

MORE ELECTION. RETURNS, for Representative in the 107th dis- Friday night by Rev. Luther, of Dal- what success they had. 12 feet high and grown from a sin

ty Singing convention at Scranton,

Sunday, among them were Messrs.

Y. L. Kenedy, Dudley Johnson, L. J.

Conwell and D. C. Walker, refresh-

Our gins up to date have ginned

	trict by counties.	Teo. Contraction of the state of the second st	As the pops have elected sever
gress Aqain.	Gilliland (dem) Munroe (pop) Callahan 577 618 Taylor 793 651 Jones 371 468 Shackleford 277 * 183	Our school is moving ou very nice- ly under the supervision of Prof. Boothe, all speak well of him both as a teacher well accomplished and a good citizen in every-respect. Mr. Baldwin, of Alvarado is here	ficers in the county, we only have to say, we have as good officer they and if we haven't LETTER GO GALLIGH Deep Creek Dots.
And W. E. Gillıland will Represent the 107th District in the Next Legislature.	Total 2018 1920 Gilliland's majority 98	buying and shipping cattle home. for feeding purposes. Mr. Baldwin is one of Johnson counties most success-	his ranch and farm at Vigo statio Mr. W. R. McDermett, of Baird he is moving to his new place as
THE POPS DID NOT GET EVERYTHING AS THEY CLAIMED.	WHEN YOU SELL. Your cotton don't forget THE STAR. We need		formerly owned by Mr. McD.

Dr. Brittain, of Arlington, is visit-It was a very strong opinion of and alack from all the returns now in his son and family B. F. Brittain, of some that after the election cotton this place. the populist have not elected any of would advance in price but to the the district officers unless it is district Misses Ella and Laura Littlepage dismay of all such expectations it is attorney and even that is doubtful. went to Cisco one day this week shopstill lowering, under the supervision Every democrat in the district

some money awful bad and hope all those whom

Putnam Pointers.

"pops" carrying the box by a very

we have waited on so long

and give us a lift this month

good majority.

Late returns have changed the whole

aspect in the congressional race,

and Hon, J. V. Cockrell is elected in

The populist claimed the congress-

man, state senators, and district attor-

ney on the morning after the election.

and it looked for a day or two as

though they were correct, but alas

though he may have voted for Dean

should rejoice that Cockrell is elected,

The returns show that Cockrell was

the choice of more than two-thirds of

the democrats of the district and he

should have been nominated. Cock-

rell defeated Dean nearly two to

one in Eastland county yet Eastland

county voted steadily for Dean in the

convention ond refused to vote for

Cockrell as second choice. In Wise

county Cockrell received three votes

to one for Dean though Wise county

delegates refused to vote for Cockrell

The Cockrell-Dean fight came near

losing the districts to the democrats

and no doubt weakened the party all

over the district and elected several

Let us get together and bury the

hatchet and all pull together in the

OFFICIAL RETURNS 107 DISTRICT

The following is the official count

populist county candidates.

in convention.

future.

spite of all reports to the contrary.

of the pops with a populist Judge, Sheriff, two commissioners and other precinct officers, the fleecy staple still

near eight hundred bales of cotton. We learn we are to have two more goes down, ob; hope thou silver winged monster why stealest thou from us of Dr. Haley, of Cottonwood and the all bright imaginations, leaving us still in the dark on the all absorbing question of Philosophy of price by rotahave failed to learn. tion in office.

Jacob Jobe, father of our towns. Mr. Editor we extend to you our hand of congratulation on winning Johnson county where he has been the well fought battle for the legislavisiting friends and relatives for the although his suffering was intense. ture and may your aspiration not past few months. stop here but say: Loving Texas,

at this place with the result of the all had a joyous time and went "way-

round-em.

Rev. Harris preached at the M. having no higher ambition than to be church Sunday and Sunday night.

first in her service and last at her feet Judging from the appearance of with her constitution as your constant the last issue of the Prodigal and bold guide, with your oath of office ever remarks of the editor would say he fresh in memory with your political surely hadn't recovered from the influfaith, with the approval of your people nce of Jones whiley when he go as an unspiration, and with the good out this issue of ...s paper or was crippled (ander the hat). of all Texas next to your heart, having but one promise-that promise at all

times to do your duty your whole du-J. M. Tucker and M. E. Surle ty, and nothing but your duty. pent a few pleasant hours yester Preaching at the baptist church |

and luatand Married last Thursday evening at shoes. the residence of the brides parents

ded n to

self

Miss Genevra Martin and Prof. Capie Griffin, Rev. D. C. Carter of Cotton-Cook, G. W. Riley, A. J. Beaver, D. E. wood officiating. The happy couple will start in a few days for Jones Co. The election passed off very quietly ments were served ever few miles and where Mr. G. has secured a school and the heartiest wishes of numerous friends follow them to their new home. While her a fair daughter of Callahan county was transplanted to another county, one of our steady and industrious young men returned Satururday with a young and interesting bride from Mills county, and Miss Fannie Pierce and Mr. Tom McCarty will sail hereafter unders united

> flag. A two year old boy of John A Doctors locate here one in the person | Walker was taken suddenly and violently sick last Tuesday. Dr. Powell other from the east, whose name we of Baird, was summoned several times and succeeded in relieving the little sufferer, who had swollowed a quanman A. L. Jobe, has returned from tity of the seeds while eating a watermelon. The boy is now out of danger Died on Friday, Frank, infant child

of Mr. and Mrs. John Brown from the effects of erysipelas. The burial was attended by a large number of friends and neighbors and Rev. Mar-tin spoke a few words at the grave. May the bereaved parent neole themselves with the certainty that the little child returned to a hap ier home than this world ever co

leman will all tell 74 Capt. Maltby left at Henry ince to pat ap

an abundance of fodder and on aconly way you count of its richness is equally well on about you; the n adapted for feeding purposes and for village or farming dis the manufacturing of molassess. The you live. You must b seed kernels are large and fine depaper, whether you c veloped each single stem bearing a thing else in the way full bunch. Come and see for your- ing or not. And a gr home news, w A plucky young lady who want- ful comment t

ai-not needed badly-a pair of fine not stop there; \$3. shoes went to the cottonpatch and to give you the secured in a couple days the coveted best thought of course he does

Our party has to acknowledge a vou as much and if you ask partial defeat and it will do us good he will frankly to consider the causes. First the also advise democrats generally were too careless and too much confident of success. to supple Second the primaries were managed ep you and your with the times in not strictly enough and many voters olitics, soci admitted if they voted just for one or the other candidate without pledging ence, re them especially to vote afterward for the literary He will tell the nominees. Last local causes made a combination of independents repubjournal un licans and populists possible and thereup of care fore the third party alone can't claim all the merits and all the glory papers and of the victory. A number of good and that bas and true democrats are elected and if ments by others fell behind it was especially educed unique jo and exclusively for the reason that a majority of the voters thought they with THE had the office long enough. Of course it is an alarming fact that true fealty that it is to the party is getting scarce more

and more and going back on a man seems to become the fashion. Well everybody may decide for him whether he can swallow such an inconsistency and how long; it is certain ly against the rules and po

COLEMAN WAGON YARD. When you go to Coleman C t G. W. Rattiff's wagon y le of Callahan co

ON THE BATTLEFIELD.

The sun rose over a field of wheat, And warmed the beauth of an early spring. The smilling flowers made the morning sweet, And there were caroling birds to sind: And by the brook were children at play, Planning their childish games for the day.

But the sun sank over a field of red, Leaving no wheat nor a farm-house there, Only the ghastly lines of the dead, And blackness and ruin every where; And along the brook, instead of play, Were the slient forms of blae and gray. —Blue and Gray.

Cardinal Richelieu.

Founded on the Play of "Richelleu," by Lord Lytton.

CHAPTER IX.

Brave Dog Not to Leave His Bone. Into the same prison where our hero was taken and lodged, by more or less kind attention of the governor, in the cell of his former residence, Captain Huguet had been dragged, resisting with all his strength, like a mastiff in a leash which at times threatens rather to be conducting the groom.

Huguet chafed and vociferated in his bass voice as they forced him under the St. Antoine gate of the gloomy emblem of despotism. His captors having delivered him to the deputy-governor, who did not judge him of the quality to be put in the turret chamber, where Adrien Mauprat was incarcerated, consigned m to "the dark, deep place," six ards under ground, beside the yards under ground. tagnant water in the intervalation the moat.

the moat. Huguet hammered with his fist on the wal?, which was a half dozen feet thick; butted at the door till even his head ached and kicked the floor of sodden sweetings over a bed of merry, till he churned up a stench which nearly choked him; and fling-ing himself in a corner in the Egyning himself in a corner in the Egyptian darkness, he resumed his invectives against the minion who had tricked him so cleverly. "Oh, that I ever confided in a man

with a baby mouth and a hand like a dwarf's!" ejaculated he, clinching his own fist, which would have given Gargantua no desire to shake it "Such a thing is no man at I may rot in a stone pit, but I thank the God of my fathers that I

n not of the same dough as he! ow he'll be the king's right hand un. and be dispensing stars and ters, and, maybap, death to me, does not forget me. No, not when I let him know that I

d the letter to the count of -the letter which damnifies m all, and will cost Prince Gaston s neck if placed before his blind-

Ided brother." So he fumed and halloed till even

so he tuned and halloed till even s giant lungs were weakened, and ter some hours fell off into sleep sound as that of the governor the minutes with all the latter's rive hundred pounds a year. The mention what the extortionist d out of such wretches as the

For whilst in the town read of the grav monk be deepes fear men 'itical porer, in the the officers are 'or other the officers are 'or other the ot

once for all the doubts of his su-perior, by my gray hairs which, when ours both were goiden inter-mingled in the same cradle, by all my toil in meshes most inextricable. by may hard days and sleepless nights on monastery stones to which your cell-floors seemed paved with feathers, by more than you will ever know of slights, denials, losses borne in your country's service, let me see

the prisoner!" The governor, with hanging head, shook it in negation.

"He has secrets of state-papers in which-"I know," interrupted Du Trem-

blay, hoarsely, "such was his mes-sage to Count Baradas, which earned him his death sentence.

The other wrung his hands in his distraction; opposed to this obstinate denial, thought, nerve and mental strength seemed useless.

"Dare you refuse the church her holiest rights?" said he at length. speaking in desperation not to hear that knelling bell.

"I refuse nothing-I obey my orders.

"And sell your country to paricides! Oh, tremble, then, brother! since nothing will soften your obdurate heart. I forgive you! although you have delivered my beloved into the hands of those who encourage themselves in mischief."

He pulled his cowl down to his eyes, folded his hands in the robe, and slowly left the room, the corri-dor, the tower, crossing the courtyard where the block and headsman were awaiting, and never spoke word or showed by a glance that he was living, feeling humanity, and not one of the statues impelled by mechanism from the facade of St. Antoine church without, till he had crossed the ditch.

The sound of the bell had just reached the ears of Huguet, but he was not downcast when he awakened.

On the opposite hand, he laughed to himself, with the fierce glee of a waylayer who thinks he sees the vic-

tim approaching. "They will know I have the paper. They will trust no mean hand-peradventure that arch-villain. the Count Baradas himself, will do me the honor of a visit. And though he came with a full score armored Bay-ards at his back-Bayards in his company, forsooth!-I'li bear him to the earth and spread him on the stone like an archer caught against the bastion by the battering-ram!"

It was just as well, therefore, that, whatever the anxiety of the count to repossess the traitorous missive, he dispatched Beringhen to the prisoner in the Bastile.

The first gentleman of the royal bed-chamber had not found the difficulty in obtaining leave to vist Huguet experienced by the confidant of Richelieu. Quite otherwise; for M. du Tremblay, whose ambitious at governor had come a visi-a no one dreamt to delay in a bis brother's in a less ecclesiastiaspirations may have soared as high cal line of flight, smoothed every obstacle to the royal valet.

"Oh, by the way," uttered the latter, charmed more than he liked to confess by the governor's amiability, for the Cerberus of the state prison for the Cerberus of the state prison was pictured at court in the same 'ors as the monastic artist painted tan and his compeers, "there is a chubby-cheeked boy in the no was whimpering to see his c. that is, this Huguet, before discussed his bed and hed

feeling which would have removed used to the stripity, she bei buyst FARM AND GARDEN. further concern. My shriving will be a short one.' In truth the announcement acted

as a soporific. In quite a gentle tone the giant guardsman was heard to respond: "Let my lord enter."

"It's the air." remarked the jailer, with a grin, as he handed the lan tern by its ring to the royal valet. 'Lor'! I've known it to tame perfect tigers of war in four and twenty hours."

There being no more money to ex pect, he leisurely ascended the greasy stairs with a familiarity which easily dispensed with the light. and humming so jocund an air that it must have seemed mockery to his immured subjects.

In the meantime the door had swiftly and violently closed. The page had dropped the cloak from his eyes as dry as a bone.

of my sex, ye rats and mice, whom] I brought myself to. Ah, Marion, if you venture so much for the gentleman whom you once adored, what would you do for him always your idol? But how is our scent vial getting on with my papa? It sounds as if their conversation was inter-sporsed with raps on the wall. So far so well. Alas! what then? this wretch was sent to Baradas in order to sell the scroll to ransom life. O become to sell the scroll to ransom life. O hope! If Father Joseph had succeaded. I should not be the slender thread I speak of. Hark! their chatter is growing warm-that was a tap on the wall like the smacks of the giant's mace upon the log which figured for the giant-killer's body. 1 believe they are fighting. Why not? for the letter, of course.

Marion-for the reader has long since divined who was this valiant little body-was struck by the idea that though the gloom prevented any ray of the lantern from entering the passage, there must be some hole in the wall by which the sounds met her ear. At length, by rising on tip-toe and feeling the slimy stones, she found a sort of concial hole, the smaller end leading into the cell. and the larger, though too little for a man's egress, barred thickly. She leaped up, caught this grating, and drew herself up to the air hole; her fine feet tound a hold where no man's foot could have been inserted.

The lantern was burning within, and she could scarcely more than discern two shadows grappling and finally falling. Both rose, and the much larger shape seemed to melt into the other, then both fell and the larger rose alone. But in the next division of time it sank half its height, and she heard distinctly the

Italian tricks with the dagger, he has ruined me. Oh, to die thus miserably!"

Then she lost sight of him; he was out of her visual ray, stumbling to the door. Her impulse was to fly, but conquering her terror and her repugnance, Marion pushed the door, and between them it opened. Huguet was on his knees holding

his side. "What's this," he ejaculated, in surprise.

"Huguet, you know me, Marion Delorme! You are hurt-mortally. perhaps! As you have a soul to be saved-and I will give half my for-tune in masses-redeem it of the sin dissevered his head and body. I leave the captain, you might

there is only one right way and it is the following: When all the horses

MATTERS OF INTEREST TO AGRICULTURALISTS. Up to Date Hints Abont Culti

tion of the Soil and Yields Thereof-Borticulture Viticulture and Floris culture.

The Chinese Hog.

this article we give the illustration of The Chinese breed, judging from the has been thus tried the judge will have type, is not a thing of beauty. To it, selected the best six or seven and owever, we owe much, especially these should now be drawn out from breeds. Before the advent of the Chi-Suffolks. The original Chinese breed little horse is placed second. The idea Berkshire, Essex, Poland-China and

ferior . n account of its extreme fat- though of course not with absolute ness, till the breed is crossed with the certainty. Chance, or rather atavism, leaner western breeds.

Hawaii is not the only place where prisoners have been known to be or cattle have entered the ring the marshal, at the suggestion of the hired out for domestic service. judge, should order a parade of the stock around the ring. The judge should stand in the center of the ring discovered some years ago that long; term convicts in jail at New Castle, and make mental or written notes regarding the horses and will, if competent, make up his mind which animals are clearly outclassed; these should be examined at once and set aside, if unworthy of honorable mention or if found unsound. The next move is to On this page and in connection with have each good horse put through his this article we give the illustration of a Chinese sov, such as was first in-troduced into Britain from China. The Given Paces before the judge. He should first walk away and return, then trot away and return By the time each horse

the more valuable characteristics of the rest for careful examination from our English and American improved head to foot for soundness and all other points taken into consideration. nese hog the swine of the British Isles If this be carefully done, the horses were very inferior compared with the will be changed around in order of "A sweet resort of the abhorrence of my sex, ye rats and mice, whom 1 source of great fat production or of implore not to scamper hither, have profit Leanness was at a premium with the native pig. The introduction a given type in each class, so that if of the Chinese hog and crossing with possible, there will be uniformity the native pigs produced many of our among the winning animals. As it is fine modern breeds, among them the even too often so, a big coarse rough

heaven, on what a thread hangs the gr, and. The ears were straight is, in our opinion, one of the most imand st od out from the head. The portant essentials to the business, and head a id snout were both short, and the utter lack of regard for the fitness the eyes were wide apart. The neck of things in the past in this respect exwas also short. In color some of the plains, in a great measure, the numhogs were white, some black, while ber of unsalable horses to be found others had every combination to-day. Study well the combination of light and shade. This breed of blood lines. Don't select a horse to has proved very prepotent, that is, breed to simply because he has been very powerful in transmitting its successful as a sire. See with what characteristicts to its descendants. This prepotency has been fixed in the successful. Study his own individua. Chinese breed by the fact of characteristics and those of your mare. thousands of years of in-breeding, for Compare the strong and the weak the Chinese breed of swine may be points of both. If they have defects nearly as old as Chinese civilization. in common don't breed that way, but One of the characteristics is the ease with which the hogs fatten. In fact in its pure state the Chinese breed is and the stallion the same, you may be too great a fat former to be popular sure that this deficiency will in western countries. It is said that strongly enhanced in the off-the breed is always fat, from birth to spring. "Like begets like." All maturity, and that too when food is other things being equal, with very poor in quality and small in quantity. The flesh of the hog is inpiays an important part in the breed.

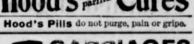
Del., were common'y sent on errands about town, and even life prisoners slightly watched. A murderess was employed in the jailer's family and permitted to go about the streets. He Had Hip Disease Was treated at the Children's Hospital in Boston, and when he came home h

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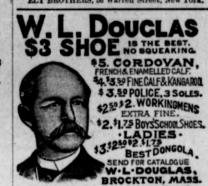


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let him say goodby to his father, be-fore that very long, unpleasant jour-ney his father is about to take." .s monk.

f I can but gain "The count's commands are strict," grumbled Du Tremblay. "No one must visit Huguet without his passto this pris rdinal, after his ig. trembles be-th. His life is port.

ne. slays both! ever bore the "Here! Pshaw! nonsense! I'll be your surety," cried Beringhen. "The filial little fellow is no Hercules like of parch- filial little fe ambition's his parent."

Still the governor was on his guard. He insisted on seeing the youth in question; and as they both had to descend the tower stairs, the shall be be met on the official to inspect the preparations for the execution and Beringhen with varied with a smelling bottle drawn to come other on for whom a warder had run over to nore fatal, the entrance, in the tower doorway.

If the governor had often saun tered about Paris, and, particularly had been in the Rue Richelieu what orat, removed ons of Count time the page who had baffied Baseph, amazed arble aspect radas' spies had provokingly trotted going away past the Louvre and Delorme house into the cardinal's residence, he must may better have discovered a strong likeness

between that personage and the d, for he is youth whose face was half hidden by the corner of the mantle industrious

ly plied to wipe away over-flowing The dainty thing was so re in his slight and graceful, so swaying with weakness from untold grief, and so winsome withal, that the stern man shrink kicked who had withstood a brother's appeal mutterel something about pity,

and saide. turn Well, if your lordship is responquick

"No sible, he may e'en go to the cell, and slip in after your business is over." rites With a "Thank you exceedingly. my lord." which was almost unintel-Quick.

ligible through renewed sobs. the lad hastily followed the king's valet and My ! the the turnkey

The pestilential atmosphere in the logs' holes to which they proceeded revented any mouth so fastidious as Beringhen's from opening, and they eached the door desired in perfect

n was seen to smile by glimmer of the lantern by more than burnt in

lling our handing me that letter of the con-spirators. You see, I know all'" He fell back, but raised himself

again; then he drew himself to the wall and leaned against it.

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

A Little Darling's Discovery. Professor-Some of the grandest inventions of the age have been the result of accidental discoveries.

Young Lady-I can readily believe it. Why, I made an important discovery myself, and it was the purest cident, too.

"I should much like to hear it." "Why, I found that by keeping a bottle of ink handy, a fountain pen can be used just the same as any other pen-without any of the bother and muss of filling it.

Tribute of Admiration.

Irritated Passenger - What are you eyeing me so closely for? 1 paid the fare for these two ladies and myself when we got on.

Street Car Conductor-I know it. You're the man that gave me fifteen one-cent pieces. I wouldn't forget it if I shouldn't see you again for be roped off in every fair ground and eleven years.

Must Have Been Instinct.

The Bride, as they emerge from the tunnel--Law's sakes, James! Yo' men hab a natural borned instinct fo' kissing.

The Groom-Instinct! Wha'

you ebber found my mouf in all ae darkness ob dat tunnel is pas' my undahstandin'.--Puck.

"Does your artist friend paint portraits true to life?"

better.

"Yes; the first two or three com-missions he executed were so true to life that the sitters refused to take the pictures"

's Advice.

Ragged Richard, instauatingly. nister, have yer got eny sug-ms ter make ter a feller w'at able ter raise a dime ter git CHINESE HOG.

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Judging Stock.

It is the purpose of this article to set forth for the benefit of prospective judges at county and district fairs a few points of procedure that may prove useful. As a general rule judging at local fairs is badly conducted although decisions made may be just in many instances. There is usually a sad lack of what may be termed "discipline." The public evidently enjoys the right to crowd around competing animals, so that the judges can with difficulty approach them and often have to explain who they are bafore having a chance to make a critical case that the judge does not look like

his business, in other words lacks official dignity, and so has difficulty in making the visitors and even owners believe that he is vested with authority to make awards. Now this judges, reporters and officers of the and the superintendents of the big fair should be rigorously excluded; stables have learned that it is better secondly, judges and officers should have designating badges of ribbon to bring them the required recognition from all others concerned; thirdly, there should be a marshal of the ring, The Bride-Why, how in de worl you ebber found my mouf in all ac serve order in the arena, and announce classes and winners. The ndahstandin'.--Puck. The Artist Has Grown Wise. "Does your artist friend paint ortraits true to life?" "He did at first but he has learned etter." "Indeed?" "Yes; the first two or three com-"Yes; the first two or three comrather than lack of knewledge. To go about the work of judging properly is a most important point and one that requires a little thought and practice. In a large ring of horses the inexperi-enced judge walks aimleasly about from horse to horse crying in vain to find the best or keep track of the one he at first approved of, until he finds himself confused and afraid to make a decision, in case he makes a fool of himself. It is absolutely impossible to judge a class in this way, for indeed

[ing problem. This is an important factor, upon which too much stress can not be laid in the matter of breeding, for the seeming disregard of natural law in the past has placed us where we are to-day. There is probably no part of the world where horse breeding is reduced to a finer art than in England. With the Englishman individuality is one of the most important factors in the problem of breeding thoroughbreds. A horse with constitutional defects, be he ever so good as an individual, is religiously avoided, while if he have a weak point physically no mare with a like defect is ever examination. It is also frequently the in the splendid specimens of thorough mated with him. The result is noted breds we now se in that country.

Commendable Treatment of Horses. No observer of New York scenes can have failed to have noted the kindness which drivers show to their horses in this weather, says the New York Sun The introduction of the cable cars has led to the weeding out of the old and sickly horses of the street car lines, to have frequent relays for their horses and keep their stock in good condition rather than save the wages of a few extra men at the expense of the horses. Perhaps the most astonishing thing to a visitor to New York is the anblinding stolcism with which street car horses accept a stream of water between the eyes from a hose in the hands of one of the helpers. The horses are arranged along the street, with their heads toward the gutter, and one of the hands in charge stands off a distance of ten or fifteen feet and plays a hose on them during the heated hours of the day. First their steaming backs are cooled off and then the stream is played on the horses' heads between the eyes. The patter and splash of the water can-be heard half a block away, and as the stream is shifted fro. a one horse to another along the line, the at the far end may be seen looking meditatively and curiously down at the ones who are getting the shower bath and awaiting their turn with as much of an expression of enjoym

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During the last y ersons have come into possession of Western farm properties through foreclosures, says the United States Investor. As the present owners, to a large degree, are residents of the East, their only desire is to rid themselves of these holdings as soon as possible. A word of caution to such persons may not be out of place. Real estate values in the West are greatly depressed as a result of last year's panic. In many localities it is difficult to find purchasers at any cost. Now there is reason to suppose that Eastern holders lands may be de-Western ceived by sharpers, making use of this very state of affairs. These lands are worth something to-day, on the ability of the present holders to carry them until times improve. The danger is that certain parties with long purses and long heads will mag-nify the unfavorable side of the situa. number of years. tion for the purpose of frightening their Western lands at merely hominal

prices. A word of caution to holders of Western farm lands is timely for a number of reasons. In the first place, there is every reason to believe that the worst that can be apprehended in connection with the Western situation has been fully discounted in the drop in real estate prices which has already taken place. Owners of land should be on their guard against any and all attempts to convince them that prices will go lower. The chances are that values will enhance rather than depreciate. In some localities there is already reported to be a better demand for farm properties. Prices are bound to be low for several years, but, there is good reason to believe, with an upward tendency.

The financial depression in the United States will undoubtedly keep immigration down to a low point for a considerable period. The fact, however, must ever be kept in mind that this country is the center toward which the population of the whole world is tending. Coming years, therefore, must inevitably witness a strong demand for farm lands in the United States. In this connection it is well to bear in mind that about all the good government land has been disposed of, and that farms are not going to be obtained as cheap in the future as in the past, other things being equal.

A great deal is being said at this time regarding the sharp compe-tition which the American farmer is going to encounter in the future as the result of the opening up of new agricultural regions in various parts of the world. It can be safely said, however, that in the long run this sut merely pebbles. country will be able to hold its own. Temporarily, the American agriculturist may experience hardship. It may even be admitted that prices of cereals will permanently remain on a low level. The situation will adjust itself in time, and if the farmer is obliged to take lower prices for hic obliged to take lower prices for his wheat and corn he will obtain whatever commodities and services he may require at correspondingly reduced rates. It is idle to attempt to demonstrate that America is about to take a second place as the great food pro-ducing country of the world. This fact should be kept in mind by holders of western farm lands. Whatever may be the status of their investments tobe the status of their investments to-day, it can safely be asserted that five

Mines of Soar people know that soap is found

natural mines in California. These natural mines in California. These now straining every nerve to get at nines are on the shores of Owens' the city of Moukden, China, before naity lake, and are accounted for by a scientist, who has recently investi-fore-gated them, as fellows: "The water place. Moukden is the ancient capiof the lake is strongly impregnated with borax and soda. In the water a peculiar species of grub breed by the These grubs go through millions. their various transformations and finally emerge as short-winged, heavybodied flies, very fat and oily. They live but a few days, dying and falling into the lake in such numbers as to be frequently washed ashore in layers more than a foot thick. The oily substance of the dead flies blend with the alkali of the borax and soda, and the result is a layer of pure soap, corresponding in thickness to the drift strata of dead flies, a foot deep and later on they will be worth a of the flies making a layer of soap great deal more. It all depends nearly an inch thick. These strata, repeated year after year, have formed the celebrated "soap banks of Owens' lake." where a large force of men have been constantly employed for a

> at Church Property Taxed. The United Presbyterian Ministers' Association of Pittsburg, Pa., at a recent meeting, discussed the matter of taxing church property, and declared themselves unanimously in

lavor of it. They agreed that it would discourage extravagance in church building and furnishing, and also remove the charge of pauperism against the church. One prominent preacher declared that it was a divine command that the church should pay taxes. There are two or three little things that these ministers seem to nave over looked. One is that shurches are wholly unproductive property; another is that the average congregation is compelled to raise all the money it can for the support of the services, and that if it had to pay taxes the money for the purpose would have to come out of the already too ueager salary of the minister himself.

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he Treasure City. After

It is said that the Japanese army is tol of the Manchurian dynasty, and is located in the northern part of the Shing King province on the Lio-Tang It is a place of some 300,000 river. inhabitants, and is strongly fortified and well garrisoned. The tombs of the forefathers of the reigning Chinese dynasty are located there. Although this dynasty some 200 years ago transferred the seat of governmunt to Pekin, it has always looked upon Moukden as a sort of city of refuge, in case disaster should overtake it, and it has given constant attention to making it as strong and as safe as possible. It has also used the safe as possible. city as a sort of treasure house for its reserve funds, and it is said that the present government adds to the cash laid up there at the rate of 6,000,000 taels a year. It is estimated that Moukden must contain no less than 1,200,000,000 taels of hard money. if not a much larger sum. Japan has her eye on the money, and means to get it if possible to pay her war ex-

A bust of Herod the Great, believed to be authentic, was recently discovered at Jerusalem. It was bought by the Russian government for the Hermitage museum at St. Petersburg.

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"What the dickens has that got to do with it?"

general resemblance of an immense star fish. Each ray or arm of this vegetable curiosity is provided with natural "grab-hooks," and if a shaep get too near it is likely to be caught by the wool and held till it dies.

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A Single-Tax Colony.

Disciples of Henry George have well under way a plan to establish a single-tax colony in Alabama. For "You bet they did," replied Tommy. single-tax colony in Alabama. For "Which sinned first, Adam or Eve?" the present the occupations of the colonists will include truck farming. fruit growing, canning and pail and tub manufacture. In order that these things may be done in an intellectual manner a high-grade school will be built at once.

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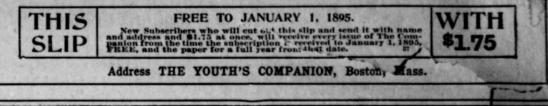
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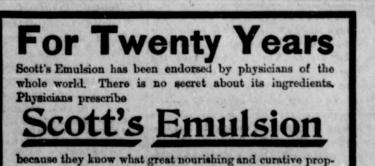
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populist will endorse such tricks, but Why don't you put up that own for Governor Waite of Colorado, Lewell-somebody has endeavored to sell out Governor Waite of Colorado, Lewell-ing of Kansas, Lafe Pence, Jerry Simpson and all the balance of the summary Who it is we do not know county candidates. ing of Kansas, Lafe Pence, Jerry Simpson and all the balance of the Simpson state officers and congressmen nor do we care, but the public would Simpson and all the balance of the purpose. Who it is we do not know nor do we care, but the public would nor do we care, but the public would use to know

who failed of re-election? While you like to know. . E. GILLILAND, Editor and Proprietor are rejoicing because the pops got the best of Solomon, Jones and Gilli'and, in Callahan county, the returns from BAIRD, FRIDAY, NOV. 16, 1894. Of course all the disaster is laid on the north tell of woeful disaster to the north tell of woeful disaster of the north tell of woeful disaster to the north tell of woernit disants, your beloved party. Not a single For Governor, The war is over-iet us have peace. state or congressman have you saved out of the awful avalanche that swept

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The populist organs all say the

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nd the Chief. Here's to you, Sam.

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horse, foot and artillery in old Co-

We heard a geatleman remark the

other day that the republicans had

"the republicans held an election and

hem left except in Texas.

few years for the last thirty years.

least a year.

nanche.

stered at the posto

Brown county is still democratic. The democrats of that county are fighters; we know them of old.

The Prodigal is hilarious because those 1000 democrat votes did not materialize. Blow away, THE STAR has no desire to cork up any of your democratic party is dead. We have enthusiasm or detract from you the beard the same statement made every credit due for the partial success of the pops in this county, but it looks as though you have won an empty As soon as the democrats get victory so far as district and state offithrough explaining how it happened, cers are concerned. If the democrathe country will settle down to bus- cy of old Callahan county was asleep iness; and it is hoped that the country they were awake in other counties in will get a rest from politics for at the congressional senatorial and legislative districts and saved the day for the Democratic party. All the pops For County Judge have to crow over in Callahan county in defeating John Jones for sheriff, in addition to making and efficient offi-

For District and County Clerk done more for the poor people of Callaban county than any fifteen men For County Treasurer The Dallas Mercury says the demo- combined, and Judge Solomon for cratic party will be buried as soon as county Judge whose integrity, hones. For Tax Assessor the fragments can be gathered up. ty and ability as an officer is not ques-What will you do with the pops? tioned by any unprejudiced man in the here does not seem to be any of county. For County Surveyor

Long terms in office had more to do with defeating these two officers than any other cause. The populist claim done one of the dirtiest tricks he ever the past they failed utterly to dislodge heard of, "What was it ?" says a bystander. "Why," says the geutleman, popular as their successful competitors. THE STAR hopes the people of ever let the democrats know any- Callaban county will have no cause

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For Lieut. Governor, GEORGE TESTER over the country last week. Here and there the democrate have seved, a J. M. CARLISLE. For Chief Justice Supreme Court, RUBEN R. GAINS.

For Congress, 13th District, For State Senator, 28th District, For Sheriff cer for fourteen years, a man who has

For Commisssoner, Pre. No thing about it. Ain't it an infernal to regret the defeat of the Judge and For Justice of the Peace, Pre. Mon

TICKET. C. A. CULBERSON.

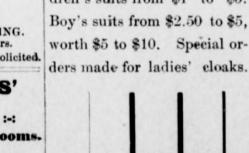
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se into an open grave. defeat of any individual. was elected and as rees with him on the

The gentleman is right.

n we do not see the ap-of the above prophecy in the ient of the party.

Why should the President be in such a hurry to have bonds before another erhaps the democrats would temper to sanction such a , hence the haste. The Presney be right in his financial does not agree with him, still the whether the party is ruined or not.

The credit of Callahan county is as axes are low, we have no bonded in the state is in any better condition financially than old Callahan. This speaks louder than all the vain boasting of the reformers who have made

be the case two years hence. We can right belongs, but we must organize a ticket would be printed. Cockrell, Gage, W. E. Gilliland and F. S. Bell do it

Sheriff, because whatever interest we Two yars ago Henry Watterson may have had in their success as in- For Constable, Pre. No. mocrats nominated Cle- dividuals we think more of the welwild march through a fare of the county than the success or

THAT BOGUS TICKET.

The following is an exact reprint of

that bogus Democratic ticket that was printed at the Cottonwood Prodigal agreeable from the South. It seems office (Populist organ in Callahan Co.) to hurt worse than a straight norther. county. We do not know who is re- is running low. Most every one is sponsible for this fraudulent ticket getting tired of picking. Some are up further than that it was printed in and resting a few days. , but a majority of his party the Prodigal office. Charley Willson The Singing Convention at Scranday by the populist?

Gage, W. E. Gilliland' Bell, Solomon, was highly enjoyed by the delegates. cratic nominees were subitituted with Rev. W. L. Harris preached at Cedar debt, and taken altogether no county the names of the regular nominees of Grove to a packed house. His subthe populist party. Cockrell's name ject was the idea of "overcoming" was omitted too, which should have found in Rev. I and II. been on ticket.

Two years ago Callahan county the election that we would do. We In the acquaintance of T. D. this was the banner democratic county of put every condidate on this ticket makes eleven public school teachers year Taylor county wins the banner all others wno paid for it but no one years. What does all this mean? d Callahan goes down 3rd in the else. In addition to the fraudist. Fellow democrats, this must not ulent democratic ticket printed in the to be numbered. Prodigal ' office, an independent redeem old Callahan and again place ticket was also printed. There ar at the head of the list where she no notice was given that such

> names were left off. W. W. Dunson at are making a great and T. J. Norrell were the only counre-dost a single one of printed was this : Every populist had

For the amondment to Section 51, Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas. Against the amendment to Section 54, Articl 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas. For the election of railroad commissioners. Against the election of railroad commissio

Tomato Pickles.

Nov 12 .- The wind is quite discirculated secretly throughout the the leaves fall off the cotton. Picking SO

says he was paid for the work. Did ton was not very largely attended on party is held responsible for his acts, the contract include circulating the Saturday, though on Sunday the house the be seems utterly indifferent lickets at the ballot boxes on election was filled to overflowing. The good people showed their generous hospi-The direct hne-It will be seen that the names of tality in caring for the delegates. It rood as any county in Texas. Our Jones and Hailey, the regular demo- Yesterday evening at 3 o'clock Mexico, New Mexico, Arizo-

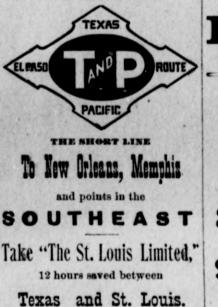
Pullman Tourist Sleepers Prof J. C. Griffin and Miss Gene-

What a howl would have went up vera Martin were married at the resisuch extravagant promises of what from the populist had THE STAR dence of the brides' parents last Thurs-Pullman Palace Sleeping Cars they would do if they got control. printed such a fraudulent ticket. We day night. The good wishes of the Well, you have the court; let us see printed an independent ticket which profession go with Prof. G. and bride ST. LOUIS, LITTLE ROCK, SHREVEPORT, what will be the result in two years. we announced several weeks before to their school work in Jones Co.

the 107th legislative district. This who had announced in THE STAR and who have married during the last two Still among the unfortunates (?) is T. D.

NOTICE.

Account the "Texas Cotton Palace" to be held at Waco, November 8th to December 6th, a reduced rate of one lowest first class limited fare for the round trip is authorized (\$5.45). Tickover mighty small gains at inte election. The pope lost ev-inte in which they held the offices. the ticket and the one we to two days from date of sale. F. S. GAGE, Agt.



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Of the greatest blessings to men is a good dinner. After he has that there is other things to wish for.

Men out of ten will tell you that their home is a happy one if their food is pure and wholesome.

Women out of ten will tell you that they keep their husbands in a good humor by giving them good meals of fresh, wholesome food

Things you should remember are, that I cary only the purest and freshest Groceries, that my prices are very low, that my stock is always replete and that my clerks are always polite and attentive.

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Do You Carry Insurance? Lowest ticket rates, time tables and all de-sired information will be furnished by any of the ticket agents of the Texas & Pacific By. or W. A. DASHIELL, GASTON MESLIER, J. H. PETERS. **General Insurance Agent** Trav. Pass. Agt. Gen. Pass. & Ticket Ast. L. S. THORNE, 5d Vice President and General Manager. DALLAS, TEXAS. F. S. GAGE, Agent, Baird, Texas. and Notary Public. Over \$125,000.000 Capital Represented.

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NOTICE .- Local reading matter 100 a line first insertion, 5c thereafter. Locals run until ordered out. Tran-

sient advertising must be paid for in advance.

All job work spot cash on delivery of goods. No advertiser is entitled to, nor

will the receive THE STAR, unless paid for a regular rate.

All contracts for advertising and jcb work are made on a strictly cash Dasis, and settlement must be made accordingly.

I do not promise or agree to take goods or anything but money for advertising and job work.

I will not be responsible for any depts contracted by any employe of of this office, or anyone else except members of my own family, and all parties are hereby notified not to charge anything to my account except on written orders, otherwise than above mentioned.

W. E. GILLILAND, ED. STAR.

LOCAL NEWS.

BAIRD, FRIDAY, NOV. 16, 1894.

Louis Stellmanu visited Abilene Wednesday.

Cliff McManis spent a day or two at home this week.

Try A. Cooke when you need anything in the dry goods line. 46tf Ted Archer, from Cottonwood, was

was in our city Wednesday. Oscar Gray, of Burket, was in town

Wednesday. Bert Clemmer, of Putnam, was in

town a day or two this week.

Uncle Dan Ford, of Cross Plains, was in town with cotton Tuesday.

Allen Hudson, of the Peak came, in with five bales of Cotton Tuesday.

week at Cross Plains with relatives. Will Beaty, of Cottonwood, made

THE STAR a pleasant call Thursday.

Mrs. E. E. Solomon and children are visiting at Cross Plains this week-If you want good pork sausage call

on Julius. It takes a Dutchman to 50 tf make good sansage. Carl Buerbaum, with F. P. Collier

& Co., was in our city Saturday and Recitation Sunday. Louis Stellman has just received

Baird is to have another newspape S. F. Neely, of Abilene, will issue tits ALL OVER THE first number of the Callaban County Regulator next Saturday week. J. T. McDonald, National bank inspector, was in the city Tuesday and found our bank all right in every particular.

Mr. R. C. Dudley left last Saturday for Pine Bluff, Ark. with a banch of good horses and will be absent unil he disposes of them.

City, representing the Fort Worth Shelton and Charley Edwards. Livestock Journal, was in town a day or two this week.

Rev. W. L. Harris left last Tuesday for southern Texas where he will to Dr. D. J. Wilson are requested to visit relatives until Conference, which call and settle before the first of Janconvenes in Hillsboro the 22nd inst. uary, next. Coon Dunman and Bill Hughes, two

well knowu cattle men of Coleman county, were in town this week shipping cattle.

Charley Willson, of the Prod, stayed in town this week until the new court started to grind, and left for home happy in the consciousness of the the hands of the wicked democrats.

DR. RETTIG DEAD.

Dr. C. Rettig an old and respected last Saturday. The remains arrived help us out of a hole. on the train Sunday and were interred in the city cemetry. THE STAR extends sympathy to the relatives of the deceased, in their sorrow.

COMMISSIONERS COURT NOTES.

J. E. Thomas, the new county judge, qualified Tuesday and assumed the duties of the office. J. A. Jackson, the new commissioner from Putnam, was also sworn in. All the old commissioners, Hinds, Yost and Cummings, were re-elected. The court now stands Hinds and Yost democrats; Cummings and Jackson populist. . Thomas was elected as an independent, but will vote with the populist an measures political, thus giving the populist control of the commissioners court,

There is talk of cutting ex-officio solaries all around, but up to this writing nothing has been done in that Mrs. Jack Jones is spending the direction.

> THE L. S. L. SOCIETY. The L. S. L. Society met at the residence of Miss Anuie Maxwell's last Saturday night. The following was the program: Imaginary Letter

Miss Delia Cutbirth. Music. Miss Annie Maxwell.

Miss Amy Gilliland.

stood groening under a heavy load of willing hands were rout and where ay to serve ex.

bg that it t evenings they had ever spent. The e present were: Misses Etta Blakely, Ola Blakeley, Emma Austin, Maud Buckels, Mary Mayes, Mamie Estes, Laura Thompson, Elsie Rand, Hattie Black, Kattie Flores, and Mesdames Shelton, Barnhill and Edwards, besides Messrs B. N. Leonard, Louis Soldon. Jim Gray, Will Boydstun, Louis Stellman, Jim Walker, Frank Jones, Clarence Capt. C. C. Poole, of Colorado Boyles, Will Estes, Elmer Pool, C. A.

NOTICE.

Those knowing themselves indebted 47 tf

FOR SALE. One good muld 6 years old guaranteed gentle. Cheap: Cash or cattle. Apply to H. L. Buchen's Store.

TO SUBSCRIBERS.

During the panicky times for the past year we have bothered you but county being partially redeemed from little if any about subscriptions, but days by Vaughn & Co. now times are improving and by reason of carrying so many accounts we Powell's, worth \$2.00 are "hard up" for money. Therefore weask it as a favor that every one will try and settle up during the next citizen of Baird, died at Weatherford month and pay a year in advance and

REMEMEMBER.

Holiday Excursion Tickets to all points in the Southeast will be sold Heating stoves. over the Texas & Pacific Railway, at one fare for the round trip, December 20th, 21st and 22nd, 1894; limited for return passage to 30 days from date Gaston Meslier of sale. G. P. & T. A.

FOR CATTLE FEEDERS.

One thousand acre pasture near Baird. Vigo railroad switch in pasture. Big supply of water; four separate pastures. Over 100 tons of sorghum in bundles. Will rent un 1 April next. WEBB & WEBB, Baird, Texas. 46 tf

SETTLE UP.

All persons indebted to me on notes are requested to settle same promptly when due. Those owing on notes past due will please call and settle at once. I need the money. S. L. OGLE. 43 4t

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THE REPUBLIC,

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An active agent in each county in by Vaughn & Co. United States, to solicit subscriptions for the Twice-a-week Republic. A liberal commission will be paid to hustlers. Address,

We Discount DallaS and Fort Wo Prices when you include freight. Come and see us before making your order. Will give good prices to Merchants who desire to uy small stocks. Come early before the stock is

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Albums, Vases. Work Boxes, Dolls, Tea Sets, rancy

PINE STREET.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Go to Foy's for dry goods. 14tf Go to Foy's for shoes. 14tf School books SPOT CASH at Pt Hips drug store. 39 lf Boys school suit for half price at 41tf Call at the City Meat Market and 41tt

Car of furniture expected in a few 39 Ladies fine dress shoe for \$1.00 at 4111 Fresh Pork and Sausage at City 45tf Pocket cutlery, very cheap at Harry Meyer's. 43 Nothing but young fat cattle killed at City Meat Market 45tf To arrive, car load of Cooking and H. Meyer 43 Nice line Crockery ware, dinner H. Meyer. 43 sets etc. Call at the City Meat Market for nice pork sausage. New styles in all dress goods at Lalf price at Powells. 411f. For 60 days goods will be sold at

reduced prices at H. F. Foy's. 45 tf All wool Tricot for 25 cents a yard worth 50 cents at Powell's. 411f. T. E. Powell's own make shoes is always the best and you know it. 26tf

You get just what you order when you go to Frank's Chop House. 41tf Prices "not in it" in wall paper at

Phillips drug store. 42 tf Best balognia sausage at Julius' 42tf Market. Try 'em.

For a fine dinner for 25 cents be sure and go to Frank s Chop House. The finest line of queensware ever seen in this city has just been received 41tf

The City Meat Market will pay you the nighest market price for fat pigs and cattle. Don't forget it. 45tf FOR SALE-Blank chattle mort-

gages, crop mortgages, blank notes etc., at STAR office.



GOODS

C. S. BOYLES,

Chinaware,

Books, Iron

ABILENE, TEXAS.

Wagons.

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BROTHERS

We have the Largest Stock of Christmas Goods in West Texas.

-LEADER IN-Fine millinery, notions and fancy goods. Just received, a full line of and Winter goods, complete in every department. The very best good the least money ever sold in town Call and see before going elsewh Nice untrimmed hats, 20 cents up. Trimmed hats, 50 cents up. First door South of Court House. BAIRD, TEXAS -:-

Annie

BOARD OF PHARMACY

Powells.

get your nice juicy steaks. Meat Market.

car load of th	e celebrated Peter Sch	ut-	
tler wagons.	Call and get prices.	47	l

W. C. Asbury returned Tuesday from a visit to the Cotton Palace, at Music. Waco.

If you want good, corn-fed fresh country pork at 10 cents a pound call on Julius. 50tf

Jim Walker and Boy McGowan paid Cottonwood a flying visit Sunday, recurning Monday.

F. Dudley's. 50 2t

Capt. J. W. Jones.

No slaughter house pork, but only corn-fed county pork fresh and fine kept at Julius' market. 50tf

Frank Pinkard, a very popular knight of the grip, from Dallas, was in our city Monday.

a day or two in town.

Mrs. R. J. Roland has taken assisted by Mr. A. Story and lady.

Dr. and Mrs. D. J. Wilson visited their ranch in Shackleford county Monday, returning Tuesday.

Our Band is progressing nicely and have employed Mr. Cyrus Bowman to teach them, so we understand.

Prof. J. C. Griffin and lady passed through town Tuesday for Longario, Jones county, where the Professor will teach school this winter.

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Miss Frankie Rettig has gone to Weatherford to visit relatives and attend school, and will not be home before the holidays.

of Putnam, were p.easant callers Tues- the proper honr all were invited into MARKET STREET, : BAIRD, TEXAS day last.

Miss Dora Warren. Recitation..... Miss Fannie Gilliland.

Mrs. L. M. Wyatt. The Society will met at the residence of Mrs. Hayden Williams Saturday night week.

COLE-BLAIR.

Last Wednesday night at the Meth-One square piano for sale. For odist church, Rev. Will H. Harris further information apply at Mrs. P. joined Mr. C. C. Cole and Mrs .-Blair in holy wedlock. The church Oscar Jones and wife arrived Sun- was beautifully decorated with flowday from Greer county on a visit to ers and was filled to its full seating capacity by friends of the contracting parties. At exactly 8 o'clock Mrs. F. W. Chatfield began playing a beautiful wedding march and the bridal party filed into the church and and Rev. Will H. Harris recited the

beautiful marriage ceremony of the Methodist discipline. The bride is Dr B. F. Brittain, of Arlington, one of our most popular ladies and

came in Monday on business and spent dearly beloved by all who know her while the groom is an energetic young

man of good moral habits and well charge of the City Hotel and will be liked by all. Both parties have a host of friends who join THE STAR in wishing them a pleasant and profitable voyage down the stream of life with just clouds enough in their way

to make a beautiful sunset.

MERRY MAKERS.

Last Friday night the elegant residence of Mr. W. Daniels was brilliantly illuminated and as jolly a crowd of merry makers as ever assembled were there complimentary to Miss Elsie Rand, of Fort Worth, who is the guest of Mrs. Daniels. The hours eemed as moments while the partici-Dr. W. A. Haley, of Cottonwood, pants indulged in pleasing parlor and A. L. Jobe, the merchant prince games and merry conversation. At

the dining hall where a lengthy table

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> The Harpoon Publishing Co., Tyler, Texas.

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The "Great Rock Island Route" runs a Solid Vestibule train to Kansas City and Chicago, leaving Fort Worth at 8:15 p. m.

This train lands you in Denver or Colorado Springs for breakfast second morning, only one business day out. For Lincoln, Omaha, and other Give him a chance to bid on them, 41tf Eastern Nebreska Cities, it saves a whole nights ride as via any other line. The equipment, road bed and motive power are strictly first-class and "up to Date."

Our rates are as cheap as consistent with first-class service and the requirements of safety.

If you are going East, Nort, Northeast, West or Northwest, call on the nearest ticket agent for maps, information, and etc. or address the undersigned.

J. C. MCCABE, G. T. & P. A. Fort Worth, Texas. Cisco Texas.

90 cents will get a good pair of shoes for your boys. Worth \$1.75. T. E. Powell's 41tf

\$1.60 will get a Handow Silk Dress at Powell's, where you get the newest cheapest and best goods. 41tf.

Farmers, you can get a first-class meal at Frank's Chop House, for 25 41tf cents.

Don't forget that the City Meat Market still keeps a first-class stock of meat on hand all the times. 41tf Yard wide bleached and brown

T.F domestic at four cents a yard. 27 8

Powell. Julius Krogull will pay the highest market price for good dry hides. Ladies go and buy a walking hat

from H. F. Foy. Nothing on hand 42 St but the latest styles. Purchase a thousand mile ticket

good on all lines of the Texas and Pacific Railway, and save five dollars. F. S. GAGE, Agent. The latest novelties in Millinery,

all new goods and prices lower than ever, come and see them. H. F. Foy. 423t.

If you want any repairs or needles for your Sewing Machine no matter how old it is write C. H. fee & Co.,

It is said that Ed Harris' gin, at Baird, is making the finest kind of a sample. Bring in your cotton and you will get a first-class sample as well as a good turnout at the Baird gin. 45

Strayed or stolen from my pasture one half mile west of Baird one bay s year old horse unbranded 15 hands high. Has a large head and is rather leggy. A liberal reward will be paid for any information leading to his recovery.

Baird Texas. 45tf

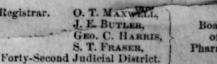
CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION.

NO. 37.

This is to Certify that R A. St. JOHN has applied to this Board and given satisfactory evidence that he is a Qualified Pharmaceutist as provided for in Section Eight (Examination) of an Act of the Legislature, entitled "An Act to regulate the practice of Pharmacy in the State of Texas." . pproved the 6th day of April. A. D. 1889.

Issued by GEO. C. HARRIS, Registrar. At Cisco, Texas, Date July 10, 1894.

Groceries



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Board of Pharma 63

DID YOU SAY

WELL, we have them. Any and everythin want in that line, and as cheap as can be t for cash anywhere in West Texas.

FURNITURE Yes, we have a line of that too, and furthermore,

is for sale. If you don't think so get our b figures before you buy.

Wagons and Farming Implements. We carry everything in that line. When you we anything in our line give us a call.

FIRST-CLASS WAGON YARD.

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ELLIS RICHARDSON,

FREE DELIVERY

The Baird Star. A. Robinson, was bitten by a spider W. E. GILLILAND, Ed. & Prop. 1 1 7 1 1 AIRD. TEXAS.

ALL OVER THE STATE. in his pocket and it went off. Interesting Cullings on Various Subjects Taken from the Daily Press.

While Gen. Felix H. Robertson was participating in the cotton palace opening at Waco the other day a tramp called at his residence. Mrs. Texas conference, which conven-Robertson was engaged on the portico November 22, are about comp making a flower box, and did not hear the footsteps of the fellow until she the Methodist church are exce felt his grasp on her shoulder. Turning quickly she demanded his busiing quickly she transpane to the population was only a few thou-ness, whereupon he asked food and used insulting language, again mov-ing up as if to lay his hands on the lady. Mrs. Robertson seized a hatch-et and as the tramp turned to run she threw it, striking him on the head threw it, striking him on the head cutting a gash in his scalp. The offi-a great crowd it does not seem prob-able the tramp will be caught. able the tramp will be caught.

An unknown man was run over at Devers, Liberty county, recently and was instantly killed. From papers was instantly killed. found on his body his name was E. D. Dupree. In one of the letters he had written and placed in a stamped envelope addressed to his sister at Selma. Ala., stating that he had been accused of a foul crime, and that he had suffered and had tried to bear up, but he hoped that he would never but he hoped that he night as thoche life saving force. Just before the train arriv he walked down the track about

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yards from the depot, and whe train was about 100 feet of h deliberately laid his head on in front of the train. His one arm were cut off.

Recently a regr-lockup at the city hall bitting ated a panic among t ers by gnashing his to e door finished splinters from the gan his The and windows. wded up dinner when the and called strange actions. in the end of the to come Somebody vociferously fo med negro, and lock ior. Officers said he was ter he quieted job. which adde ss, dat ain't took charge down, he nothin'. 1

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priate y the lighthouse jetties, containing islar was condemned by for that purpose, apboa 0 and the money or-30 the different owners, Work on the lightnal and range lights will

cicans were jailed at San ently, on a charge of cotton All waived bond and gery. t set one at \$500, one at \$600 800 and one at \$100. Failing the same they were commit-Over 12,000 pounds were stolen sing checks. A check would be for 25 pounds, which they raise to 1725 by putting 17 be-

t Georgetown the other morning the oil mill Roland Peaslee, night

and she was reported at one time dy-ing from the effects. She rallied and hopes are now entertained of ner rerton Snows Hill Cuder-The Senat Mike Glenn, a saloon keeper at the Will Stand 40 Democrats, 41 Republi-Missouri, Kansas and Texas junction, at Temple, accidentally shot himself recently. He had a 44-caliber pistol cans and 6 Populists-The House, 230 Republicans out of 356 Members.

wound is very serious and may prove fatal. At Hillsboro the arrangements the entertainment of the north est ted. vote of this city and Brooklyn on s of greater New York indicate a majority

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claimooner Star, Charley New-Pass, Jefferson county, a short Tince, struck the end of a jetty was sunk. The crew were saved

Recently at Faught's store, on Red hands of the Populists. iver in Lamar county, Jack Rucker shot and killed Dr. Perry, a colored lican national committee gives doctor. The circumstances relating the Republicans 230 of the 356 memto the killing date back several weeks. bers of the house beyond peradven-Four shots took effect.

A recent cyclone tollowed by rain and hail passed over portions of Cass, Houston, Montgomery, Bell, Walker, Colorado and Cherokee counties, doing considerable damage to property and crops.

John Butts, a farmer, was held up the other night twelve miles east of Denison and robbed of \$2.50 in money, a pair of blankets and a slicker. He says two men were engaged in the

At Corsicana recently Charlie Cal, 'em all my a negro, who works in the lint department of the new oil mill, had his arm caught in the machinery and Johnson, the free trade single taxer, torn from his body.

The assessor's report of Loving county has been received by the comptroller. It shows total values of \$325,572 for 1894, an increase of \$4580 over last pear.

The Texas and New Orleans Railroad company has paid into the comp- and the Republicans 3 congressmen in troller in school fund loans, interest Missouri. The legislature of Illinois \$12,088, sinking fund \$4019, due No- is Republican, and the Republicans vember 1.

Elder Joseph Addison Clark of Colorado is claimed by the Repub-Granbury, Hood county, is probably licans by 15,000. The Democrats are the oldest printer in Texas. He was said to have voted the Republican born November 6, 1815, at Shawnee- ticket. Wisconsin is Republican by town, Ill.

A negro named Matt Bell was stabbed twice and killed at Perry's Landing. Brazoria county, on the day of the election, by another negro.

Recently Ben Porter, a Houston and Texas Central brakeman, had his hand L. badly mashed while making a coupling the ways and means committee. in the vards at Fort Worth. the machinery. The body was thrown angel and Rogers is in jail. to the ceiling, crushing the skull in a |. James S. Harrison, a prominent building the other day and broke his right thigh bone.

At Denton the other evening Mrs. REPUBLICANS CN TOP. gressionanusuald isour autor F. A. Robinson, wife of Alderman T. REPUBLICANS CN TOP. gressionanusuald isour autor in another and an autor aut Tarsney of wow ut utof IIV sisons Twelfth, a 10000 pus oyso maileo returns.

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by the Republicans, but have an-

doubtless be elected by the so-called

independent Democrats of the South

Carolina legislature, are placed in the

doubtful. Tillman will probably

vote with the Democrats on organiza-

tion and Stewart, Jones and Peffer

with the Republicans. This would

throw the balance of power into the

ture, while there is a possibility of

of securing 27 additional members.

Mr. Babcock also states that his in-

formation leads him to believe that

there is a possibility of securing three

more members from Alabama, two

from Illinois, one from Iowa and one

from Kansas, Kentucky and South

Carolina, three more from Pennsylva-

nia, three from Missouri, one from

Arkansas, three from Louisians and

possibly three from 'Texas. If these

laims are realized it will give the

Republicans 257 members. The Republicans elect all the con-

gressmen in Ohio but one, Sorg

was defeated. Enloe of Tennessee is

succeeded by McCall, Republican. Owens (Dem.) is elected in the Ash-

land, Kentucky, district by 117 votes.

The Republicans claim Kansas by 30,000. The Republicans claim 3

congressmen and the Populists 1 in

Alabama. The Democrats elect 10

elect 20 congressmen, the Democrats 2.

50,000. The Republicans elect 5 of

the 6 congressmen in Nebraska, but

the Populist-Democrat is elected gov-

ernor. Mississippi is solid Demo-cratic. West Virginia elects a Re-

publican legislature and a Republican

was elected to succeed William L. Wilson, present chairman of

Tom L.

(Dem.), in the Seventh.

Chairman Babcock of the Repub-

NEW YORK, NOV. 8.-Levi P. Morton is elected governor over David B. Hill by a plurality of 134,434, and the Republicans elect 31 congressmen and the Democrats 3. Returns of the of the votes cast in favor consolida tion. The area covered by greater miles. According to the last census the population was only a few thou-DAVID B. HILL.

Second, for whom there were strong

hopes till now, has surely gone Ellison in the fourth and down. Heard in the seventh are buried. In Bland's the eighth "Silver Dick" rural constituency has given him the go-by in favor of Joel Hubbard. In the ninth Champ Clark has be endefeated by Trelor of Audrian, a school teacher with protective tendencies. Bartholdt in the tenth, Joy in the eleventh and Ranney in the thirteenth swell the Republican column. The "Swamp Angel" district of the southeast, the fourteenth, where only Democrats are supposed to live, retired Marshall Arnold in favor of Mosely, the Republican candidate. For the

first time in twenty-five years the southeast has failed to come up rockribbed for the Democratic ticket. Gov. Waite of Colorado has written the following letter to H. G. Clark, chairman Populist state committee: "I am informed that you feel badly over the result. Of course a great deal of fault is found where now everybody knew that the old cow would eat up the grind stone.' It would be singular, indeed, if there had been no fault found in the management, but I am persuaded that nothing could have changed the re-We may as well accept our desult. feat philosophically. We have lost this fight, but our case is just and therefore immortal. In an especial manner I wish to impress upon you my entire confidence in your integrity. The stars and their courses have gone against us, but freedom's battle. bequathed from sire to son, often lost,

ever won. Kansas elected 7 Republican and 1 Populist to congress. J. H. Hoge, Rpublican candidate in the sixth congressional district of Virginia, will contest. Alabama sends two Populists to congress. Democratic candidate for governor carries California by 2000 plurality. Denny will contest Owen's seat if Owen is given the certificate in Breckinridge's old district. Populists probably elect their candidate for congress in Oklahoma and will hold the balance

of power in the legislature.

A Bold Train Robbery.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 13 .- A special from Monette, Mo., says: Frisco passenger train No. 1, due here at 8 o'clock Sunday night, was held up four miles east of Monette by two masked men and the express car was robbed. The amount secured is not known, but it is several hundred

THE HATED MONGOOSE.

States Consul Ford at King ston Warns the People Against the Animal-A Decision Affirmed Concerning an Arkansas Banker.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13. -- United States Consul Ford at Kingston, hearing from American newspapers that Mr. Vanderbilt has imported the mongoose for his estate near Asheville, N. C., has sent out a note of warning through the state department and says it will be well for our government to profit by Jamaica's experience and prohibit the importation of the mongoose into the United States. He recounts the evil effects following the introduction of the animal from India into Jamaica to destroy rats which infested plantations. They did their work so well and increased so rapidly that their natural food supply was exhausted and they began to prey on all small living creatures. All ground birds were wiped out, all snakes and toads and land crabs, newly dropped calves, young pigs, puppies, game, turtles, all fell victims to the mongoose, which became a much worse pest than sparrows in America and the rabbit in Australia. As a result of the destruction of these small creatures all insects multiplied amazingly until they have become a pestilence at some seasons and the people of

Claim North Carolina.

mongoose.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 9. - Chairman Babcock of the Republican congressional committee has received a letter from A. E. Holton, chairman of the Republican state committee of North Carolina, claiming the Republicans have carried that state, electing the judicial ticket by 40,000 and both branches of the legislature, with four Republican and three Populist congressmen. Holton says the Democrats say that they have given up the state, but his best information is that they will appear before the canvassing boards "prepared to do all in their power." Chairman Babcock instructed Holton to employ counsel necessary to protect Republican rights in the state.

Bank Note Engraving.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 7 .- Mr. C. M. Johnson, chief of the bureau of printing and engraving, has submitted his annual report to the secretary of the treasury. Discussing the bank note department, he says: "Skill applica-ble to the production of bank notes, bonds, etc., has not advanced with time. 'Bank notes prepared twentyfive years ago are as finely engraved as those of to-day. The bank notes produced by this bureau and the bank note companies of the country appear to have reached the highest standard of engraving and printing, but the designs, as a rule, are weak and meaningless."

A Decision Affirmed.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.-In the United States supreme court yesterday Justice Brewer handed down the decision of the court in the case of Horace G. Allis, affirming the decision of the court below. Allis formerly was president of the First National bank of Little Rock, Ark., and was

tion has been growing upon the ident that another issue of \$50,-000,000 maid soon be made and en his return from Buzzard's Bay he ex-pressed to the baset his belief that the issue could not be long delayed and that the sooner it was made the better. He saw the treasury receipts constantly growing less. No imme-diate prospects of any favorable change was apparent. Already the gold reserve had reached a point of \$4,000,000 below the lowest point touched previous to the last issue with the probabilities strongly in favor of still further and larger withdrawals for export as soon as the spring outflow sets in. For the last several years the spring withdrawals have ranged in value from \$20,000,-000 to \$50,000,000 and more, and it was not good judgment, in the opinion of the president, to wait until the reserve was wiped out before taking steps to replenish it. Secretary Carlisle, it is understood, took a more hopeful view of the situation. He argued that the receipts would show a big increase. The sup-ply of whisky which was withdrawn from bond just prior to the passage of the tariff act, to avoid the payment of the additional 20 cents per gallon, would very soon be ex-hausted, and that the demands o: trade would result in an increase in revenues from this source, and this was equally true of customs receipts. The president, however, thought that, all things considered, he preferred not to wait until congress assembled in December, when measures might Jamaica now want to exterminate the be taken to obstruct the issue. In his opinion the situation demanded the issue and there should be no unnecessary delay.

Germany's Embargo.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 8 .- The Associated Press announcement that the German authorities may conclude to determine all possibilities of the in-troduction of Texas fever into the empire from expert opinions of American veterinarians which are now being translated was received with great interest by Secretary Morton of the department of agriculture, whose advocacy of retaliation by requiring a strict inspection of German wincs and liquors has been told in these dispatches. The secretary has in-vestigated the question, and finds that authority to entirely ex-clude German products in retaliation for discrimination against American goods is vested in the president by the existing law which has been heretofore overlooked in the discussion of the question. Secretary Morton had a conference with the president and laid the law before him. The law is entitled: "An act providing for an inspection of meats for exportation and prohibiting the importation of adulterated articles of food or drink and authorizing the president to make a proclamation in ertain cases and for other purposes." The secretary believes this law is the key to the situation. furnishing this government with full power to retallate upon Germany for the exclusion of our cattle, either by the policy which he first suggested or by re-quiring a strict inspection of the wines or by stronger means.

Will Fuse.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 10,-Should the Populists hold the balance of power in the next senate, as now probable, they will not be permitted to organze that body. Already inindicted on the charge of falsely en. formal conferences have been held between prominent Democratic and Republican senators looking to an amicable arrangement for organization to prevent Populist control. States circuit court for the eastern Both Democrats and Republicans regard the teachings and tendencies of the Populists as dangerous to the peace and prosperity of the country. With control of the senate the Populists could make their wild and reckless financial theories disturbing if not dangerous. The leading senators of both old parties are determined that Messrs. Peffer. Stewart and their associates shall not control the upper branch of congress. In the event o a compromise organization it is said that Gen. Anson G. McCord would be given his former place as secretary. and that Col. Bright would be retained as sergeant-at-arms.

band, was caught in the machinery and dashed to death. One leg was torn entirely off and left dangling in horrible manner. Death was instan-

The safe of Scott Morris at Ben Franklin, Delta county, was blown en one night recently and robbed of \$152 and a number of notes and accounts. The burglars drilled into the safe at the door knob, and then piled sacks of flour around it to muffle the They were tracked some disdunds.

provide the second seco whe Hill, Washington county, was ar-

d and jailed at Brenham upon a The of embezzlement. His books hecked up by Traveling Auditor good ale was found to be short \$72.71. taxes ars been in Brenham for several diays. He denies criminal intent.

G. L. Bogard of Avalon, Ellis county, while at the Dallas fair had his pocket picked, the thief getting \$535. Mr. Bogard and family were on a instreet car en route to the depot to resuturn home, and on reaching the depot thee found his pocket turned wrongside. Went and relieved of its contents.

whe A head end collision of two freight uns occurred recently, two miles Two of Blum, Hill county. Both enwas the ted. No one was hurt. Both the 107() saved themselves by jumping. year Ta, impossible to learn who is re-

nd Cars. Frank Tucker, living near Acker, in the southeastern part of Kaufman county, suicided recently by be cutting her throat with a razor. is of a highly respectable family. Her mind has been deraaged for several weeks past and she had been closely John W. Clark has been arrested ulists. The Democrats, however, are guarded by her parents.

Recently at Rice, Navarro county, ill Jones, colored, while handling a 38-caliber revolver received a wound in the foot by its accidental discharge. The ball was extracted.

and Brown and Tom Jones, both bred, have been sentenced to the mitentiary, respectively, for forty-res and thirty-four years, at Sher-

right thigh bone. districts. The Republicans carry It is asserted by the knowing ones Delaware by a majority of 1000. that Governor-elect Culberson has Rhode Island, South Dakota and Iowa his more important appointments well solid Republican. New Hampshire in mind.

A Santa Fe switch engine was derailed in the yards at Fort Worth the other morning and damaged considerably.

The next state meeting of the Texas official count to decide. Legislature Swine Breeders' association has been is doubtful. Democrats hope for it. called for Fort Worth on February 19, 1895.

The Christian Endeavor convention of north Texas was held recently at Sherman. The attendance was good.

George Lee and Ben Green have been jailed at Sherman on the charge of being horse thieves.

The Republicans of San Antonio celebrated the election of Judge Noonae to congress.

The Daltons have given notice in the press that they will raid another bank in Texas soon

The north Texas Methodist conference, held at Bonham, has just adjourned.

The Houston-Galveston differential is still unsettled by the rallroad com. mission.

The survey of the Trinity river is progressing. The engineers began at

Houston is to have a chrysanthe- ticket has defeated the Democratic mum show, at which prizes will be given.

Canton and Myrtle Springs in Van ninth districts, making the congres-

John W. Clark has been arrested

at Terrell charged with forgery.

Dan Gallagher of Houston, is the 'bantam'' pugilist of Texas.

A contest is on for the county judge of the next congress. ship of Galveston county.

Hoffman & Co., grocers at Yoakum, have failed.

Frost at Corrigan, Polk county. Houston has a Mother's club.

ana went Republican by 40,000. Rogers and Boya, colored farmers In Massachusettes Gov. Greenhalge in Harrison county had a shooting is re-elected by 10,000, and twelve of bee recently and Boyd is now an the thirteen congressmen are Republicans. Minnesota is Republican by 40,000. South Carolina is Democratic. Louisiana still Democratic, but the contractor of Greenville, fell from a Republicans will contest in the first, second and third congressional

and Idaho went Republican. Arkan-

sas sends up six Democrats to congress. Michigan shows up a Republican majority of 80,000. In North Carolina. The state judicial ticket is so close that it will require the



but make no claims. Populist and Republican leaders are very confident. Indications are that the fusion

congressional candidates in the first, fourth, fifth, seventh, eighth and

> The Democrats, however, are still claiming the seventh, eigth and pinth districts. Pennsylvania is Republican by 233,778. As stated above the Republicans will have both houses

NEW YORK, Nov. 9.-Tue latest figures show that consolidation with Brooklyn was lost by 100 votes, Pennsylvania's delegation elected to Pennsylvania's delegation elected to congress stands 28 Republicans and 2 Democrats. In Missonri in the con-

dollars, including all local money between Springfield and this place. The robbers boarded the front end of the mail car next to the tender at Verona and after the train started they crawled to the engine and commanded the engineer to run to a certain spot and stop.

After firing a pistol they got off the engine and compelled the engineer to follow. Mistaking the mail car for express car they demanded admission. but being informed of their error. they proceeded to the express car. By this time Messenger Chapman had his gun in readiness and was about to fire when Engineer Stevenson requested him to desist, as he was in front of the robbers. The robbers then compelled Chapman to give up The local safe was opened the keys. and rifled or its contents. They then demaned Chapman to open the large safe and on being informed that it was impossible for them to do so they brandished a stick of dynamite and threatened to blow up the car. The messenger finally prevailed upon them not to attempt it, convincing them that if they did so it was not probable that the safe could be blown open. After securing their booty the

were seen, though it is quite certain they had animals at a distance. Their only disguise was a white handkerchief over the face with holes cut for the eyes.

Forest Fires.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Nov. 10.-Forest fires are raging in west Tennessee and eastern Arkansas, and a cloud of smoke has settled down over the city and surrounding country like a fog. The passengers on the steamer Lady Lee, which arrived late yesterday afternoon, bring terrible tales of losses and suffering from forest fires on both sides of the river north of Memphis. In Mississippi county, Arkansas, several plantations have been devastated and the people left homeless. The flames were fanned by a stiff wind, and when last heard from were spreading in every direction. The long drouth made the timber and cotton fields as dry as powder, and nothing but heavy rains will check the flames. The roar of the flames can be heard

tering on the books of the bank \$50,-000 to his credit and was found guilty. The case came to the supreme court on a writ of error from the United district of Arkansas.

Will Arbitrate.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 7.-Secretary Gresham and Senor Romero, the latter representing the government of Ecuador, yesterday exchanged ratifications of the Mahoney-Vasquez treaty, submitting to the arbitration of the British minister resident at Quito the claim of Julio R. Santos, an American citizen, for damages sustained by an alleged illegal imprisonment and confiscation of his property by the government of Ecuador fitteen years ago.

Civil Service Extensions

WASHINGTON, Nov. 7.-The intimation that further extensions in the civil service will be made is being discussed in the departments, and emong the officials who know it is said the next extension will include chiefs of divisions in the various departments, which will be a very important move. The salaries paid these robbers started westward. No horses o ticers is \$2000. They have always been political plums for smaller politicians.

McCook the Man.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 10.-Brig. Gen Alexander McDowell McCook has has been appointed major general of the United States army, vice Gen. How-ard, retired, and Col. James W. For-

Definitely Decided.

ceed McCook.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 10 .- In several

sythe of the Seventh cavalry has been

promoted to brigadier general to suc-

of the departments a question has arisen as to when the recent order of the president extending the civil service rules went into effect, and it has been definitely decided that the day it was signed it operated as a law.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.-The cash

The Programme.

WASHINGTON, NOA. 12 .- The approaching session of congress, to conene December 5, is not expected to be one of activity or productive of much legislation. It will continue only three months, will be the last session of the Fifty-third congress, and closely follows a general election, is considered as indictive that little work will be attempted and still less accomplished. It is probable that next to nothing will be done.

Committee on Appropriations

WASHINGTON, Nov. 10.-Chairman Sayers of the house committee on appropriations has issued a call for the nembers to be in Washington the third week in November. It is customary for the committee to begin the preparation of bills for the short session in advance of the meeting of congress.

Not Credited.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 10.-The dispatches from Central America stating that the United States had given assurance to Gnatemaia to assist in withstanding the encroachments of Mexico are not credited in official circles.

Still More Pensions.

balance in the treasury yesterday was \$104,183,150, cold reserve \$62,001,344. More Gold Bonds. WASHINGTON, Nov. 13, —Texas— Widows Indian wars: Mary Ann Hood, Arlington, Tarrant county; Frances E. Bridges, Jefferson, Marion county; Louisa J. Bishop, Glddings, Lee county.

Cash Balance.

CULBERSON ELECTED.

INCOMPLETE RETURNS GIVE HIM 38,875 PLURALITY.

Returns from 149 Counties Increase Culberson's Plurality a Little-Counties of Dallas, McLennan, Grayson and Lamar Falling Of.

DALLAS, Tex., Nov. 13 .- The following table shows complete returns from 149 counties, which in 1892 cast three-fourths of the vote of the state. Culberson's plurality in these coun-ties is 38,875. If the counties to be heard from maintain the same ratio of losses and gains, Culberson's plurality in the state will be 52,000. returns from rural counties come in it is apparent that a large vote was



CHARLES A. CULBERSON. olled, indications now pointing to 130,000. If the large counties like Dallas, McLennan, Grayson, Hunt, Collin and Lamar had polled a full vote the total vote of the state would have approximated 450,000. In the following table will be found the vote for Culberson and Nugent

to date with pluralities:

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The following is the vote so far as ALL OVER THE WORLD ascertained to date on congressmen. Noonan, Republican, in the Twelfth district, being elected:

First district-Hutcheson (Dem.) 13,076, Burroughs (Pop.) 6285, Dunn (Rep.) 201. Hutchins' plurality, 6791. Second district—Cooper(Dem)18,936 Calhoun (Pop.) 13,929. Cooper's ma-

jority 507. Third district-Yoakum (Dem.) 15,-506, Perdue (Pop.) 13,134. Yoakum's majority 2372.

Fourth district-Culberson (Dem.) 15,040, Davis (Pop.) 11,632, Sanderson (Rep.) 666. Culberson's plurality 3480. Fifth district—Bailey (Dem.) 22, 464; Farmer (Rep.) 1161. Browder (Pop.)

4,462. Bailey's plurality 8002. Sixth District-The latest informa-14,462. tion received as to the congressional race in this district is that Major Kearby has a certified copy of the returns from Kaufman county, giving Abbott a majority of 1135. Majori-ties are: Abbott, Kaufman 1135, Johnson 125, Hill 139, Ellis 397; total 1796. Kearby, Dallas 857, Navarro 707, Bosque 89; total 1653. Abbott's

majority 143, Seventh district-Pendleton (Dem.) 19,694, Barber (Pop.) 17,751. Pendle-

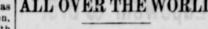
ton's majority 2123. Eighth district-Bell (Dem.) 18,425, Jenkins (Pop.) 14,088. Bell's ma-

jority 4337. Ninth district-Sayers(Dem)17,241; Hutchinson (Pop.) 15,188. Sayers' majority 2053.

Tenth district-Crowley (Dem.) 12,134, Rosenthal (Rep.), 11,565, Mc-Bride (Pop.) 7274. Crowley's plurality 569.

14,885, Weldon (Pop.) 13,466. Crain's majority 1419.

8837, Noonan (Rep.) 9471, Gates (Pop.) 2320. Noonan's plurality 634.



HAPPENINGS OF GENERAL IN-TEREST TO ALL.

A Comprehensive Epitome of Serious and Sensational Sortings Condensed from all the Leading Dailies for the Past Week.

Recently N. J. Vilas went to the farm of Mrs. Fromer, near James-town, S. D. Seeing him at the barn she went to see what he wanted. When she approached Vilas knocked her down with a club and beat her into insensibility. He dragged her into the barn and assaulted her, and then threw her into the well and set fire to the barn and left. The barn was burned to the ground, but Mrs. Fromer escaped death in the well. She managed to climb out of the well and go the house. Taking her chil-dren she crawled on her hands and knees to a neighbor's two miles away and died after telling her story. Vilas was captured and jailed.

At Jackson, Miss., the federal grand jury by a vote of more than two to one refused to indict the governor, treasurer and attorney general in the matter of printing the Mississippi state warrants, it being alleged by Chief Hazen, supported by Secretary Carlilse and Attorney General Olney, that they violated the laws, "being a likeness and smilar to United States currency and national bank notes.

At Xenia, O., recently a wedding was celebrated, the ceremony being performed in the room adjoining that in which the bride's mother lay in her coffin ready for burial. George Pinkel of Sprinfield, O., was the groom, the bride was Mrs. Clarinda Hickens and the officiating clergyman was the Rev. R. P. Clark of Xenia. After the wedding the bridal party took carriages and attended the funeral of the bride's mother.

The department of public works of Mexico has just approved the location of the line of the Mexico, Cuernavaca & Pacific Railroad from Cuernavaca to the port of Acapulco on the Pacific coast, a distance of 175 miles. The route of the road is through the towns of Puente de Ixtla, Iguala, Taxco, Chilpancingo and the richest agricultural section in tropical Mexico

Gov. Fishback of Arkansas, by request of the governor of Mississippi, has appointed eleven delegates to represent Arkansas in the anti-option convention to be held at Vicksburg, Miss., November 20. Gov. Stone of Mississippi urges that the interests to be considered at the convention are of the utmost importance to the cotton and grain growing states.

At a recent meeting of the commit-tee on arrangements for the forthcoming arbitration conference which will take place at Chicago under the auspices of the Civic Federation, the secretary reported that nearly thirty eminent speakers and thinkers had notified the committee of their inten-

tion to address the congress. While the regular guards in the state prison at Columbus, O., were gone home to vote, there was a general fight in one of the prison shops between the whites and blacks. The ringleader of the riot was badly in-

Two of the Cook gang recently en-TABERNAC tered the town of Lenaple, Kan., in day time, and terrized the people.

killing one man, looted two stores, getting some money, and rode away. Recently burglars entered the home

of an American family named Kelly at San Louis Potosi, Mex., murdered the lady of the house, seriously wounded her son and robbed the premises.

A 3-year-old child of Lewis Mc-Guire, living near Worthville, Ky., was shot and instantly killed recently by her 10-year-old brother, who was fooling with an old shotgun.

Senator Isham G. Harris was robbed of his gold watch and a sinall sum of money the other night in a hotel at Bolivar, Tenn. The thief entered his room while he was asleep.

The third floor of the city railway building at Montreal, Canada, collapsed recently, killing two persons, fatally injuring one and seriously injuring several others.

The prohibition against the landing of American cattle and American dressed meat is announced in a decree of the Hamburg senate from every port of Germany.

China wants peace. She is willing to cede all claims to Corea; but Japan has ever happened before. A favorite having been victorious so far, wants more territory and all costs of the war made good.

The Export Coal company of Pensacola, Fla., has made an assignment to F. C. Brent, president of the First national bank of that city for the benefit of creditors.

In France 148,000 families have claimed exemption from certain taxes recently vote by the government on account of having seven or more children.

Sheriff Cook, of Washington county, Ohio, who to prevent a mob from hanging a negro who confessed to a grander day on the old homestead rape, was defeated at the late elec-than this day. Let the butchers do tion.

The Pina and Maricopa Indians of Arizona territory have resolved to The musicians will take their places, quit the reservation system and take and the gay groups will move up and farms in severalty and settle down.

An Omaha, Neb., jury found for the defendant in Rev. Mr. Campbell's suit against Barker Johnson for \$50,000 for alienating his wife's affections. At a voting precinct near Milam, Mo., on election day. in a fight D. L. Harris was brained with an ax in the

hands of a man named Mather. The distillers of Baltimore, Md., will test the constitutionality of the section of the new tariff law increasing the tax on whisky in bond.

The total value of the importations of sugar for the fiscal year 1893 is \$118,000,000, and for three months of 1894, \$127,000,000.

Actuated by jealousy, Humphrey Johnson of Collinwood, O., recently shot his wife through the head and then killed himself.

Kansas city, Mo. by good people to prosecute political rascals, frauds and First of all, dead beats.

Business failures, according to Bradstreet's commercial agency, were 474 for two weeks recently, footing up \$2.957,567.

George Robinson of Louisville, Ky., has endowed the Shenandoah Valley academy at Winchester, Va., with \$10,000.

DR. TALMAGE'S RELPIT. SERMON TEX

he Text Being Chosen from attendant was dying of cholera, his attendant said: "Have you much pain?" "Oh," he replied, "since I found the Lord I have never have any "except sin." Then they said to "Would you like to send a The Text Being Chosen fro

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Nov. 11.-Rev. Dr. Sihat only last night the love Talmage, having concluded his round, this is rushing into my soul Image, having concluded his round. Justof the sea, and I had to e-world tour, has selected as the sub-whick ord; it et for to-day's discourse through the ss: "Home Again."

In all ages of the world it has been customary to celebrate joyful events by festivity-the signing of treaties, the proclamation of peace, the Christmas, the marriage. However much on other days of the year our table may have stinted supply, on Thanksgiving day there must be something bounteous. And all the comfortable homes of Christendom have at some time celebrated joyful events by banquet and festivity.

Something has happened in the old homestead greater than anything that son, whom the world supposed would become a vagabond and outlaw forever, has got tired of sightseeing and has returned to his father's house. The world said he never would come back. The old man always said his son would come. He had been looking for him day after day and year after year. He knew he would come back. Now, having returned to his father's house, the father proclaims celebration. There is a calf in the pad dock that has been kept up and fed to utmost capacity, so as to be ready for some occasion of joy that might come along. Ah! there never will be their work, and let the housekeepers bring into the table the smoking meat. down the floor. All the friends and neighbors are gathered in, and extra supply is sent out to the table of the servants. The father presides at the table and says grace, and thanks God that his long absent boy is home again. Oh! how they missed him; how glad they are to have him back. One brother indeed stands pouting at the back door, and says: "This is a great ado about nothing; this bad boy should

have been chastened instead of greeted; veal is too good for him!" But the father says, "Nothing is too good; nothing is good enough." There sits the young man, glad at the hearty reception, but a shadow of sorrow flitting across his brow at the remembrance of the trouble he had seen. All ready now. Let the covers lift. Music. He was dead and he is alive again! He was lost and he is found! By such bold imagery does the Bible set forth Over \$1000 has been subscribed in the merrymaking when a soul comes

> First of all, there is the new convert's joy. It is no tame thing to be-come a Christian. The most tremendous moment in a man's life is when he surrenders himself to God. The grandest time on the father's homestead is when the boy comes back. mong the great throng who, in the parlors of my church, professed Christ one night was a young man, who next morning rang my doorbell and said: the joy I feel; I came here this morning to express it. I have found more joy in five minutes in serving God than in all the years of my prodigality, and I came to say so."

You have seen, perhaps, a man run-

would all pass over into the kingdom of God the next moment. When Daniel Sandeman was dying of cholera, his

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starlight, began to sing: There is a land of pure delight, And when he came to the next lin there were scores of voices uniting:

Where saints immortal reign. The song was caught up all over the field among the wounded, until it was said there were at least ten thousand wounded men uniting their voices as they came to the verse:

There everlasting spring abides, And never withering flowers; Death like a narrow stream dividos, That heavenly land from ours.

Oh, it is a great religion to live by, and it is a great religion to die by.

There is only one heart throb between you and that religion this moment. Just look into the face of your pardoning God, and surrender yourself for time and for eternity, and he is yours, and heaven is yours, and all is yours. Some of you, like the young man of the text, have gone far astray. I know not the history, but you know it-you

know it. Once more I remark, that when the prodigal gets back the inhabitants of heaven keep festival. I am very cer-tain of it. If you have never seen a telegraphic chart, you have no idea how many cities are connected together and how many lands. Nearly all the neighborhoods of the earth seem reticulated, and news flies from city to city, and from continent to continent. But more rapidly go the tidings from earth to heaven, and when a prodigal returns it is announced before the throne of God. And if these souls to-day should enter the kingdom there would be some one in the heavenly kingdom to say: "That's my father," "That's my mother," "That's my son," "That's my daughter," "That's my friend," "That's the one I used to pray for," "That's the one for whom I wept so many tears," and one soul would say, "Hosanna!" and another would

say, "Hallelujah!" In songs their tongues employ; Beyond the skies the tidings go, And heaven is filled with joy.



THOMAS L. NUGENT.

Thirteenth district_Cockrell (dem.) 13,628, Gilleland (Pop.) 12,137, Kenyon (Rep.) 949, Dean (Dem.) 6171. Cockrell's plurality 1491.

Entirely Speculation.

DALLAS, Tex., Nov. 7 .- The Dallas News says: "Returns from the state, while full of assurance that the Demcrats have made a clean sweep, are barren of figures in many instances. In the larger towns the count is necessarily slow because of the Australian ballot law and it will be two or three days before the result can be known accurately. There can be no cratic ticket are elected by a safe plurality. It is simply a question of figures now. At 2:30 o'clock barely one-tenth of the vote had been 173 counted and the figures then were: Culberson 15,165, Nugent 8445, Mak-emson 2616, Schmitz 386. If that be an indication of the vote of the state, Culberson will have a plurality of about 50,000." It's but justice to state that the above calculation is based upon speculation entirely and from the reports in hand it will evidently take twenty-four hours or longer to form any definite conclusion as to the final result.

Eleventh district-Crain (Dem.) Twelfth district-Houston (Dem.)

Robbed by Mexicans.

VICTORIA, Tex., Nov. 7.-Sunday night a party of six or seven Mexicans went to the house of an Italian named Antonio Giavanazzi, who lives on a farm on the west side of the Guadalupe river, and under the pretense of wishing to hire woodchoppers decoyed him from his house and, throwing pistols down on him, de-manded his money. He told them to take what money there was in the house, but not to harm any of his family. Two of the robbers held him prisoner while the balance went into the house and began a search for money. Not finding it promptly they demanded of the Italian's wife to be shown where it was hidden, and on her refusal to tell, one of them struck her over the head with a sixshooter, knocking her down. A 15-year-old son, who attempted to come to her rescue, was also knocked down. The bandits then searched the house, found \$100 and left. Officers are on the trial.

A Smooth Trick.

DALLAS, Tex., Nov. 7.-Last Thurs-DALLAS, Tex., Nov. 7. — Last Thurs-day morning a man called at the Na-tional Exchange bank in this city and asked if a telegram had come to pay him \$500. No such telegram had been received and he wass o informed. Later in the day he called again. The telegram had been received by the bank and he wasso informed. He drew \$300 and left \$200 on deposit. Later two different men at different times presented checks of \$100 ench against the \$200 left on deposit. After being identified by local men the checks were paid. The account 147 checks were paid. The accou was sent by mail to the Gainesri bank, and a telegram was receiv stating that it was a fraud. A par was arrested at Shreveport, La., yo terday on suspicion. No names

As eleven years is said to be the life of the average steel rail, the ten million tons now in use in the United States must sooner or later make way for others. These renewals involve an annual replacement of not less than 1,727,172 tons.

It is not likely that the force of mail clerks between Sedalia, Mo., and Denison, Texas, on the Katy will be reduced on account of the new service on the Iron Mountain. The tonnage of mail matter, however, will be greatly reduced.

Jessie Haller, who killed Frank Carpenter, near Cortez, Cal., last spring, started out recently to kill the entire family. He met a brother of Carpenter and a man named Dale. He killed Carpenter and dangerously wounded Dale.

John Burns, the great labor leader. will shortly leave his native Britain and visit the United States. He will come as the delegate of the Federation of British trades unions to the American congress of trades unions at Denver.

The Schulenberg and Boeckler Lumber company of St. Louis, Mo., has assigned. Preferences \$215,000; liabilities not yet known. Assets \$600,-000, consisting of lumber lands in Illinois, Wisconsin, Kansas and Missouri.

Recently in clearing away the wreck on the Baltimore and Ohio road, east of Rockwall, Pa., the body of C. W. Minear, a brakeman, was found. This makes a total of six killed. No passengers were injured.

The British steamship Serate down the Italian bark Balastina Ro-senta the other night. She was loaded with wheat for Europe, and was an-chored off Point Indio, Brazil. Her crew was saved.

Four miles south of Litchfield, Ill. recently a farmer named A. Hottenrol shot and killed Mrs. Nemeyer and then fatally shot himself. The tragedy was the result of a quarrel over a plece of land.

Cardinal Gibbons says that the re-mice of all Christian churches under me shepherd would be easier than a generally imagined, and that the Catholic church could modify her dis-

contly at Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., ug Crusador was burned. Heary ags and Charles Whiffin. Port m fremen, were burned to death.

Dr. Mary Walker is opposed to capital punishment, and addressed a large meeting at Boston recently on the subject.

The quarantining of German horses is proposed in retaliation for the exclusion of American cattle and fresh beef.

Assets of the Union Stock Yards Assets of the Union Stock Yards saw him escape or afterward you company, of Stoux City, Ia., to the heard the judge had pardoned him, value of \$2,500,000 have been ordered sold.

The attorney general of Tennessee has brought suit against the cotton for one's everlasting life-the terrors seed oil mills of that state.

The Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage has ust returned to Brooklyn, N. Y., from his tour around the world.

ple probably will resist it.

The centre of the coal and iron industries is shifting from Great Britain. to the United States.

The bank clearings of the United States one week recently footed up has put in his hands the title deed to \$948,854,499.

their cotton. mine The fiestas and bull fights have been

opened up for the season in New Laredo, Mexico. An estimate of the Irish potato cror

for the year 1894 places it at 165,000,-000 bushels.

"Uncle Jimmie" Click of Dwale Floyd county, Ky., is said to be 101 years old.

The First Baptist church of Buffalo, N. Y., uses individual communion cups.

The late czar of Russia, Alexander III, was buried in a coffin lined with gold.

About 3000 government employes in Washington went home and voted. The president of France receives , 200,000 francs-\$240,000-a year. The French in Madagascar are pr aring for war with the Hovas.

Philip G. Hamerton, English artist uthor and journalist, is dead.

Japan has doubled her foreign trade

in the last ten years. est fires are doing great damage at Teanessee.

contations of sugar is ste The in ily on the decline. Montena bas a valuable paint m

ning for his physical liberty, and the officers of the law after him; and you and how great was the glee of that rescued man; but it is a very tame thing that compared with the running of the law after him, and Christ coming in to pardon and bless and rescue and save. You remember John Bunyan, in his great story, tells how the Pilgrim put his fingers to his ears and A war tax of \$3 a head has been ran, crying, "Life, life, eternal life!" imposed in Kankow, China. The peo- A poor car driver, after having had to struggle to support his family for years, suddenly was informed that a large inheritance was his, and there was joy amounting to bewilderment; but that is a small thing compared with the experience of one when he the joys, the raptures, the splendors of The commissioner of agriculture of heaven, and he can truly say, "Its Alabama advises farmers to hold mansions are mine, its temples are mine, its songs are mine, its God is

> Oh, it is no tame thing to become Christian. It is a merrymaking. It is the killing of the fatted calf. It is jubilee. You know the Bible never ompares it to a funeral, but always compares it to something bright. It is more apt to be compared to a banquet than anything else. It is compared in the Bible to the water-bright, flashing water; to the morning-roseate. fireworked, mountain transfigured morning. I wish I could to-day take all the Bible expressions about pardon and peace, and life and comfort, and hope and heaven, and twist them into one garland, and put it on the brow of the humblest child of God in all this

the hamblest child of God in all this hand and cry: "Wear it, wear it now, wear it forever, son of God, daughter of the Lord God Almighty. Oh, the joy of the new convert! Oh, the glad-ness of the Christian service! To bave seen sometimes a man in a religious assembly get up and give his experience. Well, Paul gave his ex-prience. He ross in the presence of two churches—the church on earth and the church in heaven—and he sold: "Now, this is my experience: 'sorrow-fol, yet always rejoicing; poor, yet making many rich; having nothing, yet possening all things." If all "yen of the Christian but

Nor angels can their joy contain, But kindle with new fire; The sinner lost is found, sing And strike the sounding lyre

At the banquet of Lucullus sat Cicero the orator. At the Macedonian festi-val sat Philip the conqueror. At the Grecian banquet sat Socrates the phi-losopher; but at our father's table sit all the returned prodigals, more than conquerors. The table is so wide its leaves reach across the seas and across lands. I's guests are the re-deemed of earth and the glorified of heaven. The ring of God's forgiveness on every hand, the robe of a Saviour's righteousness a droop from every shoulder. The wine that glows in the cups is from the bowels of ten thousand sacraments. Let all the redeemed of earth and all the glorified of heaven rise, and with gleaming chalice drink to the return of a thousand prodigals. Sing! sing! sing! worthy is the Lamb that was slain to to receive blessing and riches and honor and gloJy and power, world without end!

Cost of a Fencing Outfit.

A fencing outfit for women is rather elaborate and a trifle expensive. There are the foils, \$4; the mask \$2.50; the bluff doeskin gloves, \$3; the black suede shoes, \$5, and any price one cares to expend for the dress itself. which may be of flannel, cloth or silk Armed cap-a-pie, the modern girl is ready to parry, thrust, feint, dodge, take raps and give them, drive her foe to cover, or gracefully succumb to her own defeat, until with a fierce stamp of the foot and a sults with the foil the engagement is over. This is immensely good discipline for wo-men to learn to take defeat good hu-moredly, and to engage in any sort of contest without carrying either a grudge or too evident a sense of tri-amph away. To lock arms with an adversary after a defeat in argument and to walk away is friendlines " iraining for which fencing lesse" any other bout of skill, ar Armed cap-a-pie, the modern girl is bout of skill.

