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IN SYMPATHY.

The People of the State Appreciate the Loss of the Spring Palace.

Telegrams of Sympathy Constantly Received by the Karpnera Management-Notes of the Conflagration.

The sympathy of the state of Texas is with this city in the loss of the Spring Palace. The management are in receipt of a great many telegrams and private individuals all over town are receiving others from personal friends.

SHERMAN, TEX., May 31, 1900. B. B. Paddock, Esq., President, Fort Worth, Texas.

My Dear Sir:-I want to say that I deeply sympathize with you and your association and the enterprising people of Fort Worth in this loss of your Spring Palace. It was indeed a calamity upon you and upon all Texas.

SAN ANTONIO, TEX., June 2, 1900. B. B. Paddock, Esq., President, Fort Worth, Texas.

St. Louis, Mo., June 1, 1900. B. B. Paddock, Esq., President, Fort Worth, Texas.

The following is from the adjutant general of the command to which Capt. Paddock belonged during the war.

SAN ANTONIO, TEX., June 2, 1900. Capt. B. B. Paddock, Fort Worth, Texas.

Editor Gazette. You and your people have my deep sympathy at the loss of your beautiful Spring Palace...

Collins & Armstrong have the plates of their popular pianos and the famous Schorer pianos, as used by the Hecker children, and burned at the Palace.

Mr. William Murphy deserves a great deal of credit for his manly work on the night of the fire.

Mr. W. Z. Manchester says the Palace should undoubtedly be built again next year and is willing to treble his subscription.

Miss Jennie Prosser, who was severely injured in the spine, is recovering although not yet able to get out of bed.

Mr. O. T. Neuenbahn, formerly of Missouri, carried from the burning Palace Miss Katie Rhine, who is a cripple and an invalid.

A BOY'S MISHAP. While Playing on a Flat Car He is Thrown Under the Wheels-Horribly Mangled.

GALVESTON, TEX., June 2.-Herbert Clark, a boy thirteen years old, was brought in from Rosenberg Junction on the Great Colorado and Santa Fe railway...

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THE PANHANDLE.

Smiling With Bountiful Crops-Dotted With Bustling Towns and Cities.

Immigrants Continue to Four In-Promise of Unexampled Prosperity-Wheat Harvest Well Under Way.

Perhaps the first thing that impresses the stranger in going from Fort Worth into the Panhandle, is the seemingly illimitable breadth and expanse of gently rolling prairie covered with curly mesquite grass, and here and there embellished with patches, often wide areas, of golden, pink or bluish colored wild flowers.

Since the building of the Fort Worth and Denver railroad that section has made wonderful strides in agricultural progress. A great deal of the public land of value has been bought up, and much of it has already borne bountiful crops, and more of it is each year being brought under cultivation.

One can nowhere find a more confident and hopeful class of people. Everybody is cheerful and happy, and the air is full of the spirit of progress.

They are now on the jump continually, and the number of useful and profitable enterprises established in several of them are standing proofs of the public spirit of their citizens.

It would be a pity to see the Panhandle, as one enters that section from the southeast on the Fort Worth and Denver railroad, and the town of Childress may be termed the gateway into it.

This town was undreamed of three years ago. It was not even a fragment of the prairie held undivided possession.

But to-day Childress is a handsome town of one thousand people, with churches and schools and such other evidences of modern civilization and American enterprise as one would naturally look for.

Its people are generous, hospitable, and whole-hearted, and its business outlook full of enterprise and push.

The farmer is gradually taking possession of the soil of that country, and before long the town of Childress, which is the county seat, will number its population by the thousands instead of the hundreds.

A new \$40,000 courthouse is in process of erection there now, and will be completed next spring. City property is quite reasonable at present compared with values in larger and more pretentious places.

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CHURCH UNITY.

Bishop Paret of Baltimore Talks about the Union of the Episcopal and Presbyterian Churches.

BALTIMORE, Md., June 3.-Bishop William Paret of the Episcopal diocese said to a reporter of the American regarding a union of the Episcopal and Presbyterian churches: "The point is this: In 1886 the house of bishops of the Protestant Episcopal church sent to all Christian bodies letters expressing readiness to confer in kindness with anybody desiring it for the unity of all churches."

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Admission Notice. The Dynamite Cruiser Vesuvius. PHILADELPHIA, Pa., June 3.-At the League Navy stand to-day the United States government took formal possession of the dynamite cruiser Vesuvius, and she was placed in commission as a man-of-war. The Vesuvius will remain at some port on the Atlantic coast, to be designated by the secretary of the navy.

What a fine sight it would be to see the Vesuvius in our harbor. Keep her here and she will be a great asset to our coast.

Died at Texarkana. Special to the Gazette. TEXARKANA, TEX., June 3.-H. M. Burrows, of Dalby Springs, a prominent physician and ex-representative of this country, died at his home to-day. He was well known in Southern Texas as an eloquent minister of the gospel.

Capital, Surplus, etc. Maverick National Bank, BOSTON, MASS.

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