

WE ARE lost in amazement.

ARE you a democrat? We thought we were.

Hogg's official career for the state has been characterized by an obstinate self-willed determination to rule or run.

THE County Democratic Convention of Cameron county was regularly held and instructed for George Clark for governor.

SHOW us a strong supporter of Hogg and we will show you a man who is trying to ruin somebody else's business as is mad because he can't.

THE David B. Hall club, of New York, has endorsed the democratic nominations, and the James G. Blaine club has swung out a Harrison and Reid banner.

WHY men who proclaim that this country must have a railroad to develop it will support Hogg we cannot understand. With Hogg governor no more railroad building.

THE Two Laredos will be treated to fine music during the summer. The Times says: It was learned on yesterday through an official source that the Mexican government has ordered the concentration of two hundred army musicians in New Laredo, to practice for some time for the purpose of selecting eighty of the best to represent the Mexican government at the World's Fair in Chicago. This is especially good news for the people of the two Laredos as it will afford them numerous treats during the next few months to come. The concentration will occur in a few days and as the World's Fair does not open until October 21st there will be much music in the air of New Laredo for about three months.

THE following is from the Victoria Advocate of July 9: It says: A special train pulled out on the Pan-American late Thursday evening, having on board the following named gentlemen: County Judge Dupree, County Surveyor Stuart, J. M. Brownson, J. A. McFadden, W. P. H. McFadden, Eng. Sibley, J. J. Welder, R. N. Weisiger, W. H. Baker, C. M. Lamb, Geo. Vineyard and J. H. Barrett. The following official document explains the object of the excursion: To the International Trust Company, Boston, Mass.—We, the undersigned, after an examination made this day, hereby certify that the Pan-American Railway Company has ten (10) miles of standard gauge track completed and ready for operation being from a connection with the Southern Pacific Railway at the City of Victoria to a point near the Guadalupe river in Victoria county, Tex. The above was signed by the county judge and surveyor of Victoria county, and chief engineer of the Pan American railroad.

CAMERON'S DEMOCRACY.

One eminent Hoggite has been pleased to term the followers of Clark, "the scum of democracy." Now comes another in the person of an able and widely known editor who gravely issues the decree that any one who would presume to disapprove of a governor who was elected by the democratic party or to support George Clark is not a democrat. Can't even have the honor of trailing with the scum. We think Texas would fall far short of her accustomed democratic majority if we are to be judged by this standard, and Cameron county especially, a banner democratic county. We think the democrats after said pattern are in the minority. The following extract from the article in question, we cannot help but believe was written by this able editor without mature thought, for in it he charges corruption and all of our democrats indifferently:

It is not democratic to hold a mass meeting at our court house and call a county convention and appoint delegates to attend all of the nominating conventions of the state and district. A county convention is composed of delegates from each precinct according to population, and these delegates when duly assembled appoint delegates to the various nominating conventions who alone can cast the vote of the county.

Still further, this able editor goes on and says for the good name of Cameron county he would like to see those denunciations rubbed out and let her stand in the democratic ranks untarnished. Now this is the first denunciation of Cameron county's democrats, by a democrat that the county convention was not properly held, and while we know this able editor to be a staunch democrat, the "What Is Not Democracy" article has a ring to it something akin to a disgruntled politician, or one seeking a railway commissionership under the pompus and self constituted guardian of Texas, James Stephen Hogg.

CORPUS CHRISTI CALLER: Otto Praeger has returned home. He started out to make a bicycle tour of Mexico, and he did it. Mr. Praeger should now set out on a bicycle and find the North Pole. If it is there we believe he will find it, and if it isn't there he will be certain to get back home again. Any man who could live in the Sierra Madre for thirty days with nothing to eat but two tortillas, while bandits were plugging at him from behind rocks and box-consrictors were coiling around his bicycle wheel, would have nothing to fear in searching for the North Pole. Otto should at once set out with his bicycle and prove the truth or falsity of that big hole which is supposed to be in the north end of the earth. He will then have accomplished something that will be beneficial to science. As it now is, science has gained nothing.

THE Corpus Christi Caller has this to say about one of our prominent and leading attorneys: Hon. John I. Kleiber of Brownsville announces in to-day's Caller as a candidate for district attorney of this, the 28th, judicial district. Mr. Kleiber is one of the brightest young attorneys in Southwest Texas, and represented his district in the last legislature. He made a most excellent representative, too, and there is no doubt but that he would do equally as well as district attorney.

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and Cameron Co.

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Cameron County, Texas.

Watch for the write-up,