storms, the loss of life in other

At Holliday, along the Wichita Valley railroad, a severe storm was experienced about 3 p. m., the school building in that place being completely overturned and the nual meeting of the Oklahoma National lives of about fifty pupils endangered. Guard Association, which was organized Those seeing the approaching storm fled from the building, all but the teacher, when the resolutions were passed, and not be held in Guthrie on May 10, according Sam Horton, and a pupil named Henry Riggs getting out of the building before the storm struck it. Both Horton and the boy were severely injured, the former being hurt internally and is not expected to HELD WITHOUT BOND ing hurt internally and is not expected to GUTHRIE, Okla., May 7.—John James live. Riggs escaped with a broken arm

> Buildings also suffered to a great extend at Chico, and, although no lives are reported as being lost, there were a number of people seriously injured, one, Mrs. C. F. Bray, possibly fatally. The W. C. Bass grocery store at Chico was unroofed, as was the ranch house of the Bar O ranch. Other buildings damaged were the residences of J. S. Berry, C. F. Bray, Charles Hunter, Luther Etheredge, Mrs. Ogle, Silas Denny and George Strain.

At Writewright, Texas, one building vas blown from its foundation, and a arge number of chimneys and flues were lown down. No greater injury is reported at that point. Corsicana reports two residences, those

of J. W. Duren and John Babb, as being struck by lightning during a heavy rain and wind storm. The damage to both of these, however, was slight, and no loss of life or serious injury is reported. At Dorchester a house was blown from

its blocks and crops at Southmayd and Luella are badly damaged. No additional news comes from Cisco, other than the ascertaining of the name of the child killed to be Katie Martin. Other

points, although reporting heavy rains and high winds, report no serious damage. For yesterday a fine rain is reported in the country around Albany, while Corpus Christi reports a 1.14-inch fall. Clear fleing their herds at any price offered, weather prevails generally over the state today, and it is probable the streams today, and it is probable the streams Superintendent W. L. Cate of the railway which have been filled to the brim and mail service, at their home, 516 Sixth are threatening the low lying crops Locally, the prospects are for increasing cloudiness and probable thunder

Everyone Connected With Those Lines of Business Will Have Big Parade May 10 and Then Go to Lake Erie

detail arranged for their grand basket Lignowski was instrumental in having picnic at Lake Erle park Tuesday, May something done for Stewart. He now has

Every one connected with either the grocery or butcher business will assemble at their hall. Houston and Fifth streets. put on a more scientific basis every year, at 8 a. m., procure badges and banners,

Any member of the association can procure invitation cards by calling at the office of the Grocers and Butchers' Asso-

Badges or invitation cards will be required to enter the grounds.

In order that their employes may have an opportunity to attend the affair it is announced that the packing houses and the flouring mills in the city will close down for the day. The wholesale grocery and produce houses have also agreed to be closed upon that day and it is expected that the largest attendance ever secured at a picnic of this sort will be had. The here last evening on the charge of forging that he wanted to take up some of his retail stores will be closed all day and an instrumetn purporting to be the will paper before it was due. The talk among the proprietors are already busy urging upon their customers the necessity of getting their supplies upon the preceding day The program at the park will be as

> Adams of the association, followed by Mayor Powell, S. C. Jackson, Julian Capers and others.

Recitations and music will also be ren-Luther and Miss Higgenbotham. In the afternoon following the basket

lunch, athletic sports will be indulged in all sorts of races, both on land and water, and other contests being held by those present. A big list of prizes has been offered and it is expected there will be a large list of contestants. At the con-clusion of these sports the much-ehalded baseball same between teams of the jobbers and the retailers will be played.

side in giving the picnic, and they expect to have a large number of their members and their clerks in attendance at the

COMPANIES CHARTERED AUSTIN, Texas, May 7 .- The Abilene

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It will always be found a little better and perhaps a little cheaper at the William Henry & R. E. Bell Hardware Co., 1615-17 Main and 513-15 Houston streets.

A slaughter sale of sample line of hand embroidered and stamped linens; less than cost. Come and see them. Mrs. K. Wallace, 805 Houston street. At some seasons of the year it might

be hard to rent that house; but just now eligible tenants are poring over the "To Let" ads every day. Get your wants into The Telegram. A beautiful Ancona Glass Fruit set free to all purchasers of 50c worth of Teas, Coffees, Spices, Extracts or Bak-

ing Powder Saturday and Monday. The

Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Co., 809 Houston street. Miss Jennie Green of Quanah is visiting friends in the city.

Miss Bess McLean has returned from a two weeks' visit in Sherman.

W. P. McLean, Jr., returned yesterday from a trip in Southern Texas. Mrs. W. T. Scott, who has been ill for

several days, is reported much better. Rev. George Anderson will preach at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning at the Salvation Army hall. E. J. Bohannon, railway mail clerk on

the Katy south from this city, spent Friday in Fort Worth with friends You didn't allow some one else to select

your wife for you; why let your friends select your office help? Use a Telegram want ad and your own judgment.

Mrs. J. W. Ward wife of Superintendent Ward of the Rio Grande division of the Texas and Pacific Railway, is visiting in William M. Randolph of Monnett, Mo.

formerly of the Monnett and Oklahoma railway postoffice, has been promoted from class No. 1 to class No. 2 in the The baseball team of the railway mail service was defeated yesterday afternoon

by Fort Worth University by a score of 7 to 4. Wray and McDade for the mail service and Neil and Robinson for the university were the batteries. Miss Cleo Cate of Chattanooga, Tenn. will arrive in this city Monday afternoon for a visit with the family of Assistant

Deputy Marshall Dryden returned to this city this morning from South Me-Alester, to which place he had gone with James E. Miller, on an order of removal from this district for trial at South Me-

Headquarters have been opened in this city by Rural Free Delivery Inspectors Carl Eggie, who was formerly stationed at Fort Scott, and A. J. Bennett. It is understood that they will remain here for an indefinite time, owing to the railroad facilities for reaching all sections of the state. No matters in regard to the routes

In a red-hot game of baseball played this morning, the East Side Sluggers defeated The Telegram newsboys by a score of 13 to 12. The newsboys had the game in hand until the last inning, when Conners of the Sluggers slugged a safe one. sending in the winning run. Harris and Conner officiated for the Sluggers, while O. B. Jordan and Joe Irish were at the points for the newsboys. The umpire was past recognition.

operated from this city are under investi-

gation by the inspectors.

There is confined in prison in Mexico former Confederate soldier, M. A. C. Stewart, who was convicted of murder and was given a life sentence. The friends and former comrades of the man in this country exerted themselves in his behalf and finally his sentence was commuted The grocers and butchers have every to twenty years' imprisonment. Dr. R. B. a letter from him saying that he has a good chance to be pardoned at the expiration of ten years' sentence. This will keep him in prison four years and eight months longer.

DEATHS

CHRISTENSEN HENSEN

Christensen Hensen, aged 54 years, died yesterday afternoon at 107 North Houston has lived in this city for about fourteen years. No known relatives survive him. Funeral services will be held this afternoon at 5 o'clock from Robertson's undertaking rooms.

LOREEN C. BOND

Loren C. Bond, the 5-year-old daughter of J. S. Bond of 614 North Hampton street, died early this morning at the home of her parents. Funeral services will be held tomorrow at 2 p. m.

PETITION IN BANKRUPTCY A voluntary petition in bankruptcy has been filed in the federal court by J. H. Caldwell of Mansfield, Texas., who has been engaged in the stock raising business. The petitioner places his liabilities at \$1.433.50 and his assets at \$5,660, all

POLITICS IN MARYLAND

of which is claimed as exempt.

BALTIMORE, Md., May 7 .- The republican state convention of Maryland will meet here next Wednesday. President Roosevelt will be indorsed delegates-at-large will probably United States Senator Louis E. Mc-Comas, Congressman William H. Jackson, General Felix Angus and Stewn-The North Fort Worth Association will son A. Williams, who was the repub-co-operate with the association from this lican candidate for governor last year.

TROY CHURCH TO BE DEDICATED TROY, N. Y., May 7.-Arrangements have been concluded for the dedication tomorrow of the new St. Mary's church of this city. Bishop Burke of Albany will officiate and the other Dry Goods Company of Abilene, with a participants will include a number of capital stock of \$15,000, was granted a priests and prelates from Amsterdam priests and prelates from Amsterdam and other points.



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TESTS OF CHARACTER

portant hearings on the charges brought but you will have to wait for promotion by the Bar Association against George until somebody dies or resigns." Alfred Lamb to disbar him on account of his connection with the famous Peter for renomination and the delegates in- Power suit against the Northern Securistructed to vote for him. No prefer- ties Company Mr. Lamb told a story to ence will be expressed in regard to a some of his friends. His counsel, J. Rider vice presidential candidate. The four Cady, had just examined DeLancey Nicoli, Samuel Untermyer and J. S. Auerbach, who had given testimony as to the defendant's reputation that was highly creditable to him.

"At a country fair," said Mr. Lamb, "a boy once asked a farmer for a job.
"'Waal,' said the farmer, taking a glance at the lad and seeing that he looked strong, 'meet me at the entrance to the grounds at 4:30 and bring your character with yer.'

"So at 4:80 the boy was there, waiting. "'Waal,' said the farmer, have yer got yer character?'
"Nope," was the reply, yours. I won't come.

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ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURE TRAINS AT FORT WORT WEST-BOUND.

4:45 pm- 1 St. Louis, Memphis. Fort Worth 3 Cannon Hall (St. L., N. O., El Paso) 9:45 am 7:45 pm- 5 Cannon Ball (8t. L. to El Paso) 1:20 pa 11:05 arm 7 From Wills Point ... 2:55 pm - 9 Dallas-Min'l Wells. 8:00 pm 5:15 am- 11 Dailas-Ft. Worth...... 2:30 pm- 13 Dallas-Ft. Worth... 6:50 am-103 Dallas-Ft. Worth...

EAST-BOUND.
2 St. L. Memphis-New Orleans 8:00 am 7:60 pm- 4 Colo., Memphis, St. Louis, N. Orleans. 7:45 pe 7:00 am- 6 Cannon Ball (El Paso to St. Louis)- 7:45 an

..... 8 To Wills Point ... 6:00 pc 16:30 am- 10 Min. Wells-Dallas .. 10:35 am 12 Dallas Local 9:25 am 14 Dallas Local 1:85 pm-102 To Dallas 930 pm

TRANSCONTINENTAL (Texarkana, Sherman and Paria) NORTH-BOUND.

.. - 32 Local 4:35 pm — 31 Local Texas and Pacific trains Nos. 5 and 5 stop at Texarkana, T. C. Junctica. Atlanta, Jefferson, Marshall, Longviso function, Big Sandy, Minecia, Wills Point Terrell, Forney, East Dallas, Dallas and Fort Worth

HOUSTON AND TEXAS CENTRAL

NORTH-BOUND. 3:35 pm — 83 North Texas Lim's 7:55 am — 85 Mail and Express....... 11:50 am-93 Local Freight and Passenger 84 South Texas Lim'd

Passenger (Ennis). 1:65 pm

NTERNATIONAL & GREAT NORTH. NORTH-BOUND.

Arrive. No. 1 For Waco, Marlin Houston, Austin and San Antonio......7:30 am SOUTH-BOUND. 2 From Waco, Marlin,

Houston, Austin and San Antonio . For Waco, Marlin, Austin, San Antonio and Old Mexico ..., 3:40 pm

8 From Waco, Marlin, Austin, San Antonio, and Old Mexico FORT WORTH AND DENVER CITY

NORTH-BOUND. Arrive. No. 1 Mail and Express (Pueblo, Colorado Springs, Denver) .. 9:45 am 7 Amarillo Express . 8:40 pm

SOUTH-BOUND. 5:10 pm- 2 Mail and Express...... 7:25 am- 8 Amarillo Express FRISCO AYSTEM 10:55 am- 10 Meteor (Sherman,

6:00 am— 32 Mixed (Sherman, Denison, St. Louis, Kansas City) 11:15 art SOUTH-BOUND.

2:55 pm— 9 Meteor (Brownw'd) 3:15 pm
7:35 pm— 25 Mixed (Brownwood

Trains Nos. 32 and 85 arrive at and depart from Hemphili Street station. Other trains use Texas and Pacific station, for of Main street. MISSOURI, KANBAS AND TEXAS

NORTH-BOUND. 8:10 am— 16 Katy Flyer 8:36 am 10:55 am— 2 Kan. City Express..11:56 am 8:15 pm— 4 Kansas City Mail and Express 9:00 pm SOUTH-BOUND.

7:45 pm— 15 Katy Flyer 5:10 pm— 1 Waco Mail and Ex-7:40 am— 3 San Antonio and Houston Express .. 8:30 am ROUA ISLAND SYSTEM

NORTH-BOUND. Reno, Topeka, Den-river points 5:30 am SOUTH-BOUND.

Mo. river points COTTON BELT!..!..!

WEST-BOUND. 1:50 pm- 5 From St. Louis and Memphis, through express

6:50 am-101 From Dallas, Memphis, Chicago 7:25 pm—103 From Texarkana, Pine Blutt and Arkansas EAST-BOUND. 6 To Memphis and St. Louis, through express

-102 To Dallas, Memphis and Chicago
104 Texarkana, Pine B. GULF, COLORADO AND SANTA FE NORTH-BOUND

7:40 am— 18 SOUTH-BOUND. 8:30 pm 8:20 pm 6 9:00 pm- 17

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BULLS.

HOGS-The market ruled strong and

4.05

68 lambs 77

FOREIGN MARKETS

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK

Hogs-Receipts, 3,000; market steady

Sheep-Receipts, 2,000; market nominal.

KANSAS CITY, May 7.-Cattle-Re-

Hogs-Receipts, 4,000; market opened

steady and ruled strong on best heavy

grades, lights lower and all grades closing

weak; mixed and butchers, \$4.70@4.60;

good to choice heavy, \$4.80@4.85; rough

ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK

250, nearly all Texans; market steady;

changed; sheep, \$4@5.55; lambs, \$4@5.50.

COTTON PROGRESS DELAYED

NEW YORK, May 7 .- Seasonable

vance kof from 1/4 to 3-8 in spots. Cables from Manchester have taken

on a more cheerful tone and speak

duced marked uneasiness among

shorts in the near positions and there

has been active covering, especially in

July with the result that an advance

of about half cent from the bottom was

Advices from New Orleans pointed

to some concerted movement among the

bullish element there and rumors of

an impending squeeze in July became

current. One explanation of the

strength recently displayed independ-

ent of the natural impulse given by

them. It thus becomes evident that

to attract any movemen of cotton or

offerings from holders it would be

the recent spurt was considered by

30.4; Oklahoma, 25.7. Average in-

creases for belt, 10.1.

scored within a few days.

eipts, 100; market unchanged.

101 sheep

,600; market steady.

Monday, 38,000.

Ave. Price. No. Ave. Price.

1.....1.090 \$1.85

75..... 212 \$4.80

9..... 162

1..... 330

23..... 142

Ave. Wt.

Market Quotations

With a good, liberal run of cattle yard- 1.... 560 1.50 ed the past week, the local cattle market No. closes on an erratic basis, choice heavy 1.....1,160 \$2.00 fed steers closing at barely steady basis, medium fed stuff at 10c to 15c lower, best cows 10c to 20c lower and the average quality butcher stock at a loss of 10c to 15c.

active and the light supply of four cars sold early, tops bringing \$4.80 and the bulk of medium stuff going at \$4.65@ 4.72½. The sales:

better, sold on the Monday and Thursday markets at \$4.25, with the bulk during the 35.... 256 \$4.75 week at prices ranging between \$3.50@ 8.... 207 2.70. A fair demand prevailed until Fri- 18..... 176 4.65 day, when the market showed a bad break, with the result that the bulk of the offering on that day was forwarded out to northern points.

Choice fat cows have lost 10c to 20c, with the best selling on closing values at \$3@3.25, and the fair to good kinds of medium butcher quality at \$2@2.75. Half fat green cattle, both in cows and steers, are becoming a hard proposition,

and salesmen are advising shippers to use precaution in buying and shipping this class of stuff, as the shrink is usually heavy and the killing per cent at the plants below the average. Yearlings find and are usually forced on outside buyers and speculators at prices ranging between

Calves have shown no activity over last week's market, but as a rule the receipts have sold on a steady market. Best light veal calves are quoted at \$3.75@4.25; medium to good kinds at \$2.50@3.25, and the heavy rough undesirable stuff at \$1.75 Bulls have been in light supply, and

with the exception of Saturday's supply sold during the week at steady prices. heavy, \$4.75@4.80; light, \$4.40@4.70; bulk, During the first three days of the week \$4.65@4.80; pigs, \$3.50@4.25. the hog market, with liberal receipts offered, ruled anywhere from 5c to 15c lower each day, but with a reaction in values Wednesday, values on a gradual increase gained 10c to 20c by Saturday's native steers, \$4@5.50; stockers and feedclose, top hogs selling at \$4.75@4.80. With ers. \$3.25@4.35; Texas steers, \$3.75@4.75; light receipts at Missouri valley points, cows and heifers, \$2.50@3.50.

salesmen predict a steady market during the first few days of the week, but with tops, \$4.90; pigs and lights, \$4.50@4.75; heavy runs elsewhere and unfavorable packers, \$4.65@4.80; butchers, \$4.75@4.90.

Sheep—Receipts, 800; market un-

Choice quality hogs are quoted at \$4.70 @4.80, hogs weighing around 200 pounds of good quality at \$4.50@4.70, medium mixed packers at \$4.45@4.65. and pigs and lights at \$3.75@4.55, according to weight

Sheep have made a decent showing during the past week, the best heavy muttons selling steady with the light common stuff slow and weak, the most of it being forced out to other market points. for the growing crop has not yet be-Best heavy fed wethers are quoted at come general and the progress of the \$4.50@4.75; mixed ewes and wethers, at plant has been delayed by excessive \$3.75@4.35: medium weights at \$3.50@4, rains in the western half of the belt and lambs at \$4.50@5.

SATURDAY'S MARKET NORTH FORT WORTH, May 7 .- The and continuance of existing condiusual light Saturday run of cattle and tions operates to make the present hogs arrived for the market today, and, crop lose all the advantage it first enwith the light supply and unchanged conditions, trading in all classes ruled steady. | ped the early growth and is retarding In the cattle yards the offering was of an early deliveries, receipts from the old extremely common quality, but for an crop have fallen to an abnormally low early close buyers bought all in sight ebb. In fact, the movement from first early, the market closing long before the noon hour. A handful of good cows sold at \$3, with a few sales at \$2.25@2.65, and a small string of calves at prices rang-

ing between \$1.50@2.50. Four loads of hogs comprised the offering at the hog division of the yards, and, with stronger markets along the Missourt valley, salesmen sold out early at strong and active prices, top hops of 212 pounds average selling at \$4.80, and the bulk at \$4.65@4.721/2.

	TODAY'S RECEIPTS	
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TODAY'S SHIPPERS

TODAL D DILLE LES
CATTLE
R. C. Bryan, Texarana
H. J. Peaby, Mathis
William Coch, Corpus Christi
D. C. Brant, Weatherford
TRANSIENT CATTLE
L. Spelps, Midland1
HOCE

C. R. Morgan, Bowle

M. Zuckerman, Ardmore, I. T.....

Donohue Bros., Mulhall, Okla.....

Smith & Hamilton, Comstock 263 REPRESENTATIVE SALES CATTLE-The light supply of unusually common quality cattle offered today sold early at unchanged prices, the market closing for the day early in the fore-

noon. The sales:	the recent spurt was considered by some as a move in that direction. The
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8 735 \$3.00 2 795	very land and the estimated in
2 789 2.50 11 698	crease by states: North Carolina, 14.8;
5 592 1.50	South Carolina, 8; Georgia, 6.4; Flori-
CALVES	Price da, 18.1; Alabama, 7.3; Mississippi, 8.6;
No. Ave. Price. No. Ave.	Price. da. 18.1; Alabama. \$2.00 Louisiana, 14.2; Texas, 6.8; Arkansas,
1 130 \$2.50 7 450	\$2.00 Louisiana, 14.2, 16.43, 2.00 7.8; Tennessee, 13.9; Indian Territory,
1 240 - 1.75 1 220	2.00 7.8; Tennessee, 13.5; Ind. Average in-

F. G. McPEAK & CO Managers for Hayward, Vick & Co., the increases in the short interest fect of the sensational crop reports of NICELY FURNISHER ROOM for

Exchange, Liverpool Cotton Texas and the revival of spot defination to take profits. The private advices from WANTED—To know whereabouts of litalian small coin no longer circulates cotton region. The weather this morning is clear over the greater portion of the Wanted States and the Howard Italy some years back, since when it has of the Texas district. The showers of the Texas district. The showers are the showers of the Spot tennance of the Spot tennance in city. Italian small coin no longer circulates cotton region. The weather this morning is clear over the greater portion in France, having all been returned to link in the winter wheat states and the Howard Italy some years back, since when it has of the Texas district. The showers large the showers are the showers of the Spot tennance in city. Italy some years back, since when it has of the Texas district. The showers are the s Association and Chicago Board of Trade. 238 Main St., Dallas.

which will bring dry weather to Texas and rains to eastern half of the belt.

TRADE NEWS NOT ENCOURAGING FORT WORTH, May 7.-Considering the very unfavorable visible supply statement for the week. Liverpool held up remarkably well, and only lost what was gained yesterday, futures closing 13 down on near and 6 on distant follows: months. Spot sales aggregate 4,000, including 3,000 American at 10 point lower quotations. Visible supply, show ing that spinners' takings for th week were but 124,000 bales agains 231,000 last year, certainly supports the argument that consumption has

been curtailed owing to price. Spinners are stretching their supplie to the utmost in the hope of early nev supplies. This revelation comes at most unfortunate time; hope had bee revived in all quarters, and specula tion encouraged by better trade news The public was on the point of tak ing more interest in the game, but thrown down again by such statistic and all has to be started over onc

more. After all, this supply state ment only represents an ancient his tory, and the main reason for it being so bad is that during the long period and strong, closed active; tops, \$4.95; of depression from the end of Janumixed and butchers, \$4.75@4.90; good to ary to the middle of April, there was choice heavy, \$4.80@4.90; rough heavy, no export demand and consequently no very little favor with the regular buyers, \$4.60@4.80; light, \$4.60@4.80; bulk, \$4.75 exports. Things have improved lately, @4.85; pigs. \$4@4.25. Estimated receipts stocks affoat have increased, promising heavier port landings abroad anl it is safe to say that comparisons as far as visible supply goes, will get better

ers helped to support the market and the Mississippi. Prospects for next to 41,600 shares. week are expected to be dullness, but news from the spot markets will be the principal point watched by spec-

(Furnished by F. G. McPeak & Co.) COMPARATIVE RECEIPTS Receipts of cotton at the leading a

rains in the western half of the belt, especially in Texas, while the eastern	receipts of the same day last year: Today.Last yr.
half complains of lack of moisture.	
We are now in the first week of May	Gaiveston
	New Orleans
and continuance of existing condi-	Mobile
tions operates to make the present	Savannah 107
crop lose all the advantage it first en-	Wilmington 1
lioved. While the weather handicap-	Norfolk 1,139
ped the early growth and is retarding	New York 104
early deliveries, receipts from the old	New 101k
	Boston
crop have fallen to an abnormally low	Philadelphia
ebb. In fact, the movement from first	
hands is so remarkable that the ap-	St. Louis 375 1,656
pearance of only a moderate from	Memphis 984 372
spinners was sufficient to cause an ad-	Houston

LIVERPOOL

7.66d. Sales, 4,000 bales; American, 3,600 gelina Orchard Company at Manton, of considerable business being put through which necessitated fresh buybales. Receipts, 32,000 bales; American, found one night last week on his galing of spot cotton in the Liverpool market. The combination of light re- 27,600 bales. Tone of market easier. ceipts and revival of spot demands pro-

January-February6.03-05	6.04
April-May	7.43
May-June	7.38
June-July	7.33
July-August	7.28
August-September7.02-04	7.02
September-October6.40-41	6.41
October-November6.12-16	6.15
November-December6.05-08	6.08
December-January	6.05

NEW YORK COTTON short covering is thta New Orleans had closed barely steady. sold coot cotton ahead for deliveries to mills during the month of May, June and July and had hedged such sales January 11.27 11.28 11.27 11.23-25 tecting it.

> NEW ORLEANS COTTON NEW ORLEANS, May 7 .- The spot cot-

offerings from holders to a point ton market was steady, necessary to advance prices to a point ton market was steady.

Futures opened and closed and follows: which would induce them to sell, and Open. High. Low. Close. nal of Commerce estimate of 10.1 per September11.65 11.71 11.62 11.69-70 cent increase in the acreage, which October11.15a 11.19 11.11 11.19-20 brings the total area in cotton close December11.00 11.07 11.00 11.06-07

A good deal of short selling followed the publication of these figures and was off the wheat market today, the efwhich thus resulted made it much easier to force a rally which has taken extent by the lack of outside trade and Rusk. Members New York, New Orleans place based on the protracted rains in place based on the protracted rains in the inclination on the part of local bulls to take profits. The private advices from WANTED—To know whereabouts of the total place based on the revival of spot demand. Ons, the small movement of old crop, line of the Snow report. Trade was rather street. W. R. Manning.

light. Southwestern receipts were only 34,000, and shipments amounted to 99,000 bushels. Kansas City stocks decreased 60,000 bushels this week. The weather map was a desirable one, showing general rains in the southwest and scattered ones in the northwest. The latter caused some approcession early fearling the southwest some carry fearling the southwest and scattered ones in the northwest. The latter caused some apprehension early, fearing that seeding would be further delayed. The forecast for over Sunday is a favorable one. We do not think it is yet time to buy wheat and some further decline is probable.

Corn-Was a quiet market with a rather featureless session and with very little change of values. The demand was poor and the low qualities of receipts sold at under yesterday's values. Cables made no bids, and the only indication was the possible price of 1/2c under May for Chicago No. 2 corn. One hundred and twenty-five thousand bushels were loaded from the store here, and receipts for 175,000 bushels No. 6 northern were cancelled yesterday. The lake situation is still un

erators in a limited way were inclined to sell the July. The demand continues good. Sixty-one thousand bushels were loaded from store yesterday. Room for 25,000 bushels of standard were cancelled. One traveling man found but 10,000 bushels in the oat country in a three day's search south of the Ohio. The old crop position is a strong one, and May and July should be bought on the breaks.

Provisions-Started off easy in spite of a higher hog market at the opening. The advance at the yards did not last, howev-The general tone was easy, with traders inclined to sell. Receipts today were 9,000. Estimated receipts for Monday 43,000, and for next week 150,000. Receipts at all western points today were 34,900 compared with 29,000 last year.

(Furnished by F. G. McPeak & Co.)
CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS CHICAGO, May 7.-The grain and provision markets ranged in prices today as

Open. High. Low. Close.

Wheat-

May	91%	911/2	90%	91
July		861/2	85%	86
September			80%	80 %
May	47	471/8	46%	47
July		48%	48	48%a
September	47%		47%	
May	41	4114	41	4114
July	38%	38%	38%	381/4a
September	301/2	30%	30%	30%a
July	11.75	11.75	11.52	11.57
September				
July	6.62	6.62	6.55	€.60
Septembed	6.77	6.77	6.72	6.75
July	6.42	6.45	6.40	6.42b
September	6.60	6.60	6.55	6.57b
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NEW YORK. May 7.-Trading in stocks from now forward. It is not at all almost came to a standstill today. The strange that some longs get into attendance of members of the Stock Extrouble by these developments. This change was extremely light and dealings selling caused a 10 point lower open-ing in our market this morning and possessed no significance whatever. As a but for early short covering it would rule fluctuations were extremely narrow undoubtedly have gone down more. As it was July settled around 14.14 and one, this was the result of the virtual as I have been there for weeks at a time. the market was remarkably steady in the market was remarkably steady in tittle discussion of the bank statement have spent considerable of my time at This shows that there is no weak prior to its publication, because it was Monroe, and slavery never existed before This shows that there is no weak generally expected that little light could the war as it does there and at other short interest that is glad to avail be thrown on its nature because of the points in Louisiana today. short interest that is glad to avail itself of the least effect of the worst bearish items to get 'out. General rains, although no more so heavy in Texas, during the past 24 hours, and an official forecast of continued show.

New York loan floatation and the movement of gold during the week Some light desultory selling took place after the publication of the statement, but the net changes were in most cases very small. There appeared to be realizing in Union of the property of the property of the statement of the property of the propert Pacific and United States Rubber. There killed before they can arrive at a place Prospects of rain in the eastern half of the belt, where it is most needed, market closed dull and the states Rubber. There killed before of safety. of the belt, where it is most needed, market closed dull and heavy. Bonds were jig is up with him. He is marked and partially offset fears of damage by too quiet and fairly active. Sales amounted put at the very hardest work, whipped

> (Furnished by Hoffman & Weaver.) NEW YORK STOCKS

_		I			C. Marine
9	Atchison	721/4	72%	721/8	72%
	Amal. Copper	471/2	47%	471/2	471/2
	B. and O	79	79	78%	78%
	Brooklyn R. T		46%		
•	Erie	25	25	241/2	241/2
e	I. and N	108	108	108	108
	Manhattan	143%	143 %	1431/2	1431/2
	Mo. Pac	921/2	9214	921/4	921/2
3	Pennsylvania	114%	114%	11414	1141/8
5	Reading	431/2	431/2	4314	431/4
8	Rock Island	23	23	221/2	221/2
7	Southern Pacific .	471/4	471/4	471/8	471/8
1	St. Paul	14234	14234	142 14	1421/2
9	Sugar	12736	127%	127%	127%
4	Union Pacific	83%	83%	84	841/8
3	U. S. Steel	1014	1014	1014	101/4
6	U. S. Steel, pfd				
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FINDS A COFFIN AND CARTRIDGE ON GALLERY

LUFKIN, Texas, May 7.-Fred Brun-LIVERPOOL, May 7.-Middlings were sterman, general manager of the An-7.600 bales. Tone of market easier. lery a neatly made coffin, about two Futures had the following range today: feet in length, containing a 45-calibre cartridge and a note stating in subback to Boston. The way of the trans- operations will stimulate bidding for stance as follows: "You had better go gresser is hard. The wages of sin is

A. W. Ellis, deputy sheriff, was notified and went down at once and spent several days at Mr. Brunsterman's had been no active demonstration. the Manton people, one man telling ceed D. D. Bryan, deceased. him that he (Ellis) was in imminent NEW YORK, May 7.-The spot cotton danger of his life; that a mob of at least fifty men was liable to attack Brunsterman's home at any time, and that he would be killed if found pro-

Nothing definite could be learned as rived it was found that holders were offering nothing and were simply kepSeptember11.79 11.87 11.79 11.82-84 reticent mood, and he is not overly loing out of the market until they could get a price that was satisfactory to December11.25 11.28 11.23 11.22-24 reticent mood, and he is not overly quacious when in talkative mood.

PRESIDENT CANDAMO OF PERU IS DEAD

LIMA, Peru, May 7 .- President Candamo, who has been ill for some time

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

LOST-One day book containing a few accounts. Return to L. M. Walker at Monnig's dry goods store, and receive re-

UPRIGHT PIANO BARGAINS-\$125, \$150, \$175, \$200; \$5 and \$6 monthly payments. Alex. Hirschfeld.

man E. Nelson, First Nat. Bank bldg. housekeeping; desirable; cheap. 203

LOST-Bunch of keys. Reward. Nor-

This According to Reports of Persons Who Have Person-

ally Inspected Cases

HOUSTON, Texas, May 7.-In the matter of the alleged peonage system in Monroe, La., Assistant District Attorney Lock McDaniel of the federal court proposes to market. Trade was small and the pit op-erators in a limited way were inclined to: been recently placed in bondage there.

etitions by the best white and colored people of Houston and other places, attesting to the character of two of the heir white friends for their release. These statement. letters and petitions, together with the report of the Chronicle, and a strong personal letter by himself, he has sent to the department of justice at Washington, with the request that it take immediate action in the matter.

indicates that conditions are very bad. Commenting on the subject Judge Mc-

"This is not the first complaint that has ome to me relative to the peonage and bondage system as practiced around Monroe and other places in Louisiana. We have recently had numerous similar complaints, but it is of course out of our jurisdiction and our hands are practically This system has been in vogue there for a long time, and the methods are a disgrace as well as a most flagrant violation of the law. Appearances would inciate that some of the federal officers of Louisiana are either standing in with He came to Fort Worth to give himself these farmers or they are encouraged by

money was sent to a federal official there to be delivered to a negro held in bondage, but the money was returned and resent to another officer. It seems that they are afraid to take action in the matter, or something else is wrong.

"I am going to take up this recent matter and with the petitions write to the department of justice and make an effort

is impossible for us to stop the shameful practice without the co-operation of the press and the people of the south, who are universally opposed to it.

"The negroes, from all I can learn, are held there in bondage under threats and Orleans, is as follows: intimidation, maltreated, beaten, and in many instances where an effort is made to escape they are killed. W. C. Williams of this city, who has spent considerable of his time during the

past twelve years in Louisiana in the peonage districts, in speaking today, said: "The people here can hardly realize conditions as they exist in some points n Louisiana. I have had an opportunity

There appeared to be realizing in Union are nine out of ten that they will get ing the past 24 hours also in portions

"Let a negro threaten to leave and the and otherwise punished.'

CATTLEMEN MEET TO PLAN FOR FUNDS

GUYMON, Ok., May 7 .- Stockmen and cattlemen interested in the independent packing house movement are meeting here today. There are many in attendance, not only from Oklahoma, but from Texas, Colorado, New Mexico and Kansas. At this meeting an effort is being made to perfect means for raising sufficient funds for the purpose

A meeting of this nature was held at Liberal, Kan., several weeks ago and considerable interest was shown. A number of prominent cattlemen of the southwest subscribed for stock in the new company, but it is feared there is not yet sufficient funds on hand to commence active operations.

The Independent Packing Company is it is the intention to go into the "trust 5, 1904: busting" business. The company is composed of cattlemen and it is their purpose to build a packing plant at Kansas City, which, they believe, will be sufficient to handle the cattle of all the members. They believe active cattle on the hoof and tend to raise

SUCCEEDS D. D. BRYAN HOUSTON, Texas, May 7 .- Arthur

prices.

home. Mr. Ellis stated that while there Lipper was officially notified yesterday afternoon by Mayor Jackson of his there was a feeling of unrest among appointment as city secretary to suc-

ROOSEVELT MAKES ANOTHER BRIGADIER

WASHINGTON. May 7.-President Rosevelt today appointed Colonel A. L. Mills, who is the commandant at the West Point military academy, a brigadier general. CLAIM MRS. HEARST WILL

GIVE ANOTHER MILLION WASHINGGTON, May 7 .- John J. Lentz, former representative from Ohio, who stopped here today on his way home from New York, brought the intelligence that Mrs. Phoebe Hearst, encouraged by the capture of Iowa, has consented to con-

tribute another million to the Hearst cam-

paign fund. Mr. Lentz and his friends felt so good that they are hastening back to Ohio, and say they will make a tremendous effort to carry that state for Hearst. According to the story current among politicians here tonight, Mrs. Hearst only consented to contribute this additional million within Memphis 15

the last forty-eight hours. The result in Iowa leads her to believe Montgomery 10 that her son stands a splendid chance of New Orleans 15 being nominated and elected. Conse- Oklahoma 10 quently she will not let a paltry million Savannah 12 stand in the way of his greatest dream. It is estimated here that Hearst has al- Wilmington 10 ready spent something like a million and

a half in his eampaign. Italian small coin no longer circulates cotton region. The weather this morn-

BEACH TELLS ALL

Whatever confession Fred A. Beach had to make regarding the charge pending against him in Chicage, has been taken down in writing, and will be presented at the trial which is to follow in Chicago.

Yesterday afternoon Hon. A. W. Atwell of Dallas, United States district attorney, came over to see Beach and had a conference of at least two hours with the prisoner. Mr. Atwell has been He has been presented with letters and asked by the Boston store of Chicago, by which the complaint against Beach has been made, to represent the interests of that concern in Texas, and to negroes, to whom money has been sent by that end he called on Beach to get a

In his statement to Mr. Atwell Beach

claims that he was employed in the Boston store in Chicago and that by close application to business he was rapidly promoted. Later he was made the proprietor's confidential agent and Information received since yesterday was intrusted with the care of much business and property. He cashed a check for \$10,000 and disappeared. He Mary Morrison, the 15-year-old daughter went to Key West and Cuba and then came to Texas, establishing a business in Dallas.

From the statement made to Mr. Atwell the information is obtained that Miami. Miller's home was in Slater and Beach was led to surrender by a con-He claims that a sermon version. preached by Rev. George W. Truett, a Baptist preacher at Dallas, persuaded him to join the church. After uniting with the church his mind was not easy about his conduct in Chicago, and he decided to surrender to the officers. n Dallas. While very little can be obtained

on the subject it is believed that others were implicated with Beach in the Chicago transaction, and that this will all come out in the trial of the case. Beach is still in the Fort Worth city

ter and an investigation made. "While a handful of federal officers may be able to relieve individual cases, it is impossible for us to store the cases, it is impossible for us to store the cases."

The forecast for Texas east of the one hundredth meridian, issued at New Tonight and Sunday, increasing cloudiness and probably showers, except fair in southeast portion tonight.

WEATHER CONDITIONS Forecaster George Reeder issued the

ollowing statement of weather condi-

tions this morning: The atmosphere has remained in an almost stagnant condition for the past two or three days over the greater moved with a sluggish eastward drift, forming into storm centers only to spread out in trough shape areas again in a few hours, with the result that showery conditions continue

coast and in Louisiana; also in portions of Arkansas and Tennessee.

WEATHER RECORD Following is the weather record for the last twenty-four hours-minimum and maximum temperature, wind in miles per hour st 8 a. m. and rain in inches:

nour at o a. m.	empera	ature	F	tain-
Stations-	Min.	Max.	Wind.	fall.
Abilene	60	84	6	.00
Amarillo	52	84	14	.00
Chicago	56	80	18	.02
Corpus Christi .	62	76	6	1.14
El Paso	58	88	14	.00
Fort Worth	60	80	lt.	.01
Galveston	62	74	lt.	1.04
Kansas City	56	62	lt.	.36
Memphis	62	82	14	.22
New Orleans		80	lt.	1.94
Oklahoma	54	72	lt.	.00
	54	68	6	.34
Palestine	58	84	6	.00
Pittsburg	62	76	lt.	.20
St. Louis	50	70	lt.	.60
St. Paul	44	72	lt.	T
Salt Lake San Antonio	62	84	lt.	.00

COTTON REGION BULLETIN Following is the weather record for the twenty-four hours ending at 8. m., sevencomparatively new organization, and ty-fifth meridian time, Thursday, May Temperature. Rain- State of

a	Mo		Min.	fall.	weather
Stations-	MIC	84	64	.00	Clear
Abilene		82	62	.00	Clear
Ballinger		88	60	.16	Clear
Beeville		80	54	.00	Clear
Blanco	T. T. T.	72	58	.32	Clear
Brenham		84	58	.00	Clear
Brownwood		76	68	1.14	Clear
Corpus Chri	sti.	78	58	.00	Clear
Corsicana		88	56	.10	Clear
Cuero		78	60	.02	Clear
Dallas		74	54	.00	Clear
Dublin		80	60	.01	Clear
Fort Worth		74	64	1.04	Clear
Galveston		72	56	.00	Clear
Greenville .		76	58	.00	Clear
Hearne		80	58	.00	Clear
Henrietta			56	.48	Clear
Huntsville		68	60	.00	Cloud
		82	58	.00	Clear
Lampasas		78	58	.42	Clear
Longview .		84	52	1.04	Fogg
Nacogdoches		64	54	.34	Clear
Palestine .		68	66	.00	Clear
Paris		78		.00	Clear
San Antonio		84	64	.00	Cloud
San Marcos		78	58	.00	Clear
Sherman		74	60	.08	Clear
Temple		74	58	.34	Clear
Tyler		64	56	.06	Clear
Waco		78			Clear
Waxahachie		78	58	.12	Clear
Weatherford		78	60	.30	Clear
Wharton		64	54	1.00	Clear
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DISTRICT AVERAGES No. Temperature. Rain-Central Sta. Max. Min. Station-Atlanta Augusta 11 Galveston 29 Little Rock 15 Mobile 9 Vicksburg

Showery weather continues in the

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Louisiana and portions of Arkansas and Tennessee during the past 24 hours.

ALLEGED KIDNAPER GETS SENTENCE OF 99 YEARS

MARSHALL, Mo., May 7 .- John Miller tenced to ninety-nine years in the penitentiary. Miller was arrested March 12 at Miami. Mo. on the charge of kidnaping of W. W. Morrison of Slater, Mo., on the night of March 8. After his arrest it was found that he had criminally assaulted the girl while on the road from Slater to he worked at the roundhouse of the Chicago and Alton Rai.road. He is 50 years

MRS. PHOEBE HEARST ILL IN BALTIMORE HOSPITAL

BALTIMORE, Md., May 7.-Mrs. Phoebe Hearst of California, mother of W. R. up because he was so well acquainted Hearst, presidential candidate, is at the Johns Hopkins hospital, where she will undergo treatment.

Mrs. Hearst arrived in Baltimore last night. She was accompanied by Miss This morning Mrs. Hearst went over to the hospital. Soon after she left the hotel James C. Hoos of Washington arrived and followed her to the hospital. The nature of the trouble is not stated.

BEAUMONT, Texas, May 7.- The demcratic executive committee met this morning and ordered the elective primaries for state and county officers. They will be the first democratic nominations in the history of Jefferson county.

FIRST DEMOCRATIC NOMINATIONS

Hon. J. R. Gough of McKinney, formery a member of the state senate, is in the city today. Alderman W. W. Thomas of Houston

was in the city today on a business trip. B. B. Bates and family of Childress are at the Worth. They leave this evening for Chicago, Buffalo, New York City, Washington and St. Louis. Mr. Bates is manager of the Childress Lumber Com-

THINGS TO EAT

FRUITS Figs, per pound, 10c. Dates, 121/2c per pound. Raisins, 10c per pound. Green apples, per half peck, 35c. Lemons, per dozen, 20c. Oranges, 20c, 30c, 40c per dozen Bananas, 20c and 25c dozra

Blackberries, per box 15c. Strawberries, per box, 15c. Pineapples, each, 25c. Peaches, dozen, -Japanese plums, -Apricots. Crab apples, bushel, -Grapes, per pound, --

VEGETABLES Watermelons, -Cantaloupes, New potatoes, per peck, 60c. Fresh peas, quart, 10c. Beets, per bunch, 5c. Cucumbers, 5c each. Irish potatoes, per peck, 40c. Radishes, 5c bunch; 3 for 10c. New carrots, per bunch, 5c. Cabbage, 5c pound. California onions, per pound, 71/2c. String beans, per quart, 10c. Pie Plant, per pound, 10c. Green onions, 5c bunch; 3 fer 10c Parsley, 5e bunch.

Parsnip, per pound, 15c, Tomatoes, per pound, 15c. Egg plant, each, 10c. Green corn, dozen, -Squash, each, 5c. Asparagus, 10c per bunch. Green peppers, per dozen, 30c. Okra, per quart, — Butter beans, quart. Cornfield peas, 10c quart.

Cauliflower, quart, — EGGS AND POULTRY Butter, 30c and 35c per pound. Country butter, 25c Country butter, 20c. Eggs. dozen, 15c. Spring chickens, each, 45r and 500

FISH

Red fish, 121/2c. Sheepshead, 121/2c. Trout, pound, 121/2c. Cat fish, pound, 121/c. Buffalo, pound, 10c. Oysters, dozen, 10c. Pickled shrimp, per pound, 25c.

.10 me another, sor!'

OH, HE HAD DRILLED Lieutenant General Chaffee told the following story the other day, according to the Kansas City Journal, as illustrating the unconscious humor which the Irishman is so often addicted to: "A true son of the Emerald Isle had applied at a recruiting station in Buffalo for enlistment in the army. The officer in charge asked him jokingly, I suppose, if he knew any-T thing about drilling. 'Drillin', was it ye said, sor?' replied the Irishman. 24 shure I've worked in the New York subway fir two years. Drillin', bedad! Ask

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he has save only that of appeal has been exhausted. They maintain that every other step in the case is a duty

imposed upon the court, with which

the accused can have no more to do

than a stranger. They point out that

a condemned man cannot be hanged

without a death warrant issuing; that

such a warrant can issue only upon

sentence by the court, and that the

mandatory statute controlling it abso-

lutely prohibits the court from fixing the execution sooner than thirty days

Which of these contentions is cor-

ceremony. The question is an open

one and must remain an open one

until decided by the court of last re-

sort. But if there is a way to re

move it as an embarassing question,

that way, the Statesman believes,

The Telegram believes there is

better way than that being followed.

The state of Texas desires to protect

every prisoner arrested, and to pro-

vide each with a fair and impartial

trial. No man should be brought be-

for the bar of the court while the peo-

ple are inflamed and are bordering

on violence. The state owns two pen-

itentiaries. They are accessible by

rail from any point in the state, and

the military is always at the command

of the governor. Therefore, when one

of the infamous crimes occurs, and

the people start out to execute the

law by their own acts, let the governor

order the prisoner to the state prison

at either Rusk or Huntsville, where

he can be safely kept until the people

from the sentence.

ought to be taken.

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WHICH IS THE WORSE?

When the negro Simmons was tried last week in a courtroom crowded with military, The Telegram called attention to such procedure and questioned ling with a military guard in the courtroom, as to throw him to the

quiet down. He can go under the protection of the state soldiery, and he the fancy of those composing the anwill be safe from the biggest mob in Texas when once within the walls. At The constitution guarantees every the proper time let him be brought to man a right to a trial by jury. The trial, do not ask him to waive any negro Simmons may have been just right he has under the law, and let as guilty as he confessed he was, but him be convicted in due course of it is possible that in : comparatively time and let the sentence of the court unsafe jail, he feared the inflamed peobe properly imposed and properly carple who crowded about the place, and ried out. If it would not be safe to rather than be thrown to them as one take the man to the county of the throw a bone to a dog, he crime for trial, let him be tried in one confessed on the promise that he of the countles where a penitentiary be protected from the meb. is located, and if he is to be executed, He was railroaded into court, was let him be executed in the penitentiary. railroaded through a trial and railroad-Some states execute all condemned ed to the gallows. No one will doubt that if he was guilty that he deserved is conducted in a quiet and proper the punishment, and punishment just manner and is not made a display of as swift as was meted out to him, as it is in some counties, when tickets but are the institutions of government of admission are issued to the friends safe with such court practice being fol-What protection has any cit-When the Old Alcalde was governor izen if it pleases a mob to form and will take the matter up and railroad "Well, if it does, it will go according back another sally and to show his him to the gallows, fearing that the to law." Now, if these men who are spicen gulping down three glasses of ones will succeed in their pur-The courts of the state are of sent to hell by the state, let them be one of the three co-ordinate branches of the government and it is contrary military and the trial courts, and then to the purposes of the free institutions free institutions will be safe. Punish to have court trials under protection every criminal, but punish him as the tobacco." of a military form. If the governor law directs he shall be punished. has the right to call out the state soldiers, and put them in charge of a courthouse, as in this instance, he will have the same right at any time,

and sooner or later we will be in as

several counties. Break down one bar-

rier of protection about the citizen,

and it is soon easy to break down an-

patience with the technicalities which

inals to evade the proper sentence

tain rights which no mob and no mil-

Are the people satisfied that jus-

Are the people satisfied that such

tice is properly meted out, when court

trials are conducted in this manner?

proceedings are an improvement on

the trials which are conducted by the

It will be said that this negro con-

fessed and deserved his fate. Possi-

bly so, but do not men who are ex-

cited by mobs confess to awful crimes

Mobs do not hang people in Hous-

ton, San Antonio, Fort Worth, Waco

or Galveston, and surely Austin is as

under proper rules of practice, as is

other side of the question. It says:

of the mob. Some of the eminent ex-

thirty days from the passage of his

The Austin Statesman presents an-

any one of the cities mentioned.

and do they not deserve their fate?

in the far eastern section.

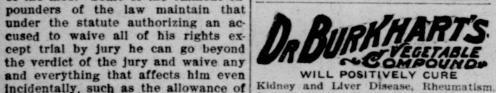
things should happen?

mob?

TEXAS A BENEFICIARY.

The Telegram has always favored an isthmian canal, but it did not approve of the manner of its getting unbad shape as the people of Colorado der the Roosevelt administration. are with the state of war existing in There are many strong advocates of "tell Miss Crow about your battles." the waterway who agreed with The Telegram that the manner of taking ed," said the aunt. "A soldier is only the land from Colombia was not exother. The Telegram does not have actly as honest as this government would have the world think all national are resorted to by attorneys and crimacts are. However, the protest we of the court upon one who is guilty and now the property has been turned happened to me in the Wilderness. of crime, but The Telegram does know over to this government and work that the constitution guarantees ceris to commerce. Already Texas is to be benefited. The announcement is itary branch of government should be made that the Burlington railroad is allowed to take from him. This is seeking an outlet at tidewater, and not the first instance either in this that plans are making to push that state. The same proceeding was had line to the gulf, through Texas. It in Kaufman county and in one county would be a great thing for this state, and will be a big business-getter for Are the people satisfied that such Texas. Although James J. Hill and other controlling powers in transcontinental railways opposed the canal as strenuously as they could, they see glorious"now that it is an assured thing, and they are falling in line to get the benefit. This state would never have had a chance to get the Burlington had not the Panama canal-or some canal, have been started. Now the desire for business across the country induces you. Billy says that when he once the management of that property to come south, and in the coming Texas is to get the benefit because Texas gets another railroad, and every rail-

able to provide protection and a trial Mr. Cleveland is a brainy man and one of the foremost in the country. He deserves the large audience he had the other night, but what is the reason which calls at this date for an The blessed lawyers are themselves explanation of his conduct in sending divided in opinion as to whether a troops to Chicago during the Pullman confessed and proved criminal can riots? This looks as if he wants to barter away his life to the state in consideration of his protection from get into politics again. a more horrible death at the hands



Kidney and Liver Disease, Rheumatism. Sick-Headache, Erysipelas, Scrofula, Casentence to his execution. Others as Dyspepsia, Syphilitic Diseases, Constipation, 12,286,660 people were treated in strenuously contend that with the tion. 12,286,650 people w rendition of the verdict every right 1903. 25c. All druggists.

PLAYING OFF UNWELCOME GUESTS

Original.] "Oh, Billy," said the bride of three months when her hisband came home to dinber, "it's all over with qs."

"What's the matter, sweethear?"
"You remember my telling you about Aunt Tristicia?" The angel one?"

"Oh, no; I wish she were. The other one—the one who makes long visits and keeps everybody in an uproan"
"Just like my Uncle Cyrus."
"The one you call the general?"

"Yes. He'd rather fight than eat."
"So would Aunt Tristicia. She's com-

"What do you say to playing my un-cle as an antidote to your aunt?"

"Splendid! Invite him at ouce."
And so it was arranged that General Cyrus Busby should meet Miss Justicia Crow, and the meeting took place on the day of their arrival at dinner. Not a word had been said to the one about the other, and when ave minutes before going into the dining room they were introduced they glared first at | the vast herds. each other, then at their hosts.

"Uncle Cyrus," said the nephew, "fill "Certainly," said the general. "I drink one glass of wine with every

course. Miss Crow, let me fill yours." "Fill mine? Do you suppose I put such stuff into my month? It's poison, poison to the gentleman and the laborer. I hate it and hate every one who

sets an example by drinking it." "Madam," said the general, moving nervously in his chair, "do you mean to say that I must deny myself the privilege of a social glass just because some idiot chooses to make a beast of him-

"Uncle," interposed the host, "I neglected to explain that Miss Crow is a lecturer on temperance."

The irate gentleman spooned his soup, growling within himself, but repressing further expression of his feelings in words.

Then Billy told the guests about the wedding, incidentally mentioning that the bride would have none but the Rev. Mr. Stryker to marry them.

"Why didn't you go to a justice of the peace?" growled the general. "If I were married forty times I'd never have one of those parsons to do the job. They're a hypocritical, lazy"-

"Sir!" exclaimed Miss Crow. "Are men in the penitentiary, and the affair you aware that my father was a min-

"Then, madam, if he wanted to improve his vocation he should have become a pirate."

"This is insufferable!" "Auntie!" from the niece.

"Uncle," interposed the host again, "I forgot to explain that Miss Crow is very religious."

"Haven't you got something stronger, sent according to law. Divorce the boy?" he rasped. "This is baby drink. Let me have some good old rye whisky. The older I grow the more I find there is nothing so valuable as whisky and

"The devil's weapons!" hissed Miss

"They say the devil can quote Scripture," retorted the general.

Miss Crow sat bolt upright, glared and munched her food in silence. "Uncle Cyrus," said the nephew in

order to keep the two enemies in action, "I consider war barbarous and wickanother name for murderer."

"That is me, ha, ha!" exclaimed the uncle victously. "Well, Billy, Miss Orow wouldn't like to hear much about war, and I wouldn't inflict it on her. made did not stop the administration, I'll just tell one little incident that You see, the woods were very thick and the firing very heavy on my men. I was walking up and down in front of

the line, crying like a baby." "Orying?" interrupted the aunt, ber curiosity excited in spite of herself. "What in the world were you crying

"Crying because I couldn't make the men fight. What do you suppose?" growled the warrior.

"Oh, I thought you were crying for your sinful work." "Sinful work, madam! What more

"Devilish, you mean."

The host signaled the wife, and all rose. The ladies retired to the drawing room, and the men smoked. "How long is that intolerable mon-

ster going to stay?" asked the aunt. "Oh, Aunt Tristicia, I couldn't tell takes position anywhere it's impossible to get him away."

"That settles it. I go tomorrow. I never met a more ungentlemanlike, brutal, irreverent, drinking, tobacco smoking monster in my life. I didn't know you'd married into such a fam-

In the dining room the general asked: "Where did you pick up that old hen, Billy? She's a terror and no mistake." "She's an aunt of my wife's who

makes long visits." "What! Going to stay with you some

"Can't tell when she'll go, Uncle Cy." "Billy," said the general after a thoughtful pause, "I'm sorry for you. I'd stay and help you out, but I'd rather be tied up by the thumbs than stand that old woman. I'll go tomorrow."

There was need for manipulation in the morning to prevent one of the guests from knowing that the other was about to depart. The husband took his uncle down town with him to go from there; the wife drove her aunt to the station without mentioning the general's departure.

F. A. MITCHEL

PHASE ON THE SITUATION

Cattle Were in Distress Previously for Lack of Grass and Water in Western Texas and Condition Is Improved

Reports received from West Texas how that rain has fallen over most all the drouth stricken section where cattle were suffering for want of sufficient stock water

The situation was about as serious enough grass to sustain life among Stockmen began to fear for the

safety of their cattle and many of them had planned to move their herds rains of the apst few days has brought about a new phase of the situation. There has already been enough rainfall in the dry counties to answer all needs and as a consequence cattlemen a c are jubilant.

It has not been as dry in years up to the early part of the last week, and cattle owners had begun to fear that they would not be able to save their stock unless removed to pastures. In some sections cattle were being fed very much as they rae in mid-winter, and supplies of feed had been purchased to keep them going until about the first next month.

Cattle were dying off rapidly from lack of food and water. The situation was rapidly growing worse. The heavy rains have proven a Godsend to West Texas. As it is the losses will be quite heavy, but not near so bad as would have been in another week of continued drouth.

Cattlemen here have been advised that good rains came to nearly every cattle district in West Texas and the

STOCK MARKET DOES NOT SHOW ANY LIFE

NEW YORK, May 7.-The dull and eavy stock market this week has shown o inclination to respond to any new de elopment. Operations are withheld pending the effects to result from the large companion of man, the dog, sleeps threefinancial transactions working out, in- quarters of the day. The foolish victim cluding the Panama canal payment and of civilization reverses this allotment of Russian and Japanese loan issues, declin- time, imitating that Egyptian sovereign ing activity, falling off in railroad traf- of whom the naive Herodotus tells us trade outlook. The uncertain outcome of foretold, he resolved to double the period the season's deficient crops and the usual of life and never went to sleep at all. conservatism of the presidential year are Critics will feel no surprise that he did not all factors in the halt in the securities survive this singular treatment of him-

SEEN AND HEARD AT THE CAPITAL

WASHINGTON, May 7.-Largely owing to the endeavor of Representative R. R. Hitt and Senator Shelby M. Cullom of the house and senate committees on foreign relations, a resolution was passed authorizes the president and the secretary of state to begin diplomatic negotiations looking to a general agreement by the world powers that private shipping shall be exempt from seizure during war. It is admitted with some frankness that this action has in view the possibility of complications in the eastern situation which might draw Great Britain and Germany into the trouble. The United States has something more than a sentimental interest in the consequences which might result from that outcome Every shipper of grain or cotton in this country would be immediately and vitally affected, as things now stand, if either of these powers should become involved More than 60 per cent of American wheat and cotton goes abroad in English ships, while 15 per cent is carried in German ships. With the possibility that English as it could well be. Grass is short or German ships might become the prey and had rain been delayed a few weeks of a hostile navy all maritime insurance longer there would hardly have been would be advanced at once to a point which would make foreign freights almost prohibitive, and the market for our grain would be shut off, and all our foreign commerce would be seriously impaired.

Strangely enough a similar movement to pastures at once. However, the was begun by the United States just before the outbreak of the Civil war, and the one power which had given its assent was Russia. The outbreak of that war made it impossible to press the matter to

BUST OF POET FOR CITY

For six years the Longfellow Memorial Association has been trying to get con-gress to appropriate \$4,000 for a bronze tim of neurasthenia or simply to "brain forty bushels of corn, at \$1 a bushel, that be erected somewhere in Washington. of flying off with infinite discomfort to The bill for this purpose was favorably previous congresses, but no action on it bed and there regain health by the pleas-

BOOST JOE CANNON'S BOOM That Sunday night conference at the White House, at which all the most in- No. 2851. Celebrated on its merits for fluential leaders and political advisers of the president were present, and concerning which there was no great secrecy, is known now to have been for the purpose chiefly of side tracking the vice presidential boom of Charles Warren Fairbanks and giving impetus to the boom of Joseph J. Cannon. It is known now that Uncle Joe "bucked" like a raw broncho, but it! did him no good. He is to have a dose of the same medicine that was administered like basis. Sometimes he makes money Oi be opprated on, says O'Pheelan. Then at the republican convention to one T. out of it. Last year he bought a pig for yez'll be a dead man b' 2 o'clock,' he

SLEEP THE PANACEA

good for the latter.

unsophisticated primitive man spends the greater part of the twentyself, though we are not told whether when

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bust of Henry Wadsworth Longfellow, to fag." The time is coming when, instead you fed him?" Switzerland or Norway to restore our mer. 'I didn't expect to make anything on reported by the committee in this as in shattered nerves, we may simply retire to the corn."-Philadelphia Ledger. antest of nature's cures.-London Mail.

> Best for Rheumatism, Prescription many effectual cures

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

JUST THREW THAT IN

A Pennsylvania Railroad officer has a stock farm on the outskirts of Philadelphia, and at a recent dinner of the Clever av th' appindicutis. 'Poke out yes Club a friend of the railroader spoke of toongue,' he says; 'bedad, Oi'll have th' it, saying: "He runs it on a business- opprate on ye," he says. 'Divil a bit will Roosevelt of New York. It proved to be \$27, fed it forty bushels of corn at \$1 a bushel, and then sold it for \$31.50.

"'I made \$4.50 out of that pig." he remarked to me the day after the animal hour. He died at thray."-Kansas City was taken away.

"'Oh,' commented the gentleman far-

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A SKILLED PHYSICIAN "Faith, he's a moighty foine docthe He attinded O'Pheelan whin he was sick

So he opprated."

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Sawyer, Missouri, July 22, 1903.

Thacher Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn. Dear Sirs—"I received your sample bottle of Liver and Blood Syrup, and after taking it according to directions I felt so much better that I bought a 50-cent bottle and finished taking it with the

most excellent results. "When I sent for the sample I was not able to sit up all day; my liver and kidneys were very much out of order. I was badly consti-pated and had frequent attacks of dizziness.

'I am now able to do my work, and know that your medicine does all that is claimed for it.
"You may publish this letter, and I will gladly praise your Liver

and Blood Syrup to any sufferers.'
Yours very truly, MRS. ALICE SNODGRASS.

AN OLD SOLDIER.

Starke, Fla., Nov. 25, 1903.

Thacher Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn. Gentlemen-"I am an old Confederate soldier, 66 years old. Have been afflicted with pain in kidneys, liver trouble and general run down health for years. Dr. Wills sold me a bottle of your Liver and Blood Syrup, and it did me so much good that I am now able to work and am in better health than I have been for fifteen years. "I am thankful to say that I owe my good health to Thacher's er and Blood Syrup,"

Yours truly,

JNO. H. ROBERTS. Liver and Blood Syrup,'

HAS NO EQUAL.

Strayhorn, Miss., May 20, 1902. Thacher Medicine Co., Chaltanooga, Tenn.

Gentlemen—"I have been using your Liver and Blood Syrup, and find that it has no equal as a liver regulator. I have been suffering for the past six years with indigestion and piles caused by irregular action of the bowels, and on taking the first few doses I found relief. "At this writing I can truthfully say that I feel better than I have in the past ten years, and I believe that if everyone would use Dr. Thacher's Liver and Blood Syrup they would save both money and health."

Yours very truly,

J. C. CALDWELL.

> KIDNEY TROUBLE FOR FIVE YEARS. CURED IN ELEVEN WEEKS.

Atlanta, Ga., May 23, 1903.

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Yours very respectfully MRS. F. M. BURT.

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MAYOR POWELL SUBMITS ANNUAL REPORT SHOWING IN DETAIL CITY'S AFFAIRS have been had arter put into the mains. For the first ten

REVIEWS WATERWORKS SITUATION AND GIVES A STATEMENT OF FINANCES, SHOWING AN EX-PENDITURE OF HALF A MILLION DOLLARS IN LAST FOUR YEARS WI THOUT ISSUING BONDS

Mayor Powell deserves the careful Carnegie library perusal of every citizen of Fort Worth Opening of East Ninth street because it affects each one vitally. The Bridges, culverts and gutters make or unmake it, and every one livign within its limits should concern self as to its honesty and capability. Mayor Powell's report speaks for it-

MAYOR'S ANNUAL REPORT

with submit my annual report showing what has been done in municipal tract. fairs during the past year; and I The city is to be congratulated that FINANCES

year, including \$10,000 transferred to end. the water works general fund, and Four years ago the city of Fort charged on the D. W. Mead contract Worth entered upon an era of perma-

various departments as follows: dermanic expense\$ layor's salary and expense . City secretary's office City auditor's office..... attorney's office City engineer's office..... City electrician's office 1,322.60 City cemetery City hall expenses Electric light department ... Fire department Health department..... olice department 28,873.60 1.254.00 Sewer department 1.582.04 Street department 30,798,79 Tax department ard of equilization Building repairs Bills payable Election expenses Fines remitted Interest current 4,825.94 ments, costs, etc..... auper expenses

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The following annual report of Jennings avenue viaduet.... 11.906.43 4.755 99 administration of a city's affairs can Paving 3,756.95

It will be seen that the expenditures exceeded the receipts by \$43,410.87, caused mainly by the large amounts paid out on past due interest charges, To the Honorable City Council of the and on the D. W. Mead contract for an adequate supply of pure water, the Gentlemen: In accordance with the money for which had been accumulating custom of the mayor's office I here- in the treasury for some three years, awaiting the completion of the con-

shall incidentally set out what has at the end of this fiscal year, after accomplished during the four having passed through the financial years that the present administration difficulties that have burdened it for (almost without exception) has had years, it finds itself in a position to control of the affairs of Fort Worth. be upon a cash basis with all its creditors and its financial condition in When the fiscal year of the city a most hopeful state; for under the closed March 21, there was a deficit in system that has been practised by the general fund of \$13,128.59 and in this administration, which has adopted the interest fund of \$29,861.31 caused the motto of "Pay as you go, and by the settlement with the bond hold- avoid bond issues," Fort Worth enters ers some months since. The total into the new fiscal year assured that expenditures of the city for the past its financial troubles are nearing the

fuel amounted to \$489,508.40, and nent improvements, and money therethe total receipts from all sources for had to be appropriated in the budnounted to \$446.097.53. Said ex- get, necessitating a failure to pay innditures were apportioned among the terest charges on the public debt and an increasing of the tax rate by to mention manual training and domestic 948.08 legislative enactment from \$1.50 to 2,029.72 \$1.75 on the \$100 valuation of property cooking school for the girls. Manual 3,024.61 in Fort Worth. No bonds could be issued and the city was in a deplor-able condition through lack of streets 2,720.86 and water supply, and the administration wisely chose the course of making 753.50 these improvements and deferring payment on the city's bonded indebted-8,262.77 ness. The result has justified the means; for during the four years this policy of permanent improvement has been pursued by the council, the valua-2.865.22 609 in 1900, and successively increas- able to make the appropriations as large ing to \$16,482.035 in 1901, \$18,873,729 in 1902, \$20,955,383 in 1903. This increase in valuation, taxed at the rate of \$1.75, enabled the city council to make the has held office, to-wit:

Viaduct across the Texas and Water works improvement (supply) 82,500 tion in this city Cash in water works fund 29,000 Permanent extensions 34.352 Electric light improvements... 18,663 shal, which has been filed with the coun-Miscellaneous expenses.... 1,048.64 Paid on meters installed..... 41,031 cil, shows that the numerical strength of the police department is thirty-three, inas due 32,573 Sinking fund invested 4,035.45 Paid off obligations 86,313 this force is too small for a city of 45,000 Refunded bonds annual saving, 15,640 City park 1,879.42 Water supply 57,475.00 Main street paving, city paid. 12,700 Houston street paving, cash to pay 15,000 Storm sewers built 7,466 School buildings 12,000

> Total improvements paid for, or with resources to pay ... \$497,607 The foregoing total shows permanent improvements aggregating \$500,000 four years without the issuance of a bond, and leaving the city in better financial shape than it was when this administration took hold of the

> reins of government.
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> BONDED DEBT The outstanding bonded debt of the city on the 10th day of April, 1900. amounted to \$1,919,000, bearing interest at the rates of 5, 6 and 7 per cent, amounting to the sum of \$110,300 anually. At this time there are outstanding \$1,832,000 of which \$513,000 bears interest at the rate of 4 per cent per annum and the annual interest charges amounts to the sum of \$96,690,000.

The second series of bonds issued September 1, 1884, for sewerage and street improvement, bearing 7 per cent interest, of which there are \$73,000 outstanding, will be due September 1 of this year, and the first series redemption bonds ssued May 1, 1893, for the purpose of retiring the first series bonds, bearing 6 per cent interest of which there are \$109,000 outstanding, are subject to call at any interest period. I therefore recommend that steps be taken to dispose of the same amount of first series refunding bonds now held by the comptroller of public accounts of this state, the proceeds of which to be used in retiring the aforesaid bonds. This will save the city in interest charges the sum of \$4,370,000

annually. BOND ISSUES

The experience of the last four years has demonstrated to my mind that bond issues, except in cases of great emergency of public calamity, are un-

necessary in cities that have reached the growth of Fort Woth. I regard bond issues as curses that hang like millstones around the neck of progress of any municipality, and to be avoided wherever possible. In the early history of a city, bond issues may be justified, but the experience of Fort Worth has shown conclusively to my mind that they can be avoided and better results obtained by going slowly and "paying as you go.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS Public education is the noblest function of the city government. The rising generation must be educated for the duties and responsibilities of citizenship, and while much of this can be done by the private schools, the masses much depend on the public schools for an education, and the problem of public education in municipalities is to get the best results in the expenditure of the public money

for the masses in general. During the first week of the present session there was an attendance in our public schools of 4,015 pupils. This attendance increased until in November there were present 4,610 pupils. There were 104 teachers employed and each teacher had an average of forty-six pupils. The entire enrollment for the session up to the present time has been 5,467. This shows a very large increase over the attendance during the session four years ago; and, notwithstanding the increase and pressure for school room, all of the school children desiring education in the public schools have been well cared

The great demand of the schools at this juncture is more buildings and more teachers, and, if possible, the city council must give new school houses in the ery near future.

MANUAL TRAINING AND DOMESTIC SCIENCE

Of the additional branches added during the current session to the heretofore regular literary studies, it is with the greatest satisfaction that I am enabled training adds precision to the brain work and eye work; domestic science adds to the attainments and usefulness of the girl

superintendent of our public schools that there should be an equal cultivation of the head, heart and hand; and these branches -manual training and domestic scienceare very largely taken advantage of by our high school pupils. It is true that tion of the property of the city has these two branches are yet in their insteadily increased, starting at \$16,168,- fancy, and the school board has been unas it would have liked, but so far the new departments have been a great success and will be continued during the next term of our public schools. It is believed following remarkable showing in that the manual training will do much topermanent improvements during the ward keeping the boys in the high school, four years that this administration thereby causing a much larger number of them to graduate at the end of the full course; and this is a consummation that Pacific tracks\$100,000 would be pleasing to the school board and every one connected with public educa-

POLICE DEPARTMENT The report of W. M.

a study of municipal conditions.

The city marshal makes a recommendation-in addition to asking for an increase in his force-that something be done in regard to the condition of the city court room; and I must submit to your honorable body that the condition under our city hall is one of the very first things that should be remedied by an appropriation, and, if possible, in the coming budget for this year ways and means should be devised to remedy this disgrace

upon the fair name of our city. FIRE DEPARTMENT

The report of the fire chief shows this department of our city government to be in first class condition so far as it goes; and the recommendations of the chief that some extra men be added to the department is founded upon justice and upon the reasonable demands of the service. A large portion of the south side of our city is without adequate fire protection, and fully weighed and is possible granted by

ENGINEER DEPARTMENT

The engineer department has during the past year attended to its manifold duties and with great credit to its management The Houston street paving: The demany old sewers and construction of sev- by their weight and influence fix and deseveral school additions, and the construction of emergency Fifth ward school, the supervision of the Mead work, and all ed to give to the citizens direct legislathe hundreds of smaller duties of the office, have been attended to with so much dispatch, and with such great economy, as to command the unqualified commendation of the council.

An inspection of official reports from other cities in Texas and elsewhere warrants the statement that we have one of the best administered, and wholly the most economically run, engineering department in the United States.

WATER WORKS Two things have occurred within the last year that have added, in my judgment, at least \$1,000,000 to the value of department were \$58,450.85; March 31. Worth will do well to follow their exam-1902, they were \$62,275.92; in 1903, they ple. were \$64,627.08; in 1904, after the meter

Worth water works system.

ment has added 728 new connections to subordiante employes, it will work a hard-the water mains, making a total of 4,387 ship upon the efficiency of the administraconnection; and the connections added tion of affairs in this city. this year exceed those of any previous

by 200 per cent; and the assurance of get-ting pure artesian water has created a great demand for connections, and the indications are that the year that is now starting will greatly exceed in connections made and in total receipts the record of last year. It is my opinion that inside of five years the Meade system will have paid for itself in the increased revenues of the department over what it would have been had artesian water not been

For the first ten days of April in 1901 the water pumped was 3,000,000 gallons every twenty-four hours, or 1,000,000 gallons more per day than we pumped for the same time in 1904; and in 1904 we have 1,600 more water connection than we had in 1901. This of itself, independent of the increased revenues, shows the wisdom of the city council in adopting the meter system. We are pumping now over a million gallons less per day than we were in 1901, and yet our revenues are \$21,000 more than in 1901, even after the price of water has been cut in two.

The artesian water system now used by Fort Worth is perhaps the greatest municipal achievement in the history of Texas, and it is agreed by the prominent engineers of the state that the present system can be largely extended. The suc cess of the system has demonstrated that the water-bearing sands underlying Texas can be utilized for municipal water supply in other parts of Texas as well. In truth it may solve the water problem of

all the large cities of our great state. In view of the great growth of our city and the certainty that it will within a year or two be necessary to increase the output of the Meade system, and also in view of the fact that Fort Worth owns five deep wells not at present connected with the system, I think it advisable, and therefore recommend that the city engineed be instructed to examine the situation and report upon the most economical way of securing an extension of the present Mead system, at least so far that the city will receive the benefit of the wells not now connected with the system.

This system has been in actual us about six months, and so far as observation goes there has been no change in the physical aspects of the system, and it is practically the same as it was at the conclusion of the preliminary test made last year; if anything, the flow into 'the tunnels is a little stronger than it was then. You are referred to the report of H. L. Calhoun, secretary of the water department, for a more detailed statement

in regard to the water supply.
STREETS AND ALLEYS

The streets of Fort Worth, while needing a great deal of work, are in better condition than they were a year ago, and under the efficient management of the street commissioner much work has been done in this department with very limited means. Houston street has been paved but the board of equalization should enwith a combination of asphalt and brick to the appearance as well as the value of the street and has enhanced the value of property abutting thereon. The citizens will now have an opportunity to judge paving, as Main street is paved entirely with brick.

A recent decision of one of the courts of

appeal in the state has practically rethe city will, by creating taxing districts, tively necessary that the system of "pay be enabled to compel property owners to as you go" and avoid bond issues should pave in front of their property abutting be followed in the future, streets where the benefits of such paving equal the cost of the improvements. In the congested business districts it will be of the city council to bring Fort Worth

PUBLIC UTILITIES OF THE CITY Under the city charter of Fort Worth the city council is limited in its authority to regulate the public utilities in Fort In my judgment these powers should be enlarged by appropriate amendments to the city charter, and the governing body should have the right to reguiate both the rates and the service of all persons or corporations holding franchises in this city, and it is my opinion that the power of municipal ownership, which is now confined in this city to the water works and street lighting, should be enlarged to include all of the natural moopolies or public utilities in Fort Worth -not with a view of disturbing the vested rights of those corporations now in existence, but for the purpose of preserving to the citizens the right to own public franchises in the future. After a careful the recommendations of the chief of the study of the situation for some years department should be taken up and care- I am convinced that no public franchise should be given away or sold by the city council without a vote of the citizens thereon. In other words, the right of final action-or the ultimate veto power-should reside in the qualified voters of in a way wholly satisfactory to the mayor, this city. All of the evils of legislation grow out of the fact that the right of final action under charters like that of Fort sign for new sewer system in the Seventh Worth is placed in the hands of a few and Eighth wards; completion of storm members of the city council, and very sewer work; remodeling and relaying frequently in large cities one or two men eral miles of new ones; the building of termine the legislation of those cities. This should not be; and the charter of the city of Fort Worth should be amendtion in legislative matters. The right of voluntary action and final approval should both be vested inalienably in the qualified

voters of Fort Worth. of 'Varsity errors. PERCENTAGE OF GROSS RECEIPTS One of the things accomplished during the present administration has been the establishment of the precedent of demanding of corporations seeking public franchises a percentage of the gross receipts of such franchises and limiting the life of the franchise to a given period of years. If this be followed and the city charter be amended so as to enable the city at the end of these grants to operate the Fort Worth water works: The suc- such public utilities through municipal cessful completion of the Meade contract, ownership, the franchises will eventually which gives us a supply of artesian water become a source of great revenue to the and the completion of the meter system city. I regard this precedent as being of which has resulted in a great saving of the amount of water pumped and also in sure that it will not be diverted from in an increase in the revenues of this department. Four years ago at the end of the fiscal year the total revenues of the legislation in municipal affairs, and Fort

SALARIES

system was completed and for a portion There should be some equitable arrangeof the year artesian water was pumped ment of the salaries of the officials and the mains, the receipts aggre- employes of Fort Worth. It is a known gated \$77,148.96-in face of the fact that fact that some of the subordinate emwhen the meter system was first estab- ployes receive salaries that are too small lished the price per thousand gallon was to permit them to enjoy more than the cut from 40 to 20 cents. I consider the bare necessities of life, and while this showing of the last year to be very re- matter has been up before the city councii before. I sincerely trust that in the The Meade system of pure water, coming budget a more equitable adjustcoupled with the meter system, has solved ment of salaries can be made. The retwo problems: First, the greatest in im- sponsibilities and duties of officials inportance, the city's water problem; and creases year by year, and the cost of liv-second, the financial problem of the Fort ing. has largely increased in the last few years; and if this continues and no in-During the year just past this depart- crease be made in the salaries of the

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poses have about reached the limit. That there is a large quantity of personal property in Fort Worth that escapes taxation there can be no doubt. If a table of the insured values of personal property in the city could be obtained I feel sure that it would show several millions of property that has not been reached by taxation. Whether this can be remedied or not is a question, but under the law, personal property, if possible, should be made to bear its pro rata of the burdens of municipal government. I do not believe any radical steps should be taken in this line, deavor to get as far as possible a fair This has added very much valuation upon the personal property in Fort Worth.

THE OUTLOOK FOR THE FUTURE Fort Worth is growing more rapidly than ever before in its history, and the the relative merits of asphalt and brick best indication of this is to be found in the scholastic census which year by year show large gains. The taxable values are increasing by the millions year by year, and with careful, conservative manageversed decisions that have stood in the ment and the continuing general prosway of paying in municipalities having perity of our country, Fort Worth should over 10,000 population, and if this decision soon be placed in the front rank of Texas stands the final test of the supreme court cities. To accomplish this it is impera-

an easy matter to establish by evidence back into a position where she can utilize before a court that the benefits of pav- her natural advantages and give to the ing largely exceed the cost of same; and citizens needed permanent improvements if this decision sticks it will enable the and a good substantial government in all city council of Fort Worth, by proper departments of the municipality. During legislation, to compel the paving of all the four years that we have been together the cross streets between the court house there has never been any serious difand the depot from Throckmorton to ference in regard to municipal affairs, and Rusk. That this should be done is evi- it is with a considerable degree of pride dent to all, and the city council should that I look back and recount the many commence at once to take active meas- difficulties that have been overcome, and ures to compel the paving of these cross then view the strong foundation we now streets and do as much as it can under have for a great city in the future; and the state of the city's finances to assist with the hope that the next two years will show as great, if not a greater, increase in the material value and prosperity of Fort Worth as has been shown in the past two years, I am, with grateful appreciation of the many courtesies shown me by the council, very truty your obedient servant. THOMAS J. POWTLL,

SPORTING NOTES

CORSICANA DEFEATS PARIS

PARIS, Texas, May 7.-As a result of a base on balls and a lucky hit, Corsicana got one run in the game with Paris yesterday, making the score Corsicana 1, Paris 0.

Coykendall and Zook both pitched good games and the honors were evenly divided. Score: Paris 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 Corsicana 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0-1

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, May 7.-By bunching hits in the ninth inning, Galveston won from the locals yesterday by a score of 2 to 1.

GALVESTON 2, SAN ANTONIO 1

'VARSITY BEATEN WACO, Texas, May 7.-The 'Varsity'

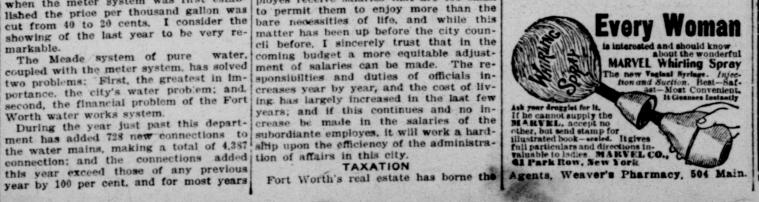
team was defeated yesterday by the Texas Christian University, the score being 4 and 2. The Christians got their four runs in the first inning by taking advantage

TEXAS LEAGUE STANDING -Games-Played. Won. Lost. cent. Fort Worth 9 .667 Corsicana 9 .375 Dallas 8

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WHICH IS THE WORSE?

When the negro Simmons was tried last week in a courtroom crowded with military, The Telegram called attention to such procedure and questioned whether it was not as bad to force a man into a trial in fear and trembling with a military guard in the courtroom, as to throw him to the mob to be torn or burned, as suited the fancy of those composing the angry gathering.

The constitution guarantees every man a right to a trial by jury. The negro Simmons may have been just as guilty as he confessed he was, but it is possible that in : comparatively unsafe jail, he feared the inflamed people who crowded about the place, and rather than be thrown to them as one would throw a bone to a dog, he confessed on the promise that he would be protected from the meb. He was railroaded into court, was railroaded through a trial and railroaded to the gallows. No one will doubt that if he was guilty that he deserved the punishment, and punishment just as swift as was meted out to him, but are the institutions of government safe with such court practice being fol- of the court officers. lowed? What protection has any citizen if it pleases a mob to form and pass judgment on him that the state him to the gallows, fearing that the to law." Now, if these men who ar angry ones will succeed in their purpose. The courts of the state are of of the government and it is contrary military and the trial courts, and then to the purposes of the free institutions free institutions will be safe. Punish to have court trials under protection every criminal, but punish him as the of a military form. If the governor law directs he shall be punished. has the right to call out the state soldiers, and put them in charge of a courthouse, as in this instance, he will have the same right at any time, and sooner or later we will be in as bad shape as the people of Colorado der the Roosevelt administration. are with the state of war existing in There are many strong advocates of several counties. Break down one bar- the waterway who agreed with The rier of protection about the citizen, Telegram that the manner of taking and it is soon easy to break down an- the land from Colombia was not exother. The Telegram does not have actly as honest as this government patience with the technicalities which would have the world think all national are resorted to by attorneys and crim- acts are. However, the protest we war, and I wouldn't inflict it on her. inals to evade the proper sentence made did not stop the administration, of the court upon one who is guilty and now the property has been turned of crime, but The Telegram does know that the constitution guarantees certain rights which no mob and no military branch of government should be allowed to take from him. This is not the first instance either in this state. The same proceeding was had in Kaufman county and in one county

in the far eastern section. Are the people satisfied that such things should happen?

Are the people satisfied that justice is properly meted out, when court trials are conducted in this manner? Are the people satisfied that such proceedings are an improvement on the trials which are conducted by the

It will be said that this negro confessed and deserved his fate. Possibly so, but do not men who are ex-

cited by mobs confess to awful crimes and do they not deserve their fate? Mobs do not hang people in Houston, San Antonio, Fort Worth, Waco or Galveston, and surely Austin is as

able to provide protection and a trial under proper rules of practice, as is any one of the cities mentioned.

The Austin Statesman presents another side of the question. It says: The blessed lawyers are themselves divided in opinion as to whether a confessed and proved criminal can consideration of his protection from a more horrible death at the hands of the mob. Some of the eminent expounders of the law maintain that under the statute authorizing an accused to waive all of his rights except trial by jury he can go beyond the verdict of the jury and waive any and everything that affects him even strenuously contend that with the tion. rendition of the verdict every right 1903. 25c. All druggists.

he has save only that of appeal has been exhausted. They maintain that PLAYING OFF every other step in the case is a duty imposed upon the court, with which the accused can have no more to do than a stranger. They point out that a condemned man cannot be hanged without a death warrant issuing; that such a warrant can issue only upon sentence by the court, and that the mandatory statute controlling it absolutely prohibits the court from fixing the execution sooner than thirty days from the sentence.

Which of these contentions is correct it is not for The Statesman to inquire for the purpose in view, nor is it now a matter of concern to the star performer in Monday morning's ceremony. The question is an open one and must remain an open one until decided by the court of last resort. But if there is a way to remove it as an embarassing question, that way, the Statesman believes, ought to be taken. The Telegram believes there is

better way than that being followed. The state of Texas desires to protect every prisoner arrested, and to provide each with a fair and impartial trial. No man should be brought befor the bar of the court while the people are inflamed and are bordering on violence. The state owns two penitentiaries. They are accessible by rail from any point in the state, and the military is always at the command of the governor. Therefore, when one of the infamous crimes occurs, and the people start out to execute the law by their own acts, let the governor order the prisoner to the state prison at either Rusk or Huntsville, where quiet down. He can go under the protection of the state soldiery, and he will be safe from the biggest mob in Texas when once within the walls. At the proper time let him be brought to trial, do not ask him to waive any right he has under the law, and let him be convicted in due course of time and let the sentence of the court be properly imposed and properly carried out. If it would not be safe to the bride would have none but the take the man to the county of the Rev. Mr. Stryker to marry them. crime for trial, let him be tried in one of the countles where a penitentiary is located, and if he is to be executed, let him be executed in the penitentiary. Some states execute all condemned is conducted in a quiet and proper ster?" manner and is not made a display of as it is in some counties, when tickets of admission are issued to the friends

When the Old Alcalde was governor of Texas some one told him the state was going to hell. He answered. will take the matter up and railroad "Well, if it does, it will go according back another sally and to show his sent to hell by the state, let them be one of the three co-ordinate branches sent according to law. Divorce the

TEXAS A BENEFICIARY.

The Telegram has always favored an isthmian canal, but it did not approve of the manner of its getting unover to this government and work is to commerce. Already Texas is to be benefited. The announcement is made that the Burlington railroad is seeking an outlet at tidewater, and that plans are making to push that line to the gulf, through Texas. It would be a great thing for this state, and will be a big business-getter for Texas. Although James J. Hill and other controlling powers in transcontinental railways opposed the canal as strenuously as they could, they see now that it is an assured thing, and they are falling in line to get the benefit. This state would never have had a chance to get the Burlington had not the Panama canal—or some canal, ster going to stay?" asked the aunt. have been started. Now the desire for business across the country induces you. Billy says that when he once the management of that property to come south, and in the coming Texas is to get the benefit because Texas gets another railroad, and every rail- brutal, irreverent, drinking, tobacco

Mr. Cleveland is a brainy man and one of the foremost in the country. He deserves the large audience he had the other night, but what is the reason which calls at this date for an explanation of his conduct in sending troops to Chicago during the Pullman barter away his life to the state in riots? This looks as if he wants to get into politics again.



incidentally, such as the allowance of Kidney and Liver Disease, Rheumatism thirty days from the passage of his tarrh, Indigestion, Neuralgia, Nervousness, sentence to his execution. Others as Dyspepsia. Syphilitic Diseases, Constipa-12,286,650 people were treated in

UNWELCOME GUESTS

[Original.] "Oh, Billy," said the bride of three months when her hisband came home to dinber, "it's all over with qs."

"What's the matter, sweethears?"
"You remember my telling you about Augt Tristicia?"

"Oh, no; I wish she were. The other one-the one who makes long visits

"Just like my Uncle Cyrus."
"The one you call the general?"
"Yes. He'd rather fight than eat."
"So would Aunt Tristicia. She's coming to visit us." "What do you say to playing my un-cle as an antidote to your aunt?"

"Splendid! Invite him at once."
And so it was arranged that General Cyrus Busby should meet Miss Justicia Crow, and the meeting took place on the day of their arrival at dinner. Not a word had been said to the one about the other, and when five minutes before going into the dining room they were introduced they glared first at

"Uncle Cyrus," said the nephew, "fill your glass." "Certainly," said the general. "I drink one glass of wine with every

each other, then at their hosts.

course. Miss Crow, let me fill yours." "Fill mine? Do you suppose I put such stuff into my month? It's poison, poison to the gentleman and the laborer. I hate it and hate every one who

sets an example by drinking it." "Madam," said the general, moving nervously in his chair, "do you mean to he can be safely kept until the people sey that I must deny myself the privilege of a social glass just because some idiot chooses to make a beast of him-

> "Uncle," interposed the host, "I neglected to explain that Miss Crow is a lecturer on temperance."

The trate gentleman spooned his soup, growling within himself, but repressing further expression of his feelings in words.

Then Billy told the guests about the wedding, incidentally mentioning that

Why didn't you go to a justice of the peace?" growled the general. "If I were married forty times I'd never have one of those parsons to do the job. They're a hypocritical, lazy"-

"Sir!" exclaimed Miss Crow. "Are men in the penitentiary, and the affair you aware that my father was a min-"Then, madam, if he wanted to im-

prove his vocation he should have become a pirate."

"This is insufferable!" "Auntie!" from the niece.

"Uncle," interposed the host again. "I forgot to explain that Miss Crow is

leen gulping down three glasses of wine one after another.

"Haven't you got something stronger, boy?" he rasped. "This is baby drink. Let me have some good old rye whisky. The older I grow the more I find there is nothing so valuable as whisky and tobacco."

"The devil's weapons!" hissed Miss

"They say the devil can quote Scripture," retorted the general.

Miss Crow sat bolt upright, glared and munched her food in silence. "Uncle Cyrus," said the nephew in order to keep the two enemies in action, "tell Miss Crow about your battles." "I consider war barbarous and wick-

ed." said the aunt. "A soldier is only another name for murderer." "That is me, ha, ha!" exclaimed the uncle victously. "Well, Billy, Miss Crow wouldn't like to hear much about I'll just tell one little incident that happened to me in the Wilderness. You see, the woods were very thick and

was walking up and down in front of the line, crying like a baby." "Orying?" interrupted the aunt, ber curiosity excited in spite of herself. "What in the world were you crying

the firing very heavy on my men. I

"Crying because I couldn't make the men fight. What do you suppose?" growled the warrior.

"Ob, I thought you were crying for your sinful work." "Sinful work, madam! What more

"Devilish, you mean." The host signaled the wife, and all

rose. The ladies retired to the drawing room, and the men smoked. "How long is that intolerable mon-

"Oh, Aunt Tristicia, I couldn't tell takes position anywhere it's impossible to get him away." "That settles it. I go tomorrow. I never met a more ungentlemanlike,

smoking monster in my life. I didn't know you'd married into such a fam-In the dining room the general asked:

"Where did you pick up that old hen, Billy? She's a terror and no mistake." "She's an aunt of my wife's who makes long visits."

"What! Going to stay with you some

"Can't tell when she'll go. Uncle Cy." "Billy," said the general after a thoughtful pause, "I'm sorry for you. I'd stay and help you out, but I'd rather be tied up by the thumbs than stand that old woman. I'll go tomorrow."

There was need for manipulation in the morning to prevent one of the guests from knowing that the other was about to depart. The husband took his uncle down town with him to go from there; the wife drove her aunt to the station without mentioning the general's departure.

F. A. MITCHEL

PHASE ON THE

Cattle Were in Distress Previously for Lack of Grass and Water in Western Texas

SITUATION

show that rain has fallen over most affected, as things now stand, if either all the drouth stricken section where More than 60 per cent of American wheat cattle were suffering for want of suf- and cotton goes abroad in English ships, ficient stock water.

as it could well be. Grass is short or German ships might become the prey and had rain been delayed a few weeks of a hostile navy all maritime insurance longer there would hardly have been would be advanced at once to a point enough grass to sustain life among which would make foreign freights almost the vast herds.

them had planned to move their herds to pastures at once. However, the rains of the apst few days has brought fore the outbreak of the Civil war, and about a new phase of the situation. There has already been enough rainfall in the dry counties to answer all made it impossible to press the matter to needs and as a consequence cattlemen a conclusion

are jubilant. It has not been as dry in years up to the early part of the last week, and cattle owners had begun to fear that they would not be able to save their stock unless removed to pastures. In ome sections cattle were being fed very much as they rae in mid-winter, and supplies of feed had been purchased to keep them going until about the first next month.

Cattle were dying off rapidly from lack of food and water. The situation was rapidly growing worse. The heavy rains have proven a Godsend to Wes Texas. As it is the losses will be quite heavy, but not near so bad as would have been in another week of continued drouth.

Cattlemen here have been advised that good rains came to nearly every cattle district in West Texas and the

STOCK MARKET DOES NOT SHOW ANY LIFE

NEW YORK, May 7 .- The dull and eavy stock market this week has shown o inclination to respond to any new de elopment. Operations are withheld pending the effects to result from the large companion of man, the dog, sleeps threeinancial transactions working out, including the Panama canal payment and of civilization reverses this allotment of Russian and Japanese loan issues, declin- time, imitating that Egyptian sovereign ing activity, falling off in railroad traf- of whom the naive Herodotus tells us fic. dissatisfaction over the iron and steel that when his death at a certain date was trade outlook. The uncertain outcome of the season's deficient crops and the usual of life and never went to sleep at all. conservatism of the presidential year are Critics will feel no surprise that he did not all factors in the halt in the securities survive this singular treatment of him-

SEEN AND HEARD AT THE CAPITAL

WASHINGTON, May 7.-Largely owing to the endeavor of Representative R. R. Hitt and Senator Shelby M. Cullom of the house and senate committees on foreign relations, a resolution was passed at this last session of congress which authorizes the president and the secretary of state to begin diplomatic negotiations looking to a general agreement by the world powers that private shipping shall be exempt from seizure during war It is admitted with some frankness that this action has in view the possibility of complications in the eastern situation which might draw Great Britain and Germany into the trouble. The United and Condition Is Improved States has something more than a sentimental interest in the consequences which might result from that outcome. Every shipper of grain or cotton in this country would be immediately and vitally of these powers should become involved while 15 per cent is carried in German The situation was about as serious ships. With the possibility that English

prohibitive, and the market for our grain Stockmen began to fear for the would be shut off, and all our foreign safety of their cattle and many of commerce would be seriously impaired. was begun by the United States just be the one power which had given its assent was Russia. The outbreak of that war

BUST OF POFT FOR CITY

For six years the Longfellow Memorial Association has been trying to get congress to appropriate \$4,000 for a bronze be erected somewhere in Washington. reported by the committee in this as in

BOOST JOE CANNON'S BOOM That Sunday night conference at the White House, at which all the most in- No. 2851. Celebrated on its merits for fluential leaders and political advisers of many effectual cures. the president were present, and concerning which there was no great secrecy, is known now to have been for the purpose chiefly of side tracking the vice presidential boom of Charles Warren Fairbanks and giving impetus to the boom of Joseph Cannon. It is known now that Uncle Joe "bucked" like a raw broncho, but it did him no good. He is to have a dose of the same medicine that was administered

SLEEP THE PANACEA

good for the latter.

at the republican convention to one T.

unsophisticated primitive spends the greater part of the twentyfour hours in sleep while that faithful quarters of the day. The foolish victim foretold, he resolved to double the period self, though we are not told whether when



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PRICE BAKING POWDER OO.

NOT2.—Imitation baking powders are low-er in price, but they are mostly made from alum and are injur-

he finally gave up the ghost he fell a victim of neurasthenia or simply to "brain forty bushels of corn, at \$1 a bushel, that fag." The time is coming when, instead you fed him?" of flying off with infinite discomfort to The bill for this purpose was favorably Switzerland or Norway to restore our mer. 'I didn't expect to make anything on shattered nerves, we may simply retire to the corn."-Philadelphia Ledger. previous congresses, but no action on it bed and there regain health by the pleas-

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

JUST THREW THAT IN

A Pennsylvania Railroad officer has a "Faith, he's a moighty foine docther. stock farm on the outskirts of Philadel- He attinded O'Pheelan whin he was sick phia, and at a recent dinner of the Clever av th' appindicutis. 'Poke out yez Club a friend of the railroader spoke of toongue, he says; 'bedad, Oi'll have th' it, saying: "He runs it on a business- opprate on ye,' he says. 'Divil a bit will like basis. Sometimes he makes money Oi be opprated on, says O'Pheelan. Then out of it. Last year he bought a pig for yez'll be a dead man b' 2 o'clock,' he says. Roosevelt of New York. It proved to be \$27, fed it forty bushels of corn at \$1 a bushel, and then sold it for \$31.50.

"I made \$4.50 out of that pig," he remarked to me the day after the animal was taken away.

"'But,' I protested, 'how about the

"'Oh,' commented the gentleman far-

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So he opprated."

"'An' saved O'Pheelan's loife?" "'An' saved O'Pheelan's loife-wan hour. He died at thray."-Kansas City

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COMPLAINTS

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"When I sent for the sample I was not able to sit up all day; my liver and kidneys were very much out of order. I was badly consti-pated and had frequent attacks of dizziness. 'I am now able to do my work, and know that your medicine

does all that is claimed for it. "You may publish this letter, and I will gladly praise your Liver and Blood Syrup to any sufferers. MRS. ALICE SNODGRASS.

AN OLD SOLDIER.

Starke, Fla., Nov. 25, 1903.

Thacher Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn. Gentlemen-"I am an old Confederate soldier, 66 years old. Have been afflicted with pain in kidneys, liver trouble and general run down health for years. Dr. Wills sold me a bottle of your Liver and Blood Syrup, and it did me so much good that I am now able to work and am in better health than I have been for fifteen years.

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Yours truly, JNO. H. ROBERTS.

HAS NO EQUAL.

Strayhorn, Miss., May 20, 1902.

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Yours very truly,

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Yours very respectfully MRS. F. M. BURT.

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MAYOR POWELL SUBMITS ANNUAL REPORT SHOWING IN DETAIL CITY'S AFFAIRS

REVIEWS WATERWORKS SITUATION AND GIVES A STATEMENT OF FINANCES, SHOWING AN EX-PENDITURE OF HALF A MILLION DOLLARS IN LAST FOUR YEARS WI THOUT ISSUING BONDS

perusal of every citizen of Fort Worth Opening of East Ninth street secause it affects each one vitally. The Bridges, culverts and gutters dministration of a city's affairs can Paving make or unmake it, and every one livgn within its limits should concern elf as to its honesty and capability. Powell's report speaks for it-

MAYOR'S ANNUAL REPORT

ing what has been done in municipal tract.

Affairs during the past year; and I The city is to be congratulated that

year, including \$10,000 transferred to end. the water works general fund, and Four years ago the city of Fort charged on the D. W. Mead contract Worth entered upon an era of perma-

various departments as follo	WS:
Aldermanic expense	948.0
Mayor's salary and expense .	2,029.7
City secretary's office	3,024.6
City auditor's office	1,513.3
City attorney's office	3,505.1
City engineer's office	2,720.8
City electrician's office	1,322.6
City cemetery	753.5
City hall expenses	2,299.5
Electric light department	8,262.7
Fire department	37,880.6
Health department	5,494.1
Police department	28,873.6
City pound	915.7
Corporation court	1,254.0
Calaboose	2,865.2
Sewer department	1,582.0
Street department	30,798.7
Tax department	1,755.0
Tax refunded	2,389.3
Alvertising	206.6
Agency charges	88.4
Board of equilization	617.6
Building repairs	48.8
Bills payable	500.0
Election expenses	206.5
Fines remitted	8.9
Interest current	4,825.9
Insurance	626.4
Judgments, costs, etc	519.8
Pauper expenses	876.5
Street sprinkling	3,394.4
Miscellaneous expenses	1,048.6
Public schools	89,940.6
Bond interest and exchange.	147,621.0
Sinking fund invested	4,035.4
City park	1,879.4
Water supply	57,475.0

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It will be seen that the expenditures exceeded the receipts by \$43,410.87, caused mainly by the large amounts paid out on past due interest charges, To the Honorable City Council of the and on the D. W. Mead contract for an adequate supply of pure water, the Gentlemen: In accordance with the money for which had been accumulating enstom of the mayor's office I here- in the treasury for some three years, with submit my annual report show- awaiting the completion of the con-

shall incidentally set out what has at the end of this fiscal year, after been accomplished during the four having passed through the financial years that the present administration difficulties that have burdened it for 5,467. This shows a very large increase almost without exception) has had years, it finds itself in a position to control of the affairs of Fort Worth. be upon a cash basis with all its creditors and its financial condition in the fiscal year of the city a most hopeful state; for under the of the school children desiring education closed March 21, there was a deficit in system that has been practised by the general fund of \$13,128.59 and in this administration, which has adopted the interest fund of \$29,861.31 caused the motto of "Pay as you go, and by the settlement with the bond hold-avoid bond issues," Fort Worth enters ers some months since. The total into the new fiscal year assured that enditures of the city for the past its financial troubles are nearing the

fuel amounted to \$489,508.40, and nent improvements, and money theretotal receipts from all sources for had to be appropriated in the budinted to \$446,097.53. Said ex- get, necessitating a failure to pay inbenditures were apportioned among the terest charges on the public debt and an increasing of the tax rate by to mention manual training and domestic legislative enactment from \$1.50 to \$1.75 on the \$100 valuation of property cooking school for the girls. Manual in Fort Worth. No bonds could be issued and the city was in a deplorable condition through lack of streets and water supply, and the administration wisely chose the course of making these improvements and deferring payment on the city's bonded indebtedness. The result has justified the head, heart and hand; and these branches means; for during the four years this policy of permanent improvement has are very largely taken advantage of by been pursued by the council, the valua- our high school pupils. It is true that tion of the property of the city has these two branches are yet in their insteadily increased, starting at \$16,168,- fancy, and the school board has been un-609 in 1900, and successively increas- able to make the appropriations as large ing to \$16,482,035 in 1901, \$18,873,729 in as it would have liked, but so far the new 1902, \$20,955,383 in 1903. This increase departments have been a great success in valuation, taxed at the rate of \$1.75. and will be continued during the next enabled the city council to make the term of our public schools. It is believed following remarkable showing in that the manual training will do much to permanent improvements during the ward keeping the boys in the high school

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V	iaduct across the Texas and
	Pacific tracks
IX	Vater works improvement
1	(supply) 82,500
10	ash in water works fund 39,000
C	ermanent extensions 34,352
F	lectric light improvements 18,663
E	deetric light improvements 41 031
P	aid on meters installed 41,031
N	ot due but carried forward
P	aid off obligations 86,313
TO	cofunded bonds annual saving. 15,540
N	fain street paving, city paid, 12,790
H	faustan street paving, cash to
	nav 15,000
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0	chool buildings 12,000
13	CHOOL DUITUINGS

Total improvements paid for, or with resources to pay ... \$497,607 The foregoing total shows permanent improvements aggregating \$500,000 in four years without the issuance of a bond, and leaving the city in better financial shape than it was when this administration took hold of the reins of government.

BONDED DEBT The outstanding bonded debt of the city on the 10th day of April, 1900. amounted to \$1,919,000, bearing interest at the rates of 5, 6 and 7 per cent, amounting to the sum of \$110,300 anually. At this time there are outstanding \$1,832,000 of which \$513,000 bears interest at the rate of 4 per cent per annum and the annual interest charges amounts to the sum of \$96,690,000. The second series of bonds issued

September 1, 1884, for sewerage and street improvement, bearing 7 per cent interest, of which there are \$73,000 outstanding, will be due September 1 of this year, and the first series redemption bonds ssued May 1, 1893, for the purpose of retiring the first series which there are \$109,000 outstanding, are subject to call at any interest pe- eral miles of new ones; the building of termine the legislation of those cities. riod. I therefore recommend that steps be taken to dispose of the same amount of first series refunding bonds now held by the comptroller of public counts of this state, the proceeds of which to be used in retiring the aforesaid bonds. This will save the city in interest charges the sum of \$4,370,000 annually.

BOND ISSUES

The experience of the last four years has demonstrated to my mind that bond issues, except in cases of great emergency of public calamity, are un-

BUILDERS AND BUSINESS ISSUE

The city and county edition of The Telegram, to be issued at an early date, will be complete in every way. The moving into its new newspaper home is the particular occasion for the issue of this special edition, and efforts will be directed to the point of getting out a number creditable alike to the publishers and to Fort Worth. A copy of the paper will be put into the home of exery taxpayer in Tarrant county, while many thousand extra copies will reach the farms and ranches of Texas cattlemen. An edition of at least 20,000 copies will be issued,

necessary in cities that have reached the growth of Fort Woth. I regard bond issues as curses that hang like millstones around the neck of progress of any municipality, and to be avoided wherever possible. In the early history of a city, bond issues may be justified, but the experience of Fort Worth has shown conclusively to my mind that they can be avoided and better results obtained by going slowly and "paying as you go.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Public education is the noblest function of the city government. The rising generation must be educated for the duties and responsibilities of citizenship, and while much of this can be done by the private schools, the masses much depend on the public schools for an education, and the problem of public education in municipalities is to get the best results in the expenditure of the public money

for the masses in general. During the first week of the present session there was an attendance in our public schools of 4.015 pupils. This attendance increased until in November there were present 4.610 pupils. There were 104 teachers employed and each teacher had an average of forty-six pupils. The entire enrollment for the sesover the attendance during the session in the public schools have been well cared

juncture is more buildings and more teachers, and, if possible, the city coun cil must give new school houses in the ery near future. MANUAL TRAINING AND DOMESTIC

SCIENCE Of the additional branches added during the current session to the heretofore regular literary studies, it is with the greatest satisfaction that I am enabled science-the workshop for the boys, the training adds precision to the brain work and eye work; domestic science adds to the attainments and usefulness of the girl

superintendent of our public schools that there should be an equal cultivation of the -manual training and domestic sciencefour years that this administration thereby causing a much larger number of them to graduate the boys in the high school, them to graduate at the end of the full

> POLICE DEPARTMENT The report of W. M. Rea, city mar shal, which has been filed with the coun cil, shows that the numerical strength of the police department is thirty-three, in this force is too small for a city of 45,000 persons is apparent to any one who makes study of municipal conditions.

The city marshal makes a recommenda tion-in addition to asking for an increase in his force—that something be done in regard to the condition of the city court room; and I must submit to your honorable body that the condition under our city hall is one of the very first things that should be remedied by an appropriation, and, if possible, in the coming budget for this year ways and means should be devised to remedy this disgrace upon the fair name of our city.

FIRE DEPARTMENT The report of the fire chief shows this department of our city government to be in first class condition so far as it goes; and the recommendations of the chief that some extra men be added to the department is founded upon justice and upon the reasonable demands of the service. A large portion of the south side of our city without adequate fire protection, and

ENGINEER DEPARTMENT in a way wholly satisfactory to the mayor, and with great credit to its management. The Houston street paving: The demany old sewers and construction of sev- by their weight and influence fix and desupervision of the Mead work, and all the hundreds of smaller duties of the office, have been attended to with so omy, as to command the unqualified commendation of the council.

An inspection of official reports from other cities in Texas and elsewhere warrants the statement that we have one of the best administered, and wholly the most economically run, engineering de-partment in the United States.

WATER WORKS Two things have occurred within the last year that have added, in my judgthe Fort Worth water works: The sucdepartment were \$58,450.85; March 31. Worth will do well to follow their exam-1902, they were \$62,275.92; in 1903 they ple. were \$64.627.08; in 1904, after the meter system was completed and for a portion

coupled with the meter system, has solved ment of salaries can be made. The retwo problems: First, the greatest in im- sponsibilties and duties of officials in portance. the city's water problem; and creases year by year, and the cost of liv-

Worth water works system.

ting pure artesian water has created a great demand for connections, and the indications are that the year that is now starting will greatly exceed in connections made and in total receipts the record of last year. It is my opinion that inside of five years the Meade system will have paid for itself in the increased revenues of the department over what it would have been had artesian water not been

put into the mains. For the first ten days of April in 1901 he water pumped was 3,000,000 gallons every twenty-four hours, or 1,000,000 galons more per day than we pumped for the same time in 1904; and in 1904 we have 1,600 more water connection than we had in 1901. This of itself, independent of the increased revenues, shows the wisdom of the city council in adopting the meter system. We are pumping now over a million gallons less per day than we were in 1901, and yet our revenues are \$21,000 more than in 1901, even after the price of water has been cut in two.

The artesian water system now used by Fort Worth is perhaps the greatest municipal achievement in the history of Texas, and it is agreed by the prominent engineers of the state that the present system can be largely extended. The s cess of the system has demonstrated that the water-bearing sands underlying Texas can be utilized for municipal water supply in other parts of Texas as well. In truth it may solve the water problem of all the large cities of our great state.

In view of the great growth of our city and the certainty that it will within a year or two be necessary to increase the output of the Meade system, and also in view of the fact that Fort Worth own five deep wells not at present connected with the system, I think it advisable, and therefore recommend that the city engineed be instructed to examine the situation and report upon the most economica way of securing an extension of the pres ent Mead system, at least so far that the city will receive the benefit of the well not now connected with the system.

This system has been in actual about six months, and so far as obser vation goes there has been no change in the physical aspects of the system, and the conclusion of the preliminary test made last year; if anything, the flow into 'the tunnels is a little stronger than it was then. You are referred to the report of H. L. Calhoun, secretary of the water department, for a more detailed statement in regard to the water supply

STREETS AND ALLEYS The streets of Fort Worth, while needing a great deal of work, are in better condition than they were a year ago, and means. Houston street has been paved but the board of equalization should enwith a combination of asphalt and brick to the appearance as well as the value of the street and has enhanced the value of property abutting thereon. The citizens will now have an opportunity to judge

with brick

A recent decision of one of the courts of the city will, by creating taxing districts, be enabled to compel property owners to pave in front of their property abutting be followed in the future.

PUBLIC UTILITIES OF THE CITY to regulate the public utilities in Fort Worth. In my judgment these powers should be enlarged by appropriate amendments to the city charter, and the governing body should have the right to reguate both the rates and the service of all persons or corporations holding franchises in this city, and it is my opinion that the power of municipal ownership, which is now confined in this city to the water works and street lighting, should be en larged to include all of the natural moopolies or public utilities in Fort Worth not with a view of disturbing the vested rights of those corporations now in existence but for the purpose of preserving to the citizens the right to own public fran chises in the future. After a careful the recommendations of the chief of the study of the situation for some years department should be taken up and care- I am convinced that no public franchise fully weighed and is possible granted by should be given away or sold by the city council without a vote of the citizens thereon. In other words, the right The engineer department has during the of final action-or the ultimate veto powpast year attended to its manifold duties er-should reside in the qualified voters of this city. All of the evils of legislation grow out of the fact that the right of final action under charters like that of Fort sign for new sewer system in the Seventh Worth is placed in the hands of a few and Eighth wards; completion of storm members of the city council, and very bonds, bearing 6 per cent interest of sewer work; remodeling and relaying frequently in large cities one or two men several school additions, and the construc- This should not be; and the charter of tion of emergency Fifth ward school, the the city of Fort Worth should be amended to give to the citizens direct legislation in legislative matters. The right of voluntary action and final approval should much dispatch, and with such great econ- both be vested inalienably in the qualified

PERCENTAGE OF GROSS RECEIPTS One of the things accomplished during the present administration has been th establishment of the precedent of demanding of corporations seeking public franchises a percentage of the gross reeipts of such franchises and limiting the life of the franchise to a given period of years. If this be followed and the city charter be amended so as to enable the ment, at least \$1,000,000 to the value of city at the end of these grants to operate such public utilities through municipal terday on account of the muddy concessful completion of the Meade contract, ownership, the franchises will eventually which gives us a supply of artesian water become a source of great revenue to the dition of the diamond. A "double headand the completion of the meter system city. I regard this precedent as being of which has resulted in a great saving of inestimable value to the city, and feel the amount of water pumped and also in an increase in the revenues of this department. Four years ago at the end of the fiscal year the total revenues of the legislation in municipal affairs, and Fort Drake's Palmetto Wine will restore the appetite, assist digestion, stimulate the liver and kidneys and cure sick headache, cramps, nausea, dyspepsia, indigestion, billousness and constipated bowels. Any reader of this paper who is a sufferer can secure a trial bottle free. It will give you quick relief and a permanent cure, and cost you nothing. Write for it today to the Drake Formula Co., Drake Building, Chicago.

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present the valuations for taxable purposes have about reached the limit. That there is a large quantity of personal property in Fort Worth that escapes taxation there can be no doubt. If a table of the insured values of personal property in the city could be obtained I feel sure that it would show several millions of property that has not been reached by taxation. Whether this can be remedied or not is a question, but under the law, personal property, if possible, should be made to under the efficient management of the bear its pro rata of the burdens of mustreet commissioner much work has been nicipal government. I do not believe any done in this department with very limited radical steps should be taken in this line, deavor to get as far as possible a fair pavement. This has added very much valuation upon the personal property in

THE OUTLOOK FOR THE FUTURE Fort Worth is growing more rapidl, than ever before in its history, and the the relative merits of asphalt and brick best indication of this is to be found in paving, as Main street is paved entirely the scholastic census which year by year show large gains. The taxable values are increasing by the millions year by year, appeal in the state has practically re- and with careful, conservative manageversed decisions that have stood in the ment and the continuing general prosway of paving in municipalities having perity of our country, Fort Worth should over 10,000 population, and if this decision soon be placed in the front rank of Texas stands the final test of the supreme court cities. To accomplish this it is impera-

streets where the benefits of such paving In conclusion, I desire to express my equal the cost of the improvements. In the congested business districts it will be of the city council to bring Fort Worth an easy matter to establish by evidence back into a position where she can utilize them to graduate at the consummation that oourse; and this is a consummation that would be pleasing to the school board and before a court that the benefits of pavorated with public education sticks it will enable the and a good substantial government in all if this decision sticks it will enable the and a good substantial government in all city council of Fort Worth, by proper departments of the municipality. During legislation, to compel the paving of all the four years that we have been together the cross streets between the court house there has never been any serious difand the depot from Throckmorton to ference in regard to municipal affairs, and Rusk. That this should be done is evi- it is with a considerable degree of pride dent to all, and the city council should that I look back and recount the many ommence at once to take active meas- difficulties that have been overcome, and ures to compel the paving of these cross then view the strong foundation we now streets and do as much as it can under have for a great city in the future; and the state of the city's finances to assist with the hope that the next two years will show as great, if not a greater, increase in the material value and prosperity of Under the city charter of Fort Worth Fort Worth as has been shown in the past two years, I am, with grateful appreciation of the many courtesies shown me by the council, very truty your obedient servant. THOMAS J. POWTLL,

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SPORTING NOTES PARIS, Texas, May 7 .- As a result of a base on balls and a lucky hit, Corsicana got one run in the game with Paris yesterday, making the score Corsicana 1, Paris 0 Coykendall and Zook both pitched good games and the honors were evenly divided. Score: Paris 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 Corsicana0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0--1 SAN ANTONIO, Texas, May 7.-By bunching hits in the ninth inning, Galveston won from the locals yesterday by a score of 2 to 1. WACO, Texas, May 7.—The 'Varsity team was defeated yesterday by the Texas Christian University, the score being 4 and 2. The Christians got their four runs in

voters of Fort Worth.

of the year artesian water was pumped ment of the salaries of the officials and through the mains, the receipts aggre- employes of Fort Worth. It is a known gated \$77,148.96-in face of the fact that fact that some of the subordinate emwhen the meter system was first estab-lished the price per thousand gallon was to permit them to enjoy more than the cut from 40 to 20 cents. I consider the bare necessities of life, and while this showing of the last year to be very re- matter has been up before the city councii before. I sincerely trust that in the The Meade system of pure water, coming budget a more equitable adjustsecond, the financial problem of the Fort ing has largely increased in the last few years; and if this continues and no in-During the year just past this depart- crease be made in the salaries of the

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VAGRANCY LAW

Mississippi Statute Is Ridding Towns of Bums and Solv-

ing Labor Problem

to watch the movements of the crimi-

Inquire of any housewife in Jackson and she will tell you that she has a dozen applications from negro women who want to cook, where she was fortunate to get ere a month heretofore. Housegirls are walking up and down the streets every day, making inquiry about

The men vagabonds, those who have been hanging about the street corners grain crop begins to move the num-and the crap galleries, seem to have ber of trainmen on the Santa Fe is shaken the dust of Jackson from their to be again increased. shoes, as the places heretofore infested by them know them no more. The police say that they are gone, and the balance of the community hopes they know whereof they speak.

In Jackson the law is less than a week ld, and it is .mpossible to state positivehow it is going to operate. Of course, new breem sweeps clean, and it may be that while the law appears to be working admirably at present, it is of its own ac-The city courts have had nothing o do along that line so far-in fact, the court has been out of town for the past several days, and has not had but one case under that is known as the Wells agrancy lav. That victim was made

NO ESCAPE FROM JAIL I'm crtunately there is no escape from No matter how much money a vagrant which the company refused to do. may have, to jail he or she must go, and it works a hardship on the court in some astences. It is easy enough to fine and to jail the soiled doves of color, but when comes to the white ones, there's the ub. It always transpires that they have friends at court, or near by, who are ne, provided no jail sentence is inflicted. But now there is no alternative, and it s stated that white women who fall under the category of vagrants in the new w are making their arrangements to eave Jackson and the state of Mis-

In this connection it may be stated that it is said there has been some little uggling with the law in this city, where-

fleeing to the rural districts with a view to guilding old Beck and the plow, pull-damage record."

The farmers of the state have been the towns and that it was impossible for present machinists' strike them to get hands to make a crop, and posed largely of farmers, and they all

gathering places of the negroes will be our employ, probably one-half did not raided every day, if necessary. They two and storing away a dozen or more broken up if every jail in the state has am very sorry, and realize the diffi-

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RAILR OAD

= RUMBLINGS =

the railroads affected by the recent rigid order promulgated by State Health Officer Tabor enforcing quarantine restrictions against Mexico, in an effort to prevent, if possible, the introduction of yellow fever into Texas, have asked Health Officer Tabor for a modification of the present quarantine as it is paralyzing railroad business, both on this and the other side of the Rie Grande.

The railroads show that the conditions do not warrant such stringent steps as have been taken.

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The Southern Pacific has been prac-The Southern Pacific has been practically cut off from passenger business with the border for the past week.

There is a congestion of business, it is claimed, awaiting that line on the Mex-WORKS WONDERS lican side of the border, but under the blanket embargo that has been placed by the state authorities this will be slowly released, as each passenger ican side of the border, but under the must spend five days in quarantine before being permitted to come into the United States.

has asked State Health Officer Tabor for a modification, at least for the time being, so as to relieve the present strain.

One official states that in his opinion the quarantine muddle is now the worst it has ever been. Mexico absolutely refuses to permit trains to pass through Monterey and other points infected by fever last year without stop ping. The stops are required just as before the quarantine went into ef fect. When the border is reached even the trainmen are not permitted to cross and all passengers are turned back to spend a period of five days in de-

REDUCING TRAIN CREWS

News from Temple is to the effect that the Santa Fe has taken off three more freight crews, as a result of the end of the cattle-moving season.

It is said that just as soon as the

STRIKING MACHINISTS

A strike is under way on the El Paso and Northeastern that is affecting all shops on that line where machinists are employed. The cause of the trouble is the discharge of the foreman of the motive power department of the company. The union men demanded the reinstatement of the discharged man, which was refused by the company and the strike followed.

Seven machinists in the employ of the Texas and Pacific at El Paso are also out and have been for several weeks. The men asked that the scale o feel the keen edge of the sword, and is paid the machinists of the Southern ly Miss Evelyn Duvall, prior to her mar-Pacific be given them. This was granted and after the men got what they asked for they again demanded the jall sentence. The statute fixes that, a further increase of the scale of 412 and states positively that there is no cents per hour, making their scale the paying a fine to escape the jail sentence. same as that of the boilermakers,

FAVOR BLOCK SYSTEM

The interstate commerce commission urges all railroads to adopt the use of the block system. The commission gives a list and the details concernorepared and more than willing to pay a ing the cause of all the wrecks which

"It should not be necessary to call attention to the fact that the casualthe block system. Derailment No. 4 (the Baltimore and Ohio accident lar charge wherein 65 met death) has indeed no ore the Mill street resorts have not been place in a discussion of the block sysvacated, and their habitues are still do- tem, but the other derailment and all morning, is slowly improving, having ng business at the old stand. Whether of the five prominent collisions octhis is true or not remains to be seen, curred under circumstances which have but certain it is that attorneys have been been repeated in hundreds of collisions, consulted to know if there is not some and these circumstances are the result way to dodge the stern mandates of the of defects for which the block system that the council will decide upon this law, and that those interested have been is universally looked upon as the remso far pacified and encouraged to test the edy. That is to say, that the block cause that they are still here. Reports from all over the state are to every element that contributed to the the effect that the law has had a salu- cause of these collisions does introbrious effect on the classes aimed at- duce principles of a different charac specially the vagabond and vagrant neter and does promote habits of obegrees, and thousands of them are dience and precision which have been for the erection of homes.

WILL NOT SURRENDER

E. P. Ripley, president of the Atchiomplaining for the past several years son. Topeka and Santa Fe railroad that the negroes were congregating in company, said recently regarding the

"The company will have no difficulty that is the real secret of the passage of in filling the places of the men who the law. The late legislature was com- quit work. We have no quarrel with unionism among our men. We deal appreciated the fact that the labor that with unionism in the case of conduchould have been theirs was in town do- tors, engineers, firemen and trainmen, and which would have transferred to Kaw, Ok. It is believed here that the servant the machinists' union the management The of our shops. Of the men who left want to strike and were not in symhave a way of renting a shanty fit for pathy with the demands made on us by the union, but felt obliged to go said. every night. That practice is going to be out with the others. For this class I cult position in which they were plac-It may as well be understood, Every housekeeper should know that if however, that no semipublic corpora they will buy Defiance Cold Water Starch tion, owing duties to the public, such for laundry use they will save not only as the railroads and street cars, the time, because it never sticks to the iron, telegraph and telephone, can for one instant accept the principle of the -one full pound-while all other Cold "closed shop" or surrender its power Water Starches are put up in %-pound to maintain order by discipline. There packages, and the price is the same, 10 never was order among large bodies cents. Then again, because Defiance of men without discipline, and there never will be."

LOST BIG MONEY

A report of the stockholders of the Mexican Central just made public shows as a result of the year's operation, the company failed to earn the fixed charges and taxes by about \$500,-

HOMESEEKERS EXCURSIONS

The Chicago Great Western Railway will on the first and third Tuesday up to October 18, sell tickets to points in Alberta, Arizona, Assinibola, Canadian the hotel entrance and will carry passen- Joseph Ramsey Jr. of the Wabash rail-Northwest, Colorado, Indian Territory lowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, New Mexico, North Dakota, Oklahoma, Saskatchawan, Texas, Utah and Wyoming. For further information apply to any Great Western agent, or J. P. Elmer, G. P. A., Chicago, Ill.

Have you lost any valuables? If so, they are probably advertised un-der the heading of Lost and Found in The Telegram.

FIFTY CONVERSIONS

WAXAHACHIE, Texas, May 7 .- A revival meeting which has been in progress at the Methodist church the past fifteen days closed yesterday. During the meeting there were about lifty conversions and fifty additions

Evangelist Fannon of Illinois is conducting a protracted meeting at the Main Street Christian church this

NO FOUNDATION FOR STORY OF FOUL PLAY

ROSEN HEIGHTS

General Passenger Agent Anderson Young Man Is Injured on North Side Car-Notes and Personals

Last night between 7 and 8 o'clock by falling against the door of the car East was sitting upon one of the front seats directly facing the forward door of the car and in bringing the car to a stop on Twelfth street he was precipitated from his seat and thrown against the door with such force as to render him unconscious. After regaining consciousness h seemed to be in a dazed condition, but was taken to the Texas and Pacific station, where he was to catch a train for Alice, his home. At the station an officer noticed him and upon examination of his injuries insisted that a physician be called. Dr. Harper was sent for and or dered East removed to St. Joseph's Infirmary. East lives at Alice and was here yesterday in the interest of a consignment of live stock, which he accompanied to market. At the infirmary he spent a good night and will leave for his home this afternoo NORTH SIDE PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. J. Thompson of Ada, T., visited friends on the North Side yesterday. Mrs. Thompson, who was former-

riage resided with her parents in North Fort Worth.

Dr. C. A. Hickman is in Corsicana where he went to attend the annual meeting of the Association of Texas Dentists T. C. Rushing has sold to Joe Eggles ton a lot out of block 12. Rosen Heights, the consideration being \$200.

The new office building of the North Fort Worth Townsite Company, which is under construction on Main street and Exchange avenue, is about completed and will be ready for occupancy next week. Dr. Davis has opened an office in th stock yards district and at present has office room in the Rosen real estate build-

fight a few days ago, has been arrested ties and losses here set forth have an and placed under \$200 bonds on a charge important bearing in connection with of aggravated assault, the charges being preferred against him by Walter Beck-

> Joe Evans, who was seriously scalded at the plant of Swift & Co. yesterday be pushed with the council at the regular meeting Tuesday night. It is hoped course, as it works an inconvenience on

During the past week the Rose Heights Street Railway Company has carried a large number of people to the Heights who are seeking suitable property

STOCK SHIPMENTS FROM SAN ANGELO

SAN ANGELO, Texas, May 6 .- The stock shipments the last day or two were as follows: March Bros., 3 cars cattle to Elgin, Kan.; J. S. Dabney, 1 car cattle, and Charles Collyns, 6 cars cattle to Elgin, Kan.; 09 Cattle Company, 37 cars cattle to Porter, I. T. Nat Chilton, 1 car horses to Lindsay I. T.; Thomasson & Willis, 2 cars cows ing absolutely nothing better than steal- but these unions have never made the and calves to Ganable, Texas; George ing or living from the back doors of the outrageous demands to which we are B. Hendricks, 27 cars cattle to Saldini, white folks for whom the negro women asked to submit by the machinists Ok.; W. H. Collyns, 4 cars cattle to

The first shipment of range muttons went out today. Hector McKenzie shipped ten carloads to northern mar kets. The muttons will come straggling in from now on through June, it is

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sonable, and they include the admission ment throughout North America. The to the grounds. So long as the visitor is rise and growth of the association will AT REVIVAL MEETING a guest of the Inside Inn his daily ad- be reviewed, principles discussed and dission fee is practically paid by the ho- analyzed, the organization and methtel. For instance, this hotel will sign a ods examined, and the field and serseven-days' contract on the American vice of the agencies of supervision deplan for \$21, which covers lodging, three fined. meals a day, and daily admission to the grounds after the visitor has become a registered guest. Payment of this kind

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also especially interested. It is expected the convention will be attended by at least 1,500 visitors. have their lodging pace right on the They will come from all parts of the grounds. The big hotel that has been built for them is something new in world's fairs. It is called by the appropriate name Inside Inc.

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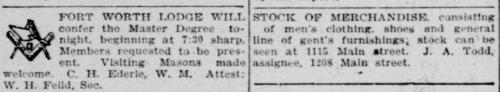
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SEVEN DAYS IN WHICH TO CLEAN UP

The following proclamation was issued last night by Mayor Powell and it has the unanimous approval of the city council:

"To the Citizens of Fort Worth: At a recent meeting of the city & council the mayor of Fort Worth was instructed to demand of the san-🌢 itary officers of this city a most stringent enforcement of the sanitary 💠 ordinance of Fort Worth. In obedience to this instruction I have & notified the said officers that every violation of said ordinances, after & due notice and failure to comply therewith, must be prosecuted by \$ them in the corporation court. But without the co-operation and will- . ing spirit of the citizens it will be impossible to place the city in & good sanitary condition before the hot weather sets in. A prosecution . may remedy a given nuisance, but it cannot clean up the city without .

the help of the citizen himself. "With the view of securing the co-operation of the citizens with the . city officers, and with the hope that a spirit of civic pride may be & aroused among all the citizens in having a clean, sanitary city, I hereby & designate the week beginning May 23 as a period for all the citizens . to clean up their premises and put them in a condition demanded by . the ordinances of the city. And the sanitary officers are hereby notiof fled that said ordinances must be enforced, even if it requires prose- o cution in the corporation court.

"Fort Worth is one of the healthiest cities in the world. It should . be the pride of every citizen to keep it so, and I earnestly request all the people of Fort Worth to take due notice of this proclamation and & see that their premises are in a condition demanded by the laws of . the city, during the said week, beginning May 23. "THOMAS J. POWELL, Mayor."

tract that the city is to receive 10 per

DECLINED THE REQUEST

vlor was read. He recited

voting aye.
THE AUTO ORDINANCE

An ordinance prepared by the city at-

torney regulating the use of automobiles

in the city limits, was read. This ordi-

shall be registered with the secretary and

shall receive a number, which shall be

painted on them where it can be plainly

seen, in figures not less than six inches

for 600 feet, which shall be tooted or rung

as every street crossing is approached;

shall carry lights after nightfall that can

be seen at a distance not less than a quar-

ter of a mile, and shall not run more than

eight miles per hour in the city. It pro-

vides a fine of not less than \$25 nor more

Alderman Waggoman wanted the rules

suspended, but Alderman Lehane thought

one being sore because he could not afford

an auto. He also pooh-poohed the idea

WATER WORKS SUPERINTENDENT

An ordinance creating the office of chief

engineer of the water works department

was introduced and discussed, but it went

over under the rules. The ordinance is

and management of the engineering de

THE POLICE SLATE

by the chief of police and approved by the

police committee was read. It made no

changes except that J. G. Hendricks suc-

ceeds W. C. Holly and W. K. Logan was

placed at the Standard theater to succeed

Will Deering, and J. T. Davis was ap-

The report of the chief of police for the

last year showed the total amount of fines

assessed to be \$19,464.29, cash collected

on fines \$10,729.80 and fines worked out

\$8,737.49. Thirty-seven persons were as-

sisted and furnished transportation. The

total amount of property reported lost and

amount reovered \$13.950. The total num-

ber arrested during the year was 4.153,

and of the number 3.016 were committed

CLAIMS ALLOWED

Claims for the month were allowed and

The report of the health department

and twenty-seven colored persons died in

Fort Worth, and the charity hospital ex-

order of W. J. Bailey in payment of a

note made by the city, held by him, for

the purchase of a lot needed for the via-

An ordinance introduced by Alderman

Zurn, Waggoman and Ward, granting the

Texas and Pacific the right to lay two

additional switching tracks across Ninth

street was placed on its second reading

The streets and alleys committee and

the finance committee were instructed to

arrange for the opening of ten feet of

Hawks street that has been closed by the

wner. This ten feet was never dedicated

the city engineer were instructed to in-

for a public highway.

ows that during April fifty-one white

nses amounted to \$145.35. Received and

stolen was given at \$17,665, and the total

pointed a patrolman.

isposed of

The new police department submitted

that the ordinance was inspired by some

than \$200 for violation.

nigh; that all autos shall be equipped with

either a horn or a gong that can be heard

A communication from Colonel E. W.

The mayor indorsed

After having a bit of fun with Alderman cost, the city already owning a lot in each amount to be credited on the service. Reway of initiating him as a member, the council hattucted the city engineer to The Traders Investment Company tenprepare plans for the fire stations in the dered a check for \$35.52, in payment of a Newby. Seventh, Eighth and Ninth wards, and franchise tax. the finance committee and the ways and In February, 1963, the council made a means committee were instructed to pro- contract with the Traders Investment Real Estate, 708 Main Street. Phone 1922.

to run a series of pipes and wires along stalled for use in the department. The discussion opened with a recom- the alley from the boffer room of the mendation of the fire committee that Natatorium to Fourth street, on Fourth Chief Maddox be allowed four additional across Main street to the Delaware hotel. men, one to drive the chief's wagon, two the purpose being to provide steam for for relief work and one at No. 6 station. heating and lights for lighting the Dela-and that a station be built in the Eighth ware hotel. It was stipulated in the con-

means committees.

the alderman from the Second ward had pipes to be used for conveying water. of killing things which he did not favor. Mr. Lehane moved that the check be Mr. Henderson said he had no objection returned and the matter be further looked to the Eighth ward Raving a fire station, into. He said that while he had been but he believed the Seventh ward was positively assured that the Traders In-Then, with a sly twinkle in his eye, he wanted the matter investigated, and on believe," said Mr. Henderson, "the best the secretary of the water works and the division; block 1, Field-Welch addithing would be to move the Third ward city, engineer for a thorough investiga- tion; \$300.

tion, and to the city attorney for a plan station to the Seventh ward.' by which the matter can be taken into Mr. Henderson sat down, and every alderman except Judge Parker said, "That's subject be secured.

Judge Parker came to his feet at once. He emphasized the fact that such a move "If you folk want fire stations, why don't meet in this city, and that all of \$300 you get them like we got ours. The peo necessary to entertain them had been of Chambers hill, when there were raised except \$75. He asked the council but few living there, got together and to appropriate it. provided the fire station, and we do not the application, and he was supported in propose to let you take it from us. There the contention by Mr. Waggoman. Judge are now acres of homes over there on Parker and Mr. Lehane opposed it and on Chambers hill, and new homes are going a vote the appropriation was lost, Mr up every day. We need the fire protec- Ward, Mr. Waggoman and Mr. Zurn only tion, and we are going to keep it. Not only that, we want you to open Seventeenth street, so that fire company can get to 'Irish town,' as you call it, when there is occasion for it. Why, gentlemen, Chambers hill is as large a resident section as North Fort Worth. My people will not stand for it, and if I let you take

that fire hall, they will bury me. Mr. Zurn-We will move it and you can tell your people you could not help your-

Mr. Moreland-I think it is a good idea to move the station, but since Judge Parker has said it is a little one-horse affair, maybe we do not want it I am in favor of a fire station in the Eighth and one in the Seventh, but we want one also in the Ninth. The Ninth ward runs clear across the Trinity river. It is one of the oldest wards in the town, and all we have ever had is the election of Grant Ferguson as janitor of the city hall.

Mr. Waggoman-I am in favor of the building in each ward if we can get the money, but we haven't it now. Let the of limiting the speed to eight miles per matter go to the finance and the ways hour. and means committee and let them tell us what we can do. In the meantime, I am in favor of moving the Third ward fire station. Mr. Zurn will soon want a school house; Mr. Lydon will want a school house, and Mr. Ward and my own ward for the purpose of employing C. C. Lakin have but old hulks for school buildings. to have charge of the physical property Show me how the thing can be done and I will favor it. I think the only sensible

thing is to move Judge Parker's building. Judge Parker by this time was rather uncomfortable. Every alderman took a fall out of the Third ward fire station, but the new alderman stood the hazing in good style and demonstrated that he is a

Finally Mr. Lehane moved that the matter be referred to the ways and means committee and the finance committee to report at next meeting, and the city engineer was authorized to prepare plans showing what the improvements would

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the following miscellaneous matters were Factory, Corner Vine and El Paso Sts.

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A petition to have the electric light poles in the center of Ninth street across the railroad tracks removed was referred o the electrical committee.

ing apart the week beginning May 23, to clean premises. The streets and alleys committee was structed to keep the manholes of the

The mayor read his proclamation, set-

ty cleaned in the future. Engineer Hawley reported on the pe tition to have the sewer system extended to the Edwards heirs additton, to the effeet that the only way he could suggest for the work to be done was for all lot owners to contribute to the first cost, the

The mayor read his annual message. All aidermen were present except Mr.

ELLIS AND GREENE

Ike Cooper to Mary E. Cooper acres of the Jno, Davis survey; \$500. block 2; lets 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, block 3; lets 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, block 4; Mr. Waggoman wanted to refer the cent of the gross revenue from such a lots 10, 11 and 12, block 5, Shady Park matter to the finance and ways and business agreement with the hotel. It addition; \$1,125. was further expressly stipulated that un-

Mr. Lehane said that was a cute way der no circumstances were any of the Hardisty part block D-4, Field's Hillside addition; \$265. Thos. B. Weaver and wife to J. M. Dunn lot 24x100 feet of lot 5, block 109,

city of Fort Worth; \$17,300. first entitled to consideration. He explained the conditions in the Seventh. Seventh ward was vestment Company had not been supplying the Delaware hotel with water, he plained the conditions in the Seventh. Wanted the matter investigated and on the property of the prope J. T. Brown to Mrs. E. and U. R. started the fun on Alderman Parker. "I his suggestion the matter was referred to Brown lot 7, block 2, Mulkey's sub-

> O. S. Lattimore and wife to Mrs. Lena Sanders part of block D, Fairthe courts and sworn testimony on the lawn subdivision, block 19, Field-Welch addition; \$1,500.

J. P. Graves and wife to W. T. Brown block 1, Field-Welch addition; \$1,200. that the Mexican war veterans are to Ida Sloan and husband to B. M. Levy lot 20, block 29, M. G. Ellis addition; from an extended trip to New York, St.

Mrs. Rosa Morris and husband to 1 Silverstein an undivided one-fourth make this city the gateway for an ininterest in part of block 29, city; \$1.00. T. C. Rushing to Joe Eggleston lot 12, block 26, Rosen Heights; \$200.

S. A. Tomlinson and William Bryc lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, block 114, city; \$1.00. W. L. Slate to public, plat and dedication to public of "Shady Park addition to Fort Worth, being part of B nance prescribes that all automobiles F. Crowley and R. Briggs survey.

TOOK TIME

Really Should not Have Blamed the Doctor When Coffee was the Hidden Cause

"I was a moderate coffee drinker for 4: years and never knew or believed cof fee was as strong a poison for me as it turned out to be. About three years ago would feel a little better and then get be looked after. worse again. In this way I kept on until

1898 my constitution broke down entirely

Niles. Buchanan and Valparaiso, gave roads. Arrangements in regard to home ruptured and my life would be very short; wishes. the seventh said it was all in the back of seventh said he did not give me his opinion; the ninth doctor said he would straighten me up, but he did not do it; the tenth one said it was my stomach. I repatent medicines, but found no relief.

"I never had any pains with the exception of a slight one in the heart region but was very nervous and was so weak a German colony. For this purpose they that at times I could scarcely walk across state they will require from 65,000 to 70, my nerves would shake so hard it would up amongst a large number of families inshake the bed, so I had to be held. I had vesting from \$300 to \$500 each. no appetite or desire for any kind of food and had to force myself to take the little sleep each night along toward morning. I was very melancholy and thought my days were numbered.

'In February, 1902, I called in the elevmedicine and advised me to drink noth-

"Gradually the old troubles left and I got steadily better and better. I now fee like a new man, can eat, have a good appetite, sleep well, have steady nerves, my tomach and bowels work all right again and last summer I did considerable work. Indians for the inauguration of their The cause of the whole trouble was undoubtedly coffee and it fled when Coffee fested in the event. The new chief was cut out and Postum was used in its is Horse Chief, the son of White

"Postum has made a great change in my strong poison coffee is to most people Name given by Postum Company, Battle The streets and alleys committee and Creek, Mich.

the city engineer were instructed to in-vestigate and report what streets should book, "The Road to Wellville." ston trolley line.

BIG TENT

Rev. C. C. Smith Will Conduct a Union Service at the Corner of College and Terrell Avenues

is deemed advisable not to erect the tent on the ground east of the university until Monday. Tomorrow the pastors of the several churches joining in this meeting will occupy their own pulpits at 11 a. m. and at 8 p. m. Rev. Cullen Smith, the evangelist from Chicago, will preach at the Broadway Presbyterian church, all the churches uniting in the service. Rev. Smith comes from Chicago. and

beginning Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock will hold a series of services in his tent. Unlike most ministers, Dr. Smith has not spent his life as a student, but as a man of toil, having been a postal clerk for eight years, and finally head clerk on the Chicago, Burlington and Quiney, from Burlington to Council Bluffs. Iowa. For the reason that he has been a workingman and a man among men. Dr. Smith particularly appeals to men in his sermons and will, no doubt, do a great deal of good in the city.

In 1887 Mr. Smith entered the Y. M. C. A. and did special work among railroad classes. Since that time he has done evangelistic work of various character and in 1894 was connected with the Moody bible institute in Chicago.

At the outbreak of the Spanish-American war Dr. Moody worked among the soldiers at Chickamauga Park. On account of his wide experience, his knowledge of men and life. Dr. Smith will be greatly interesting.

FORT WORTH

Will Make This City the Gateway for the Large Parties of Settlers

Mr. Oswald Wilson, statistical agent for the agricultural department, has returned Louis and Chicago and announces the consummation of arrangements which will creased immigration to all parts of the

Being the great railway center of the state, much of the immigration already passes through here, and therefore the object aimed at by Mr. Wilson and successfully brought about was the securing of immigration from all parts of the country With this end in view a branch office of the Texas Immigration Bureau was established at 35 Wall street, New York, through which an effort will be made to secure a large portion of foreign home seekers for this state. Raymond L. Griffiss, president of the Southern Immigration Society, will be at the head of the work in the New York office and arrangements have been made for close working with that society.

with the Southwestern Development Com I began to suffer with my heart and pany of Chicago, which is in touch with stomach, and although I took several all parts of the northwest, and through kinds of medicine, also house remedies, I them immigration from that section will

An agency was also opened at St. Louis through which the bureau will be kept in "In the next three years I employed 10 contact with the Gould lines, with a view prominent physicians of South Bend, of handling homeseekers over the various each one a fair trial, but no two of the seekers have already been established 10 doctors had the same opinion of my with most of the railroads, and in this disease. The first one said I had tobacco way it is thought the availabilities of the heart; the second said the nerves of the state will be better presented to those heart were weak; the third said it was a wishing to come here, as under the ar tumor in my stomach, and I could not rangement of each road maintaining live long; the fourth said it was my its own bureau and acting independently, stomach and leading blood vessels and it was only natural they should endeavor there was no hope for me; the fifth said to secure the immigrant along their own my heart and liver were enlarged; the line, although another portion of the state sixth said the inner coat of the aorta was would be better adapted to his needs and

Two additional offices in this state have my head; when I told the eighth what the also been decided upon, one being opened at Houston and the other will be opened within the course of a week at Austin. The first effects of the new arrange ments, Mr. Wilson said, were felt yester ceived some little benefit of him, then I day when a communication was received

stopped employing physicians and tried from the St. Louis office, announcing that a committee would visit Fort Worth the latter part of next week to look over a suitable site for the establishment of the floor. Some times when I laid down | 000 acres of land, which will be divided

Speaking of the present outlook for the incoming of homeseckers, Mr. Wilson said nutriment I got; only got a few hours' that he considered it exceptionally bright. "Large numbers of people throughout the north and east," he said, "are looking dubiously upon the increasing difficulties between capital and labor and are conenth doctor, who strictly forbid coffee and sidering the advisability of securing a home for themselves in which they will ing but Postum, which, of course, I did be comparatively independent. The proper at once. The first four weeks I did not presentation of Texas to such people will feel much better, but after that I began show them its superiority for homeseek-A warrant was ordered drawn to the to feel the effects of Postum and kept on ers and it will be the business of the

> NEW CHIEF OF PONCA INDIANS ARDMORE, I. T., May 7 .is the date announced by the Ponce new chief, and great interest in mani-Eagle, who abdicated the chieftainship last June in favor of his son. An family, especially in myself, wife and old time buffalo hunt and religious daughter and we now realize what a dance will be part of the inaugural

> > Daniel Mullen, a writer of poetry and magazine articles, is a conductor on a

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FROM HOME

Arrangements have also been completed Miss Goldie Barrick Has Been Ill for a Year and Leaving to Visit a Neighbor She Has Not Returned

> Searching parties are endeavoring to locate Miss Goldie Barrick, aged 20 years, who disappeared from her home Thurs-

The young lady is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Barrick of 1014 East Nineteenth street. The father is a painter. She has been ill for a year past and a complication of troubles has resulted in several physicians being called. It was feared for some time that sooner or later her mind would be affected, and they have watched her closely. She has been in bed for several months, but Thursday she was able to be out and permission was given for her to visit a neighbor. She was gone a couple of hours a little brother was dispatched to the neighbor's to see about her. He ascertained that she had not been there, and every effort to locate her has proved unavailing. A little dog of the family accompanied her, but has since returned alone. Persons in the neighborhood say she was seen sitting on a bluff overlooking the Trinity, was later noticed out east on the Texas and Pacific and was still later in Glenwood. She is of slender build, weighs about 110 pounds and has dark, curly hair. She wore a large black hat, light dress and light gray cloak,

The members of the family are very nuch worried about her, and every effort is being made to locate her.

THE INFANT NEEDS

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Lake Erie Park is becoming popular for those who seek pleasure, and there promises to be a large crowd out tomorrow. The place has undergone much imerties are so perfectly represented in provement recently. The following is the no other form of artificial infant feed- musical program for Sunday afternoon and evening by Moeller's orchestra: March-"Westmount Cadet"

Overture—"The Lion's Bride".....J. Zimmerman

could have rented a refrigerator basket Selection—"Three Little Maids".... De Witt | per ounce, troy.

Poetical tone sketch-"Dream at Twi-Selection-"Sally in Our Afley" Serenade—"Oriental Echoes".. E. G. Abel Selection-"King Dodo".....Gus Luders March-"The Trooper's Review ...

STEALS A SMALL HUNK OF RADIUM

CHICAGO, May 7.-A glass tube onehalf inch long, containing radium, has disappeared from the office of Dr. William could have rented a refrigerator basket from H. Brann & Co., who rent and sell these baskets and who sell all kinds of these baskets and who sell all kinds of March—"The Pickwick"....J. Ringleben missing radium was of the usual grade for scientific use—worth about \$200,000 days ago from Paris. He was treating a patient for an affection of the face when