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DECISIVE BATTLES. The following essay was read before the Thessalonian Club by Mrs. F. W. James, July 13, 1894 and its publica-

tion requested by the club: The first change in the government of the Universe of which we have any account, was the result of a battle between the hosts of God and the armies of Satan.

In this small spot of the Universe we call earth, the fate of nations and the history of countries, are to this day being decided by the issue of great battles, exhibiting as of old, the various passions of its inhabitants.

Among the many battles fought the world's history that we have been examining, I have selected those which seemed to me so fateful to the people engaged, and so important to the world at large, as to properly be called, decisive.

About the name of the first I shall mention, history is silent. It occured at the time when the Egyptians rallied as a nation, led by Amosis of Thebes, threw off the yoke of the Hykos, or Shepherd kings, and founded the glorious Egyptian monarchy. From this time, 1525 B. C., for eight hundred years, obelisks called, "fingers of the sun pointing upward" palaces, and other magnifiaent works of art, sprang from the soil as if by magic, remaining to this day, as wonders of the world.

Nearly a thousand years after this, in B. C. 558, in another part of the world, was fought a battle, not prompted by patriotic fervor or the natural resentment of an oppressed people. Cyrus the heir of Persia, then a dependency of Media, was sent to Ecbatana, the capital of the latter kingdom, to enjoy the superior advantages to be found there, among his royal relatives. Perceiving the weak points of the goverment, and finding that he could attach many of the young and more ceived the idea of revising the order of things. When he went back home, he raised the standard of revolt, and shedding of more blood, and the the hurry of their own escape put him State of Texas." making of more men poor, than any to death. His body fell into the hands Sec. 3. Immediately after the elec- the Constitution of the State of Texas. other before or since. In 538 B. C. by the taking of Babying the kingdom of the Nile became B. C. this great Empire. the prey of Persia. But that also was cessor of Cyrus, at the battle of Pelusium, reduced that wonderful country death blow to their peculiar government, building and religion. attention of that aggressive Empire. famous stand for liberty in the history but a name and a memory. of the world-Thermopylae! a name and sword all that lay before him. It As Leucoptra, near Corinth in this is true that at the battle of Platze, a made a last stand for liberty. But in year after in 479, the Persians were vain. The nation firm and strong, forced to leave the soil of European obsorbed the nation unstable and Greece forever but they still hovered weak. Notwithstanding the acutearound in ships many times afterwards ness of the Greek intellect and the and meddled in the affairs of Greece, were fatal defects in the character dictating when they could, and stir- of the Greeks, which made them the ring up strife among them always. prey of nations far less subtile than The next dicisive battlefield, was they. Their egotism, apparent in the that of Ægos Potami, on the European side of the Hellespont, where Greek out in the dealing of state with state, met Greek, in B. C. 405. As the re- prevented real unity, and made a sult of this battle the refined and lux- Greek Empire an impossibility, while urious Athenians were forced to sub- the lack of high purpose and the low mit to the brutal control of the Spartans. Foreseeing the horrors of the ever ruled at the time, whether friend fate which awaited them; when the or foe. But who does pause at critinews reached Athens, a cry of sorrow and dispair went up to heaven, and "that night no man slept." The Spar-tans, more generous than was expect-ed, did not allow Athens to be blotted out; but they did not deny themselves the insolence of arranging for music and feasting to go on while the long news reached Athens, a cry of sorrow cism of the Greeks? As has has been and feasting to go on while the long day!

walls were being demolished. For seventy three years the Athenian em.

ed by states which had once been free. May, A. D. 1893, passed the following and one four years, and one six years The spirit of the people roused to Joint Resolutions, in the manner pre- their terms to be decided by lot, break the hated bonds, and at the scribed by the Constitution of this immediately after they shall have battle of Leuctra, B. C. 371, Sparta state, proposing certain amendments qualified. And one railroad commisfell, and Thebes arose to greatness. to the Constitution of this State, to-wit: sioner shall be elected every two This she owed to Epaminondas, the Joint Resolution proposing to amend years thereafter. In case of vacancy greatest Theban, and one of the greatest men who ever lived. Had Greece possessed many men of like truth, honesty and genius her fate might have been a differant one. In this during the fifteen hundred years of battle the Spartans outnumbered the allies, but Epaminondas introduced new methods of fighting one of which was always to be superior at the point of contact, not engaging the whole army as had been the way of the Greeks. By these tactics the Thebans were irresistable, and drove the Spar-

> tans from the field. At Sparta the fatal news did not interrupt the festival then in progress, the only signs of mourning being exhibited by those whose relatives survived the defeat. Soon after this the rival states, Athens, Thebes, Sparta, began to combine against the aggressions of Philip of Macedon. This was a hopeless struggle, as was proved at the battle of Chaeronea Aug. 7, B. C. 338. dom. Hencefourth she was the battle ground of contending factions, and the sum of \$100,000 for any one year: tool of ambitious men, until the end. And provided further, that the pro-Greece now awed into submission, Philip and after him Alexander, could prepare for the conquest of Per- aid in case of public calamity.

the plain near Arbela for the battle the next general election, to be held month. field, levelling and rolling the ground on Tuesday after the first Monday in

PROCLAMATION

section 51, article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas. maintenace of a home for indigent and sailors.

stitution of the state of Texas, be amended so as to read as follows :

Section 51. The Legislature shall have no power to make any grant, or authorize the making of any grant of public money to any individual, association of individuals, municipal or other corporation whatsoever : Provided, however, the Legislature may grant aid to to the establishment and maintenace of home for indigent and

disabled Confederate soldiers or sailors who are or may be bona fide that such grant shall not exceed the three months before an election.

election for State officers, and their terms of office shall be six years: pire had lasted. For forty three, the By the Governor of the State of Texas. Provided, railroad commissioners Spartans were the ruling spirits in Whereas, the Twenty-third Legisla- first elected after this amendment Greece. But not longer could their ture, at its late regular biennial session, goes into effect shall hold office as haughty and tyrannical rule be endur- which adjourned on the 9th day of follows: One shall serve two years, in said office, the Governor of the State shall fill said vacancy by appointauthorizing the establishment and ment until the next general election. Sec. 2. The foregoing amendment and disabled Confederate soldiers shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the State at the next gener-

Section 1. Be it resolved by the al election. Those favoring its Legislature of the State of Texas: adoption shall have written or print-That section 51, article 3, of the Con- ed on their ballots the words, "For election of railroad commissioners," and those opposed to its adoption shall -

have written or printed on their ballots the words, "Against election of railroad commissioners." And the Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election. and have the same published as required by the Constitution and existing laws of the State.

Approved May 11, 1893.

And Whereas, the State Constituresidents of the State of Texas, under tion requires the publication of any There Greece received at the hands of such regulations and limitations as proposed amendments once a week Philip, the death blow to her free- may be provided by law: Provided, for four weeks, commencing at least

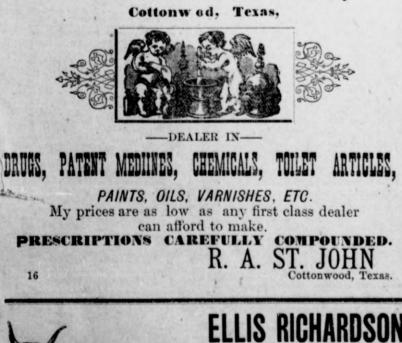
> And whereas, each of said joint resolutions requires the Governor to visions of this section shall not be con- issue his proclamation ordering an strued so as to prevent th' grant of election for the submission of said

joint resolutions to the qualified elecsia. Alexander seemed in no hurry . Sec. 2. This resolution shall be tors of the State for their adoption or to strike the final blow, but gave the submitted by the Governor to a vote of or rejection on Tuesday after the first Persians time to arrange matters their the qualified electors for members of Monday in November, A. D. 1894, own way. This they did by selecting the Legislature of the State of Texas at which will be the sixth day of said

Now, therefore, I.J. S. Hogg, Goverfor the better management of the November, 1894, at which election all nor of Texas, in accordance with the scythe-armed chariots, and engaging voters favoring said proposed amend- provisions of said Joint Resolutions. spirited men to his interests, he con- Greek anxilliaries, supposed to be in- ment shall have written or printed on and by the authority vested in me by vincible. With these preparations their ballots the words, "For the the Constitution and laws of this State, and bis million men, Darius was con- amendment to section 51, article 3, of do hereby issue this my proclamation fident of victory. Alas for his hopes! the Constitution of the State of Tex- ordering that an election as required at the battle of Pasargadae entirely Alexander led his cavalry in person, as," and all those opposed to the by said Joint Resolutions be held on subdued the Medes. Thus as a con- and against that charge and the per- amendment shall have written or the day designed therein, to-wit, on sequence of the ambition of one man; fect discipline of the Macedonians the printed on their ballots the words, Tuesday, the sixth day of November, was laid the foundation of an Empire, Persians could not prevail. Darius "Against the amendment to section 51, A. D. 1894, in the several counties of the maintaining of which caused the fled from the field, and his friends in article 3, of the Constitution of the this State, for the adoption or rejection of said proposed amendments to

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doomed, and in 525 Cambyses the suc- turned the tide of affairs in one direc- following Monday the county judge formity with the laws of this State, tion or another. Rome was gradually shall open and count said returns, in accordance with the provisions of absorbing the kingdoms of Europe, and forthwith forward to the Secreto a Persian province. This was the Asia and Africa. But in 146 B. C. tary of State, in a sealed package, a two events occured which startled the tabulated statement thereof, showing world, and caused the hearts of men the total number of votes cast in the Still seeking whom they might sub- to make with fear of the new power county for and against the amendment;

due unto themselves, and burning to which was rising to rule the world. and on the fortieth day after said punish them for meddling in Persian Rome at last worked her will upon election the Secretary of State shall, affairs, the Greeks next engaged the Carthage, that city and nation were in the presence of the Governor and wiped from the face of the earth, leav- Attorney General, open and count In 480 B. C. was made the most ing nothing of all her magnificince said returns; and if it shall appear from the returns that a majority of

The liberal policy of Rome towards the votes were cast for said amendwhich thrills the heart even now, and the Greeks had only resulted in mak- ment, it shall be the duty of the makes us proud of human nature. By ing them troublesome. The Romans Governor, on the following day, or the issue of this battle, the gates of determined to put an end to this, as soon thereafter as practicable, to Greece were thrown open to the ruth- treacherously broke all treaties, and issue his proclamation setting forth less Persian, who destroyed by fire Corinth shared the fate of Carthage. the fact that said amendment has received a majority of all the votes cast upon that question at said election, and shall proclaim that said amendment has become and is a part of the Contstitution of the State of Texas, and the amendment shall take effect from and after said publication.

Approved April 8, A. D. 893.

Joint resolution to amend section 30, weakness of the family bond, in their article 16, of the Constitution of intercourse with others, and carried. the State of Texas

standard of truth and honesty among them, made them the puppets of who read as follows :

> Section 30 The duration of all offices not fixed by this Constitution shall never exceed two years : Provided, that when a railroad commission is created by law it shall be composed of three commissioners, who shall be elected by the people at a general

of the conqueror, who, with a gener- tion the officers of each precinct shall Said election shall be held at the osity rare in those times, buried him forward to the county judge of their several polling places of the election lon, the great Assyrian Empire, except- with regal honors. So ended in 331 county a duplicate return, showing precincts of the several counties of the number of votes cast for and this State, and will be conducted by For a long time no decisive battles against the amendment, and on the the officers holding the same in conthis proclamation.

> In testimony whereof, I hereunto sign my name and cause the seal of State to be affixed, [L.S.] at the City of Austin, this 11th day of July, A. D. 1894. (Signed) J. S. HOGG. Governor of Texas. By the Governor:

GEO. W. SMITH. (Signed) Secretary of State.

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Tuberculin

Readers of the Farmers' Review are being made the world over with tuberculin as an agent for the detection of even dormant tuberculosis. They, too, have learned that hundreds a rise in temperature when, say the full information as to experimenters, tuberculosis is present ing, age, time of calving, disease be virulent or passive. where of tuberculin simple post morem lesions were he diagnosis of tuburculosis it must sociation authorizing the tests.

Certified Tests of Dairy Cows The Illinois agricultural experinent station announces in FOR letin No. 33 just published that it will supervise tests of dairy

herds and, in exceptional cases, of individual cows owned or exhibited the in Illinois, under the following condi-

shall be made, will be determined by the practicability of sending an authorized representative. for the purother work of the station, but it is expected that there can be prompt compliance with all requests Preference breeddate in the animal, no matter whether the when bred, and treament of the astonishing results in some cases of tuberculosis that could not on diag-nosed by percussion and auscultation tests are made. The station shall contrary it has, if we have read aright, of the results obtained, but no publicondemned healthy beasts unjustly cation will be made without the conwhile there is a suspicion in the minds sent of owners or associations until of some that where a rise in tempera- the completion of any public competiuberculous for convenience sake ing from the tests, as well as his main-

Beef f.om Tubercular Cattle

We find the following 'n the Dairy World, London, which that paper has bul translated from some German contemporary: Owing to the present spreading of the tubercular disease it is of much importance to the farmer to know what the hygiene has to say tions: The number of tests so super- as to the use of beef from tubercular vised, and the times at which they animals, and what the means are which will in some measure lessen the pecuniary losses he has to sustain. Already, when discovering the real naare doubtless aware that experiments pose without serious interference with ture of the disease and its contagiousness, steps have been taken to lessen the danger by destroying and burying down the carcasses. At all the veterin will be given to tests of pure bred ary and medical congresses the opinof cattle have been destroyed in the herds or cows kept for the rearing of ion has always been expressed that east as a result of the findings of this dairy stock, and to tests continuing the flesh from tubercular animals, new method of diagnosis. Tuberculin for seven days. The station through whatever may be its condition, was is injected hypodermically and causes its representative shall receive unfit for human use, and Prof. Koch has tried to prove by numerous experiments that such was the case. Lately, however, it has been found A cows prior to the test: also have full that it is necessary to modify these heated discussion has arisen over this opportunity to determine the quantity rigid conclusions, and several scientmatter, for one side claims that and kinds of food used, and the ists have expressed the opinion that almost any lesion is methods of feeding and treatment not all flesh is detrimental to the present in the cow's body the injec-tion of tuberculin-or other agents for taking samples of food for inspection the nature of the changes themselves tating samples of food for inspection the nature of the changes themselves that the solution of the columns of the calculates' REVIEW that the work with thereculin has given wonderfully correct and even astonishing results in some cases of the cows, or to the associacountry where hygeian matters receive most attention is undisputably Germby qualified veterinarians; but on the have the right to make publication any; this state has now instituted new regulations re the sale of beef which somewhat modify the previous existing ones. According to these a detrimental effect is as a rule only to be ture had resulted from the injection tion in which cows have been entered. anticipated if knots of tubercles are The expenses of the representative contained in the flesh, or the animal pronounced of the station in going to and return- very much fallen off without any such colonies being visible to the naked If it should prove that tuberculin is a tenance during the tests shall be paid eye. If the animal is in fair condition safe, never failing detective agent in by the owners of the cows or the as- and the tubercles have only affected one or several organs in the same



AN ITALIAN BUFFALO.-FROM FARMERS' REVIEW.

be considered one of the most important discoveries of recent years in the unnals of veterinary history, but on the

cavity, the flesh may be considered fit Best Records in Egg Production We believe that the main-stay of the for human food. It is very rare that poultry business is egg production, and the muscles are affected, and if tubercontrary it is evident that the greatest that there is more money in it for the cles, therefore, are not present in the cossible care must be taken to conclu- egg-producer than for the producer of very flesh it may not be considered to dvely prove the efficacy of tuberculin dressed poultry. The egg is without be of an inferior quality, and the sale, before making it the judge author- dispute a more perfect food than the therefore, need not be placed under zed to condemn to death dairy cows in flesh, in the same way that milk is a special control. From a national wholesale numbers under state laws. more perfect food than beef. Eggs economical point of view it is to be We submit that the study of tubercul are in every way more marketable, as desired that such beef, which has a inflammable. It takes fire readily, in such innumerable higher value than that from animals nortem lesions, every possible phase ways, and in all kinds of cooking. highly fallen off, may be allowed to. be sold without restrictions: in doubtimportance as the study of tuberculin to year, and there is little danger of ful cases the opinion of a veterinary and its effects. There is great danger the supply exceeding the demand in surgeon must be resorted to. This adopting this most interest this generation, at least. The pro- ordinance has been favorably greeted "new discovery" as a means duction of eggs needs to be stimulated, in Germany, though Prof. Koch still of diagnosing tuberculosis, if it be and we know of no better way of do- adheres to his previous opinion that me that other diseases of the lungs ing it than recording the experiences the consumption of the infected beef involves a certain danger. In several places, therefore, where the control is very sharp, special stands have been opened where beef less fit for human sons that what one person has done food is sold, and where the buyer knows his risk and is informed of the others may do. We want to hear from precautions he has to take. In Berlin poultry raisers everywhere as to the showing a reaction to tuberculin the best records their hens have ever a steam boiling apparatus has been erected in connection with the public made, but we want figures and particslaughter house, where all suspected beef is boiled so long as to kill the of the laying period reported, kind of contagious matter. food, whether hens were in pens or Aged and Worn Out Horses. running free, and any other items that Aged and decrepit horses have conmay have had an influence on the egg siderable value in some localities in production. Let us have many replies, the east, though, of course, those who utilize them do not pay much for them. About \$2 is the usual price, for in a multitude of counselors there

says the New York Sun. At Belvidere,

converts the played out animals, about

three a day, into fertilizing material

that is sold to the farmers at from \$20

sold to the leather manufacturer at

more than the animal cost. The car-

cass is then boiled if it contains any

The bones of the lower limbs are

boiled and the fat extracted from them

is called "neats foot oil." When the

flesh of the carcass has been thor-

oughly boiled and the grease skimmed

off the surface of the vat, it is thrown

into the cellar and allowed to remain

there over three months, all the time

being subjected to the influence of

potash and gypsum, which are mixed with it and rot it. At times there are

the remains of 200 horses in the heap.

the second grinds them to powder. Several chemical ingredients are then mixed with the bone dust. This prep-

explains why.

fat. The grease is called "horse oil.

MATRONS AND MAIDS.

SOME THINGS THEY LIKE TO KNOW ABOUT.

The Water Lily-A Japanese Girl in an American College-Ways of Testing Silk as to Quality-Frames for Photographs-Good Things to Eat.

The Water Lily.

In the slimy bed of sluggish mere

Its root had humble birth. And the slender stem that upward grev Was coarse of fiber, dull of hue, With naught of grace or worth. The goldfish that floated near Saw alone the vulzar stem The clumsy turtle paddled by, The water snake with lidless eye-It was only & weed to them

But the butterfly and honey bee, The sun and sky and air. They marked its heart of virgin gold In the satin leaves of spotless fold

And its odor rich and rare So the fragrant soul in its purity, To sorid life the dawn. May bloom to heaven and no man know. Seeing the coarse, vile - tem below. How God hath seen the crown —James Jeffrey Koche

Tests of Good Silk. The woman who buys a silk dress only once in a decade can illy afford to find that she has chosen a poor piece-one that cuts or tears or frays or wears shiny or greasy looking. Costliness is no guarantee of worth. It will be worth the small outlay, says Harper's Bazar, to buy an eighth of a yard and test it in the leisure of your home. The first thing to do is to try and tear it, both lengthwise and crosswise. If it gives way readily in either direction, be sure either that the dye has destroyed the strength, or that the thread is composed in part of what is technically known as silk waste. Pure silk, properly dyed, is the strongest known fiber. Nearly all the cheaper dyes, particularly the dark and black ones, have a basis of metallic salts that eat into and weaken what they color. Next test the firmness of weave by scraping diagonally across the fabric with the thumb nail. If it is durable and worth buying the threads will not slip for any amount of manipulation. Otherwise the thumb nail will soon make a space of loose threads as big as itself. After that ravel out a bit of the silk, and look carefully at the quality of both warp and woof. Sometimes a pure silk warp has heavily loaded woof. At others, especially in satin weaves, so much of the woof as comes on the surface is of pure silk, with inferior backing. The pure silk unloaded, is of a lively lustre and very soft to the touch. If the lustre has been artificially produced the fiber feels harsh and brittle. If it is silk, but loaded with metallic die, the fiber looks like cotton but is somewhat softer.

Another test of quality is to pull out threads both ways and try their strength between your fingers. That is, oatch them with both hands about an inch apart, give a quick, outward jerk, and note the force necessary to break them. Then try to tear the silk along the lines that the threads came out of. If it parts so difficultly that there are puckers along the tear, it is proof that it will wear decently well. The supreme test of all, though, for either weighing or adulteration of fiber, is to burn a fragment of the stuff, and also some ravelings of it. If It is pure and properly dyed it will take fire with difficulty, even when held directly in flame. It will go out almost as soon as the flame is withdrawn, leaving ashes that are nearly jet black. On the other hand,

side sew a rectangular outside pocket, with a box pleat in the middle of it. Make deep rather than broad; this is for the twine. It forms a very handy receptavle for wrappings and one to with their lips the different vowel repair if hung in one accustomed place.

Frame for Four Photographs

This is a very pretty way of displaying four photographs; it may easily be modified so as to hold a larger or a smaller number, and the frames may, if preferred, be cut square, or round, or oval, or shield-shaped. A sheet of very stout cardboard is needed for the front, and a piece of rather thinner make for the back. In the thick sheet cut four oval spaces. These may give some trouble to the amateur, so it is as well, perhaps, to get a professional mount cutter to arrange this, as he has the means of planning

them accurately and spacing them properly. The second and thinner sheet of cardboard should be cut exactly the same shape and size as the thick piece, but it need have no openings. Before covering the front of the frame, take a brush filled with gold paint and color the edge of the oval openings with it. Then lightly gum the card, lay a sheet of wadding over it and

cover this place with a piece of brocade. Press this down well, especially round the openings, but carry the outer edges of the material over to the wrong side of the cardboard and gum them down well there. When the gum is dry cut away the brocade and the wadding from above the openings.

Take next some colored ribbon about an inch wide, and lay a length between each of the openings for the photographs and hold it down with an invisible stitch placed here and there. The edge of the openings must now be finished with a line of narrow gold gimp, which can most easily be sured with a very little glue, care being taken that this does not run beyond the edges. A bow of ribbon should now be placed at the top and bottom, the upper one of the two having a loop added to it by which

the frame can be hung up. DThe outer edge of the frame is finished off in a very pretty and novel style. Procure some large crystal beads and a quantity of pins with colored glass heads, such as are used in making macrame lace. Pass a pin through each head and then stick it into the edge of the frame. Allow a space equal to the width of a bead between each one, and vary the colors according to fancy and according to the prevailing tint of the brocade.

The next thing to do is to fix the photographs at the opening made for them. A touch of gum at the corners will be all-sufficient to hold them, and care must be taken to place them quite evenly and straight upon the card. Now cover the thinner piece of card which has been reserved for the back and hold it with a few stitches taken through the edges here and there, at intervals of an inch or two all round.

Potatoes for a Week.

On Sunday have them mashed-not pounded into a sodden mass, but whisked into a creamy substance. To attain this they should be peeled, steamed, broken with a potato whip, moistened with milk and butter, seasoned with salt and pepper and beaten like a batter until they are very light.

On Monday bake them in their skins. They should be washed clean,

Teaching Deaf Mutes

In beginning to teach deaf muter the art of speech they are first placed before a mirror and taught to form which the family will be apt to often sounds in speaking. But this is not all. Sounds are produced not only by the lips but by the larnyx, the vibration of which is the strongest in the region known as the "Adam's apple. The pupil places his finger upon his master's throat while that vibration is going on, and then, touching his own, tries to imitate it. Then, when he is in possession of these elements of speech, he has only to combine them in order to produce syllables, words and phrases. The lips of deaf mutes are always far less supple than those of persons normally developed, and consequently require systematic exercise. The eyes do not need to be taught keenness, as they are always on the watch to supply information usually furnished by hearing, but they are taught to attain great power of fixedness, so that the attention may be concentrated without diversion upon the lips of any person speaking.

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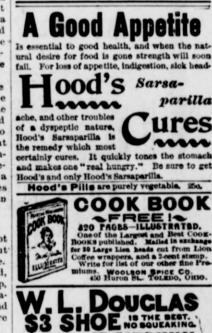
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The moral progression of a people can scarcely begin till they are independent.



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osis, its etiology, its symptoms, its post they are used and stage of development, is of as great This demand will increase from year and pluera, of the spleen and liver, on of others. Such records have a great the exhibition of tuberculin, produce value. They set a standard of attains rise of temperature as great as ment, as it were, that is sure to be that when tuberculosis is present. used by others, for one naturally rea-The study of tuberculosis is necessary, because should different states authorize the condemning of cattle igent will be put in the hands of hunireds of practitioners who know little ulars. In replying give the breed, or nothing regarding the post mortem number of hens, season and duration We apprelesions of tuberculosis. hend that a few savants can not settle this matter for the whole community. that a few experiments showing successful diagnosis of tuberculosis through the medium of tuber- for in a mu rulin should not be accepted is wisdom. is so conclusive that tuberculin experiments in the hands of non-prolessional inspectors or even young reterinarians may be safely considered squally trustworthy and final as to the realth or disease, life or death of the lairy cow. This evidently is a matter for the government to take up and settle after careful work in each state possessing an experiment station. It s work that the farmer should not pay for; work that the government should undertake in an honest, thorough manner to be reported upon candidly and in an unbiased manner. Then and not till then should any man be made to abide by the results of tuberculin injected into the veins of his cows, mayhap at the behest of some enemy or business rival. There is too, another point of importance, viz. that the government should supply tuberculin at cost, with instruction for use to every qualified veterinarian For deep rooting plants the two formthroughout the country who will en-gage to test it to the best of his ability and report results. The entire proould be able to experiment fession should be able to experiment the application of lime and that of in-if they so desire, and many a veterina-rian would be willing to experiment and pay for subjects for post mortem examination if given a chance to pro-the vital measure for making farming a profitable and satisfactory occup-the staffactory between a cov. Tough best cure a supply of tested tuberculia.

A Missouri Bulletin.

BULLETIN 20, of the Missouri ex- N. J., there is an establishment that periment station summarizes the results of some of their experiments as follows:

1. All crops demand soluble plant to \$35 per ton. After the horse is food in proper amounts. 2. The plant killed the hide is first removed and food most deficient in our soils is potash, phosphoric acid and nitrogen. 3. All plants readily respond to appli-cations of potash and phosphoric acid, and all but the leguminous plants to that of nitrogen. 4. The leguminous plants are able to gather and appropriate nitrogen in abundance from the atmospheric air. 5. Large crops mean the buying of potash and soluble phosphoric acid fertilizers, and, unless a proper rotation is adopted, that of nitrates or other nitrogenous manures. 6. Potash salts may be applied either in fall or in spring, soluble phosphoric acids and nitrates in spring only. 7. For deep rooting plants the two form-er should be deeply plowed under, and the first of which reduces them and the soil receive a top dressing in ad-dition. 8. Beneficial results follow the application of lime and that of intion. -Farmers' Review.

weighted silk is almost dangerously and once burning will smolder through the piece, leaving ashes that keep the shape of the cloth and are of light yellowish-red color. If there is otton mixed with the fiber the smell of the smoke will betray it.

A Japanese Girl Student.

Radeliffe college, formerly Harvard annex, has among its undergraduates this year the first Japanese girl who has come to this country for an education. She is Miss Shid-Mori, and she is described as a charming combination of Japanese features, English dress, American coiffure, and Jananese-Anglo language. She had been at Radeliffe since the beginning of the midwinter term, but she had been keeping shyly out of sight until one night when there was an entertainment given by Dr. Sargent's school. Then the shy little Japanese maid came forth and gave a juggling exhibition with as much ease as if she were on a New York variety stage instead of pursuing a classical education in Cambridge. Siace that time she has been very much the fashion. Miss Mori's home is in Yanagawa. Kiushu, Japan, where her father is a wealthy banker. He was converted to Christianity long ago, and his four sons and two daughters were educated in the Christian faith. Miss Shid is now qualifying herself to return to Japan as a missionary of the highest order. After she has studied here a year or two she will go to London and Paris, after which she thinks she will be prepared to return to her home and convert her people. She is considered very bright and extremely well fitted for college work by the professors at Radcliffe, but she herself thinks she is painfully backwird for her age. She is nearly 20 years old and was much surprised to hear that that is considered a youthful age at Cambridge.

Easily Made and Useful.

To make a convenient bag for paper and twine double a yard of creponne, joining the edges with a puff of cambric of a solid and harmonizing color. At the top turn in each of the four edges for several inches; so that the two sides end in a point. Fasten these together with button and buttonhole and sew here ribbon loops and ends ounce of gelating by which to hang up the bag. To one water very cold.

baked in a good oven and served at once.

For Tuesday they may be peeled and baked with a roast. When the meat is within half an hour or so of being ready lay them in the gravy under it and bake until they are covered with a crisp, brown skin.

On Wednesday serve them in Kentucky style. These are sliced thin as for frying, soaked in cold water for half an hour, put in a pudding dish with salt, pepper and milk and baked for one hour.

On Thursday serve them fried whole. Peel and boil them. Roll in beaten egg, then in cracker crumbs and fry in butter.

On Friday have potatoes a la Parisienne. Wash and rub them with a coarse cloth until they are skinned, drop into boiling water and boil until done. Have ready in a saucepan some hot cream and butter, a little green parsley, pepper and salt. Pour the water off the boiled potatoes, cover with this and let it stand.

On Saturday boil the potatoes with their skins on and serve with butter. -Philadelphia Times.

Orangeade.

Orangeade is a substitute for lemonade. A rich orange drink is made as follows: Squeeze the juice of six China oranges and three Seville oranges, boil the peel of the Seville oranges in half a pint of water for half an hour, and add to it with eight ounces of fine sugar; then pour over them a quart of boiling water, cover, and let the liquid stand to cool; then run it through a jelly bag and ice it if you choose.

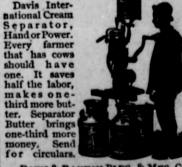
Green Peas

Shell the peas but do not wash them, as washing destroys the delicate flavor. Shake the peas in a colander to remove the fine particles. Boil twenty minutes or till tender. Drain the peas, turn them into a hot dish, season with salt. Place a pat or two of butter on top and set them into the oven for three or four minutes. Be sure and put the cover on the dish before putting it in the oven.

Bavarian Cream.

Beat five eggs, add one-half pound of sugar, beat and add one quart of boiling cream, add two-thirds of an ounce of gelatine dissolved in boiiing





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"And I," said little Polly Ann, "Til tell you what Til do: Til com: and make you awful rich By buying things of you "T'h buy teeth-brushes and quinine And squills and things like that And posta le stamps, and c itnip len For my old passy cat.

"And maybe I will buy so much Yoa'll get so rich, you see, That you will have enough some day To come and marry me." -Hirper's

THE MERCHANT'S CRIME.

BY HORATIO ALGER, JR.

CHAPTER X-CONTINUED. "Well, your wish is likely to be gratified," said his guardian. "Do you mean to let me visit it,

then?' asked the boy, looking up with eager and animated inquiry. "Yes: I have observed that your

father's death has naturally weighed upon your mind, and depressed your spirits. If you should go back to school now, you would not be in a fitting frame of mind to resume your studies. I think a little change and variation will do you good. For this reason I intend to let you go on a journey, not only to Niagara, but still farther west."

"You are very kind, Mr. Morton." said Robert: "but," he added with momentary hesitation, "would it be quite right for me to go on a pleasure excursion so soon after the death of my poor father?"

"Your father would, I am sure, ap-prove it," said his guardian. "Because your mind is diverted by pleasant scenery, it will not follow that you have forgotten your father."

"No, I shall never forget him as long as I live."

So you see there is no objection on that score."

"Are you going with me, Mr. Morton?" asked Robert, suddenly.

"No, I am unable to leave my buslness for so long.'

"Am I going alone?"

"No; you are too young for that. I have a friend," Mr. Morton was about to say; but after a pause he said, "acquaintance, who is to start at once on a trip to the West, and I shall place you under his charge." "Who is it, sır?"

"A young man named Cromwell." "How soon are we to start?"

"Probably in a day or two. You can look over your wardrobe and see If you need any new clothes, and can get them before you leave New York."

"Yes, sir."

Robert left his guardian's presence in better spirits than he had entered. The prospect of a journey was very agreeable, for he had all a boy's love of new scenes, and it added to his pleasure, though he hardly admitted it to himself, that his guardian was not about to accompany him. He hardly knew why it was, but, al-though he had been told that Mr. Morton was his father's intimate friend, and had no reason to doubt the truth of this statement, he found It impossible to like him. Shortly after Robert left the presence of his guardian. James Cromwell was once more ushered into it. He was no longer the thread-bare clerk, but had provided himself with a new suit of clothes, which looked, indeed, better than his former array; but no slothing, however costly, could shange the appearance of his mean and insignificant features, and give e air of a gent eman.

"I should like to show you some views of Niagara, which I have here, Mr. Cromwell." said Paul Morton. "Will you please step to the table?" The clerk left his seat, and advanced to the side of the merchant's

chair. "There," said Paul Morton, looking over the views, and selecting one. "is a view of Goat island. You will no doubt visit that?"

"Yes, sir: we will try and see all that is worth seeing.'

"I think," said Paul Morton, slowly, "I have heard of a man-or a boy-who was standing here one day, and chanced to lose his footing. and fell over the cataract. Horrible, was it not?"

He looked significantly in the face of his companion. James Cromwell's face grew pale, as he comprehended the infernal meaning of this speech, and he echoed the word "Horrible.

James Cromwell did not reply to the merchant's speech. Not that he was so much appalled at the wickedness suggested, as that his nature, was a timid one, shrank which with timidity from undertaking so hazardous a crime. Paul Morton, seeing the sudden pallor of his companion, knew that his purpose had been accomplished, and went on to other matters.

"I think," he said. "that you will be able to start on the day after to-morrow. I will see that Robert is ready, and if you will come round by nine o'clock, there will be ample time to take the middle train." "Very well," said Cromwell. "I

·•I will bear in mind what you say, Mr.

Morton." "And now, I think, Mr. Cromwell, I shall be obliged to leave you, as my business, which I have neglected

of late, requires my attention." James Cromwell took the hint, and left the house. He fell into a fit of

musing, as he rode down town on a street-car. "Shall I do this thing which he

wants of me?" he said to himself. "There would be danger in it, and there is something ugly in the thought of murder. Still, ten thou-sand dollars would set me up in life. Besides, I should still have a hold on Mr. Morton. Ah, it would be pleas-ant to be rich! No more miserable drudgery, no more cringing to an employer who cares no more for you than for a dog, and perhaps treats you no better! Money, money is a blessed thing. It brings independence; with it your can lift you head erect, and walk proudly among men, who are always ready to doff their hats to a man who is backed up by wealth. Yes. it is worth something to gain it, but then-murder!"

Here James Cromwell shuddered, and imprisonment, trial, conviction and the gallows, loomed up, an ugly picture, before him.

CHAPTER XI.

On Goat Island. "Robert," said his guardian, "this is Mr. Cromwell, who is to take charge of you on the journey. Mr. Cromwell, this is my ward, whom I hope you will find a pleasant traveling companion."

"How do you do?" said James Cromwell, holding out his hand rather stiffly to the boy.

"I am well, thank you," said Robert, looking with curiosity, and it must be confessed, disappointment, at the young man who was to be his companion.

He had hoped that he would be a congenial person, with whom he might be on terms of pleasant famili-Had he known the sinister purpose arity; but when he looked at the small ferret-like eyes and mean features of James Cromwell, his first impressions were unfavorable. Every man's face is to a certain extent indicative of his disposition and prevailing traits; and Robert, who was quicker than most boys in reading character, concluded without delay, that the companion with which his guardian had provided him would not be to his taste. Still, he possessed a great deal of natural courtesy and politeness, and he deter-mined to conceal this feeling as well as he might, and treat Mr. Cromwell with as much respect and politeness as if he had liked him better. Though he would have liked to travel with a different person, still, the natural scenery which he would behold would be none the less attractive, and would afford him some compensation for the absence of a congenial companion. James Cromwell was on his side not without sharpness or insight. As he met the boy's gaze with the glance of his small ferret-like eyes, he perceived the look of disappointment, however carefully it was veiled, and with the spite of a small, mean mind, it inspired him with instant dislike for Robert. Instead of determining to win his confidence and regard by kindness, he resolved as soon as he fairly had him in his power, to annoy him by petty tyranny, and so wreak vengeance upon him for the feelings he could not help.

you with your trunks to the railroad depot. Good-bye, Robert, good-bye, Mr. Cromwell. A pleasant journey to you." "Good-bye, sir," said both.

"Oh, by the way, Mr. Cromwell." said the merchant, turning as he reached the door, and looking significantly at Cromwell, "if you meet with any mishap, telegraph to me at

once. Again a greenish pallor overspread the face of James Cromwell, for he understood the allusion, and his cowardly nature recoiled with fear, not with abhorrence.

"Yes, sir," he said, "I will remember.'

"Once more, good-bye, then," and Paul Morton closed the door behind bim.

"I hope I shall never see that boy alive sgain." he said to himself. "Once get him out of the way and the morey is mine. A hundred and twenty thousand dollars will be a great wind-fall to me. To be sure, there will be ten thousand to pay te Cromwell, but it will leave over a hundred thousand. Egad! it would be a capital arrangement if they both would tumble over the falls together. It would be the best joke of the season."

In due time they reached the station, and entering one of the long cars, selected their seats. They did not sit down together, but took seats directly in front of each other, giving a window to each.

"I suppose 1 ought to say some-thing to him," thought Robert, "but I don't know what to say."

Indeed, there seemed to be no common ground on which they could meet. With some persons the boy would have been engaged in an animated conversation long before this. but he seemed to have nothing to say to James Cromwell.

"Do you like traveling?" he asked at length. "Pretty well," said Cromwell.

"I think we shall have a pleasant journey.

"Yes; I expect so."

"Do you know when we shall reach Niagara, Mr. Cromwell?"

"I think Mr. Morton said it would take us about twenty-four hours.

"Then we shall get there about this time to-morrow. "Yes; we shall be all night on the

cars." "I am sorry for that, for we shall lose the scenery on the way-I mean, that we pass through during the

night. Here the conversation dropped. James Cromwell bought a paper from a boy who came through the and began to read. Robert, cars. with all the eager interest of his age, employed himself in looking out of the window, watching the fields and houses among which they were wending their rapid way. It will be unnecessary to chronicle the inci-dents of the journey, for there were none worth mentioning. In due time they reached Niagara, and secured rooms at the principal hotel on the American side. It was afternoon, and they only went round a little before supper. They decided to defer the principal part of their sight seeing until the next day.

The next day was pleasant. Together the two walked about, enjoyous said. Goat island? I am told the view is manner in which it came into his fine from there."

"I should like it very much. Supknown the sinist purpose

SHAVING SECRETS.

Betrayed by a Barber of the Highway man Kind.

It lacked but a few minutes of \$ o'clock, the hour of closing the barber shop in question. The proprietor had already gone home, leaving only his head man and three barbers The three chairs were occupied and another customer was waiting when I entered.

The waiting customer was a young man, whose frowsy head told plainly the work he wanted done. His ap-pearance was exactly the kind to fill a barber with aspirations, especially

just before closing time. The three had evidently sized him up and wore endeavoring to miss him if possible. The most nervous man of the lot, however, finally gave in and shouted "Next!" The young man shuffled over to the chair and called for a hair cut. The barber threw an apron around him and tucked a towel about the young man's neck with a rapidity that made him gasp. He then seized his scissors, and the next moment the air was filled with flying hair.

He went over the young man's head like a lawn mower over grass.

The other two barbers chuckled to the people of a single generation write alike. and it is well known that themselves and exchanged occasional winks. One of these turned his most French handwriting has a strong customer out of the chair and began family likeness to the eyes of other to prepare to leave the shop. The than Frenchmen. Nearly all Chinathird one soon finished his job and men of the wash-house class look motioned to me in a sickly fashion. alike to superficial observers, and "Shave?" he inquired in a gentle persons unaccustomed to colored people find difficulty in distinguishing

"Hair cut, shampoo and shave," 1 replied.

voice.

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ever, a comparison of two or three The result of this answer was family photograph albums of twenty dreadful. The barber turned to his or thirty years ago to convince men companions and broke out is a volley and women of to-day that there are of Italian. When he had finished he striking superficial likenesses runturned to me and said it was too late ning through Americans of a given to get all that work done. I told him to go on, that it was all right, generation. All these old albums show curious resemblances, chiefly and he unblushingly replied:

perhaps, of dress and face, but sull-"Ah, yes. But how much? I can't ciently striking for one family album at first glance to be taken for anagree to do it for an ordinary trifle. Ten cents is the regulation tip for & other. As page after page of each shave, and I couldn't think of doing is turned over, there is the same sucthe job for that. How much will cession of men, women and children you give me?" in full figure, sitting, standing, posed

quarter" I replied, rather in groups of two or three, with hats, peevishly. without hats, draped in shawls, and

"Good, good!" he exclaimed as ho manifestly dressed in their best for began work beamingly. And then the barber burglar ratthose days chose, for reasons of their tled on confidentially. He told me of the mysteries of his business and own, to make full length pictures, and, they were usually small; costume

how the highwayman features of it counted for a great deal and helped are carried on in New York. to intensify the general likeness run-"We are driven to it by the boss barbers the nselves," he chattered. "They want it all. Our salaries are ning the whole generation.

as bad as those of waiters. We get barely enough to pay rent, and for good jobs we have to pay a commis-sion besides. Take the swell hotels for instance. To get a chair in a shop of that kind one has to have influence-and influence costs money in the barber business as well as politics. That's why my mate at the next chair is working so indifferently now. He knows there ain't anything in it."

A DIAMOND FROM THE DEPTHS How Captain Peterson Got Rich Salvage

delight of the musical people who From Lake Erie. London last week to play at the open-

"Captain John Peterson of Dunkirk and the lake Erie tugboat Stauffer." said a New York commercial traveler to a Journal man, "has a diamond ing views of the cataract from vari- ring, which, aside from its rare valpoints. At length Cromwell ue, is prized almost beyond price by "How would you like to go to its possessor, owing to the singular its possessor, owing to the singular have played superbly, magnificently,

> possession. Captain Peterson is one of the oldest lake skippers in the service, and he

Hard to Telt the Diffeence. Cloth manufacturers have learned keeps at it now just because he likes Cloth manufacturers have learned it, for he doesn't have to, as he has to mix cotton and woolso thoroughly laid by a snug something for all the rainy days that may come as long as presence of cotton. The only sure he lives. One night a year or so ago the captain's wife awoke, somewhere along about midnight, and heard someone in her room. She screamed a scream that woke her husband wide open, and he saw a man hurrying toward the window of the room. The captain jumped out of bed and got to the window in time to grab and recover his wife's \$300 sealskin coat, which the burglar had under his arm. But the thief got away. "Next morning the captain dis-

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"I have waited upon you early, Mr. Morton," he said.

"Not too early," answered the merchant. "Indeed, I may say that I am anxious to complete our arrangements and put the boy under your care as soon as possible. The fact is, that with my business cares the additional burden of a ward is not welcome. If it had not been the son of my intimate friend, I might have declined the trust; but under .He circumstances I did not think I sught to do so.'

Does he know that he is going with me?" inquired Cromwell.

"I have just had an interview with him. He has been at a boarding school on the Hudson river, and he supposed he was going back. When I told him I had snother plan for him he was at first disappointed.' "Did you tell him what that plan

was?"

"Not precisely. I showed him some views of Niagara falls, and asked him if he would like to visit the cataract. He said that he would. I then said that previous to his going back to school I intended to let him have a little journey-visiting the falls and going as far as Indiana. He was pleased with this prospect."

"Does he know he is going with map

"I mentioned that I had asked an acquaintance of mine to take charge him. I shall introduce you as that acquaintance.'

"You intend, then, Mr. Morton" that we shall take Niagara falls on the way?" said James Cromwell.

"Yes; I think it will be a pleasant arrangement for you, no doubt, if you have never seen the falls."

"No, I have never seen them."

"And besides, it will make the journey seem more plausible to Robert. He need not know until you get to your journey's end that he is not coming back."

"How shall it be communicated to hum ?'

"I think I will give you a letter to him which you can let him read when the proper time comes."

"When do you wish me to start?" "As soon as possible-day after to-morrow. You can be ready, can

you not?" "I can be ready at any time. have very few arrangements to

"I have obtained tickets for you by the middle train," proceeded the merchant. "Here they are," Mr. Cromwell."

"Thank you, sir," said Cromwell, taking them and putting them in his pocket.

"You will remain at Niagara two or three days if you like," continued Paul Morton. "I have no doubt you will enjoy yourself. What do you say, Robert?" "I shall be sure to enjoy it;" said

Robert with animation.

"So shall I." said Cromwell. "I have never visited the falls. "Well," said the merchant, draw-

ing on his gloves, "I am sorry. but I shall be obliged to leave you. I have shall be obliged to lave you. I have considerable business awaiting me at my counting-room. I have or-dered a carriage at eleven to convey

with which this proposition was made, he would have recoiled from it as from a deadly serpent, but the boy was wholly unconscious of the peril that menaced him, nor did he observe the nervous agitation that affected James Cromwell, whose timidity made him shrink with fear at the risk he was about to incur.

"Then we will go," said the young man.

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

White vs. Colored.

There was a boy who was sent out by his father to sell some potatoes. He carried the bag around all day without a sale, and, on reaching home at night threw it down with the surly exclamation: "Nobody that I met asked me for potatoes One fellow wanted to know what I had in the bag and I told him it was none of his darned business."

There was, in the same town a colored gentleman who went about bawling at the top of his voice: "Fish! Fish! Fish! Fresh Fish!" "Shut up that racket!" said an angry dame at a window. "You heah me, missy?"

"Hear you? You can be heard a

mile away." "Dat's what I'se hollerin' for. Fish! Fish! Fresh Fish!"

The colored gentleman was an advertiser-and sold his goods .- Hardware.

Superstition.

A gentleman who had been dining at a restaurant, and who had often ordered a dozen oysters, counted them one day and found but eleven. Still another day he counted them with the same result. Then he said to the waiter:

"Why do you give me only elever oysters when I order a dozen?" "Oh, sir," answered the waiter. "I

didn't think you'd want to be settin' thirteen at table, sir!" -- Youth's Companion.

Definitely Settled.

Mrs. Rusher-Has Mr. Goldcoin, with whom you have been dancing "I the evening, at last declared his intentions, Mabel? Mabel-Yes, aunt.

"I am so glad! And what did he

say ""He declared that he would never marry. "- Vogue

covered that his gold watch and chain were gone. The timepiece was worth \$150, and Captain Peterson went out on the lake that morning feeling blue enough. "The business that called him out

on the lake that morning was to haul in a number of seines which had been dragged by a heavy storm three miles from where they had been set He felt so bad over the loss of his watch that he tried to get some other tugboat master to take the job off his hands, but everybody busy, and the captain had to go himself

"When the last seine had been hauled in he saw something sparkle in the sun on the edge of the net. He looked to see what it was, and was astonished to find a ring entangled in the cords. It was black with mud all but in one spot, and that sparkled like an electric light. When the captain came ashore he took his singular find to a jewele. and asked him what it was worth. When the jeweler told him that the sparkle came from a diamond and that the ring was good for the best \$500 bill that was ever turned out, Captain Peterson forgot alt about being blue over the loss of his watch. "The jeweler said that the ring had undoubtedly been many years at the bottom of the lake. It might have belonged to someone who went down with one of the numerous wrecks that occur every year on lake Erie. Captain Peterson had several offers of more than twice the market value of the ring for it, but he re-fused them all."

The man who has the least in him is generally the one who talks the most about himself.

that mere feeling will not detect the method in such cases is to boil a piece of the goods in a solution of caustic potash, which will eat up the wool and leave the vegetable fiber intact.

He who wishes to secure the good of others has already secured his own.

stimulate it and correct it, and clear up your system for you. You won't mind the taking of them — they're so small and so natural in their effects. All that you notice with them is the good that they do. In the permanent cure of Biliousness, Jaun-dice, Constipation, Indigestion, Sour Stom-ache, Dizziness, Sick or Bilious Headaches, and every liver, stomach, or bowel disorder, they're guaranteed to give satisfaction, or the money is returned.

Don't tinker at your Catarrh with un-known medicines. It's risky and dangerous. You may drive it to the lungs. Get the Remedy that has cured Catarrh for years and years — Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy. The makers guarantee it to cure, or benefit, in the worst cases.







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W. E. GILLILAND, Editor and Proprietor BAIRD, FRIDAY, JULY 27, 1894.

The West Texas Sentinel thinks house. We'll bet that every populist "Democracy and Deficiency" a good in Callahan county who read the ato give the Democrats a motto, we robbing the county, and abusing THE will give the Pops one: here it is : STAR for suppressing the facts. When "Populism and Purgatory."

To the Democrats of Callahan else he aught to acquaint himself county :- Organize and go to work. thoroughly with the facts before he In unity there is strength. Let us be assumes to make statements and draw up and doing. It is the mission of conclusions. This our young populist Democracy to expose the fallacies of friend has not done, as we can show Populistic theories. This can only be in a very few words: In the first done by organized and systematic place the officials have not bonded the work.

are not 1000 Democrats in Callahan anything of the kind to build an imcounty, and don't you forget it. All mense or any kind of a school house. right, Sappy, what we lack of having There is one very good reason why that number now will be made up by they have not done so which would new converts from the so-called Poo- effectually prevent anything of the ples' party and you remember this kind if it was ever contemplated, will you!

The only chance under heaven's sun bonds to build water works and school for the populist of Callahan county to houses. Is it possible that our young win is for the Democrats to go to populist friend is so densly ignorant sleep and do nothing. Even should of the laws relating to county affairs forever silence the hoot of the Blind \$10,000 worth of bonds to put water Owl and dark lantern politics. Get a works in the city. Some of the citigo on you.

Gov. Hogg's speech at Austin to ing a school house with this money rather than put in what they believe the militia at the close of the state will be an incomplete system of water encampment was unfortunate to say work. The town has never contemthe least of it. Gov. Hogg in his antagonism to the federal authorities works and a school house, because ten certainly does not represent the public thousand dollars is the limit the city centiment of the state. This governcan issue bonds for any purpose. ment is one and indissoluable and secession is dead. The south appealed populist correspondent aught to be this question to the highest authority fair enough to correct the inexcusable on earth-the sword-and by the sword it lost. When the immortal and chivalrous Lee gave up the unsouth sadly though resolutely and an immense school house suppose.) He thinks the party that turned its back upon the past and loyally returned to the house of how our fathers-the union. They ent our young populist friend is about cous than the Pops, (understand at REPORT fought nobly, grandly and heroically local self goverment, in relation to the this stage of his prophecy the Pops, against overwhelming odds for issuance of bonds we are not surpris- thieving Democrats and Republicans FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BAIRD what they believed was right; but ed at the conclusion he draws about are all dead and in paradise) clothed At Baird, in the State of Texas, at the close when they abandoned the cause of bonds being "vampires that draw the in robes of storm and looking exceed- of business, July 18, 1894. secession it was forever. The south money out of the arteries of commerce ingly fierce and terrible, then shall be will never again attempt to separate and causes a plethora in the money actualized into history Gov. Hogg's from the Union and we do not, can centers." Our young friend will no famous vision in which he saw blood, Overdrafts, secured and unsecured not believe that Gov. Hogg intended doubt be surprised to learn that bonds brains, hair, hide, liver and lights Stocks. securities, etc.... to convey any such idea in his speech. as a rule does just exactly the reverse scattered all over the fourteen story Banking house, furniture and fixtures. 5,787 14 Should trouble come we confidently of what he states is true. Take, for buildings of Chicago. Then comes expect to see Texas soldiers fighting instance, the \$10,000 in bonds Baird Death upon the pale horse and hell side by side with men of the north on proposes to issue, will be sold in some in his wake. Here the curtain falls Due from approved reserve agents ... 14,636 25 northern soil under the stars and money center where there is already and we draw a sigh of relief at the Notes of other National Banks,...... 1,100 00 stripes to uphold the supremacy of a plethora of idle money. This mon- uncanny vision. the National government against the ey or at least a good portion of it will foreign or domestic foes. Prod who signs his name "Old Sap" it was locked up in the money vaults way to do it. seems to be riled at THE STAR because in New York or some other eastern Here is a bright young man, enthe democrats developed more money center. Men do not take mon. dowed with more than ordinary pected by the pops. After reading bonds. The interest is so low that his shows that his mind is beclouded, THE STAR we do not wonder at the and drawing no interest whatever can In place of writing something that Dividends unpaid saults with intent to murder the King's mental science, or trade and commerce. his sad, sorrewful wailings. English proceeds to make lots of On both of these subjects he shows a His mind is warped, ere he has hard things about the administration last summer, if we did not say that "if" congress demonetized silver, this generation would not see it remonetized. THE STAR stands by everything it is any one thing that is calculated to that is the heritage of every American, said about silver last year, notwith- make us tired more than anything born or naturalized, has no charms for standing Old Sappy's assertion to the clse it is the senseless twaddle about him. The manifold blessings that contrary. The hardest thing THE STAR said about the administration having something to sell." was that it was not in favor of free coinage, but always said we believed Mr. Cleveland was honest and sincere etize silver Sappy. Old Sappy goes the line that he should rely upon his grandest and freest government on challie, the handsomest summer on to say that the populist "are" a own energies for a livelyhood. He is earth to protect him in the minute of the minute of the handsomest summer free silver party. Yes Sappy, and you not in the business of making some-might have added, it "are" flat paper thing to sell, but proposes to pose as Reforms are needed and will come. money party, a Coxey party, a capital hating party, a divide-up-property-party, a hide bound one sided party, government hating party, a free and a government nating party, a party eusy party, a Bellamy party, a party with more cranky ideas about gover-mental affairs than any party that over existed. She is an all round daisy party, ain't ahe Sappy? and every one a stateman and a fisancier.

Here in Baird the officials decided they want water works, and an immence school house, we have the for. literatim, et punctuatim. mer, give us the former if any, but

The following extract from a letter to bond the county for \$10,000 and by Fletcher B. Burnett of Baird apare very seriously contemplating peared in the Cisco Pilot last week another issue of the same amount; The extract is taken verbatim et

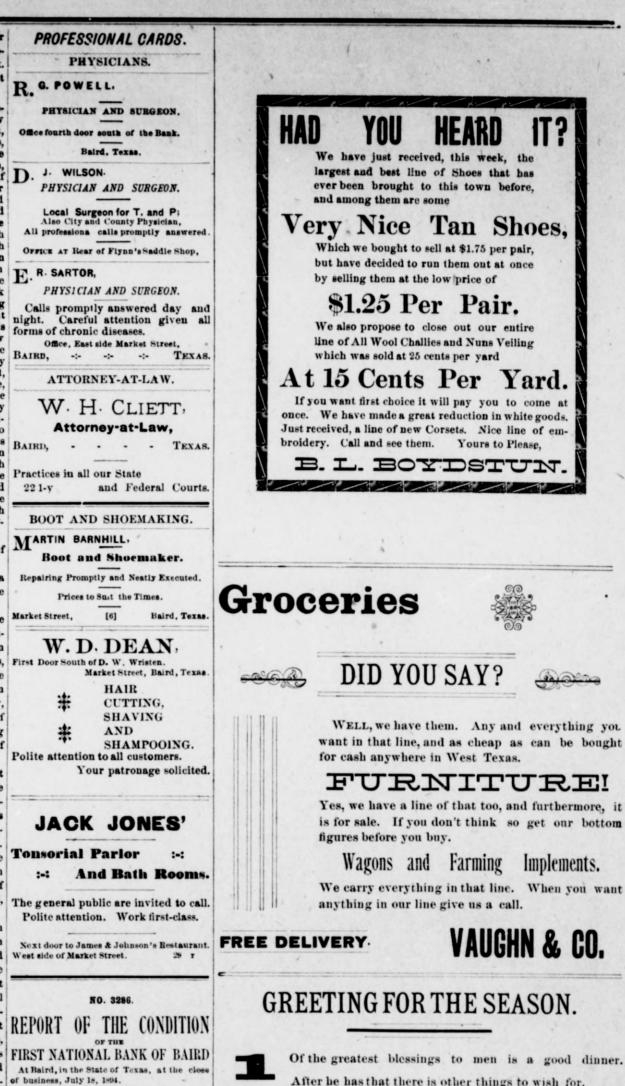
It seems strange that a man bebonds are vampires, they draw the leiving in populist principles will allow money out of the veins and arteries of himself to be called a democrat, commerce causing a plethora in the stranger that he run in their plimaries money centers, and the equal is pover- strangest that any man claiming to be ty among wealth producers, under a reformer will inderse such a man populism these things would not be. it is fusion. It is a germ, which if -Fletcher B. Burnett in Cisco Pilot. well rooted. "Greece, with her silver It will be news to the people of Cal. isles;" Where burning sappho loved lahan county that the officials have and swung" will be more than invalid bonded the county to build water wretched. Fusion means the death works in Baird, and that they are of a righteous party that came with seriously contemplating a further issue ballots. If this party die between of bonds to build an immence school two theives, those theives will be in the same paradise shortly after the party coming after this will not seek to bring corruption beneath a rising motto in the present Texas campaigu. bove extract from the Pilot last week wave of popular intelligence for it All right, as the Sentinel is so kind as is kicking about them town "fellers" will come with bayonets and in this murdering America, blood shall flow to the bridle bits, or mayby we are preparing for the Thunders of Holy anyone assumes to write for the pub-Apocatyps to decend in their might, lic press on current events or anything and strike out all mequality of race condition, or sex. Just wait till the seventh seal is broken, and some body will get caught between the millstones that grind slow but grinds to powder. Maby the party that comes after this will be a Trinity clothed in robes of storm and crowned with seething thunderbolts, the pit may be opened and then will be actualized Old Sappy, in the Prod, says there they seriously contemplating doing dipped in human hearts; Death upon the pale horse and hell following after him.

> What an awful picture to draw of the future by one so young.

Poor Sappho! did she swing in a hammock or was she hung by the neck until she was dead, dead, dead? which is not the case. There is no Sad, gloomy forebodings of the future of fusion and death of a rightcous party which perished between two thieves. Popies the righteous, Democrats and Republicans the this be the case we do not believe the that he does not know this? The thieves, we suppose ; but all landed in pops could win, still it is well to get actual facts in the case, which he so paradise at last, righteous party, to work. A vigorous campaign by wantonly distorted, are these. The thieves and all, with a rising wave of the Democrats in this county will city officials some time ago issued popular intelligence, with bristling bayonets to knock the stuffin' out of this murdering America.

> This young Populist Jeremiah, not zens of the city are in favor of buildsatisfied with conjuring up these gloomy pictures, for the edification and astonishment of his credulous Populist friends, sails out into scriptplated issuing bonds for both water ural revelation as understood by him. He thinks it will be awful when the thunders and lightnings descend from above to strike out all inequality of These are the actual facts and our race, condition and sex. (Awful, think of it!)

> But the grand climax comes when blunder he has made by publishing it the seventh seal is broken, when to the world that Baird is bonding somebody wil get caught and ground Callahan county to build water works into powder. (Grover Cleveland we within its limits. After seeing comes after the righteous Pops will ignor- be a Trinity party, still more right-



be brought down and turned loose at

profoundly

law by which the county could issue

A populist patriot in last week's and arteries of trade, whereas before calamity howlers and this is the best strength in the primary than was ex- ey out of their business to invest in faculties. This ridiculous "bust" of Undivided profits, less expenses his futile effort to throw mud at only money that has been hoarded up distorted, and wholly misdirected. Due to other National Banks name he took. He should, however, be enticed into such investments. Our would cheer and elevate his fellow Individual deposits subject to check. signed his full name, which is "Old young friend will have to post him- man, he takes such a gloomy view of Certified checks..... Sap Head." Old Sappy after slashing self up better if he ever hopes to be- things that not a single gleam of Notes and bills re-discounted around a bit and making several as- come an accepted authority on gover- cheerfulness is allowed to creep into assertions and asks THE STAR various density of comprehenson that is abso- learned to appreciate the priceless named bank, do solemnly swear that the above and sundry questions. He wants to lutely astonishing. But we cannot ex- boon of liberty, that millions have per- statement is true to the best of my knowledge know if THE STAR did not say some pect anything better "under populistic ished to attain and for which our subscribe teaching."

Just so: If there is one thing that is and sunshine, happy home, and loved calculated to make the average pop ones, friends and all of future before should go to T. E. Powell's and get siek at heart, it is a suggestion upon him, and the protecting arm of the a dress pattern of that beautiful wool a own energies for a livelyhood. He is earth to protect him in the enjoyment dress goods manufactured for young thing to sell, but proposes to pose as Reforms are needed and will come, the ward of the government after but not by a party that sings of the fashion of the Indian. He pro- nothing but sadness and gloom, chaos, poses to do the receiving act, and anarchy and destruction.

wants the government to take charge trough .- Palo Pinto Star.

Some may say, why do you publish this? Our answer is this: We want Legal-tender notes ... Baird and go directly into the vains to show the follies of the Populist Redemption Fund with U. S. Treasurer

forefathers poured out their blood day of July 1894.

that he might be free. The full en-A Populist writer says: "If there joyment of civil and religious liberty, surround him, the beautiful flowers

of things generally and feed him along Abilene Gossip from Sidney A. Smith. with the rest out of the same soup The name of the paper has been changed to Abilene Appeal.

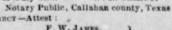
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493 35 Fract'l paper cur'cy nickels and cts. 5 23 LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ: Specie..... 5,536 00 1,000 00 6,536 0 625 00 \$235,917 40 Total LIABILITIES. Capital stock paid in ... \$100,000 00 20,000 00 Surplus Fund ...

and taxes paid National Bank notes outstanding ... 22,500 170 53 40 00 36,790 27 41,555 33 Time certificates of deposit 119 04 8,644 60 \$235,917 40 Total.....

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Callahan, \$88. I. W. C. Powell, Cashier of the above W. C. POWELL, Cashier Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th W. H. CLIETT,



J. I. MCWHORTER, FRED LANE.	Directors.
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Every young lady and miss in town 27if

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

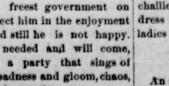
Women out of ten will tell you that they keep their husbands in a good humor by giving them good meals of fresh, wholesome food.

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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sient advertising must be paid for in advance.

of goods. No advertiser is entitled to, nor

will they receive THE STAR, Unless paid for at regular rate.

All contracts for advertising and jcb work are made on a strictly cash Roswell, and that the road will reach basis, and settlement must be made the latter place about Sept. 1st. accordingly.

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

debts contracted by any employe of make any nomination for that office. of this office, or anyone else except We cannot vouch for the correctness members of my own family, and all parties are hereby notified not to charge anything to my account except on written orders, otherwise than worth. above mentioned.

W. E. GILLILAND, ED. STAR.

LOCAL NEWS.

girl.

Miss Mamie Estes is visiting on the Bayou.

Mrs. Daugherty left for Sherman on the 25th

Mrs. Emma Henderson left Wednesday for the state of Colorado.

Miss Ola Blakeley, of Belle Plaine, is visiting in the city.

Misses Gertie and Mollie Bell were guests of Mrs. Ed. Hearn Sunday last.

Tuesday. Don Bell, of Belle Plaine," came in the middle of the table.

Wednesday and went up to Abilene on the train.

last Monday.

came down a few days ago and went chairs and a few other articles of The people are invited to call and out to visit relatives at Caddo Peak. small value. The origin of the fire examine my stock. I will save you

for Hillsboro.

When you want your paper discontinued it is just as easy to notify the proprietor promptly and a great deal more manly than to wait a month or two afterwards and leave it in the post office.

J. E. W. Lane and Frank Seres returned Monday, from Terrell, where K they went to place a daughter of M. F. Silva, of Clyde, in the sylum. Frank says they could have easily re- Driskill & Norton's. turned Sunday, but he could not get Mr. Lane through Dallas on that day. We have recieved from the publisher a copy of the gem of Mexican , waltzes, "Abajo Las Olas," (Under the Waves) by Pablo Percia. This is the sweetest Mexican waltz published since "Sobre Las Olas." Arranged for piano and published by Geo. Allen,

San Angelo, Texas. Price 50 cents. Mr. Murry Harris chief engineer of All job work spot cash on delivery the Pecos Valley road came down last Saturday and spent a few days in made collars; every one guaranteed. Harris town visiting Mr. informs us that the P. V. Ry., Co., is pushing work on the extension to

It is currently reported here that Judge J. E. Thomas will run as an independent candidate for County I will not be responsible for any Judge and that the Populist will not of the report however, but every one believes it, so we give it for what it is

Driskill & Norton come to the front this week with a half page ad. They propose to distribute \$175 in gold among their customers to be voted to the most popular church in the county, BAIRD, FRIDAY, JULY 27, 1894. only, by their customers. Every dol- domestic at five cents a yard. T. E. lars worth you buy entitles you to one Powell. Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Yates a vote. This is no gambling device or lottery scheme, but a straight donation. and paper hanger. Leave orders at About forty Bairdites congregated Oliver's drug store. on the Bayou last week and spent a day or two fishing. From all accounts City they must have had a good time and Try it. plenty of fish, something unusual. They tell a good joke on Mayor Bell. When the fish was cooked up it was distributed out in large piles on the

ground. The Mayor having left his spectacles at home when supper was announced he walked right into. the Cal Windham, S. L. Barnes and Bob middle of the table and proceeded to Adams were in from Tecumseh help himself, totally oblivious of the Schwartz. tact that he was sitting right down in

One of L. C. Lesure's houses in the east part of town, near the Round House, was destroyed by fire last Sun-Cross Plains were up after lumber day morning about 1 o'clock. The out by putting up screen doors and house was occupied by Hayden windows. Harry Myer can fit you Williams who lost all his furniture up with anything you need in this Miss Julia Barrett of Big Springs except a dresser and one or two line. Hilery Windham who has been is another one of those unexplained money on your purchases. Leo running the City Hotel for some mysteries that are never accounted Stern. time, left with his family, last Tuesday for. Mrs. Williams has been absent A full line of Furniture, never

Chas. Neubaur and Louis Wende- that Hayden Williams who works at Leo Stern.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

lert dvertisers dvertise in THE STAR.

Go to Foy's for dry goods. 14tf 14tf Go to Foy's for shoes. - B Q meat every day, except Sunday, at City meat market. a 30 Patent flour \$1.75 per hundred at 238 Forty dozen horse collars from 75 cents to \$2.50 a piece at C. S. Boyles'. Good ribbon cane syrup at 25 cents gallou at Driskill & Norton's. 23a Beaver Stetson hats are the best and cheapest in the long run. T. E. Powell, S. L. Ogle is at the City meat mar-

ket now. T. E. Powell's own make shoes is

always the best and you know it. 26tj Go to C. S. Boyles for Hecks hand Window Shades 25 cts worth 75cts

at Powell's. a 19 Car of cane and millet seed just re-

ceived, cheaper than ever, at Driskill & Nortons's.

FOR SALE-Blank chattle mortgages, crop mortgages, blank notes, etc., at STAR office.

Four thousand grain sacks for sale at 3 cts each, in quantities, at Edwards & Dudley's feed store. a32

Everything in the harness and saddlery line at rock bottom prices at C. S. Boyles'. a33 2t

Don't forget that Ellis Richardson is killing the best beef and mutton that has ever been killed in the city. Yard wide bleached and brown 27 tf

Y. V. Jay practical house painter 31 4t. Barbecued yeal and mutton at the meat market on Sunday. 832

All advertising and announcements must be in this office by 12 o'clock on Thursday if to appear in the current issue

Without fear of contradiction goods are sold lower than any other place in town at Leo Stern's, successor to H. 52

Sow your wheat land in cane and millet and buy your seed from us, be cause we are selling them very cheap. Driskill & Norton.

Fly time is at hand. Keep them a 19

52.

for several weeks and the house had cheaper than now. Come and see been closed during that time except prices, also a full stock of coffins. at

a32

We Lead. Never Follow. and the second se

\$175 IN GOLD \$175 CIVEN AWAY

For every Dollar's worth of goods bought of us, or every Dollar paid on your account, will entitle you to one vote. The Ladies Aid Society or Church receiving the greatest number of votes will receive

First \$100 in gold. Second 50 in gold. 25 in gold. Third

Commencing August 1, 1894, Closing December 31, 1894

borne took a side-door sleeper Mon- night, has slept there in the day time Purchase a thousand mile ticket day for Gainsville, where they go to but had no fire in the house. The good on all lines of the Texas and visit relatives.

syrup and castoria.

Lula and Nellie Phillips.

what he is, no or e knows only John.

Prof. B. L. Russell is up this week making arrangements to move very little water to be bad. to town. He will build near Fred Lane's residence.

legal business.

L. Joiner, for sometime, went to Cle- hereafter than fell to his lot here. burne Wednesday to visit her sister, Mrs. P. B. Cross.

Mr. Chas. Morris and wife of Big Springs, came down last week on a visit to Mr. Morris' uncle, G. W. Ham. Mr. Morris returned home Monday leaving Mrs. Morris, who will spend a few weeks in Baird.

S. S. Ramsey of Cottonwood was in town a day or two this week. He reports everything in good shape at the political storm center, but a little min he thinks would be acceptable and very beneficial.

Henry Lambert was in town Wed- sured but for what amount we did nesday making inquiry as to the whole not learn. Another house belonging sale price of paraghoric, soothing to Lesure in the same yard with head of fat cattle at the City meat the burned building occupied by market. Let us know what you have Mrs. Nellie Rond and Miss Maggie Clint Pace was only saved by hard for sale. Miller, from Houston, are in our city, work. Mrs. Clint Pace who has been the guests of their cousins, Misses sick for some weeks had to be moved out of the house as it was thought at suits, side boards, wardrobes; in fact, one time that this building would everything in the furniture line can be Jno. W. Aiken, that irrepressable certainly burn. All the furniture was seen at my store. Prices are made Cleveland Democrat, was in town thrown out in the streets. Fortunate- low to suit the times. LEO STERN, Monday of last week. Why he is and ly there was scarcely any wind blowing or the destruction of property would have been considerable as there

DIED.

James Weems of Baird, who has Judge E. E. Soloman and Judge long been a sufferer with cancer of home of Mrs. Ed. Hearn. Happier B. R. Webb went to Dallas Monday. the face, died last Friday and was moments never fell to the lot of lovely The former to attend the County buried in Baird cemetery Saturday. maidens and gallant young men if the Judge's Convention, and the latter on The poor old man is' at last at rest verdict of the attendants is to be after months and months of untold taken into account. The young Mrs. Mary Painter who has been suffering. Peace to his ashes and may people engaged in pleasant convervisiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. T. he recieve a greater reward in the sation, interspersed with good music,

CARD OF THANKS.

Joe M. Kendall, Nephew of our her sincere thanks through THE STAR was in honor of Mrs. Nellie Rond and townsman, R. A. Kendall, has re- to the people of Baird for their many Miss Maggie Miller, of Houston, and ceived the nomination tor Congress acts of kindness and assistance ren- will long be remembered by those in the 10th Congressional district of dered her and her husband during present, who were: Mrs. Nellie Kentucky. Rond, Misses Maggie Miller, Ola band, James Weems.

WOOD WANTED.

subscription to THE STAR, old or new Hattie Black, Gertie Bell, Delia Cutsubscribers. We will always take birth, Mamie Estes, Mary Mayes, Mary wood. Please bring us in some when Bowman, Nellie Phillips, Etta Blakeley convenient.

NOTICE.

On and after Aug. 1st the old rate Dunlap, George Jameson, Charlie 10 and 5 cts per line for advertising in Ruhrup, Louis Stellman, Frank Jones, THE STAR will be restored. July 26-94 and Elmer Pool.

house and furniture were both in- Pacific Railway, and save five dollars. F. S. GAGE, Agent.

We have the cash to pay for 100

RICHARDSON & Co., Proprietors.

A large assortment of bed room 2 tf Successor to H. Schwartz.

PLEASURE IN PROFUSION.

The young people of Baird have never enjoyed an entertainment more hugely than the one largely attended last Monday night at the hospitable and at an appropriate hour all partook of a bountiful spread, which consisted of melons in profusion, to which none Mrs. James Weems desires to return failed to do ample justice. The affair Blakeley, Annie Hinds, Nana Rudmose, Genia Thompson, Luia Phillips, Amy Gilliland, Dora Warren, Emma A few loads of dry stove wood on Austin, Mollie Bell, Eliza Gilliland, and Rudie Warren ; and Messrs. Will Boydstun, Clarence Cooke, Tom Stone, Jim Gray, George Dean, Ed.

Said vote will be published in THE BAIRD STAR the first of each month. Now is a good chance to help pay your pastor's salary, or improve your church property, by buying your goods from us.

DRISKILL & NORTON, THE GROCERS, BAIRD, TEXAS.

The Baird Star. W. E. GILLILAND, Ed. & Prop. TEXAS. BAIRD, : : : :

ALL OVER THE STATE.

Interesting Cullings on Various Subjects Taken from the Daily Press.

The Houston and Texas Central mile posts along the track from Houston to Denison, 388 miles, and all its Hempstead, 115 miles, is completed. Roadmasters Rogers and McDonald take much pride in the work. The white and black small rocks.

A. M. Jordan and John Pinkerton were taken to the city hospital at Dalerton's being broken. The men came been served on them in jail. to Dallas from Denison in search of work. They laid down near the Houston and Texas Central transfer depot and went to sleep. While in that condition a freight train backed over he predicted war. them. One of Pinkerton's feet had to be amputated.

One morning recently at Velasco lightning struck McRea's store, knock- October 16, 17 and 18. ing some bricks from the fire wall, destroyed a large water tank, apparently glanced off and struck M. M. Miller's barn and stable, tearing several posts out, went through a negro's house, melting a lot of tinware, and wound up by burying in the prairie one explosion or report was heard at

pects, but a grown cow as to yield of milk. He says the calf, which is still dependent upon its mother for nour-ishment, itself yields milk of rich cream-yielding quality. The calf has never had a calf, but it is abnormally developed in the milk glands.

At Vernon, Wilberger county, a novel levy has been made by a deputy sheriff. Having an execution against a farmer near there, and the party not having anything else subject to writ, he levied on a large watermelon patch and at once put hands to hauling them in. So far as known, this at Fort Worth money was subscribed is the only levy of the kind ever made.

The penitentiary at Rusk is being filled with convicts. Forty-seven new men came into the penitentiary one the American Federation of Labor. day recently. The state convicts are rapidly increasing. Tom Parks, a convict who made his escape from the penitentiary some weeks ago. went back and gave himselt up, and is now working out his time.

At Shiner, Lavaca county, recently, while Miss Sallie Hughes and Miss Virgie Smith were out driving, the horse gave a sudden jump and overturned the buggy, throwing both young ladies to the ground and dislocating the left hip of Miss Hughes. prove the water system. Miss Smith escaped without injury.

During a recent rain near Red Oak. Ellis county, the barn of N. R. Parchman was struck by lightning and burned, together with a good quantity of hay and oats. Loss \$500. No

A severe wild and hail storm passed over Hutto, Williamson county, the other night, blowing down the Baptist and Lutheran churches and doing damage to other buildings and trees.

A few days since at Bastrop Jim Saunders, colored, wanted on a charge of burglary, was shot by City Marshal Nash while attempting to make his escape. The wound is not serious.

At Tyler recently a mule team drawing a wagon containing three of Harrold Smith's children ran away, upsetting the wagon and throwing them

railroad is now engaged in planting out painfully injuring the little ones. Jim Lee, colored, was lodged in jail branches. The Austin line from Harmstand 115 miles is completed Robert Hoskins, a prominent colored preacher in the Brazos bottoms.

The commission has rendered a deference, with generally a Texas star Service association vs. the Jetty conor other pretty device, is made with tractors, exempting the contractors from demurrage on jetty rock.

The grand jury of Coryell county has returned bills against Frank Jones las the other day, one of Jordan's feet and John Love. charging them with being badly crushed and both of Pink- mobbing Ed Cash, and writs have

At the close of the recent encampment of the state militia the "boys" presented Gov. Hogg with a fine gold watch. In his speech of acceptance the situation, he began. Ordinarily

Stock association at a recent meeting difference of opinion about sending decided to have races at Navasota on the bill to conference where the dif-

trop a few days since while in bathing. The body was recovered.

At Navasota a few Jays ago a dog ployed. Further suspense supposed to be mad bit two of Tom several hundred yards distant. Only Brooks' children. Several negroes were also bitten.

A waterspout struck Valley Mills, Bosque county, a few evenings since, washing out 400 yards of the Santa Fe track.

A negro boy named Alfred Carver was drowned at Victoria one day re- and any Democrat may succeed by cently while bathing in the Guadalupe river.

pockets of the watermelon raisers of that you defeat it. The Democratic Waller country about \$3500 in hard steering committee of the senate held cash.

At a recent meeting of workingmen for the suffering miners at Coalgate, I. T.

The Fort Worth and Denver pay car went up the road a few mornings since, liquidating the labor bills.

A farmer was held up by two negroes at Dallas recently, and robbed of \$15. The robbers escaped.

printer of the navy branch.

The city council of Oak Cliff has voted to issue \$8,500 in bonds to im-

The Democratic congressional convention of the Seventh district will meet at Waco August 9.

window at Hillsboro a few days ago utterance of his party associates at and broke her thigh. the other end of the capital. The

GORMAN LEADS OFF.

APPEALS TO DEMOCRATS HE TO STAND TOGETHER,

Declaring That if They Do Not the Bill is Defeated-The Democrtic Steering Committee Meet but Accomplish Nothing-No Quorum.

ration is in the hands of a receiver or WASHINGTON, July 24 .- The battle not; that no judge or court of the United States shall have any greater over the conference report on the tariff bill was resumed in the senate yesterday. The attendance in the galleries and on the floor was even existed; and that the seizure, as well larger than on Friday. Mr. Hill of New York was one of the first senators in the chamber. He busied himself arranging the documents on his bed of earth about five feet in circum-cision in the case of the Texas Car Mr. Gorman of Maryland, calm and receiver shall have the right of a citiserene, but with a grave, earnest face, tax, or sue or defend it against imstopped on his way to his seat to hold a whispered conversation with Mr. Smith of New Jersey. proper assessments in the courts having jurisdiction. The bill, if it be-Mr. Harrris, president, pro tem, was in the chair. After the comes a law, will settle some of the disputes in South Carolina between expiration of the preliminary routine business at 12:22 Senator Voorhees the state and the federal authorities concerning the taxation of railroad called up the conference report on the tariff bill. Then the storm broke: property now in custody of the federal courts. The most important Mr. Gorman immediately arose. He railroads of that state are managed by receivers appointed by the United hoped he appreciated the gravity of States judges. the position would be easy of solu-The Grimes County Fair and Live tion, there would ordinarily be no leries were crowded and the scene on ferences between the two houses the floor was an animated one in ancould be adjusted. He drew a Son Martin, a negro boy, was could be adjusted. He drew a drowned in the Colorado river at Bas- graphic picture of the anxiety with ticipation of the debate on the tariff conference report when the house met which the country awaited the fate yesterday. There were no prelimiof the bill, the idle factories, the naries. As soon as the reading of the journal had been completed Mr. Outhclosed workshops and the unemwas. neither the best interests of the country nor of the Democratic party. the time. C. C. Cook of Waco says that he months old and a calf in all other res-prects, but a group of the saw a length and a calf in all other res-from that place. A countryman recently brought to Navasota the hide of a large alligator twelve feet long, killed four miles from that place. He spoke at considerable length among other things said: "Mr. President, with our rules, this bill stands as I think in the best shape possible to get it the on the tariff bill: views. I appeal to my colleagues on this side together with the perfect knowledge that if we do not the bill is defeated. If my good friend from

New York [Mr. Hill] or the senator from Wisconsin [Mr. Vilas] succeeds uniting with them and any others in amending the bill, you have the de-The late strike knocked out of the claration of enough senators to know a caucus but nothing was done.

Great War of Words

WASHINGTON, July 21 .- Yesterday was one of dramatic interest in the senate, for the fate of the tariff bill of The white barbers of Dallas have 1894 depended upon the course pur-organized a union. It is attached to sued in the upper branch of congress. The friends of the tariff bill wore anxious faces, and more than once during the day felt that the very danger point had been reached. The enemies of the bill at times believed that they would be able to defeat it. When the adjourment came the situation was of \$15. The robbers escaped. R. T. Bibb, a Dallas printer, has been appointed foreman by the public Hill indorsing Mr. Cleveland's letter to Representative Wilson. Mr. Smith of New Jersey also spoke. He criticised the priesident for "violating" the principles of his party in attempting to interfere with the prerogatives of the legislative branch of the government, and declared that he should never have been intimidated by A little girl fell from a second-story threats from the president or by the

ipal taxation on property in the hands ALL OVER THE WORLD

HAPPENINGS OF GENERAL IN-TEREST TO ALL.

and Sensational Sortings Condensed from all the Leading Dailies for the Past Wee's

A carrier pigeon stopped in its flight to lunch in Selma, Ala., recently, and Gus Stein caught it while it was authority to enjoin or interfere with eating corn from a coop of chickens. The bird appeared very hungry and tired, and made no effort to fly when the collection than if no receivership as the sale of property for taxes, shall approached by the boy. On the wing feathers were printed the following: divest the receiver and the court of control. Property seized for taxes and not sold shall be returned to the "If caught or shot, report to Charles G. Jones, 10 South Broad, Philadela-phia, Pa." On both feet were brass receiver and the corporation, or the bands, numbered 1717. zen to apply for the abatement of the

Senator Allen of Nebraska has introduced a resolution calling on the secretary of state for information as to whether any office bureau has been established on Ennis island, New York harbor or any other property of the government for the purpose of furnishing information to Italian or other immigrants relative to employment, and whether the expense of the bureau is borne by the United States.

At Los Angeles, Cal., a suit has been filed by United States Attorney Dennis under the direction of At-WASHINGTON, July 20.-The galtorney General Olney, it being a bill in equity against the Southern Pacific company of Kentucky. The bill asks that all corporations which have combined with the Southern Pacific be separated, and that the agreement under which they are now working be annulled and cancelled.

waite of Ohio from the committee on It is stated that the president has, rules offered the following resolution in addition to Carroll D. Wright, under which two hours were to be alcommissioner of labor, chosen Judge lowed to debate the conference report Lyman Trumbull of Chicago and a prominent New Yorker, who has Resolved, That after the adoption always taken a deep interest in the of this resolution it shall be in cause of labor and whose judgment in questions of this kind is regarded order when the house conferrees on house resolution No. as fair and impartial, to serve as 4864 [the tariff bill] makes a report members of the commission to invesof disagreement to move that the tigate the Chicago strike. house insist upon its disagreement to

the senate amendments to said bill in The cholera epidemic is assuming alarming proportions in Germany. gross, and ask a further conference The present visitation is of a more inwith the senate on the disagreeing votes of the two houses thereon; that tense and more fatal character than two hours of debate shall be allowed were the outbreaks of the two previous years. The disease has even penetrated into Finland, which has upon said motion and then, without other motion, the vote shall be taken hitherto been absolutely free from thereon. Should such motion prevail the speaker shall at once appoint the cholera. The sanitary commission house conferees and the matter will henceforth sit permanently.

shall then for the time being For a month the whereabouts of pass from the consideration of John Witt of Bristol, Tenn., have the house. After some debate the rule was adopted. After formally a mystery, which has expected to be solved been expected been' announcing and reading the report by the discovery of murder. This theory has proven true, the body of Witt having been found in a cave near Chilhowie. The abdomen had been announcing a disagreement, Mr. Wilson said: "I move that the house further insist upon its disagreement to the senate amendments and ask cut open and the cavity filled with for a further conference from them." stones He then proceeded to speak in sup-

The members of the general executive board of the Knights of Labor are in Chicago and a several days' session of the boord is expected. Routine business is said to be the cause of the meeting, though the strike will be taken up and measures will be adopted to push forward an impeachment of Attorney General Olney.

A man, supposed to be J. L. Daw, a wealthy cattleman of Seven Rivers, New Mexico, and Charles Jones, a tion he thought at first reading, against sugar trust, but seemed to negro, were drugged and robbed refavor both the trust and the Nova cently at Jaurez, Mex., by unknown Scotia syndicate. [Hissed.] Mr. parties. The white man died, but Scotia syndicate. [Hissed.] Mr. parties. The white n Reed did not know but it would be in the negro may recover.

The bottom of a converter at the Homestead Leel works of the Carnegie company, at Pittsburg, Pa., blew out the other day, scattering 3300 pounds of molten metal in every direction. Four men, who were in the pit, were terribly burned, two of them fatally.

The river steamers, Nichegorodsetz and Dobrovolete came in collision recently between Permand and Kafan, Germany, and the Dobrovolete was sunk. Twenty-eight persons were drowned.

The stock of flour in store at Duluth, Minn., on July 7 was 176,464 barrels, against 200,362 barrels for the week previous, and 238,917 bar-rels for the corresponding week in 1893.

Mr. Christy Church, a member of one of the oldest families in St. Louis. Mo., shot and killed himself in a room at the Southern hotel the other evening in a moment of mental aberration.

A. J. Whiteman, at one time a member of the Minnesota senate, the son of a millionaire and with \$300,000 in his own right, recently occupied a cell in the Central station at Detroit.

The resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution, providing for the election of senators by the direct vote of the people, has passed the house by a two-thirds majority.

Mrs. Schatzhuber, wife of a Chicago saloon keeper, was shot and fatally injured one night recently by William Hahn, an old suitor, who then shot and instantly killed himself.

Near Huntington, W. Va., a short time ago, a woman left her 8-monthsold baby under a tree while she picked berries. The infant was killed and nearly eaten by a horse.

Two boys, aged 9 years, were play-ing* in the City of Mexico recently when they quarreled. One drew a knife and stabbed the other in the back. Death was instant.

Slater, Mo., farmers are not satisfied with the present price of wheat, and declare their intention of feeding their grain to their hogs rather than put it into the elevators.

Eugene V. Debs, now in jail at Chicago on various charges in connection with the late strike, has a very strong following for governor of Indiana, his native state.

The schooner Robert H. Mitchell, bound from New York to Norfolk, was wrecked off the New Jersey coast a few days since. No lives were lost.

A "rider" to the agricultural appropriation bill setting aside \$1,000.-000 to be used in destroying the Russian thistle was adopted by the senate.

The Norwegian steamer Odin, bound from Barcelona, Spain, for Bergen, Norway, was sunk off Brest recently. All the crew were saved.

Payments due various charitable institutions at Milwaukee, Wis., are being delayed on religious grounds by the A. P. A. county supervisors.

The fire loss of the United States and Canada for the month of June is estimated at \$8,282,000, against \$16,-345,000 for same month last year.

At Jackson, Miss., recently Allen Meyers, an alleged negro conjuror. was set upon and killed by a mob of negroes led by Ellis Henningway.

A number of Chinamen are in trouble in New York. They are charged with smuggling others of their countrymen across the Canadian line.

The Mexican government has granted a concession without subsidy

of receivers appointed by the United States courts. The bill provides that taxes heretofore or hereafter assessed

stance by proper authorities, accord-

ing to assessment, whether the corpo-

The House on Tariff.

port of the motion. At the conclu-

sion of his remarks he read a lengthy

letter from President Cleveland

marked "personal," in which

against the senate amendments,

all except sugar, which he favored. Mr. Reed, with a copy of

the president's letter in his hand,

said he wished to make a correction.

The president had not taken the posi-

The Tariff.

in the senate proceedings for the pres-

ent week centers in the efforts which

will be made to settle the tariff con-

troversy as raised by the report of the

conference disagreement. The week

will begin with this question in the

what amount of the time will be con-

WASHINGTON, July 23.-All interest

president took a

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by state, county or municipal authority against any corporation or corpo-rate property, shall not be classed as debts to be passed upon in the first instance by any United States court, but shall be collectable in the first in-A Comprehensive Epitome of Serious

insurance. Near the same place the next day Taylor Little had a horse and mule killed by lightning.

A robbery was committed at the Silver King saloon in Taylor the other night. John Allen had deposited a hand grip containing \$480 in a closet behind the bar, and while the bartender's back was turned someone entered and, securing the grip, made away with it unobserved.

Near Anderson a row between a man named Chaddick and Bob Ander- Dallas county. was shot in the mouth. The trouble was over a woman. The weapon used was a pistol, and the wound is thought to be mortal

At Vernon, Wilbarger county, the Irish potato, onion and melon crop is exceedingly large and fine. Numbers and other points. One farmer raised 310 bushels of Irish potatoes to the acre.

J. J. Coffey and wife have instituted suit in the district court at San Antonio against the Southern Pacific railroad company for \$15,000 damages for the accidental killing of their 13year-old son by a train some time ago.

H. G. Van Doren, a single fruit grower, has 300 trees now growing on his land adjoining Port Lavaca, Calhoun county, and is arranging to put out 1000 more. This will be the largest fig farm in the state.

Maggie Pullam, an 18-year-old girl, shot and instantly killed Taylor Martin near Elackfoot, Anderson county, the other day. Both parties are colored. The shooting was supposed to have been accidental.

Two freight trains on the Missouri. Kansas and Texas railway, near Sayers, Bastrop county, collided in a head-end collision, recently. Nine cars and two engines were burned up, but nobody was hurt.

Zulema Perales, a Mexican sporting woman, committed suicide at San Antonio recently by taking twenty grains of morphine. She had fallen out with a young man said to be well known in business circles.

About twenty miles southeast of Big Springs, Howard county, recently horse fell with and rolled over Andrew Griffin, bruising him badly and fracturing the base of his skull, from which he died.

commission as postmistress at Colmesneil, Tyler county.

of wheat were handled by the eleva- yesterday, once in the morning and tors at Galveston.

After September it is said that the street car line at Corsicana will be run by electricity.

Grasshoppers are stripping the fodder from corn in the western part of

over the charge of having robbed a other farmer of \$12.

The Western Provision company of Dallas assigned recently with \$20,000 liabilities.

San Antonio now passes as not only of cars are being shipped to Denver a health resort, but also as a summer resort.

> Two prisoners escaped from the calaboose at McKinney one night recently.

The Scotchmen of Fort Worth had grand celebration a few days since.

The late grand jury of Montgomery county found forty-four indictments.

Dallas restaurant one night recently.

Asbestos has been discovered in large quantities in Llano county.

Charles A. Schroeder is in jail at Galveston charged with perjury.

E. L. Reagan has been arrested at Waco, charged with bigamy.

There is not a criminal case on the docket of Floyd county.

Stock of all kinds are in good condition in Floyd county.

Ramsey & Mathis of Pittsburg, grocers, have assigned.

Prospectors are looking for coal in Eastland county.

The Alopathic physicians of Dallas have organized.

Greenville is proud of the Fifth egiment band

Cattle are fat and grass fine in Hall county.

Cotton is opening rapidly in Bastrop country.

Dallasites are waging war weeds.

Henrietta owns her waterworks.

Mrs. Kate Parsons has received her senate adjourned till Monday.

Agree to Disagree

Last season over 2,000,000 bushels ferees on the tariff bill met twice once in the evening, ostensibly for the purpose of seeing if some agreement conferrees on the part of the house could not be secured. But this was for mere form, because the committee and the regular order was taken up. has known for a week past that an

agreement at present was entirely out of the question. The points of difference are on coal, iron ore and sugar. Bill Pilite is in trouble at McKinney There are slight differences on schedules, but if trouble over coal, iron and sugar were removed there would be no trouble in reaching an agreement on the rest of the bill. Senator Gorman foreground, and no one can foresee says there will be a report made to

both houses to-day and the report will a general disagreement. There will not be a deserter or dissenter on the senate side. The senate bill will be

adhered to in every letter and line, because it is the only bill that can pass the senate and become a law.

No Quorum.

WASHINGTON, July 24 .- The house found itself without a quorum early A burglar stole 800 cigars from a showed 180 present, a few more than a quorum, but the committee on rules reported a resolution to direct the sergeant-at-arms to bring absentees to the bar of the house. Mr. Reed desired an adjournment to listen to the eloquence of the senate, and was suggesting "our friends still seem to be answering the indictment, and are pleading complicity on the part of the grand jury," when the speaker sharply rapped him down. Mr. Reed thereupon demanded the yeas and nays on the rule. A failure to find a quorum resulted, and on motion of Mr. Bynum the house adjourned at 1:30.

Arbitration Bill.

WASHINGTON, July 18. - Representative Springer has asked to have his bill for a national board of arbitration which was referred to the judiciary railroad committee, transferred to the jurisdiction of the committee on labor, which has charge of two similar bills.

An Important Bill.

WASHINGTON, July 23 .- The house has passed without opposition the bill reported from the judiciary committee fixing the status of state and municand shattering the boat.

order to move to refer the unprinted

stand

A few days since, on the same day, executive message to the committee one shock of an earthquake was felt on ways and means. At 1:40 the resat St. Louis, Mo., two at Memphis, olution to further insist on the disa-Tenn., two at Cairo, Ill., three at Fulgreement to the senate amendments ton, Ky., one at New Madrid, Mo., was agreed to without division. The three at Covington, Tenn., and two speaker then re-appointed the former at Union City, Tenn.

> The Central market building at Minneapolis, Minn., was completely destroyed by fire one night recently. Myron Finley, an Loss \$475,000. electric light lineman, was killed by coming in contact with a live wire during the fire.

Eruption of Colima volcano, Mexico, continues. There is a high, lurid flame at night and at all hours unearthly subterranean rumblings. The entire neighborhood is terribly frightened. The nearest residents are fleeing.

Marion Howard, colored, was taken from the court house at Scottsville, Ky., recently, by a mob and hanged to a tree in the court house yard. Howard was being tried on the charge of assaulting little 10-year-old Beirah Davidson.

At Paterson, N. J., recently, Rene Baker, 6 years old, and Nellie, 3 years old, are dead, and Mrs. Morinus Baker and Mrs. Isabella Laugenberg are dying from the effects of cherry beer which they drank.

E. B. Baker and A. W. Neville arrived in Vicksburg. Miss., one evening recently from Paris, Tex., en route to Lexington, Miss., on wheels. The trip, covering a distance of 411 miles, was made in ten days.

Clifton R. Breckinridge, a congress man from Arkansas, and who was defeated for the nomination recently, has been appointed by the president minister to Russia, to succeed A. D. White, resigned.

Near Urbana, O., Samuel Rose, a feeble-minded man married a few months ago and recently murdered his wife with a revolver on a causeless insane impulse and then surrendered to officers.

In opposing assessment of the fran-chises of the Milwaukee, Wis., Street Railway company, Vice President Payne said the property, which is bonded for \$11,000,000, was not worth \$600.000.

Cattle stealing in the state Pueblo, Mexico, is increasing.

for a new telephone company. The wires are to be underground.

There are still nearly 600,000 acres of land subject to homestead entry in the southwestern counties of Missouri and much of it good land.

John Aschbacker of Louisville, Ky., was beating his helpless wife a few days ago when he was shot and killed by his daughter.

The trouble between Japan and China about Corea is not yet settled. It now looks more like a fight than heretofore.

L. D. Alexander & Co., commission merchants of New York, have failed. with liabilities of \$200,000 and assets \$50,000 less.

Health authorities of Milwaukee, Wis., are perplexed over the spread of small-pox. Many new cases are reported.

Alaska speculators "salted" a mine and sold it to a green British capitalist for \$245,000, and now he sues to recover.

Crops are in need of rain throughout the northern states. In Iowa and Wisconsin corn is in a critical condition.

Gold is still leaving New York at the rate of \$1,000,000 a week, to pay interest on obligations held abroad.

Opponents of Col. Breckinridge are endeavoring to induce Settle to withdraw to leave a clear field for Owens.

The states of Vera Cruz and Toasco, Mexico, are exporting quantities of tobacco and cigars to Europe.

A steamer was sunk recently off Sterlitatank, province of Oofa, Russia, and 100 persons were drowned.

T. W. Riley of Memphis, Tenn., took morphine at a hotel in New York, recently, and died.

Over 1000 persons lost their lives in the recent earthquakes at Constantinople, Turkey.

Forty families from Cuba are going to Tobasco, Mexico, to work tobacco lands.

The American cruiser Columbia has gone to Bluefields Nicaragua.

Coal and lead are known to exist in Moniteau county, Missouri.

Dole has been declared President of Hawail.

PORTSMOUTH, Eng., July 20.-The Trinity house boat, having a crew of seven trained wreckers on board, was engaged here yesterday blowing up the wreck of the yacht which was dangerous to navigation. In some

manner a dynamite cartridge acci-dentally exploded, killing seven men

hold many of them now. The Power of Judges.

WASHINGTON, July 19.- A resolution, resulting from the part taken by the United States courts in the recent strike, has been introduced by Representative Pence (Pop) of Colo-It is to direct the committee on judiciary "to report to the house a bill definitely fixing the power of federal courts and judges thereof in

the matter of punishment of persons charged with contempt of said court, and giving to such persons the right of trial by jury."

Seven Men Killed.

sumed upon it or what will be the result. A Democratic senator points out the special dan-ger which confronts the bill is the bill is that if the house schedule of free sugar is adopted by the senate. Caffery

and Blanchard, Allen and Kyle will probably vote with the Republicans to indefinitely postpone the bill. That these gentlemen would pursue the line suggested meets with no contradiction Democratic ranks. The Gorman caucus, which held the free trade or tariff for reform Democrats up to the mark all through the consideration of the bill in the senate cannot

TWO TEXAS AND PACIFIC PAS-SENGER TRAINS

shooting was heard, and when an investigation was made the dead Collide Between Marshall and Texarbody of Carpenter was found lying on kana and Five or Six Persons Are stated that he did the killing and im-Killed and Several Injured-The Dead mediately gave himself up. The two men had been enemies for several and Wounded Cared for. months. Both were leading Popu-

DALLAS, Tex., July 24.-Train No. lists of the county, the Vindicator be-6, eastbound, and train No. 5, westing a prominent paper of that party in southwest Texas. Carpenter had bound, the Texas and Pacific cannon criticised Durbin's official acts seball, collided at Forest station yesterday afternoon, and there are several verely through the columns of the dead as a consequence. The collision paper and it is supposed that this led occurred between 2 and 3 o'clock in the afternoon. Both trains were late, and the catastrophe is said to be the result of a misconstruction of orders. Superintendent Trice of Marshall and Assistant Superintendent John W. Everman of Dallas, who happened the state. to be in Texarkana, hastened to the wreck on special trains, carrying physicians and comforts for the wounded. Last night at the Texas and Pacific office no report of the affair had been received, and yet the sounders were at that very moment ticking away on messages dated "Wreck" and signed "L. Trice," telling how the wounded were being near Rice, but when he went to get her he found that she had not been cared for and that there is no prob-ability of any more deaths. The messages said all of the wounded had been attended to and all of the bodies of the dead taken to Texarkana and there prepared for burial. Pertry for the wanderer. A negro man. sons in the office positively refused to give the number of killed, but it is said to be five. Forest is just a siding by an old sawmill site. There is no depot and no residences. It was formerly quite a milling center, being in the heart of the timber district of east Texas, but the mill business went to ruin and nothing is left but the shell of the old mill building and the short sidetrack of the Texas and last October. It is thought her mind Pacific. It is not a regular meeting has been impaired ever since the point, being used only in emergency. death of her mother, as she has a The sidetrack is just seven miles below Queen City; and is a lonesome country. General Manager Thorne could not be found last night to give her little sister and best friends. an official statement of the wreck. Fred Marshal, the express messenger who was killed in the train wreck was a son of Mr. Allen Marshall of this city. Before entering into the express company's service he was employed in the Dallas postoffice. His remains will be brought here this evening for interment. A dispatch from Texarkana gives the following in-law, Mr. H. C. Rawlins, who on list of the killed and wounded: Mine going to his room, found that he was Voltz, Charles Holland and Ed Bee. postal clerks, were killed; George Bean, postal clerk, badly injured; Ed. Gremm, engineer; Fred Marshall, express messenger; a fireman whose name could not be learned; John Jones, porter on train, killed, and an unknown man still under the wreck.

New Superintendent.

DALLAS, Tex., July 23.-Mr. H. F. Fairbanks of Atlanta, Ga., arrived in this city last night to fill the position of superintendent of the Dallas cotton mills made vacant by the killing a week ago of Superintendent Nickless. The mills, which shut down when Mr. Nickless was killed, will resume this morning with a full force of operatives. Mr. Fairbanks was the first superintendent of the mills and he resigned that position in an effort to bring a large manufacturing industry here.

Work of a Mob.

expected here this evening. The service. funeral will take place under the aus-

pices of the Dallas Typographical Union to-morrow.

Too Much Morphine.

suffering from morphine poisoning.

Physicians were summoned and they,

by applying an electric battery and

A Bold Prisloner. PALESTINE, Tex., July 21.-Amos Lawrence, a negro, was sent to the poor farm some time ago and shortly robbers entered the express car and, afterward made his escape. He was recaptured in Houston and Sheriff Pierce went down for him a few days and some express packages. The ago and brought him back. Thurs- value of these is unknown. There is day an officer handcuffed him and no clew to the bandits. placed a rope around his neck and started with him to the poor farm. On the way to the farm he slipped the rope from his neck and made a Wallwitz was hanged yesterday for break through a thick woods, escap- the murder of Deputy Prison Keeper ing from the officers. Thursday about James B. Lipponcott. Death resulted midnight the officers discovered him quickly. Just before going to the on an outgoing freight train. The scaffold Wallwitz made a long, ramnegro observing the officers, leaped from the train and dashed off as fast that he did not fire the fatal shot and as he could run down the railroad track followed by a dozen shots. He escaped.

HEAD-END COLLISION. a few days in San Antonio and left for STRIKERS GN TRIAL. Pearsall. Immediately upon his ar-rival there he called at the office of

a few minutes alone and then

Still Missing.

the floor. Sheriff Durbin

Sheriff Durbin. The two men spent DEBS, HOWARD, KELIHER AND ROGERS IN COURT.

> The Defendants Enter a General Denial. Dynamiters Blow Up a House at Uniontown, Pa.-Non-Union Men Let Out at Cleveland, O.

CHICAGO, Ill., July 24 .- What is considered by leaders and their counsel to be one of the most important legal battles in the nation's history was begun in the United States cir cuit court yesterday when President to the killing. The murdered man is Debs, Vice President Howard, Secreof a prominent Texas family and pos- tary Heliker and Director Rogers of sessed fine attainments. He was ut- the American Railway union by their terly fearless and wielded a free lance attorneys, W. W. Erwin, S. S. Greg-through the columns of his paper. ory and C. S. Darrow, filed their an-He was favorably known throughout swer to the contempt rule issued by the court against them last week and came themselves into court to make a return to the writ. The defendants CORSICANA, Tex., July 19 .- The lit entered a general denial. The detle girl Rhoda Tarwater, who ran fense proposes to carry the case to away from her uncle's home near this the supreme court of the United place recently, has not been found. States in the event of an adverse de-

Her father came here from Kaufman cision here, and if defeated there to county Tuesday and was informed appeal through congress to the peo-that his daughter had been found ple.

Debs in Jail.

CHICAGO, Ill., July 18.-Eugene V. there and the report was a mistake. He returned here almost heartbroken Debs, Howard, Rogers and Sylvester and with the aid of nearly 100 citizens Keliher, officers of the American Railof the county, is searching the counway union, were committed to jail yesterday by Judge Seaman in the United States circuit court for alleged whose name is kept a secret, is said to have been seen talking to the girl violation of the injunction issued by in Chambers creek bottom on Mon- Judges Wood and Grosscup. The four day. He was arrested and questioned leaders of the strike in reality went about the matter and his statement is to jail in default of hail. The court so unsatisfactory that he is held a offered them their liberty until next prisoner [by private parties] until Monday, when they will have a hearsomething definite can be learned of ing on the charge of conspiracy. the child. He will not be delivered Their bail was fixed at \$3000 each, up to the custody of the officials at but the men refused to give it and the present. The girl was 10 years old court committed them.

Dynamiters.

spectfully yours. EUGENE V. DEBS. President. UNIONTOWN, Pa., July 24.-Dynagood home with her uncle. Mr. Jake miters made an attempt Sunday night Harrison, near here, and has made to blow up the town of Dunbar, just three attempts to run away and leave north of sere. At 1 o'clock a large bomb was exploded under the house of a non-union workman named Vaugh, in the center of the town. DALLAS, Tex., July 21 .- Sidney Le The building was blown to pieces and Gros, a well known printer, died yes- the larger part of the town was badly ment in Judge Seaman's court yesterday afternoon and was discharged. In terday at 2 p. m. at his residence on shaken by the explosion. Windows Crockett street, from the effects of an were broken all over the town and the twenty-three indictments were inoverdose of morphine. On Thursday chimneys thrown down. The family cluded the names of about seventy-five evening his labored breathing at- escaped without injury, which is conindividuals who are charged with viotracted the attention of his brother- sidered miraculous. lating the federal statutes during the

Non-Union Men Discharged.

CLEVELAND, O., July 24 .- As a result of an investigation by labor unions it has been developed that of other means, endeavored without large numbers of railway men emavail to save the patient's life. The ployed on the various roads who deceased was 26 years old and leaves struck here in the general tie-up all his wife and four small children. He but thirty have been reinstated. The left five letters, but his mother de- railroad companies have been graduclined to give them for publication. ally discharging the non-union men His wife and children are visiting who came in during the strike until relatives in Colorado City, but are now there are very few of them in the

Santa Fe Train Held Up.

Sr. Louis, Mo., July 23.-A special from Guthrie, O. T., says: News has reached here that Saturday a Santa. Fe passenger train was held up by two masked men near Red Oak. The presenting revolvers, caused the messenger to deliver a package of money

ican public: It is almost universally WORTH THE LIVING.

TORY'S PAGES

Dr. Talmage Preaches an Eloquent Sermon Through the Press-Life will not come. Is Always Worth Living when It Is Amid the hills of New Hampship Is Always Worth Living when It Is a Christian Life.

BROOKLYN, July 22 .-- Rev. Dr. Talmage, who is now touring in Australian a living out of it. Mighty tug to make cities, has chosen as the subject for the two ends of the year meet. The to-day's sermon through the press: boys go to school in winter and work "Worth Living." the text being taken fore doth a living man complain?" try such obstinacy on the part of the

Pullman company is deserving of the severest condemnation. We propose guess where we came from and to the for the boys, and she is the milliner theologians to prophecy where we for the girls. There is only one mu-are going to, we still have left for con-sical instrument in the house-the that the Pullman company shall be brought to justice, and this in a way sideration the important fact that we that will not necessitate a strike with its attending ills. We have faith in are here. There may be some doubt the American people: they uphold justice, they love fair play. And now, in the name of justice and fair play there can be no doubt about the fact on Sunday, when she appears in the in the name of justice and fair play we appeal to every good man and that we are sailing on it. So I am not every good woman not to ride in a surprised that everybody asks the Pullman car until the Pullman com- question, "Is life worth living?"

Solomon in his unhappy moments pany does justice to its employes. Let the cars run absolutely empty. No says it is not "Vanity," 'vexation of friend of labor, no friend of humanity will occupy a seat or a berth in a Pullman car. Let this policy be inaugurated and we will then see how disposition. One wife makes a man and the household economies are long the railway companies will happy; more than one makes him severer, and the calculations are be bound by their contracts. as wretched. But Solomon was converted they have induced the public to from polygamy to monogamy, and the believe, to haul Pullman cars. We last words he ever wrote, as far as we propose to continue this fight against can read them, were the words "mountains of spices." But Jeremiah says widely influential, and preaches in my text life is worth living. righteousness, judgment and temthe Pullman company through good in my text life is worth living.

In a book supposed to be doleful, and iugubrious, and sepulchral, and We will use every available and law- entitled "Lamentations," he plainly intimates that the blessing of merely living is so great and grand a blessing that though a man have piled on him all misfortunes and disasters he has my text cries out in startling intonation to all lands and to all centuries, "Wherefore does a living man complain?" A diversity of opinion in our time as well as in olden time. Here is young man of light hair, and blue yes, and sound digestion, and generous salary, and happily affianced, and on the way to become a partner in a commercial firm of which he is an im-

portant clerk. Ask him whether life s worth living. He will laugh in your face and say: "Yes, yes, yes!" orties. He is at the tip-top of the hill every time Christ thought of her he of life. Every step has been a stumple and a bruise. The people he rusted have turned out deserters, and he money he has honestly made he the afternoon or the forenoon, when sons, but admitted that there are several indictments against Debs, How- ire out of tune. He has poor appeite, and all the food he does eat loes not assimilate. Forty miles limbing up the hill of life have been o him like climbing the Matterhorn, and there are forty miles yet to go lown, and descent is always more langerous than ascent. Ask him whether life is worth living, and he will drawl out in shivering and luguprious and appalling negative, "No, 10, no!"

are in nearly all the twenty-three in-dictments. Whenever the jury con-cluded to present a batch of rioters, How are we to decide this matter farming son, and the clergyman, and righteously and intelligently? You the senator, and the merchant, and will find the same man vacillating, who committed specific acts, such as oscillating in his opinion from dejec-tion to exuberance, and if he be very mercurial in his temperament it the two daughters stand by the casket the derailing of trains, Debs and his of the dead mother taking the last companions were named with them look, or lifting their little children to as conspirators. In addition to that as conspirators. In addition to that will depend very much upon which see once more the face of dear old there is an indictment against way the wind blows. If the wind grandma, I want to ask that group Debs, Rogers, Keliher, and Howblow from the northwest and you ask around the casket one question: ard, charging them with conspiracy to deprive a citizen of the United from the will say, "Yes;" and if it blow from the northeast and you ask him, you really think her life was worth from the northeast and you ask him, living?" A life for God, a life for States of one of his constitutional he will say, "No." How are we then others, a life of usefulness, a useful rights, that is the right to ship goods from one state to another. Mr. Mil-wered? Suppose we call all nations living. christ said the question as to whether together in a great convention on Neither would I have hard work to persuade you that Grace Darling lived a life worth living-the heroine of the sastern or western hemisphere, and let all those who are in the affirmative say "Aye" and all those who are in lifeboat. You are not wendering the negative say "No." While there that the duchess of Northumberland came to see her and that people of al lands asked for her lighthouse, and would be hundreds of thousands who No inwould answer in the affirmative, railroad officials because no informa- there would be more millions who that the proprietor of the Adelphi theater in Philadelphia offered her would answer in the negative, and be-\$100 a night just to sit in the lifeboat cause of the greater number who have while some shipwreck scene was being sorrow and misfortune and trouble the "Noes" would have it. The answer I shall give will be different from either, enacted. But I know the thoughts in the minds of hundreds who read this. You say: "While I know all these of the American Railway union, made and it will commend itself to all who the following statement: "This hear me this day as the right answer. thing is going to be a test. We do If you ask me "Is life worth living?" not consider ourselves bigger than I answer, it all depends upon the kind lived lives worth living, I don't think my life amounts to much." Ahl my friends, whether you lead a life con-spicuous of issensicences, it is work living, if you live aright. And I want the law, and incidentally we think the of life you live. In the first place, I remark, that a life of mere money getting is always a my next sentence to go down into the depths of all your souls. You are to battle and we consider it of a pretty failure, because you will never get as fair grade. Here is a letter I have much as you want. The poorest peobe rewarded, not according to the ple in this country are the richest greatness of your work, not according to the holy industries with which you of the freight car burning here in and next to them those who are half as rich. There is not a scissors grindemployed the talents you really poser on the streets of New York or sessed The majority of the crown sociation. One of the secretaries of Brooklyn who is so anxious to make of heaven will not be given to people with ten talents, for most of them were tempted only to serve them. a certain committee saw two men money as these men who have piled up fortunes year after year in store with houses, in government securities, in ing through the yards with hand-car loaded with inflamable waste, which they lighted and sys-You ought to see them jump when selves. The vast majority of the crowns of heaven will be given to people who had one talent, but gave they hear the fire bell ring. You it all to God. And remember that our ought to see them in their excitement life here is introductory to another. when some bank explodes. You ought It is the vestibule to a palace; but who despises the door of the Madeleine beto see their agitation when there is down and were to receive \$300 more proposed a reformation in the tariff. when the job was done. This under- Their nerves tremble like harpcause there are grander glories within? Your life if rightly lived is the first strings, but no music in the vibration bar of an eternal oratorio, and who They read the reports from Wall despises the first note of Havdn's symstreet in the morning with a concernphonies? And the life you live now is all the more worth living because it opens into a life that shall never end, ment that threatens paralysis or apo plexy, or, more probably, they have a elegraph or a telephone in their own house, so they catch every breath of change in the money marat Blue island was a Pinkerton man. and the last letter of the word "time" is the first letter of the word ket. The disease of accumulation 'eternity?' has eaten into them-eaten into their Not only are apples of well-recoghearts, into their lungs, into their spleen, into their lives, into their nized hygienic value, but there is an apple cure for dyspepsia, just as there is a milk cure. Some physi-cuans that practice the apple cure require their patients to eat from one to three apples for breakfast, about as many for lunch-Chemists have sometimes analyzed the human body, and they say it is so much magnesia, so much lime, so much chlorate of potassium. If some Chris-tian chemist would analyze one of ing his injunction at Barstow and sen-tenced each to eight months in jail. The severity of the sentence was a surprise to many, it being thought that as this was the first conviction for violating the is made up of copper, and gold, that as this was the first conviction to reak as in the sentence was a find he is made up of copper, and gold, that as this was the first conviction to reak as in the sentence was a sentence was a first conviction that as this was the first conviction to the sentence was a sentence

worth living. There are too many earthquakes in it, too many agonies in it, too many perditions in it. They build their castles, and they open their picture galleries, and they summon prima donnas, and they offer every inducement for happiness to come and live there, but happiness

in olden times, there sits a mothe. There are six children in the household-four boys and two girls. Small farm. Very rough, hard work to coax the farm in summer. Mother is the from Lamentations 11: 30, "Where- chief presiding spirit. With her hands she knits all the stockings for the lit-If we leave to the evolutionists to the feet, and she is the mantuamaker sical instrument in the house-the spinning wheel. The food is very plain, but it is always well provided. village church, her children around her, the minister looks down, and is reminded of the Bible description of a good housewife-"Her children arise up and call her blessed; her husband also, and he praiseth her."

Some years go by, and the two eld est boys want a collegiate education, closer, and until those two boys get their education there is a hard battle for bread. One of these boys enters the university, stands in a pulpit perance, and thousands during his ministry are blessed. The other lad who got the collegiate education goes into the law, and thence into legislative halls, and after a while he commar ', listening senates as he makes a plea for the downtrodden and the no right to complain. The author of outcast. One of the younger boys becomes a merchant, starting at the foot of the ladder, but climbing on up until his success and his philanthropies are recognized all over the land. The other scn stays at home because he prefers farming life, and then he thinks he will be able to take care of father and mother when they get old. Of the two daughters, when the war broke out, one went through the hospitals of Pittsburg Landing and Fortress Monroe cheering up the dying and homesick and taking the last lere is a man who has come to the message to kindred far away. So that said, as of old, "The same is my sister and mother." The other daughter has a bright home of her own, and in she has been devoted to her household, she goes forth to hunt up the sick and to encourage the discouraged, leaving smiles and benediction all along the

> way. But one day there start five tele grams from the village for these five absent ones, saying: "Come, mother is dangerously ill." But before they can be ready to start they receive an-"Come, other telegram, saying: "Come, mother is dead." The old neighbors gather in the old farm house to do the last offices of respect. But as that

wages, excessive rents and many other causes, has grievously wronged its employes, and whatever may said of the great railroad strike which resulted in consequence of such grievances, the arbitrary refusal of said

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Pullman company to submit to arbi-

tration in any form (even to decide

the question if there was anyto arbitrate) is proof

cause and fears the disclosures that

are certain to result from an honest

investigation, and in view of the

heavy losses entailed upon the coun-

and evil report and without regard to

consequences until justice shall be

ful means to press the contest. Earn-

estly appealing to the great public to

aid us in this unequal contest, and re-

lying with implicit faith upon the

final and powerful triumph of the

right, we subscribe ourselves very re-

GEO. W. HOWARD, Vice Pres't.

SYLVESTER KELIHER, Secretary.

CHICAGO, July 20. - The federal

ury returned twenty-three indict-

trouble of the last three weeks. Dis-

trict Attorney Milchrist refused to

give the names of the indicted per-

ard, Rogers and Keliher. Included in

some of the indictments also are other

officers of the organization who have

not been so prominent as the four

now in the county jail. The others

who go to make up the seventy-five are strikers against whom are charged

specific acts of interference with

trains or other property of the com-

panies. Debs and the other officers

L. W. ROGERS, Ed. R'y Times.

Twenty-Three Indictments.

There will be no surrender.

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done.

conceded that the Pullman company, through the oft-repeated reduction of LIVES THAT SHINE IN HIS

WOODVILLE, Tex., July 20.-Yesterday morning at 1:30 o'clock a mob of about thirty masked men called on the deputy sheriff, J. G. Payne, of this. Tyler, county, and obtained the keys by force from him and took a negro boy out of the jail, carried him to the railroad tank about 400 yards from the jail and hung him. He was brought down here from Chester and placed in jail for criminally assaulting a little white girl near that place some time since. The mob was very quiet about it.

Father and Son Killed.

BOERNE, Tex , July 20 .- In a diff.sulty yesterday morning at Cherry creek, in this (Kendall) county, between Jim Cravey and an old man named Crain, Crain and his son were shot and killed. Cravey was before the last district court, charged with theft of cattle.

Gored by a Bull.

TEXARKANA, Tex., July 21.-James Buffington, aged 50, who superintends the stock farm of Dr. W. C. Spearman three miles east of town, was fatally gored by a Jersey bull yester-The old man's abdomen was day. ripped open, letting out his entrals.

Foisoned Watermelons.

LAGRANGE, Tex., July 20.-Louis Reineck, a Bohemian farmer, living a few miles east of town, poisoned watermelons to catch several negroes who had been raiding his patch. The result was that one Matt Hall ate of the poisoned melons and died and three others are deathly sick.

Found Dead.

ENNIS, Tex., July 20.-A. Perrin, a farmer. living about five miles south, died here from an overdose of morohine yesterday. He was picked up in an unconscious state from the track of the Houston and Texas Central railcoad and died about an hour later.

An Editor Killed.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., July 23.-News was received here yesterday evening from Pearsall stating that A. W. Carponter, editor of the Vindicator of that place, was killed Saturday after-noon by Sheriff Waltes Durbin of Frio county. Carpenter had been spending

Died of His Wounds.

MARBLE FALLS, Tex., July 23.-Saturday Jack Border and Manly Turner were seen at the icehouse pointing and shaking their fingers at each other. Border was on horseback. A minute later three shots were heard. Turner was then on one side of the horse and Border on the other. The shots failed to take effect. Turner was cut with a pocketknife, receiving a deep wound in his neck and several more in his side and back, from which Christine has been arrested here for he died in a few minutes.

Broke His Arm.

REAGAN, Tex., July 20. -John Harrison, a young white boy living near here, had his arm broken Wednesday evening. He was riding along the side of a picket fence in the edge of town, trying to head off some loose horses he was driving, and fearing his horse was going to close to the fence, he threw out his hand to ward off the collision. His hand slipped between the pickets and caught, breaking his forearm just above the wrist.

Shot His Daughter.

CUERO, Tex., July 20. -Wednesday afternoon while Philip Koenig was engaged in cleaning his six-shooter it was accidentally discharged, the ball taking effect in the arm of his little daughter, aged 14 years. While the wound is painful it is not dangerous, have passed through, missing the bone.

Shooting in a Melon Patch

DE KALB, Tex., July 21.-Thurs-day night Chester Bevel, who lives three miles from town, went out to his melon batch and found Will Jackson and Milas Rankin among his

Jose ph Wallwitz.

TRENTON, N. J., July 21.-Joseph bling speech, repeating his old story that Lipponcott was shot by Deputy Keeper Leonard.

Reducing the Military.

CITY OF MEXICO, July 20 .- The leading corps of Mexican mounted police has been mustered out of military service for the combined purposes of greater economy in the military and to do away with a large body of mounted men not strictly necessary to the army. A detachment of the same organization will take its place.

A Woman Horse Thief.

SEDALIA, Mo., July 21.-Miss Lizzie horse stealing. She had in her possession a horse and buggy and an extra set of harness stolen from John Rice of Webb City last Friday night. She could not give satisfactory account of how she came into possession of the property.

Strikers Acquitted.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., July 24.-The strikers arrested on a charge of obstructing the United States mails were given preliminary hearings before the Inited States commissioner yesterday and dismissed. The case was closely contested by the district attorney, but evidence sufficient to hold

Wash Wadkins

FAYETTEVILLE, W. Va., July 21. Wash Wadkins was hanged yesterday for the murder of Ike Radford last November. He had been respited from June 20 to testify at the trial of Charles Bays, his accomplice, who went to the penitentiary for life.

Debs' Formal Appeal. CHICAGO, Ill., July 23.-Messrs. Jebs, Howard, Kellher and Rogers, the American Railway union officials, issued an address to the public yes-terday, the substance of which is as

Debs and the other officers will be compelled to give bail on each separate indictment had not been settled. but will be after the bench warrants are issued and served. dictment was returned against the tion was given against them.

It Will Not Be One-Sided.

CHICAGO, July 19.-At the county jail yesterday Vice President Howard

railroads are not. We are getting some evidence for the coming legal received telling of evidence that most Chicago was done by two men in the employ of the General Managers' ason the night of the big fire gotematically threw among the cars. This agent overheard a conversation between the men from which he gleaned that they were paid \$200 when the job was done. This understanding was before the troops were called out. An effort is now being made to arrest these two men. "We further have positive evidence that the big man who led the mob of 5000

employed by the railroads, and it is significant that although he could easily be identified, yet he has not been arrested. It is safe to say this case will not be entirely one-sided."

Eight Months for Contempt.

Los ANGELES, Cal., July 19.-Judge Ross vesterday morning found John Howard and Engineer Martin Kelley guilty of contampt of court for violatfor violating the injunction the sen-tence would be light.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

Judicial Distriat No. 42. T. H. Connor, Eastland, District Judge F. S. Bell, Baird, District Attorney.

County Officers.

E. E. Solonion, County Judge. I. N. Jackson, District and County Clerk. J. W. Jones, Sheriff and Tax Collector. T. J. Norrell, Tax Assessor. W. R. McDermett, Treasurer. Arthur Yonge, County Attorney. M. R. Hailey, County Surveyor. W. C. Asbury, Inspector. W. M. Coffman, Public Weigher. Commissioners Court.

W. A. Hinds, Precinct No. 1.

Phillip Yost. Joe McCleskey, C. Cummins,

Precinct No. 1. Justin Cook, Justice of the Peace

= City Officers.

Alden Bell, Mayor. Jas. J. Welch, City Marshal ALDERMEN.

F.S. Gage W. C. Whitley. Ed Coppins. W. A. McLaury. W. M. James

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The following is the rates of announcements for 1894 in THE BAIRD STAR: \$15 00 For Congress.... All other District offices COUNTY OFFICES County Judge County and District Clerk. Sheriff and Tax Collector Tax Assessor County Tressurer County Attorney County Surveyor Inspector Public Weigher Precinct Offices

The above rate includes name on the Democratic ticket at general election; and in every Instance CASH MUST BE PAID IN ADVANCE. NO CREDIT GOES. In the event candidates do not announce in THE BAIED STAR, one-half the regular announcement fee will be charged for their name on the Democratic ticket at general election. Should anyone withdraw after having announced no part of their fee will be refunded.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

W. E. GILLILAND.

Subject to the Democratic party. [The 107th Representative District is compo day of June 1894. ed of the following counties, viz; Taylor, Calla-Lan. Shackelford and Jones.] DEMOCRATIC COUNTY NOMINEES.

For County Judge E.E. SOLOMON. For Distric' and County Clerk W. W. DUNSON. For Tax Assessor T. J. NORRELL. For Sheriff J. W. JONES. For County Treasurer T. B. HOLLAND. For County Surveyor M. R. HAILEY. For County Attorney ARTHUR YONGE. For Hide and Animal Inspector W. C. ASBURY. For Public Weigher W. M. COFFMAN. For Commissioner, Pre. No. 1 W. A. HINDS.

For Commissioner, Pre. No. 4 ALF. H. OLDS. For Justice of the Peace, Pre. No. 1

L. O. OLIVER.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

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of the bride's parents in Baird Sun-

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T. W. DAUGHERTY,

Democratic Chr. of 107 Rep. Dist.

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NOTICE.

All persons indebted to us can

E. M. Minter, Ed Douglas and Theo

POWELL-OLIVER .- At the residence Notice of Sale of Real Estate Under an Order of Sale.

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day July 22, at 8 30 p. m., Mr. H. O. By virture of an order of sale issued Powell and Miss Gertrude Oliver out of the District court of Callahan were united in marriage by Rev. county Texas, on July 3rd 1894, in Will H. Harris. The groom is a cause No. 365 wherein Otto W. Steffpopular young business man and ens administrator of the estate of A. brother of Dr. R. G. and T. E. Powell. E. Harris, deceased, plaintiff, and W. The bride is one of Baird's most J. Maltby, Mary F. Maltby, wife of popular young ladies and daughter said W. J. Maltby, and K. K. Legett, of L. O. Oliver, druggist. THE STAR defendents, commanding me to seize and sell as under execution the prop-

erty hereafter described to satisfy a of ancient history, will find an interest- judgment rendered on April 10, 1894 ing article, "Decisive Battles" by Mrs. in said cause in favor of said adminis-James. To the student such articles trator for the sum of \$1,300 together as this are of great value. Paste it in with interest from the date of said your scrap book, and in coming years judgment at the rate of ten per cent it will save you hours of labor perhaps per annum, and all cost of suit, against W. J. Maltby, and whereas said judgshould you desire to prepare an article ment is a foreclosure against all of said defendents describing the sale of SOUTHEAST CALL FOR REPRESENTATIVE CONVEN- said hereafter described property to

satisfy said judgment, and whereas on Notice is hereby given, that by the the 9th day of July 1894, at 2:20 o'clock authority in me vested as Chairman p. m. as Sheriff of said county did levy of the Democratic party for the 107th said writ commanded, now therefore upon and seize said property as by Representative district of the State of this is to give notice that on the first Texas, comprised of the counties of Tuesday in August 1894, between the Taylor, Jones, Shackelford and Calla- hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four The direct line han. that I hereby call a convention o'clock p. m. I will sell at the Court of the Democrats of said district, to House door of said Callahan county be composed of delegates from each Texas, in the town of Baird at public of said counties, to meet at Baird Cal- vendue, the following described real lahan County, Texas, on Saturday the estate, to-wit: 492 acres of land situa-1st day of September 1894 at 2 o'clock ted in Callahan county, Texas, being p. m. of said day for the purpose of 1-3 of the Baker Larkin survey in nominating a candidate of the Demo. said county, patent No. 92 Vol. 17, and cratic party to represent said district being the 492 acres set apart to Chan- Pullman Palace Sleeping Cars in the House of Representatives in dler & Turner in the decree of partithe next Legislature, of the State of tion rendered August 30th 1880, in the ST. LOUIS, LITTLE ROCK, SHREVEPORT, Texas. The counties of said district District court of said county and is are hereby notified to hold conventions pacially bounded as follows; Beginor primary elections, as may suit them ning at the S. W. Corner of said Baker best, prior to said time, and elect del- Larkin survey, thence east 1667 varas; thence north 1669 varas; thence west Given under my hand this 23rd 1667 varas to west line of said survey; thence south 1669 varas to beginning, containing 492 acres of land. Said sale will be so made to satisfy said judgment.

In testimony whereof witness my signature at office in Baird, Texas, this the 9th day of July 1894.

J. W. JONES. Sheriff Callahan Co. Tex.

FIFTH SUNDAY MEETING.

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Program of fifth Sunday meeting to be held with Cross Plains Baptist church, beginning Friday, 3 p. m., before the fifth Sunday in July : FRIDAY SESSION.

most exciting state campaigns ever Introductory sermon by M. S. Whatley at 3 p. m. Hand 50 cents to your postmaster What is our duty to our children as

christian parents? Discussion 4 p.m. rect to A. H. Belo & Co., Publishers, Preaching by C. C. Hightower at 7 p. m.

SATURDAY SESSION.

What is the true form of church government? J. R. Kelley and M. S. Whatley, at 9 a. m.

ridge and I II. Michael at 2 p. m.

Sermon by A. T. Ford; at 7 p. m.

SUNDAY SESSION.

Sunday school mass meeting led by

Sermon by J. R. Kelley, at 11 a. m.

NOTICE BRIDGE BUILDERS.

building of a wooden bridge across

according to plans and specifications

now on file in Clerk's office. The right

to reject any and all bids reserved by

The Commissioner's court of Calla-

R. D. CARTER,

I. N. JACKSON,

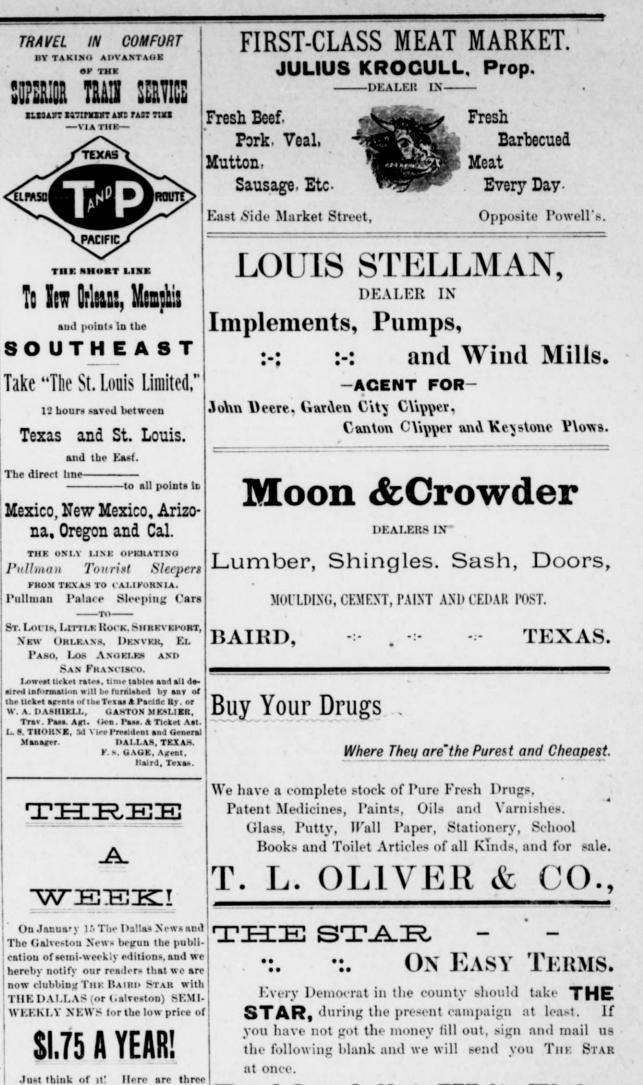
County Clerk.

Chairman of Committee.

R. A. St. John, at 9 a. m.

3 p. m.

settle the same in wheat, oats, cattle, of collecting and distributing mission for the small price of \$1.75! horses, mules, jacks and jennetts at the funds? A. T. Ford and M. E. Surles, Now is the time to supply yourself



Have we the right system in Texas papers a week, or 156 papers a year, Read Carefully, Write Plain.

FOR COUNTY SURVEYOR.

T. H. FLOYD. Independent.

Tomato Pickles.

July 24 .- Though the hot weather prophesied by the storm prophets to be about this time is beginning to come and may spoil them I shall try my hand on another lot of pickles. Resting, marble playing and eating the few watermelons is now about the order of the day with many of the neighborhood. The greater part, indeed about all, of the physical work is done. Those who labor mentally are having all the time they could desire. Careing for the sorghum is nearing completion. Cotton is doing finely, though it is feared that the hot weather before referred to will injure it great-

ly.

The protracted meetings around are beginning, one at Union church on Turkey Creek and one at Cottonwood.

Bro. Linsey preached at Cedar Grove Saturday, Sunday and at night in the place of Bro. J. R. Kelly, absent. His sermons were excellent, indicating zeal and steadfastness. He is missing.

The singing of which we spoke in the last pickles was good though the staple five on left shoulder. lower community was meagerly represented.

The union of the two churches to have a protracted meeting failed. T. D.

JUDICIAL CONVENTION.

By authority vested in me I hereby call a convention at the city of Cisco, Texas August 9, 1894, for the purpose of nominating a Democratic candidate for the office of District Attorney for the forty second Judicial District of ALDEN BELL Texas Ch. 42 Jud. Dist.

highest cash figures. We do this to at 10 a.m. help those that have no money.

Yours for business, DRISKILL & NORTON. 31 atf

---IMPORTANT INFORMATION.

The "Rock Island Route" is now running through vestibule sleeping cars between Texas and Colorado leaving Fort Worth Daily at 8:15 p. m., and arriving in Denver at 7:45 second morning. If you intend making a business or pleasure trsp to Colorado this summer, call on your nearest ticket agent, or address the undersigned for folders, rates or information. It is needless to add that we still continue to run the "Flyer" to han County at its August term 1894 Kansas City and Chicago without will receive sealed proposals for the change of cars.

Purchase your tickets via "The Turkey Creek, near Cross Plains, in Great Rock Island Route," and get said county. Said bridge to be built full value for your money.

J. C. MCCABE, G. P. A Fort Worth, Texas.

ESTRAY NOTICES.

Estrayed by J. H. Hill, June 21, 1894, before Justin Cook, justice of the peace in Callahan county, Texas, one black, blaze face horse, seven years old, branded A 6 connected very energetic, though one arm is on left shoulder. One roan horse branded A 6 annected on right shoulder. One sorrel blaze face, branded H R conneceed with bar under it on left shoulder. One roan horse branded

> One bay horse branded 14 on left shoulder. One bay mare 10 years old , left eye out, branded J E connected on shoulder and thigh and I L O

on shoulder. . I. N. JACKSON, 30.4t County Clerk.

Estrayed by E. A. Hudson, before Justin Cook, justice of the peace, Callahan county, Texas, June 11, 1894, one bay horse, about five years o'd snip on nose, left hind foot white, about 14 hands high, branded A 6 connected on left shoulder. I. N. JACKSON.

County Clerk.

CITY HOTEL -The above Hotel bas been rented by E. Sigal. Board and Lodging. or oms alone

THE SIGAL HOTEL .- Corner First and Market streets, Mrs. E. Sigal, pro

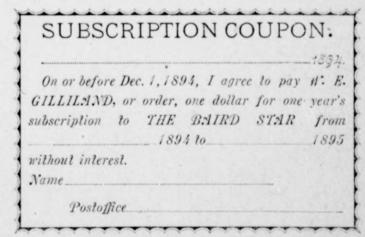
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Manager.

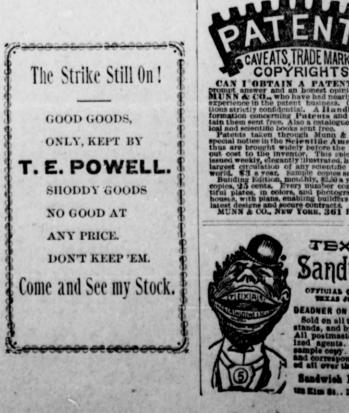
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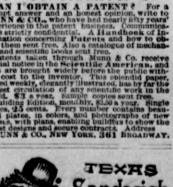


H. H. RAMSEY



Nothing less than one year's subscription will be received on these terms. This offer is only to citizens of Callahan county.







for return to September 1.

EXCURSION RATES. Following are the reduced rates to political conventions to be beld at Dallas; one fare for the round trip: For the "Lily White" Republican

inclusive, tickets on sale August 4 and 6, limited for return August 10.

For the Democratic State Convention to be held August 14 to 17, tickets on sale August 12 and 13, limited for return to August 18.

For the Republican State Convention, to be held August 27 to 31, tickets on sale August 26 and 27, limited

F. S. GAGE, Agent.

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meet at Baird next Thursday to nominate a county ticket.

Convention, to be held August 6 to 9,

the court.