Held Tonight.

CITIZENS ARE TAKING GREAT INTEREST

The Preliminaries for the Enterprise Will Be Duly Inaugurated.

The auggestion to organize a rice palace in Houston to promote the rice industry of Texas has been cordinity and enthusi-astically received on all sides, and there is a manifest disposition to perfect plans and purposes to that end.

This movement is of great interest and concern to the whole Soutbern part of the State, and we believe Houston's move towards creating the proposed organization that shall advertise to the world the adaptability of the soil of Texas to the culture of rice shall be heartly and readily seconded and supported by all classes of

To discuss this movement and the ways and means for accomplishing the purpose in mind, a meeting is called at the rooms of the Houston Business League on Wedgesday night at 8 p. m., May 14.
William D. Cleveland,
Ed Klam,
B. F. Bonner,
B. W. Cortes,

W. Cortes, A. Mistret, C. Moschart, W. Camp. H. Thompson, M. Johnston, be M. Levy, W. Heltmann & Co., I. F. MacGregor, J. A. Newning,

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THE TEXAS RICE PALACE. THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY.

An Official Call for a Meeting to Be Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Fenn Celebrated Their Golden Wedding.



Last night at their home, 1117 Bell avenue, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Fenn colebrated their golden wedding. They were married April 13, 1852, in Fort Bend county, but it was not convenient to properly remember the exact analyersary, so the celebration was postponed one month,

The maiden name or Mrs. Fenn was Rebecca M. Williams. Both of the devoted couple came to Texas when they were quite young, and they have fived here all their lives. They have several children and it was their living remembrance that caused the day to be colebrated. The deft fingers of their two daughters, assisted by other relatives, converted the happy home, where they have resided since 1872, into a bower of beauty and flowers. The main parlor was deccrated in gold, and in the annex were apread the vast number of golden presents that had been sent in by loving friends. The dining room was beautifully arranged and decorated, old time flowers, such as lockspurs, four-o-clocks, etc., being profusely used. This was at the specific request of Mrs. Fenn, who declared that those were the most popular when she was a girl. Everything was animation within the comfortable home, and it looked as though another wedding was on hand, The fact is, judging by the smiling countenances of Mr. and Mrs. Fenn, it is probable that they were no happier than they were today when she was a blushing belds and he's satisfied brideg.com. Then they looked dimly into the future: now their glances are far up the river of time, and it is probable that the island of Long Ago holds no memory in its bosom that is deaper than the event of last a might proved to be. The reception was from 8 to 10 and a wast number of friends anaplelous riconnarances. The pro- solution anaplelous riconnarances and the alguers and relatives paid their loying respect to the venerable couple,

The guest of honor was Mrs. Anem Jones, widow orr he first president of the Republic of Toxas. With her host and hostess she has passed through all the experiences of this State of wouldered history.

The recording came to a happy conclusion with a little program of tousts. Judge W. P. Hamiden offered an elequent sentiment to the couple and Mr. W. L. Davidson responded for Mrs. Funn, and Mr. Otis Kenn responded for bis 6 father. Mrs. William Christian read two poems, one by Mrs. Neitle S. Cox, ne-The fact, heavier, that as he important agreement of the front the Daughters of the Republic, and one by gentlements names are left of smooth that he reason to prevent any one who has an a love bailed, and the amosts said good night.

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of our State of heart we allowed to help in the proposed scheme; let each veintly and bullvidual leave and feet an interest in this great National as weed as State enterprise. A friend to H. P. Oudey.

To the Editor of the Post.

Honaton, Foxas, May H. From the standpoint of the furmer engaged in the raise in of vitee and other crips, the proposed five polare, accounts of which are now filling the columns of the Honaton, papers the columns of the Honaton papers the columns of the way of advertising the merits of Texas as hone and obtaining to the fertile inade the beat of the columns of the way of an over-their papers of the papers

JAPANESE CONSUL GENERAL.

He Was Ordered Here to Investigate the

Among the premittent arrivals in the city yesterday was Mr. S. Uchida, the consul general of Japan in New York City. As an evidence of the manner in which rice culture in this section is attracting the attention of the whole world. It has be stated that the gentleman has been sortered to this section by his government to investigate the cultivation of rice and toron. A great many samples of rice seed have been largued the cultivation of rice and toron. A great many samples of rice seed have been largued to the objects of his visit is to delegrate whether that rice has grown better or deteriorated under its new conditions.

The lis very much interested in this section and is making a close examination of everything that comes within his view. Among the prominent arrivals in the city

the greatest good to Houston 82.50 will be paid for recovery of animal. REFUSED TO PAY TAX.

The Street Car Company Resists the Assessment of Its Franchise.

THE CITY ATTORNEY WILL BRING SUIT

Notice Given Also that It Will No Longer Pay for Pro Rata of Completed Street Paving.

The Houston Electric company, which owns and operates the Houston street car List of Contributors and Contributions to chise tax, amounting to \$3040, and titly Collector Weish referred the unitier to the city afformer, who will bring sait for the

DENIES THE CHARGE.

Lee Benson Arrested Yesterday by the Detectives Lee and Kessler yesterday forenoon arrested Lee Benson on an affidavit charging felony theft. Remon's ar daylf charging felony theft. Remon's arrest was made in connection with the aiieged theft of \$800 from Mr. William food
of New Jersey, who is stopping in Houston.
Mr. Boyd claimed that while under the
influence of drugs last Friday night he catiered a back and was driven about the city
and that when the ride came to a close and
he scarched for his money it was gone.
Benson was searched at the police station
and no money was found unon him. He declares emphatically that he knows nothing
about the alleged robbery.

DEATH ROLL.

Charles Lewis. Charles Lewis, aged 1 month and 9 days, sen of Mrs. Mattle Lewis, died yesterday at the family residence on Texas avenue and will be buried this morning at 10 o'clock.

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Women's Wear---Also Children's.

ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM THE WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT ON SECOND FLOOR.

Women's Walking Skirts

quality all wool covert cloth, in medium grays, deep flounce, trimmed with black satin piping, an

A Full Tailored Seven-Gore Flare Skirt, trimmed with fancy cording and straps, made of all wool covert, a very correct hanging skirt, value 10.50, at 8.49

Women's Seven-Gore Skirt, made of all wool covert, in Oxford, medium and light grays, deep stitched flounce, worth all of 8.75,

Women's Wool Dress Skirts

Women's Seven-Gore All Wool Black Cheviot Skirt, made with deep flare, an excellent

Women's Seven-Gore Broadcloth Skirts, in grays and black, trimmed with three rows of corded satin bands to form flounce,

Women's Silk Dress Skirts

Women's Uplined Taffeta Silk Skirt, seven-gore, herringbone stitching down all seams, six rows of cording and raching above an accordion pleated

Women's Seven-Gore Taffeta Silk Skirt, trimmed up each seam with cording and ruching, fancy ruffied bottom, trimmed with six rows of cording and ruching, dust ruffle and drop skirt,

The extraordinary large sales in our ready made department this season has resulted in the accumulation of a lot of Shirts of various sizes and styles, which we place on sale at prices much below their

All Wool Chevlot, Homespun, Covert and Serge Skirts, in Oxford, black, navy, gray and browns, that The kind that sold for 7.50 to 9.00

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Women's Waists

Women's Seven-Gore Skirt, made of an excellent Women's Light Weight Summer Percale Walsts, full fronts, buttoned in the front or back, tucked or plain, regular price 65c.............49c Women's Madras Walst, very full front, made of fine Women's White Batiste Waist, tucked backs,

trimmed with four rows of embroidery inserting, new style cuffs and collar, a good

Women's Shirt Waist Suits

Women's White Batiste Shirt Waist Suit, seven-gored skirt, waist and skirt elaborately trimmed in cluster of tucks, a good 6.75 value, at....4.95

Women's Mercerized Silk Zephyr Shirt Waist Suits, in blue and rose, waist tucked and elaborately trimmed with narrow white tape, seven-gored skirt trimmed with seven rows narrow white tape to form a deep flounce, value 9.50, at... 6.95

Women's White Batiste Shirt Waist Suits, waist fully tucked and hemstitched in front, and back tucked. hemstitched collar and cuffs, seven-gored flounce

Children's Stylish Dresses

Important Price News.

The balance of three lots of Children's Dresses are now on the bargain tables. They are styles that sold quickest and the assortments are therefore broken. We won't keep odd lots a moment longer than necessary, hence these price reductions.

Children's Percale Dresses, embroidered yokes, trimmed with ruffles, edged with embroidery; also Children's Linen Crash Suits, trimmed in red and blue bands; that sold for 1,25 and 1,50; to close out, at

Children's Percale Dresses, with white lawn blouse teimmed with embroidery; also Percale Sailor Suits, with double collar and white pique tie to match; that sold for 1.75; to close out,

Children's Gingham Dresses, elaborately trimmed with ruffles and embroidery; also Lawn Dresses, with allover lace yokes and trimmed with ruffles and embroideries; that sold for 2.49 and 2.90; 1.90

THE SEWERS CLOGGED



DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

Help the kidneys to do their duty. Cure backache, lame back, urinary troubles, diabetes—everything but the advanced stages of Bright's disease—nothing will cure that,

HOUSTON PROOF.

L. A. Mclanis, carpenter, of 12/3 Commerce street, says: "About seven months 150 l was taken with an attack of kidney trouble. It first began with slight pains across the small of my back. I paid little or no attention to it at the time, thinking it would disappear in the course of a few days; but instead of cetting better, it gradually graw worse, until it became so bad I thought I would have to by off work. I am a carpenter by trade, and you of course know that we have to assume all kinds of positions. Well, after stooping for a short time it was only with the greatest difficulty I could straighten. From the way I suffered, both day and night, I came to the conclusion that the trouble all came from my kidneys being out of order. I had two or three different physicians prescribe for me, but I got no relief whatever. Finally, my attention was called to Doan's Kidney Pills, and I went up to A. E. Kiesling's drug store, on Main street, and got a box. I never used any remedy so effective. In a few days the pain disappeared from my back entirely, and I could stoop, straighten and move about without any inconvenience whatever. I can not say too much in favor of Doan's Kidney Pills, and I take pleasure in recommending a remedy that does just what is claimed for it."

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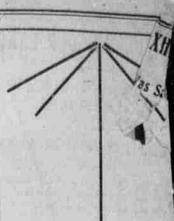
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