

PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE

The following is the president's message delivered to the Senate and House of Representatives:

At the threshold of our deliberations you are called to mourn with your countrymen the death of Vice president Hobart, who passed from this life on the morning of November 21, last. His great soul now rests in eternal peace.

The fifty-sixth congress convenes in its first regular session in January in a hall of monuments, the people at home in a atmosphere of peace and friendship with every nation.

The combined imports and exports for a single year in all our history, more than \$1,000,000,000, exceeding by more than \$700,000,000 the total exports combined in 1870.

The present gratifying strength of the treasury is shown by the fact that on December 1, 1898, the treasury receipts were \$728,044,837.75 of which \$238,744,000 was in gold and silver.

The strong condition of the treasury with respect to currency has been made it possible for the secretary of the treasury to take action under the existing laws to issue \$500 million of treasury notes.

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A STRANGE CAREER.

A SAMPLE OF ENGLAND'S NOBLEMEN.

The Offer of the Earl of Lonsdale to Reserves Reveals His Past Life—Owns 70,000 Acres of Land.

Probably no Englishman of modern times has had such a strange career as that of Hugh Cecil Lowther, earl of Lonsdale, who recently announced his intention of taking care of the wives and families of all the men in the reserve corps in Westmoreland and Cumberland counties while their husbands are in active service.



HUGH CECIL LOWTHER, being prominent. At that time he visited New York, but was ostracized by society because of his escapades.

At that time, also, the duke's financial affairs were in a bad way, chiefly, it should be stated, because of the reckless extravagance of his brother, known as the "Red Earl," whom he succeeded in 1882.

He has distinguished himself as an arctic explorer, and he is probably the most intimate friend of both the prince of Wales and the German emperor. He owns nearly 70,000 acres of land in Westmoreland and Cumberland counties.

JAPANESE WRESTLERS.

Although the American is willing to concede to the Japanese the possession of a mental activity almost, if not quite, equaling that of the majority of white races, he is apt to form a somewhat slighting opinion of him as viewed from a physical standpoint.

The specimens met with in this country do not convey a favorable impression of their athletic powers. After, however, reading an account of the physical measurements of some of the most prominent Japanese wrestlers, a more respectful attitude regarding the muscular development of these little men will probably be taken.

The Jiji shimpo has recently published a table giving the measurements of six of the foremost Japanese fighters. From this table it is gathered that all the specimens met with in this country do not convey a favorable impression of their athletic powers.

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OLD WEATHER SIGNS.

When the sky is full of stars, expect rain. Flocks of crows signify a cold summer. When the owl nests look out for a storm.

If the full moon shall rise red, expect wind. The sharper the blast the sooner it is past. A light, yellow sky at sunset preages wind.

If the rooster crows at night he will "get up with a wet head." When you see northern lights you may expect cold weather. Storms that clear in the night will be followed by a rainstorm.

When the leaves of trees show their underside there will be rain. If pigs are restless there will be windy weather. Pigs can see the wind.

When the swallow flies low rain will come soon; when they fly high expect the weather to clear. Magpies fly three or four together, and uttering harsh cries, predict windy weather.

PRESIDENT OF VENEZUELA.

General Cipriano Castro, Venezuela's new president, is only 36 years of age, but he has been in politics since reaching manhood.

One Exception. The Philosopher—"A young man should begin at the bottom and work his way up." The Youth—"I can't very well do that. I am appointed to a well digger."—San Francisco Examiner.

Illustrious in India. In India only one male in ten and one female in 100 are able to read.

Various small text fragments and advertisements on the right margin, including "MUNICIPAL MATTERS" and "MILWAUKEE HAS STARTED PLANS FOR A DEWEY MONUMENT."

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Saturday, Dec. 16, 1899.

LOCAL DOTS.

-Baker has lots of pretty things. -Mr. J. A. Bailey got back home Wednesday evening. -Baker's Christmas goods are all at. -Mr. J. G. Owens, now of Woodward, I. T., came in Thursday night. -I am still in the grocery business. Everything nice and fresh. T. G. CARNEY. -Mr. R. E. Sheriff went to Waco this week on a business trip. -See Baker for card and board games. -Mr. C. M. Taylor of Stonewall county was doing business in our city Thursday. -Geo. Makeig says his tools are always sharp and he knows how to use them. -Mr. Bill Gibbs a prominent stockman of Knox county was doing business in Haskell this week. -A few choice shaving sets at Baker's. -Mr. W. A. Huntsman, postmaster at Asperment, visited Haskell this week. -New crop Louisiana molasses, fresh and good, just received at Fields & Bro's. -Glove and handkerchief sets at Baker's. -Some of the young folks enjoyed a social hop at the Meadows hotel Wednesday night. -The prettiest Dress Calicoes in town, only 5 cents a yard at S. L. Robertson's. -Tax Assessor C. M. Brown moved to town this week and occupies the Kirby place. -Ladies, that beautiful cuff and collar box is at Baker's. -Messrs J. C. Keller and T. N. Field started to Callahan county Thursday to bring up a lot of cattle recently purchased. -Everything in Groceries, fresh and best quality and at lowest prices at S. L. Robertson's. -Rev. J. T. Bloodworth, the new Methodist pastor, arrived here Tuesday and his wife arrived Thursday night from Quannah. -"If my girl would only buy me one of those cuff and collar boxes at Baker's." -We are glad to see so many of our stockmen getting fine blooded animals for the improvement of their stock. -If you owe me please don't wait for me to dun you, I need the money and need it now. S. L. ROBERTSON. -Rev. C. C. Anderson left Wednesday for Anson and will probably go on to Virginia and spend Xmas with his home folks. -The newest ideas, the best selections, and the most appropriate and desirable presents at Baker's. -Mr. J. L. Jones received a few days ago two fine looking young Herefords which he says are thoroughbred, from registered stock. -If I cannot cut prices so as to suit the times you need not try the other fellows. T. G. CARNEY. -Mr. Joe Sample and wife came up from Jones county Saturday and spent a few days with Mrs. Sample's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Riddel. -If you want to get the most goods for the least money, take your cash around to R. H. McKee & Co's. -Mr. J. A. King and wife formerly of this county, are here this week all the way from Fannin county as witnesses in the Casner case. -A winner for sure: If you want to make your best girl, or even your wife happy, buy her a nice present from Baker. -If you are going off to see your "folks" during the holidays see the low rates offered by the Wichita Valley railroad in another column. -See W. H. Parsons for ladies' and gentlemen's Watches, Chains, Faint Gold and Set Rings, Cuff and Collar Buttons, Lace, Beauty and Street Pins, Confectionary and Stationery. Repairing all kinds of Watches, Jewelry, Clocks and Sewing Machines a specialty.

-Any quantity of suitable gifts for old and young at Baker's. -The oyster supper given by the Baptist Ladies Aid and Mission Society on Wednesday was fairly successful, yielding them about \$30. -Glance through our local columns and see what S. L. Robertson has in stock, then call and see his goods and learn the prices. -A pretty sharp cold wave came down Wednesday night and a good many of our citizens took advantage of it to slay their porkers next day. -"See yourselves as others see you," Baker has a line of fine mirrors. -As we predicted, the enrollment in our public school has now run considerably over 200, necessitating the purchase of more desks, which arrived this week. -Bring all your hides to the City Meat Market. We will give you the highest cash price for them. McCRAKY & ELLIS. -Mr. C. W. Justice, late of Greenville, Texas, arrived here Wednesday, we understand with the intention of going into business here. He is a tinner and sheet metal worker. -You need no other invitation to Baker's, than his inviting display of holiday goods. -Miss Minnie Jones dismissed her school at Brushy and came in Wednesday on account of the serious illness of her grandmother, Mrs. Chas. Kirby. We want cotton seed, corn, oats, sorghum, millet, threshed Kaffir corn, fire wood, etc. on subscription account. If you haven't the money this will enable you to settle. -Your best girl and all the other girls are always pleased to see you, young man, after Geo. Makeig has fixed you up with a stylish hair cut, shave or shampoo. -Mr. A. Lee Kirby came down from Seymour Tuesday to see his mother, who is suffering from a malignant cancer on the neck and who, it is feared, can not long survive. -Baker is no slinger, but he can "do up" more bargains than any other man handling holiday goods. -Mr. G. B. Tanner renewed his subscription to the FREE PRESS this week for his son George, who is a member of Battery D., 3rd U. S. Artillery, stationed at San Diego, California. -For good goods and bottom prices in tinware, queensware, glassware, furniture, washing machines and householding goods generally go to McCollum & Wilbourn Co's. -Many of our old Throckmorton friends and acquaintances—too many to mention separately—were here during most of the week as witnesses in the murder case transferred from that county to this. -Baker's holiday stock is thoroughly first-class, combining novelty, quality and elegance, with prices moderate. -Among the visiting lawyers who have been engaged in our district court this week were L. W. Dalton, Seymour, W. T. Andrews, Throckmorton; J. M. Morgan, Benjamin and B. D. Greenwood, Breckenridge. The last named is also editor of the Breckenridge Texan. -New stock of clothing: Gent's Undershirts and Overshirts; Ladies underwear; Arctic and Rubber shoes for men, boys, women and misses; men's and boys' Hats, Caps and Gloves. Also a full line of Shoes, Boots and Blankets, all fresh, new stock and selling at lowest prices at S. L. Robertson's. -Mr. Ellison of Farmersville, Collin county, a brother-in-law of Dr. Lindsey, came in this week with about 30 head of horses from his ranch in Jones county, which he placed on pasturage in this county. We understand that he desires to secure and stock a permanent ranch in this county. -Mr. J. C. Lemon who has recently located in Haskell became a cash subscriber to the FREE PRESS this week. Mr. Lemon tells us that it is his intention to purchase a small piece of land near town and start a vineyard, beginning with 1000 vines next spring. He has had some experience in grape growing and we shall watch his enterprise with interest, wishing him success. -If you have to buy a heating stove this fall, you ought to get one of those Wilson Improved Air-tight heaters for sale by McCollum & Wilbourn Co. The makers guarantee that you will get more comfort, more heat and more satisfaction, at less expense, from this stove than from any other stove made. This firm also have on hand a full line of Bridge, Beach & Co's standard cook stoves and box and ornamental or parlor heaters.

-Now watch John Robertson's extatic smile. -Mr. Solon Smith left Tuesday for his home in Missouri. -Go to W. H. Parsons' jewelry store for good clocks. -Miss Bulah Hudson came home yesterday from Woodward, I. T. -Four boxes of concentrated lye at T. G. Carney's for 25 cents. -Messrs W. H. and Solon Smith are back from their trip to Coleman county. -Messrs A. Z. Sewell and C. W. Justice have gone to attend the sale of lots at Ericdale. -Messrs W. R. Stapfer and A. R. Davis left Thursday on a trip to the plains country. -Mr. W. F. Rupp left yesterday for Clearmont to bring Miss Belle home for the holidays. -Cattle Inspector T. J. Lemmon got in Thursday night from an inspection trip along the line. -Go to T. G. Carney for your Christmas candies, apples, nuts, etc., he will have a big stock of the choicest kinds. -Just before going to press we heard of the death on Friday morning of the little girl, about 2 years of age, of Mr. Louis Hamilton who resides in the western part of the county. She will be buried here today. -Mr. John Flowers, a popular and jovial Knight of the Grip, representing the Wortheimer-Swartz Shoe company, was here this week selling shoes to our merchants. He had about the largest display of samples we have ever seen this far in the interior. -The county teachers' institute which was to be held here last Friday and Saturday, program for which we published the week before, failed to materialize, on account of the heavy rains and bad condition of the roads. We understand that it will be held Friday and Saturday of next week, 22 and 23 instants. -Mr. J. J. Mitchner, a familiar visitor to our town and one of the most popular commercial travelers in West Texas, made his last trip this week, having, we understand, decided to quit "the road" and sent in his resignation to the Kemp Grocery Co., with which he has been connected for several years. -We mentioned last week that Mr. J. W. Wright had gone on Thursday to his daughter, Miss Allie, who was reported seriously ill in Hunt county. On Saturday morning Mrs. Wright received a message telling her of Miss Allie's death the previous night. We are informed that she had scarlet fever and that her sister, Mrs. Warren with whom she was residing also has it, and Mr. Wright is remaining there with her. It is a great bereavement to the parents to have their daughter stricken down in the bloom of health and young womanhood and while we sympathize with them we know it is but little consolation to them. -The district court has been engaged in the trial of the negro John Stell since Monday evening. The case was given to the jury on the charge of the court about 3 o'clock yesterday evening and they had it under consideration when we went to press. The case has evoked considerable interest on account of its gravity and of the close and able contest of the attorneys from beginning to finish. Dist. Att'y A. C. Willmeth, W. T. Andrews of Throckmorton and B. D. Greenwood of Breckenridge were prosecuting and L. W. Dalton of Seymour and H. G. McConnell of this place were defending the accused. It may be expected that we will give some detailed account of the case, but for two reasons, viz; that it did not close until too near our time for going to press and that it is not out of the jury's hands we will not do so—this week at least. The court Friday evening entered an order transferring the case of John Casner to Fisher county. Lew Casner's case was continued to the next term of court.

FOR SALE 800 Acres of Land In Haskell county, Texas, known as the William Taylor survey. Price, three dollars per acre; one third cash, balance on time, with interest at six per centum, and secured by mortgage on the premises. Correspondence solicited. ANDREW GRIMES, Att'y Terre Haute, Ind.

It's a STOVE You Want We can supply you. Besides a full line of box heaters, we have the "ECONOMY" which is an AIR TIGHT WOOD HEATER guaranteed to heat as well as the ordinary stove with half the quantity of fuel, thus saving its cost in one or two seasons. It takes small floor space, no ashes leak on carpet, no danger of fire falling out, burns chips, chunks or solid wood equally well. The price is low and we want you to come and see this stove. We also have an excellent line of Cook stoves, but will talk about them later. SHERRILL BROS. & Co.

The various Sunday schools voted last Sunday to have a union Christmas tree and each appointed a committee to act with like committees from the other Sunday schools in the selection of a place for the tree and make other arrangements. We understand that the committee have been unable to secure a suitable place and that there probably will be no Christmas tree in Haskell this year. The matter will be referred back to the Sunday schools next Sunday, however, and it is possible that some arrangement may yet be made. It seems like depriving the children of half the pleasure of Christmas not to have a Christmas tree and we hope that the difficulty will be overcome in some way. If we had only held to the old opera house when it could have been done so easily, this difficulty would not have been encountered. -Prof. Frank H. Bowron, who is now instructing a band at Breckenridge, was here two or three days this week and the question of organizing a band in Haskell was revived. We understand that Prof. Bowron made to the young men who are taking an interest in the matter a very favorable proposition as to terms for his services as instructor and that they have in view a set of twelve instruments that can be purchased at a very low price. Mr. John Couch and others are endeavoring to get a sufficient number of permanently located young men to agree to join a band to make up the organization, when the matter will be presented to the business men and their help asked in procuring the instruments. It would be a very nice thing if we could have a band in the town and we hope to see the young men succeed in their efforts.

A Keen Clear Brain. Your best feelings, your social position or business success depend largely on the perfect action of your Stomach and Liver. Dr. King's New Life Pills give increased strength, a keen, clear brain, high ambition. A 25 cent box will make you feel like a new being. Sold by J. B. Baker druggist.

Important Notice The time of year is here to pay up and I must ask each and every one that owes me either by note or account to come in and settle at once. Don't wait for me to ask you for it. Respectfully, A. P. McLEMORE.

Notice of Stockholders Meeting. Notice is hereby given that the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Haskell National Bank will be held on Tuesday, January 16th, 1900, between the hours of 9 a. m., and 4 p. m., at the office of said bank in the town of Haskell, Texas, for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year, and for transacting such other business as may properly come before such meeting. J. L. JONES, Csh. Haskell, Tex. Dec. 16, 1899.

Holiday Excursion to Southeast Tickets on sale Dec. 20, 21 and 22, continuous passage in each direction, no stop over allowed. Final limit to return 30 days from date of ticket. Rate, one regular fair for round trip. Children 5 and under 12 years one-half of this rate.

Local Holiday Excursion For above occasion, following rates will be made to all points on W. Valley and Ft. W. & D. C. Rys: One fare for the round trip. Selling date Dec. 23, 24 and 25 with limit to return to Dec. 31, 1899. Also selling dates Dec. 31, 1899 and Jan. 1, 1900, with final limit to return Jan. 3, 1900. Also selling dates Dec. 23, 24 and 25 at 1 1/2 fare for round trip, limited return to Jan. 3rd, 1900. L. P. DAVIDSON, Agt.

More New Goods New goods ordered and received every week to keep our stock complete. Our trade has been very satisfactory so far. But we have still Lots of Goods To move between now and Xmas and if prices will move them they will all go, for we will make Prices to Suit Customers We have a lot of New Clothing Just in. We are anxious on this line and will clear them out at very close prices. The Ladies should see the New Line of Capes and Jackets just received. Respectfully, F. G. ALEXANDER & Co.

Attention Money! Money!! That is what WE want now! It was Goods! Goods!! you wanted, and you would pay for them this fall. Well, you got them with that understanding and if your account is not yet paid we want the money, because the time is about here when WE HAVE TO PAY WHAT WE OWE. We knew when our pay day was coming and we sold our goods so as to meet it and we cannot allow accounts to run over time. With this explanation you see why we are so urgent about settlements. So please come up and keep peace in the family by doing unto us as you agreed to do. Don't wait for further notice. We are now selling goods on account to be paid for on or before Dec. 24, 1899, so don't ask us to charge anything that you can't pay for by that date. Respectfully F. G. Alexander & Co.

R. J. REED Furniture A well selected stock to choose from. Great Bargains in 2nd hand Goods! Get our prices before you buy. South side of Railroad, ABILENE, TEXAS.

JOIN THE PROCESSION -To the STAR STORE! We are selling goods—lots of them. Why are we doing it? Because every customer of ours goes away with more goods for a dollar than he can get anywhere else. Good reason isn't it? And as he goes, he tells his neighbors and they come, too. Now, if you want to save money You will do well to join the procession to the Star Store and get your DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, HATS, SHOES, ETC.

at prices like the following: 30 yards good checks for \$1.00 30 yards wide domestic for 1.00 25 yards good calico for 1.00 20 yards good outing 1.00 20 yards good cotton flannel, 1.00 and many other bargains that we haven't room to mention, but will be pleased to quote you from behind our counter. We are over stocked on clothing and shoes and will make big reductions on them from now until Jan. 1st. THE STAR STORE, - - Abilene, Texas.

3 Cans of B. T. Babbitt's PURE POTASH IS EQUAL TO 3 of any Other BRAND. 3 Cans of any Other Brands, - 25 cts. 2 Cans of B. T. Babbitt's PURE POTASH - 20 cts. SAVES THE CONSUMER, INSIST ON HAVING B. T. BABBITT'S Pure Potash or Lye. As a cure for rheumatism Chamberlain's Pain Balm is gaining a wide reputation. D. B. Johnston of Richmond, Ind., has been troubled with that ailment since 1862. In speaking of it he says: "I never found any-