City Cash Store.

For a few day's only I will sell you 10 doz. eggs for \$1.00. 20 lb granulated sugar for \$1.00. 22 lb brown sugar for \$1 00. Nice ripe banauna's at 15cts a dozen, Sweet oranges at 25cts a dozen. Spare rips fresh at 10cts per lb. Fresh salt water fish to arrive every other day.

Fresh vegetables every morning. Call at O. J MILLER's for bargains, 717

Austin Aye.

Cheap Medium and Fine

Paper Hangings and Decorations, Window Glass, Varnishes etc. Sole agent for W. John's celebrated Asbestus Paints. Full line of Colors, Brushes and every thing kept in a first-class Wall Paper and Paint Store.

C. F. SMITH.

404 Austin Street,

The Big Muddy lump is strictly cold-weather coal. Telephone Egan or coal.

My Store-Genuine maple syrup reduced from 40 to 25c. per quart can .- tf

(The latest designs in ingrains Thompson hangs them on common walls with success.)

For the best and freshest beef, pork mutton, veal, spareribs, fish and oysters to to Crippen corner Fifth and Frankling

Our goods and our prices do our advertising, we find it best in the long run.

PARKER BROS.

(E. E. Thompson has a few more of those damaged paints and wall paper for sale at your own price.)

Dockery and Co, Fire Insurance Agents Provident Building. Best sempanies and close ntion to incompanies and close terests of insurers.

Ladies, we have just received fresh stock of flower seeds.

W. L. TUCKER, "Lion Drug Store.

mutton beef, pork and purerlard go to Wednesday this week and today MELLOR & DELANEY 125 South Third street.

Hotel Royal Bar.

Hayden & Hayden, proprietors. Neat and quiet. Very finest wines and liquors. Superb lunch at 10. Old friends and customers as well new will meet a hearty welcome.

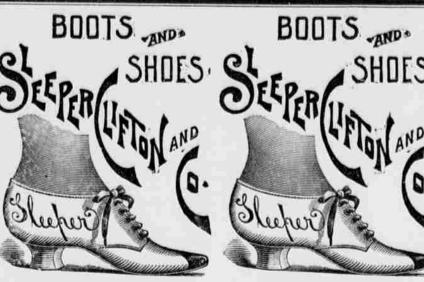
5 Cents Each.

A two-hole mouse trap, 24 clothes pins, a tin dipper, a big pressed pan, l lamp chimney, a covered bucket, a tin funnel, 1 iron stand, a tin scoop, 1 dish mop. 2 pie plates, big box tacks, a large grater, 2 boxes matches, big potato masher, a kitchen spoon, a nutmeg grater, a stove lifter, I package good envelops, a box slate pencils, a large tablet, 1 can opener, a wooden spoon, a good tack lifter, 1 paper file, 1 padlock, a paint brush, 1 machine oil can, a bottle good machine oil, a strong hitching ring, a pair hinges, 1 wire tea strainer.

CUMMINS' 5 & 10 CENT STORE. 703 Austin ave., bet. 6th and 8th sts.

Eupopsy.

This is what you ought to have, in fact, you must have it, to fully enjoy life. Thousands are searching for it daily, and moura because they find it not. Thousands upon thousands of dollars are spent annually by our people in the hope that they may at-tain this boon. And yet it may be had by all. We guarantee that Electrie Bitters, if used according to directions and the use persisted in, will bring you Good Digestion and oust the demon Dyspepsia and install Eupepsy. We recommend Electric Bitters for Dyspepsia and all diseases of Liver, Stomach and Kidneys. Sold at 50c. of the City Savings Bank comprises and \$1 per bottle by W. B. Morrison more than a hundred good citizens of & Co., Druggists.



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RIBBLE

The Popular Grocers, 505 Austin Avenue

FFER RARE BARGAINS in Choice California Evaporated Fruits this week.

Choice B. B. Cigars, finest in the market at \$3.75 per box.

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Choice B. B. Cigars, finest in the market, at only \$3.75 per box.

Don't miss these bargains. Don't miss these bargains. Don't mies these bargains. Don't miss these bargains.

505 Austin Ayenue.

THE NEW NATATORIUM.

Work Progressing Rapidly.

It is now only a question of a short time when the new and imposing building of the new natatorium will add another grand ornament to Fourth street adding another impetus to the development of what seems destined to be in the near future the principal street of the city. Work on the artesian well for the new natatorium on the corner of Fourth and Mary street is being pushed night and day. The drill was in-When you want nice fresh meat serted in the surface soil on With good luck the well will be Come on with subscriptions. drilled in about fifty days and on the building work will be begun at once. The management of the new natatorium by Col. R. B. Parrot sufficiently insures rapid work and him but is fully satisfied that the hearts of Waco people with pride. The magnitude of the great Provident building located and finished under his auspices is sufficient guarantee that the new nata orium will be a grand one and the The Private Pension Bill's Session public is on tip toe of expectation which will not be disappointed.

A Rapist Caught.

VAN BUREN, Ark., Feb. 27 .-Chief of Police F. D. Houck, has arrested a negro here as the party who committed the assault at Sedalia. A description was obtained from Sedalia which fits, him ex-

Eourteen Drowned.

persons lost their lives by the sinking of the steamship Forest adjourned, King, which was rundown by the steamer Loughbrow of Flamborough, yesterday.

The list of subscribers to the stock of the City Savings Bank comprises A DIVORCE SUIT.

The Application Will Be Contested by the Defendant.

W. R. Norwood vs. Gertrude Carter is the style of a divorce suit filed with District Clerk Z. F. Beasley a few days ago, which promises to be of an unusually sensational character.

The petition alleges that the plaintiff was married to defendant under compulsion and against his will on the 20th of February.

Mr. E. C. Overby is the party named

as the person who coerced plaintiff, at the point of a six shooter to marry defendant.

THE News reporter was present, and witnessed the ceremony which was performed at the County Clerk's office by Judge Jenkins, and heard each of the contracting parties smilingly promise to cleave to each other so long as they both should live.

It was, however, rumored that it was a case of force, and the reporter was requested to publish no names.

Mrs. Norwood, nee Miss Gertle Carter, is an orphangir who is an inmate of the household of Mrs. Ella E. Lark the mother-in-law of Mr. Overby She is a pretty and industrious young lady, who has enjoyed a good reputa-tion for virtue and chastley among all her associates and friends.

Mr. Overby was approached and requested to make a statement about his connection with the matter. He stated that about six months ago a bogus marriage between Norwood and Miss Certer was consummated, through which the ruin of the young lady was accomplished, and being the only male protector she has he induced Norwood to repair the injury Arappahoe lands to setlers. The he had done her and to remove the stain and disgrace from her heretofore unsuilled name by a legal marriage with his victim, but denies that it was done at the point of a six-shooter,

Mrs. Norwood will contest the application of her husband before the

at noon was cheefully thumping City Savings Bank. State authority away two hundred and fifty feet may have to be invoked to push out below the surface in blue slate, the limits; but room will be made

This Means Business.

There are many people in this county who have not paid their taxes. I do not propose to assume them, and unless they are paid immediately, some names will appear in public next week great results. No one knowing that will asstonish the public. No man need come to me and say he was new natatorium will be a grand surprised to see his name in print as structure and such as to fill the a delinquent; for it will sure be published unless the tax is paid at once. O. W. DAVID,

Tax Collector.

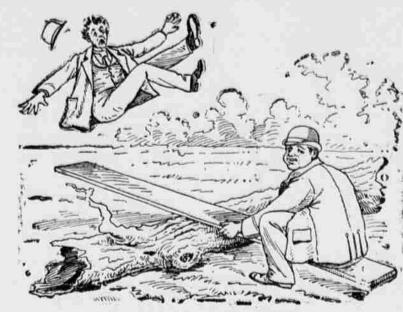
A FAILURE.

was no Good.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—The first evening session for the consideration of private pension bills was not a success. When Richardson, of Tennessee, took the chair, there were not two dozen members present and upon the first measure called up, Mr. Kilgore of Texas assumed his old role and raised the point of no quorum. As a call disclosed the LONDON, Feb. 27.-Fourteen fact that there was but fifty-one members in attendance the house

Some said it could not be done at this time. Everybody doubted. But the City Savings Bank is a fact Every dollar of the hundred thousand will be taken. On March 1st the bank will be opened for business. All honor and glory to Waco!

Furniture and Carpets.



A Sudden Rise

Makes some people gidey, but a look at our handsome stock of FURNITURE and CARPETS restores them to their usual state.

We keep a full assortment of that stylish OAK FURNITURE about which the world is raving. We also keep a stock of all the popular materials, all in the newest shapes, and at prices that would make a blind man stare.

Come in and look at these goods and hear terms and prices we offer and then you can decide about buying.

We carry the best folding bed in the United States, "The Winsor,"

R. T. DENNIS & BRO.

518 AUSTIN ST

Lillie Johnson Gets Bail.

MEMPHIS, TENN., Feb. 27.-Judge Dubose this morning admitted Lillie Johnson to bail in the sum of \$10,000 on the grounds that her health was being impaired by confinement in jail,

Congress.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27 .-- House On motion of Mr. Smith of Arizona, a bill was passed ratifying the act of the Arizona territorial legislature, making an appropria tion for an Arizona exhibit at the World's Fair, The house then went into committee of the whole on the Indian appropriation bill.

More Lands Opened.

ARKANSAS CITY, KAS, Feb, 27.—Gov. Seay of Oklahoma has received a letter from Secretary opening, he said, would take place on or about March first.

The Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.-Cotton stead and unchanged.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 27.-Cot-The question now is, how to make ton essy, low middling 5 7-8 .- Fu- was held at the courthouse yestertures steady, March 6,35; April day afternoon at 4 o'clock. 6,45; May 6,56; June 6,66; July The object of the meeting, as 6,76; August 6,36; September stated by Maj. Chas, B. Pearre, 6,96; October 7,06; November was to express confidence in the 7 27-16. Sales, 10,000. Others Hon. A. P. McCormick as an efunchsnged.

Paul Jones Whisky.

The only firms in Waco who handle the celebrated "Four Roses" and "The XXXX Monongabela" case goods of the famous Paul Jones whiskies, are the Old Pacific Saloon (Ed Hatton committee to draft the instrument projetor) and Haydon & Haydon, proprietors, of the Hotel Royal Bar.

PAUL JONES.

His Paramour on the stand.

BRISTOL, Tenn., Feb. 27.—The famous Dr. Baker is on trial for wife poisoning. Mrs. Gilmore, who was charged with being the paramour of Dr. Baker and accessory to the awful crime, made a damaging admission on the witness stand. The indictment against her was quashed last term of court. Mrs. Gilmore was asked: "On the day after Dr. Baker buried his wife and came to se you what did he say? How did he look? What were his actions?"

Mrs. Gilmore refused to answer. She said to answer that question would be to bring disgrace down upon her. Then a discussion among the lawyers began, which lasted quite a while. The judge finally ruled that she must answer, and she burst into sobs, but responded: "He took me in his arms, caressed me and said: 'Oh, my darling, you are mine for-

At this point she was taken very sick and had to be removed from the court-

Women Paid Five Cents a Day.

MUNICH, Feb. 27.-At a libel trial held in this city the fact developed that an embroidery manufacturer had in his employ women who under the "sweating" system received only 5 cents per

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Watch, Clock and Jewelry

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Plain and Artistic Engraving. 520 Austin Avenue

adles WACO.

The St. Louis Shoe Store will this week make its last reduction on Ladies' High Grade footwear, and will continue selling at this discount until the last pair is sold or stock closed out. We have also opened about 250 pair sample shoes that drummers have had on the road, and will sell them at wholesale prices, by the single pair. Do not fail to see these goods. ST, LOUIS SHOE STORE,

Corner Sixth and Austin, Any boot in the house \$1.50.

Waco Bar Meeting.

A meeting of the Waco bar

fieient judge and as an honorable, upright gentleman.

Captain M. D. Herring was then elected chairman.

Maj. Charles B. Pearre and Mr. J. S. Boynton were appointed a and circulate it for signatures of the members of the bar. The chairnan was upon motion added to the committee.

The document was circulated today for signatures and signed by nearly every member of the bar.

It will be forwarded to Hon. D. B. Culberson, chairman of the Judiciary committee of the House of Representatives of the United States.

A Saloon Billwn Up.

PERU, Ind., Feb. 27.—By a dynamite explosion at North Grove a small town south of this city yesterday, the only saloon in the city, was blown to atoms. For two years past the temperance element has been trying to have the saloon removed and the feeling was very bitter against it.

Children Burned to Death.

MARIANNA, Ark., February 27. -Two little negro girls yesterday were burned to death in a shanty adjoining the old jail. The children were in the house alone while their mother was absent.