NORTH WILL HELP TEXAS CELEBRATE

Fifteen Thousand Visitors from Above Dixie Line Will Flock to San Antonio to Assist in Anniversary of San Jacinto Battle.

MARVELOUS PROGRESS OF THE ALAMO CITY

Typical American Community That Is Rapidly Developing Its Manufacturing Resources and Controls the Trade of a Vast Contest Between Seventh and Ninth Section.

BY HERBERT VANDERHOOF. Fifteen thousand visitors from the North are expected in San Antonio to the Northern Settlers' convention, which will be held in that city April 20 and 21 The latter date is the anniversary of the battle of San Jacinto, the most memorable and highly treasured event in the history of Texas, as it witnessed the downfall of the power of Mexico and the achievement of independence. It was on April 21, 1836, that the gallant band under the leadership of General Sam Houston met Mexican force of twice its strength nd almost annihilated it after one of the most desperate battles in history.

The growth of Texas dates from that day of bloodshed, and it is especially appropriate that the visitors from the North should be invited to join in the celebra tion at San Antonio, as that city can show them in a superlative degree the progress that has been made in the Lone its historic associations, will engross a great deal of attention and interest on the part of the visitors from the North, but the city itself and its great industrial development will appeal to them with especial force, it may be safely asserted.

The balmy, dry atmosphere which has Bert E. Colby of Osakis. made this city one of the greatest health resorts in the United States brings thousands here each year to be cured of throat and lung diseases, rheumatism and general debility. But this is only an incident in the growth of the city. It has, however, had the effect of making it one of the most representative American communities in the nation. Men from all sections of the country have been attracted to San Antonio, and then, falling in love with the country and its magnifitracted to San Antonio, and then, falling in love with the country and its magnificent climate, and keenly alive to the opportunities that await the ambitious man, have taken up their permanent residence and contributed their energies and capital to the upbuilding of a city.

As a consequence, San Antonio has become a great manufacturing and jobbing center, while its big retail establishments in every line will compare favorably with anything in the North or East.

A Reason for Its Growth.

There are excellent reasons for the

rowth of San Antonio along industrial lines, and also for its further indefinite expansion. The city is the natural geographical metropolis of a rapidly developing tributary territory, whose natural resources have as yet been only scratched. In the territory the trade of which naturally gravitates to San Annalysis. scratched. In the territory the trade of which naturally gravitates to San Antonio the entire population of the state of Illinois could be set down, and then there would be room for more. And this territory is growing in population yearly to an astounding extent. Thousands and thousands of new settlers from the North and West are flocking in each year and buying up the rich and productive lands that are to be obtained for a mere song compared with the land values in the sections they come from.

Naturally, San Antonio is benefiting from this astonishing growth. It is especially favorably situated to secure and retain the trade that comes from this that are to be obtained for a mere song compared with the land values in the sections they come from the section of the sectio trade being Houston, which is 209 miles trade being Houston, which is 209 miles away. Handling the produce of this territory alone is a good business, but the needs of this tributary section have stimulated manufacturing in the city, until there are now over 150 establishments which are turning out goods and which have an annual pay roll of between \$5,000,000 and \$6,000,000 a year. Two of the largest breweries in the South are in this city, while there are several flouring mills, machine shops, foundries, iron works, candy factories, binderies, lithographing and printing houses, vinegar and baking powder factories, cement works—a most important industry—paper box factories, broom factories, marble works.

Aside from these industries, there are great possibilities here for the investment of capital in other manufacturing lines. For instance, in cotton and woolen mills, shoe factories, canning factories and glass factories. In cotton and woolen manu-factures the manufacturer has the double advantage over his Northern competitor of being near the originating point of his raw supplies and close to the dis-tributing point of finished goods, and the saving that he thus effects in freight charges alone is in itself a considerable profit. There has never been any troubk-in obtaining labor, and every manufac-turer in San Antonio who has built his business upon the right lines has been abundantly successful.

San Antonio and Its Banks.

Every business man before he invests Every business man before he invests his capital in any line of business in a community will desire to investigate its banking facilities. These are almost as essential to him as the labor supply. In this respect San Antonio is especially well equipped. It has a number of national as well as state banks, and all are prospersus and ably managed. The total decisions and ably managed. ous and ably managed. The total deposits in these banks are between \$13,-000,000 and \$14,000,000, and they furnish ample facilities for the business of the

In addition to the vast sums that are out here every year by the manufac-ng interests the jobbing and retail ties of the city are the means of houses of the city are the means of bringing in many additional millions every year. Then San Antonio is also a great railway center, and the local pay rolls of the railways that center here and that have established this as the point for their shops amount to over \$2,500,000 a year. The United States government is also a liberal spender in San Antonio, as this is the headquarters of the Department of Texas and Fort Sam Houston, one of the largest military reservations in the country, is located here. The expenditures of the government at this post amount to \$700,000 a year.

There is one feature that will not fail impress the visitor, and that

impress the visitor, and that the absence of the "To Rent" ins, that are so common in many amunities. It is almost impossible to lone in San Antonio, and yet during past five years there have been over in buildings exceed in this city. What 6,000 buildings erected in this city. What San Antonio needs, and what is going to bring a fortune to the men who will San Antonio needs, and what is going to bring a fortune to the men who will supply this need, is a number of apartment houses. There is at present only one apartment house in the city, three stories high, and the rooms in this are in constant demand at from \$15 to \$25 a month each. Four or five more buildings of this class, each not less than five stories, could be kept constantly filled at the same rate, which does not include board. The tourists who come here by the thousand each year would eggerly take up these apartments, but eagerly take up these apartments, but because of the lack of these accommodations they are now obliged to obtain accommodations in the private boarding houses about the city.

Real Estate Values Low.

Land values are low in San Antonio, but the prices are steadily appreciating. Many of the visitors here in past years have been so impressed with the oppor-tunities for profitable investment that tunities for profitable investment that they have sent in large sums to be placed, not in city property alone, but in lands in the territory adjacent. From 10 to 15 per cent a year is an average net rate from real estate, and as lands appreciate in value this will mean a largely increased income on property bought at present prices. Outside investors of the most conservative character have realized these facts, and are making large investments here, while the large Eastern loaning institutions view this as a favored field for their operations.

Saturday Evening, THE MINNEAPOLIS JOURNAL. March 3, 1900 TODAY'S NEWS OF THE NORTHWEST INVITING THAN VALLEY AGENTS WANTED AGENTS WANTED AGENTS WANTED AGENTS WANTED AGENTS WANTED YEGUA OFFERS MANY INDUCEMENTS TO SETTLERS. PROVIDION DI OCUC Climata Is Mild and Equable, Soil Is AGENTS WANTED AGENTS WANTED OFFERS MANY INDUCEMENTS TO SETTLERS. Inviting Than 1 of the gree in the gree i

FROM FERGUS FALLS.

Districts for The Journal Cup Proves Most Interesting of Any Yet Held-Willmar Attacks Boss Rule and Students Enliven the Proceedings.

Special to The Journal.

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Fergus Falls, Minn., March 3.—The interdistrict debate between the seventh and ninth districts in the series of contests for the state champtonship and The Journal's cup. was held here last evening and was won by the Seventh district, represented by the Willmar high school team, the decision of the judges being two for Willmar and one for Fergus Falls. The defeat of the local team causes general disappointment here, but the contest was perdisappointment here, but the contest was perfectly fair in every way; and no one congratulates the winners more heartily than the members of the defeated team.

The subject discussed was: "Resolved, That all elective state, district, county and city officers should be chosen by direct primaries." Fersus Falls took the efficiency of the propagation.

gus Falls took the affirmative of the proposigus Fails took the animative of the proposi-tion and Willmar the negative.

The Fergus Falls school was represented by William Bell, Charles Nyberg and Axel Nelson, and the Willmar school by Wallace Martin, Carl Jacobson and Victor Martin. Everyone agrees Star state. Of course, the Alamo, with that the two teams were evenly matched and the historic associations will appross a well balanced. There was not a weak debater

well balanced. There was not a weak debater on either side—In fact, there has never been a debate in the long series held here where the speakers exhibited more uniform strength or greater ability to "think on their feet." Rev. W. H. Jordan of Minneapolis presided, and the judges were Superintendent W. H. Hollands of Sauk Center, C. E. Payne of Long Prairie and Bert E. Colby of Osskis. Students Liven Proceedings.

The night was stormy and disagreeable, but there was a fair audience. The entire high school occupied the balcony and livened matters from time to time with class yells. A new ong had been prepared for the occasion, and it

There's a good time coming, help it on; There's a good time coming, help it on. Fergus Falls will soon be winning, All the air with it is dinning, All the air with it is dinning, Help it on, help it on, help it on, on, on. The affirmative is right, help it on; The affirmative is right, help it on. With our songs and with applause We'll defend the prim'ry laws, Help it on, help it on, help it on, on, on.

When the Fergus high shall win, help it on: When the Fergus high shall win, help it on. Then the hot time will begin For we'll make the welkin ring, Help it on, help it on, help it on, on, on.

the same and the team made a splendid showing. Nor was the applause all on one side. The Willmar boys were cheered as lustily as their opponents when they made telling points, and telling points were numerous on both sides. The Fergus team advocated the primary as the right of the Averigen citizen—the right to nominate of the American citizen—the right to nominate his candidates as well as to elect them. The team took the ground that it was only thru primary election laws that the country could be freed from the rule of the bosses; that the citi-zen could gain the rights of which corrupt poli-ticians had deprived him.

Team Refers to Boss Rule.

system resulted in the perpetuation of the party and enabled the people thru their duly elected representatives in the conventions to declare their wishes on public questions thru the medium of the party platform; that in the multiplicity of candidates under the primary system the nomi nee seldom received a majority of all votes cast, and the man nominated was often the choice of a minority of the people; that the primary system was a nice thing in theory, but that it did not work well in practice. The team held that the primary did not eliminate boss rule but rather tended to serengthen it and held up St. Paul as a striking example of the most boss-ridden and misgoverned city in the northwest.

The affirmative replied that if the people could

be trusted to nominate delegates to conventions they could certainly be trusted to nominate the they could certainly be trusted to nominate the candidates; that the present system of party platform-making was the merest farce, the platform being prepared by a platform committee and worded with a view to catching the most votes, the convention merely indorsing the report of the committee, and going on with the port of the committee, and going on with the more exciting work of making nominations. It was held that a better way to frame a party platform would be to have it framed by a central committee composed of the chairmen of the various county committees, who could meet and act deliberately, with an eye single to the best interests of the country and the party. The team also dwelt strongly on the corruption of conventions, and the buying, selling and trading of votes.

ing of votes.

Willmar replied that their opponents had exaggerated this feature of the case, and then pointed to the splendid men who had been nominated under the convention system, such as Lincoln, La Follette and Folk. It was a thoroly interesting debate throut, and the winners are entitled to hearty congratulations.

HUMBOLDT WINS DEBATE Farmington Team Meets Defeat in In-

teresting Contest. FARMINGTON, MINN.—The Humboldt high school defeated the Farmington high school at debate last evening. The arguments were conducted in the high school before one of the biggest audiences that has ever congregated at Permington

biggest audiences that has ever congregated at Farmington.

The subject was, "Resolved, That all elective, state, district, county and city officers, should be nominated by direct primaries held under state regulations, rather than by delegate convention." The affirmative was taken by the Farmington debaters, and the negative by the St. Paul debaters, The judges decided in favor of the negative, two to one.

The St. Paul debaters outclassed the local speakers in delivery. The debaters were: Farmington, Nellie Baine, E'Toile Baine and Joseph Clements; Humboldt, Belle Blumenfeld, Eugene Coyne and Benjamin Harmon. A. B. White of the University of Minnesota, Professor E. S. Innis of Hamline university and E. E. Stoffard of Carleton college were the judges. Lloyd Peabody of St. Paul presided.

There is a probability that the debate will be protested. It is claimed that Miss Blumenfeld was not eligible to debate. The contest was between two districts, three and four. Altricts she lives in Dakota, which is in the tho she is attending school in the fourth dis trict, she lives in Dakota, which is in the third.

CERTIFICATES FOR TEACHERS Fifteen Pass Examinations Held Re cently at Ada, Minn.

MINN.-The following teachers were ADA, MINN.—The following teachers were granted certificates at the recent examinations: George W. Skinner, Felton; Birdle Somers, Ada; Clara Berge, Ada; Gertie Martinson, Ada; George Schlumpberger, Borup; Alma Nyen, Spring Creek; W. J. Neukom, Ada; Linger Wiger, Ulen; Wallace Pearson, Ada; Lotte H. Weaver, Ada; Emma Hemmestvedt, Ada; Mabel E. Johnson, Ada; Laura Mosler, Ada; Adelaide Holden, Ada; Ida Enger, Halstad.

FACTORY IN CLEARWATER

Mississippi River Power Company Incorporates at St. Cloud.

ST. CLOUD. MINN.—Articles of incorporation have been drawn and will in a few days be filed with the secreary of state for the organization of a corporation to be known as the Mississippi River Power company with a capital of \$50,000. It was organized by E. F. Moore, president of the First National bank, and D. H. Freeman and George A. Moore, all well-known St. Cloud men. They will build, a dam and operate a pulp and paper mill near Clearwater.

WINONA, MINN.—Paul Kemp of this city leaves this evening for Chicago to attend a meeting of the executive committee of the German Roman Catholic Central society of the United States. At the annual convention of this society last full, at Cincinnati, Mr. Kemp was elected secretary.

MEET IN DEBATE LAFOLLETTE'S LEAD Y. M. C. A. IS BUSY

WILLMAR HIGH SCHOOL WINS MARKED PARALLEL IN POLITICS OF TWO STATES.

> Conditions in Iowa Resemble Closely Those of Badger State, Even to Division of Republican Party Into Two Factions-Governor Cummins Makes Primary Election Law a Campaign

Special to The Journal.

Des Moines, March 3.—That there will be no healing of the rupture within the republican party of lowa became certain this week with the defeat of Governor Cummins' primary election bill in the senate at Des Moin split is inevitable is conceded and that Governor Cummins has concluded to follow in the foot-steps of Senator Robert M. La Follette is appa-

ent. With cries of treason, anathemas and bitter personal charges assailing him. Governor Cummins has determined to proceed resolutely along what he says is the path to reform. And the parallel between his program and the difficulties that surround it, and the program of La Follette and the difficulties that surrounded it is easily apparent. apparent.

Governor Cummins' first demand is for a pri-

Governor Cummins' first demand is for a primary election law, state-wide, direct and compulsory; this is what La Follette demanded and finally got. Governor Cummins demands an antipass law, far-reaching and stringent, and this is what La Follette demanded and got. Governor Cummins believes the railroads should pay their full share of taxes, and he is committed by his making procedured to the result of the committed of the state of taxes, and he is committed by his public speeches to work to that end; this is what La Follette said in Wisconsin and what he is credited with doing much to bring about.

Some More Parallels. The parallel reaches further. La Follette was accused of wrecking his party in Wisconsin; this identical charge is hurled constantly at Governor Cummins. La Follette's insurgent at-tack on men of his own party made two kinds of republicans in Wisconsin, and the whole country knows them by the names of halfbreeds and stalwarts. In Iowa it is now not enough to say one is a republican; he must go farther and say whether he is a "progressive" or a "standpatter," and the whole United States will soon know them by these names.

know them by these names.

Had the legislature voted for the primary elec tion law, drafted in entire accordance with Cum-mins' wishes and constituting the chief issue of the administration, this fight might have been averted. Even if the legislature now approves the antipass law, which is unlikely, it cannot be avoided. For Cummins still has the primary as an issue on which he can go before the people this summer in asking a nomination for a third term in violation of the two-term precedent that has existed ever since lowa became a state.

state.
But simply because Governor Cummmins is going to make a fight for renomination on state issues does not mean that he will give up the "Iowa idea" for a revision of the tariff which threw him into the limelight four years ago and made

CUMMINS AT LE MARS Iowa's Governor Enters Home Territory of His Opponent.

tory of His Opponent.

LE MARS, IOWA.—Governor Cummins fairly went into the back yard of George D. Perkins of Sloux City, his opponent for the republican nomination for governor, to deliver an address here today. Plymouth county has been positively claimed by the Perkins people from the first, and they resent the suggestion that Perkins will not be able to get the support of a county so closely related to Sloux City as Plymouth. Sloux City is on the extreme northern edge of Woodbury, so that Flymouth has always been regarded as sort of a home county. Shortly after the announcement of Mr. Perkins' candidacy a mass meeting was held here for the purpose of indorsing his candidacy. It was attended by seventy-six prominent republicans nad was managed by I. S. Struble, former congressman from this district, who, it was attended by seventy-six prominent republicans nad was managed by I. S. Struble, former congressman from this district, who, it is said, has been promised the support of the Perkins followers for the position of collector of revenue to succeed A. C. Smith of Storm Lake. The Cummins people are not disposed to concede Plymouth to Perkins, however, and the speech by Governor Cummins marks the deginning of a campaign against the Sloux Cityman, in which E. D. Chassell, editor of the Le Mars Sentinel and state binder, will probably be leader.

GEORGE FAIRBURN'S FUNERAL Services to Be Held at Fonda, Iowa, Next Tuesday.

DES MOINES, IOWA.—The funeral of the late George Fairburn, sovereign grand inspector general of the Scottish Rite Masons of Iowa, will be held at Fonda next Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Fairburn's body will arrive here from Ios Angeles, Cal., on Monday and will be taken at once to his home at Fonda. He was one of the most distinguished Masons in Iowa, and his funeral will be attended by many members of that order.

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A brief telegram announcing his death Wednesday came as a surprise to his friends here. Mr. and Mrs. Fairburn went to the Pacific coast for a pleasure trip in January. A letter received from them less than a week ago stated that Mr. Fairburn was in excellent health. Several years ago, Mr. Fairburn received the thirty-third and highest degree of the Scottish Rite. Last October he was elected a member of the supreme council for that rite for the southern jurisdiction of the United States. As such, he became inspector general for Iowa, making him the highest ranking Scottish Rite Mason in the state for life. In the southern jurisdiction of the order, this distinguished honor is held by only thirty men. In this office Mr. Fairburn succeeded the late Governor Buren R. Sherman of Vinton and T. S. Parvin of Cedar Rapids.

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Mr. Fairburn was well known in banking and financial circles. At Fonda he owned one of the largest banks in the northern part of the state and previous to going to Fonda four or five years ago, he was engaged in banking business in Des Moines.

WILL INCREASE REVENUE Nicollet County Commissioners Find

Way to Raise Receipts.

ST. PETER, MINN.—It is believed that Nicollet county's tax receipts will be increased between \$25,000 and \$30,000 per annum as the result of a policy that has just been adopted by the board of county commissioners. They gages on real property in adjoining counties and propose to list all the securities they can find. Altho there was talk of engaging tax ferrets several years ago, no action was taken and the mortgages or real property in adjoining counties and propose to list all the securities they can find. Altho there was talk of engaging tax ferrets several years ago, no action was taken and the mortgagers remained unmolested until last month, when one of the county officials learned that a St. Peter business man held mortgages in Le Sueur county. He communicated with Auditor Ziebarth at Le Sueur Center and that officer returned a certified list showing that the local man had mortgages valued at \$17.9% on file in 1905. The year before he was credited with a total of \$8.134 and for three years prior to that he had a \$2.060 certificate on record.

When the list was placed before the county board by Auditor A. H. Freeman, the board Gradered the securities assessed at 50 per cent of their face value and that buck taxes for a period of five years, with interest at 7 per cent be collected, and the assessment of the delinquent one was raised from \$24 to \$547.

Instructions were also issued to the auditor to procure certified lists of all the mortgages owned by Nicollet county people and on file in the counties of Le Sueur. Brown, Blue Earth and Sibley, and to place them on the tax lists in accordance with law. As there are loans aggregating approximately \$500,000 in Le Sueur county, and sums nearly as large in the others, the county's revenue will be added to materially, but the new system is being criticled from the fact that it will compel Nicollet to pay a larger proportionate state tax than her neighbors.

The first collection is nearly enough to pay the cost of preparing plans and speci Way to Raise Receipts.

present tax rate of 4 mills.

FARMINGTON, MINN.—The Dakota County Daily Gazette published its first issue today. Its inception is due to the county-seat fight. M. Burg of St. Peter is editor. STILLWATER, MINN, F. R. Dobson

STILLWATER, MINN.—F. R. Dobson, ilv near Mahtomedi, was arraigned in the munici court on a charge of neglecting to support wife. The hearing was continued a week at request. He was committed to the county in default of \$100 ball, until the hearing.

MINOT, N. D.—A bill of \$4.824, the costs in the Murphy trial which was recently conducted in Cass county, has been forwarded by Judge Pollock to the commissioners of Ward county, and probably will be passed upon at their next meeting. March 5.

ARRANGEMENTS COMPLETED FOR CONVENTION AT BLUE EARTH.

Program Includes Addresses by Several Well-Known State Workers and Interesting Features Are Planned for the Two-Days' Sessions-Secretary Coffin Organizes Several Classes in County.

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Secretary Faribault County Y. M. C. A. Special to The Journal.

ROSCOE C. COFFIN

Special to The Journal.

Blue Earth, Minn., March 3.—The Faribault County Y. M. C. A. is busy arranging for the convention of the association to be held here March 24-28. Among the speakers who have promised to attend are the following state workers: R. E. Squires, who will speak on "Character an Investment for Life"; W. G. Cartlich, on "A Conference for Younger Boys"; K. A. Shumaker. "A Conference for High-School and College Boys"; W. G. Cartlich, illustrated lecture on "Boys of Minnesota"; F. E. Eastman, "A Five Years' Policy for Faribault County"; E. W. Peck, "Railroad Work."

Since the organization of the Y. M. C. A. Since the organization of the Y. M. C. A. here last November, Roscoe C. Coffin, the county secretary, has been actively engaged in the work of organizing Bible classes and superintending the arrangements for the convention. The tending the arrangements for the convention. The county Bible classes are arranged as follows: Basey church, membership 29; Winnebago, two classes, membership 38; Wells, one class, membership 38; Wells, one class, membership 25, Elmore is now being organized. A series of practical talks has been arranged for at Bricelyn and lectures at all points where Bible classes have been organized.

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MARKIED FIFTY YEARS Minnesota Couple Celebrates Golden Wedding Anniversary.

WINONA, MINN.—Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Macen.an, who live just west of this city in Gilmore Valley, yesterday celebrated their gol-Macenan, who has just west of this city in Gilmore Valley, yesterday celebrated their golden wedding anniversary. They were presented with a purse of gold from their friends and they also received a golden token from their children. They were married at Cleveland, Ohio, in 1856, and within the year came to Winona and have resided here for the half century of their wedded life. They have three sous, all grown to manhood and with families, all the members of which were at the celebration vesterday. A big missionary meeting will be held in the A big missionary meeting will be field in the First Congregational church in this city on next Tuesday evening, when a delegation from the American board of commissioners of foreign mis-sions will be present. Dr. Browne, for many years a missionary in Turkey, will be the principal speaker.

DEATH CLAIMS THREE VICTIMS Railroads Kill Two and Farmer Dies Suddenly Near Green Bay.

Suddenly Near Green Bay.

GREEN BAY, WIS.—Death, without any warning, claimed three victims in one day, two being from this city and one from the Oneida reservation. Ferdinand De Graf, a prosperous Belgian farmer of Bellevue, fell dead on top of his load of hay while steadying his ladder preparatory to descending. Death was due to heart disease. Prosper Geniesee, an old settler, was struck and killed by a North-Western passenger train near the Kewaunee railroad crossing.

The third death was that of William Schuyler an Oneida Indian. He was killed by a Green Bay & Western train while walking around a curve on the track near Finnegan's siding.

Manuel Brunette, owner of the Duck Greek stone quarry, has refused to accept \$1,000 for right of way money for two and one-half acros of land from the North-Western railroad. This sum was awarded him by commissioners who appraised the value of his land. Brunette appealed to the circuit court but a private settlement was effected and the company will pay him \$2,500.

WORKMEN ATTACK INTRUDER Infringement Controversy Leads to Assault at Manitowoc, Wis.

MANITOWOC, WIS.—Because they alleged he was a spy, frate employees of the Tubbs Manufacturing company of this city, whose factory is at Ludington, Mich., severely beat J. V. Nullington, aged 70 years, painted his whiskers green and loaded him on a Pere Marquette ferryboat for a passage home.

The attack on Millington is an incident in a bitter fight that is being carried on between the Hamilton Manufacturing company of Two Harbors and the Tubbs company. These are the only two concerns in the United States manufacturing wood type and printers' wood supplies. There is a patent infringement suit pending between them in the supreme court at Lansing, Mich.

Millington, it is alleged, was detected by the Tubbs workmen in the act of securing a list of names of persons to whom shipments were being made, and it was this that aroused the wrath of the Tubbs employees. Millington was obliged to give up the list, and when pressed, it is alleged, he stated that be was employed by a patent attorney having an office in Chicago. Armed guards have been placed about the Ludington factory since the Millington episode.

GIVES \$10,000 TO CHURCH Mrs. C. L. Colman of La Crosse Pro-

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LA CROSSE, WIS.—Mrs. C. L. Colman. widow of the well-known lumberman, has donated \$10,000 to the First Methodist church for the purpose of erecting a large addition to the church to be used for a Sunday school room and for social gatherings. Plans for the addition are now being made and work will begin early in the spring. Only a short time ago Mrs. Colman donated \$20,000 to the La Crosse public library.

The citizens' convention committee appointed last year to raise money to furnish entertainment for the visitors who came here to attend the conventions held in this city, has made its report. The total sum raised was \$3,192, but there is a balance of more than \$400 on hand and the committee will refund 14 per cent of the amount of subscriptions made by public-spirited citizens.

Rev. Charles Burr of Milwankee has accepted a call to the pastorate of St. Peter's Episcopal church of this city. He has been assigned to this charge by Bishop Nicholson of Mirwankee with instructions to begin his labors March 1. He will conduct his first services tomorrow. Rev. Mr. Burr succeeds Rev. H. G. Hennessey, who resigned to go to Oklahoma.

GRAND RAPIDS, WIS.—John McPherson and Frank Murphy, a negro, broke jall here today, and have made their escape. It was one of the eleverest cases of failbreaking in the history of this part of the state,

PHONE EXTENSION

NORTH DAKOTA SUPREME COURT MAKES IMPORTANT RULING.

Pristate Company, After Winning Suit in Lower Court, Constructs Line Along Chester Township Highway-Settlement Must Now Be Made with Property Owners-Appeal May Be Taken.

Special to The Journal.

Grand Forks, N. D., March 3.—The supreme court has handed down a decision that is of vast importance to telephone and telegraph companies in the state, the court practically holding that companies have no right to use the highways for stringing wires or setting poles, without first securing permission from the property owners abut-

ting.

The decision was handed down yesterday in the case of M. A. Cosgrif, Sarah Busse, Frank Coufel, William Whitmore and William Mc-Sharry against the Tri-State Telephone company. These plaintiffs brought an action against the telephone company early last summer, and made application to Judge Fisk of the district court for a temporary injunction, restraining the company from building a telephone line along the highway in Chester township adjoining their property. Judge Fisk denied the motion for a temporary injunction, holding that the plaintiffs were not damaged by the construction of the work of the construction o were not damaged by the construction of the line along the highway. An appeal to the su-preme court was taken from this order and the supreme court has reversed Judge Fisk's order and directed the entry of an order granting a emporary injunction.

Must Settle with Owners.

The telephone line was built along the line surveyed after the temporary injunction had been denied, and the supreme court decision will prob-ably mean that some settlement will have to be ably mean that some settlement will have to be made with the property owners. That the decision is an important one is shown by the interest taken in the case. The Tri-State company was represented by J. B. Wineman and George A. Bangs, and before the case was submitted to the supreme court the Northwestern Telephone company joined with the Tri-State company, thus adding the services of Tracy R. Bangs. The plaintiffs were represented by Skulason & Skulason.

An attorney for one of the telephone compa-nies stated last night that the decision meant nothing more or less than that the telephone companies would be required to make settlement with abutting property owners along all high-ways, but he claimed that there was a federal law involved that he thinks governs the subject law involved that he thinks governs the subject of right-of-way, and he gave it as his opinion that the United States supreme court would be asked to pass on the case before the matter was

Cannot Tax State.

The state supreme court has affirmed the ceision of R. D. Hoskins, clerk of the court, n refusing to tax the costs of the capitol countision case against the state. In making its "Under the circumstances of this case we do

not think the costs should be allowed. The defendants had been appointed to execute the pro fendants had been appointed to execute the pro-visions of a statute and were in good faith at-tempting to perform their duttes. It would be unjust to mulct them for the mistakes of the legislature. The application for the taxation of he costs against the state is denied.' The total costs the plaintiffs sought to have taxed amount to about \$100.

SUMMER SCHOOL TEACHERS

Faculty Selected for Mankato State Normal's Training Classes.

MANKATO, MINN.—A joint summer training school is to be held at the state normal school in this city for the counties of Riue Earth, Brown, Cottonwood, Faribault, Le Sueur, Nicollet, Redwood, Wascca and Watonwan, June 1 to Aug. 19. The faculty is largely made up from the normal school.

Professor Charles H. Cooper will be conductor, John A. Hancock will instruct in general method and geography, Fred L. Holtz in physiology, Carolyn M. Robbins in geography, Alice V. Robbins in geometry, Jeremiah S. Young in civies and history, David O. Coate in English composition and grammar, Chessley J. Posey in physics, Rebecca F. Colyer in grammar, Ellen C. Davis in arithmetic, Charlotte S. Huff in music and reading, Kate H. Sparrow in drawing, George A. Franklin, superintendent of the Faribault schools, in algebra and arithmetic; James M. McConnell, superintendent of the Mankato schools, in history and algebra; Herbert R. Edwards, superintendent of the Worthington schools, in physiology and history; Merton P. Forbes, superintendent of the Marshall schools, in history and physical geography; Tina M. Powers as teacher of the primary model school.

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"When my little boy was six months old, he had eczema. The sores extended so quickly over the whole body that we at once called in the doctor. We then



whenever he opened the mouth they began to bleed and suppurate, as did also his eyes. Hands, arms, chest, and back, in short the whole back, in short the whole body, was cevered over and over. We had no rest by day or night. Whenever he was laid in his bed, we had to pin his hands down: otherwise he would scratch his face, and

ALFONSO HOHRATE. schember of the wise he would make an open sore. I think his face must have itched most fearfully.

"We finally thought nothing could help, and I had made up my mind to send my wife with the child to Europe, hoping that the sea air might cure him, otherwise he was to be put under good medical care there. But, Lord be blessed, matters came differently, and we soon saw a miracle. A friend of ours spoke about Cuticura. We made a trial with Cuticura Soap, Ointment, and Resolvent, and within ten days or two weeks we noticed a decided improvement. Just as quickly as the sickness had appeared it also began to disappear, and within ten weeks the child was absolutely well, and his skin was smooth and white as never before." F. Hohrath, President of the C. L. Hohrath Company, Manufacturers of Silk Ribbons, 4 to 20 Rink Alley, June 5, 1905. South Bethlehem, Pa. Cuticara Soap, Ointment, and Fills are sold throughout the world. Fotter Drug a Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Rosian.

Rich and Productive, and Land Is Cheap. Special Correspondence to The Inter Ocean

Lexington, Texas, Feb. 27, 1906.—In the vast and inviting empire of Texas there is no other spot, perhaps, that offers greater inductments to the settler than the Yegua (pronounced "Yawah") valley, which extends east and west through Lee county. Giddings is the county seat, and Lexington is the chief town of the valley, located on S. A. and A. P. R. R.

The section of this valley lying south of the town of Lexington about three miles and extending west about fifteen and east about the same distance is richly alluvial, from a half mile to a mile and half in width, and is the choicest strip in the heart of a very choice tract of country. It is \$48 feet above sea level, and as a narrow strip of its bottom land is somewhat subject to overflows during the winter and spring rains, the lakes and ponds which are found along the valley become natural reservoirs for the storage of water for the dry season.

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ington immigration league, said yesterday: "The Yegua valley might, but it does not, make any pretensions to celebrity as a health resort. When it boasts at all, its boasting is confined to the advantages which it has to offer the man who is desirous of investing a small amount of money, that he may draw large dividends during all the years of his life and leave a dividend-paying property to those who come after him.

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Bounteous Crops of Valley. "The staple crops in the Yegua are "The staple crops in the Yegua are corn, cotton, sugar cane, cats, potatoes (Irish and sweet), kaffir corn, field peas, and the like. In the line of vegetables, beans, cucumbers, radishes, english peas, asparagus, tomatoes, cantaloupes, cabbage, cauliflower, watermelons, celery, etc., all grow profusely and ripen early. English peas, for instance, ripen in May, canteloupes in May, tomatoes all the season, from May to November; cabbage is planted for the winter market and is ready for northern shipment in January and February.

"Then as to fruit, wild for post-cale."

"Then as to fruit. Wild fox, post-oak and mustang grapes grow in luxuriant quantities all over the country, and are indigenous. An excellent wine is made from them, and they are so plentiful in from them, and they are so plentiful in their wild state that hundreds of tons go to waste annually. The vines and stalks can be budded or grafted with any high-grade variety. Dewberries and blackberries are also indigenous and ripen in April and May. Apples and pears produce well, but the truth is the farmer and horticulturist may turn his hand to so many crops that require comparatively little care, and secure a ready market, that there has been little temptation as yet to enter upon experiments." yet to enter upon experiments."

The government soil survey which was conducted in the valley last year will show that the Orangeburg series of soils exists in the vicinity of Lexington. This is the soil which produces the famous Elberta and other fine varieties of peaches at Jacksonville and Nacogdoches, also Cuban cigar tobacco, Vuelta Abaja variety. The government has located an expert here to superintend a large acreage of this tobacco this year but the advantage in the Yegua valley is that land there can be purchased for from \$5 to \$10 an acre, while in the Jacksonville district no better land brings from \$40 to \$50. Some fine orchards are already bearing, and many others are being planted. All the cucumbers beans, cabbages, onlons, peppers, etc., that can be raised at present are taken at once by one of the greatest pickling establishments of San Antonio, who have pickling The government soil survey which was ments of San Antonio, who have pickling vats here to receive them, and some farmers are making from \$50 to \$100 an acre in these crops alone. Fifty car loads of hogs have been shipped from Lexing-

ton during the past fifteen months, and the industry is growing rapidly. the industry is growing rapidly.

"What the present settlers in the valley are looking for most," continued Dr. Connor, "is not men of great wealth, but men of moderate means who are willing to work along with others who have started in an humble way, but who are now enjoying financial independence. What is needed is industry down here. There is no place for the prince or the prince or the started in the prince of the What is needed is industry down here. There is no place for the prince or the pauper. Extremes in civilization do not meet in this community. There is no opportunity among us for one class to live and subsist off another, but each and all can here receive the just reward of their labor."

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