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"TEN PAGES TODAY...

THE NEW CONSOLIDATION BILLS.

A comparison of the revised Katy con-

which have been made to conform to the

In the original bills there were no proment of the privileges of consolidation lief. granted by the State. This feature will mean much to many countles, cities and towns in the various sections of the State. It has been a long time since any extended railroad construction was witnessed in Texas and the building of many hundreds of miles of new track within the next year or so will create something like the oldtime activity in the railroad world of the of dollars for the work will quicken bust-

But another feature of the new bitts aside by courts of competent farisdiction voices this demand as follows:

that cures any possibility of vicinting through these consolidation acts the inhibition against illegal consolidations as to the highest May figures on declared by our State laws, is that clause quently the value of all instruments in the bills expressly stating that nothing leatner, including the principal products.

THE BACK TAX QUESTION.

statute should be passed.

a portion of the citizenship while another mand that it shall be removed.

Is it possible to prevent the imposition of favor of a restricted class. this serious back tax burden except by a retroactive clause in the provision for a statute of limitations? It is admitted with deliberation and care. The measure should be practical unanimity that the collection of made strong and comprehensive enough to the relief is not made retroactive the real cause of complaint is of course not reached at all. If we concede the propriety of re-Hef measures we are forced to indorse the

clive and stay law features. the case, therefore, call for assist-Is the condition of the rolls, or the gth of time that has elapsed, or the

Indebtedness upon which much of this past might be useful as showing a friendly feeltaxation was based—a valid reason for relieving the public of these old taxes? If

there are the reduction of the city's of itself, would bring no new plants. It missive and the knife can be wielded without pain. A limb once amputated is lost forever. Sight never returns to a destroyed eye, and liberty, while it may live
as a draw or how once the reduction of the city's of itself, would bring no new plants. It
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not then let the callestore. not, then let the collection proceed to the taxes if they find a field that suits them. end. If, however, there is a genuine case If it should be determined by the various the legislature should not only grant re- ters in this country! lief, but make it as thorough as it can be

made at this time. The fact that one man has been imposed upon in the premises is certainly not a hid out. reason why another should be punished. If there are five men together on the highway and three of them are robbed that is no reason why the other two should be to get well under the platform and listen to a robbed also. It does not cure nor excuse little sound philosophy from some one with means to encourage and secure inviolate edly have a direct bearing on his fortunes

an evil to extend its operations. Some little prejudice has been sought to in our social system. be injected in the question because some who have been collecting the claims Washington.

of those who oppose the retroactive or already better off in that respect that Houssolidation bill which Governor Sayers ap- stay law provisions is really unworthy of ton, but it will be interesting to note which likewise. proved Tuesday, with the original bill serious answer. It is an appeal to prejudice rather than reason. And beside there which he vetoed, discloses not only the dice rather than reason. And beside there promptly to the present appeals to public substantial reasons for the veto of the are still bundreds of poor people to be spirit.

terest in the matter either one way or the And practically the same observation other. It believes it is a hardship to proapplies to the other consolidation bills ored with the collection of these back taxes under all the circumstances, and it recognizes but one gyonue of relief-a retroactive statute of limitations, coupled with a ing a fellow when he is down. visions useuring extensions of the lines suspension of such judgments as have been through different portions of the State, obtained. And it believes that it is voicbut in the bill as approved by the gov- ing the sentiment and defending the inernor more railroad building in Texas be- terests of the large majority of the tax-

A TYPICALLY SELFISH DEMAND.

giving to home industries under the policy of protection. They are not willing that Attorney General Monnett of Ohio says no the producer of the raw material should Southwest. Aside from the permanent want to buy in the cheapest market but enjoy any division of the spoils. They benefits to secrue from such extensions object to allowing any other class of citizens to have that privilege.

This typical protection selfishness and ness in many directions while the conagain in a strong and practically unant- tueity to return home. And few people in mous demand, just at this time, by the this section will regard them as "fraitors" which the governor demanded and which, jeather and show industries of New Eu- for failing to re-enlist as we have recently seen, may become at gland for the repeal of that portion of the any time of wast importance to the public, tariff schedule which places a duty of 15 is the agreement by the reads to submit per cent ad valorem on the importation of to the rates and regulations of the rail- hides-a protection of the home article, of way commission until such rulings are set course, to that extent. The Boston Globe To the Editor of The Post.

upon final boaring. This is a surrender by the roads of their right to seek an infunction against the commission's decrees pending Higgstion.

Another and a vital provision, and one n happen

and 6, of the Constitution of the State of tariff tax, reinforced by a "curtatiment" When the cotton worm comes along and obtained destroys several hundred choosand dollars solidation of parallel or come sing lines. The new bills, therefore and to the ducts would not "Rick" it they could "ob-

governor is not inspired by any captions and that the general effect is to increase There are eight or ten counties similarly vested capital, but that his sole purpose instance it seems, the objection can not center. Houston has a cotton exchange, and that the general effect is to make the cost to the consumers. In the present instance, it seems, the objection can not be urged that the consumer is paying the difference, but rather that the hide men are getting better prices while the manuare getting better prices while the manuare seems are bearing the loss.

**The farmer or the merchant on but he can ship it and get it—bodity—off his hands. The farmer or the merchant should have the chance to do the same should have the chance to do the same the public and the great business interests be urged that the consumer is paying the

There seems to be a practically manimous sentiment in the city that a statute
of limitations should be made to apply to
the collection of the city taxes. The point
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portion have already been made to pay Protection is wrong in theory and hurt- too slowly with it. these old claims, or have judgments pend- ful in practice to the great mass of the ing against them for such taxes. But it people, but if the shoe manufacturer is must be remembered at the same time to get a bonus from the government the I know of no better way than to have The that this upparent discrimination is the bide man is entitled to equal protection. that this apparent discrimination is the misfortune of the one partion without being the fault of the other. Such seeming infusive always exists and in nearly all the finded or applied, of course, the less will too. Respectfully. the people feel one of the most unjust re-The one great point to consider is this: suits of protection-its discrimination in

burden just at this time and in the man- suit in the cripplion of the bill in the rourts.

The public square fund is growing slowly.

Possibly the Cuban soldier just naturally prefers the free wild life of the bush to work.

The State senate has killed the upt new manufacturing establishments

of public suffering here in consequence of commissions appointed to suggest forms of the suits instituted for taxes ten and government for our new colonies that pref twenty years old, and that both the city and the nearly had be nearly had been foresten about and the people had long forgotten about, soubtless contract perceptibly in many quar-

The Filipino junta to London indiananti, deny the report that Aguinaido has fied. It appears from their version that he has only

toriety is not drawing well on the lecture not too drastic methods of settling matters to the people; and it is only when the in the wider fields that his friends predict

poor men have been made to pay these been reported as anxious to surrender appear Those Filipines who for weeks past have back taxes while some rich men have not to be as dilator anothing a definite the supreme court has held, and we think yet paid them. That is the fault of those Philipping policy as the administration of the supreme court has held, and we think

pay. But that feature of the argument the matter of a public park. Galveston is competitive feature is liable to be made a real estate.

as much consideration in the matter of taxacomes a condition precedent to the enjoy- payers of Houston in advocating such re- tion as any other taxnaver, no more and ho

It has come to that pass that when their grand jury is in session the neopte of Dullus The protected manufacturers want for county got up on their toes in expectation themselves alone all the assistance which of something rich, rare and racy. Dalias handle traffic in competition with still authorized themselves alone all the assistance which doesn't allow the monotony of life to afflict other rand, it then and thereby become its citizens long at a time.

the trusts by railways. If Ohio is hunting the judge constantly hear in a for a statute to fill the bill she can get a the International and Great valuable pointer or two by applying to the full out

Texas has quite a number of volunteers to the Philippines who will probably take nitvantage of their right and the first oppor-

A HAY EXCHANGE.

Bonney, Texas, May 15 .- Please permit me to draw your attention to one of the Thore should be no bestrancy in assum-

In such form there can of course be no constitutional or well-founded objection to them, and when it is remembered that the provisions were not incorporated in the original bills veroed, the public can intelligently appreciate Gevernor Sayers' in Instilligently appreciate Gevernor Sayers' invaluable aid will require all his capacity for inde-county of nerve, but when they poison at the still county of nerve, but when they poison at the still county of nerve, but when they poison at the still county of nerve, but when they poison at the still county of nerve, but when they poison at the still county of nerve, but when they poison at the still county of nerve, but when they poison at the still county of nerve, but when they poison at the still county of nerve, but when they of nerve, but when they poison at the still county of nerve, but when they county of nerve, but when they of nerve, but when they c

Houston is the best natural place for this exchange. The hay association is looking a Houston for it. Some say "go to Gaiveston or New Orleans for such hay become veston or New Orleans for such hay bureau or exchange, as Houston moves too slowly with it." True, but Houston being the best natural place for it the matter should be brought more forcibly to the minds of the citizens of Houston, and

The Political Stage. Beaumont Journal.

From now until the campaign of 1000 with three sons. From now until the campaign of 1900 with three sons. Today the father named closes the United States will be a stage them Dewey, Sampson and Schley, in upon which will be enacted one of the honor of the three naval heroes of the upon which will be enacted one of the honor of the three naval perfect voung greatest dramas the world ever saw. The rear admirals are progressing nicely. these old tax claims, some of them twenty effect its purpose, but to go too far, or allow Hanna manager and stage director. Cliyears overdue, is a particularly heavy undue prejudice to dictate its terms, may re- maxes will be numerous and thrilling. Dalhas Times Herald. ner to which it is being imposed. But if This is a point to be watched as well as some be first exhibited to arouse the enthusi- public nark. Houston at the same busi-Admiral Dewey, the hero of Mantia, will Galveston, trying to raise \$30,000 for sam of the audience. Then will come ness, and forthern cities setting splendid Function and others. Purpose of the play axamples therein indicate the growing is not as yet apparent to the masses, and the denouement will not come until the public mind is so thoroughly intoxicated with here worship and the heart and conscience so absorbed with the spirit of science so absorbed with the spirit of the first and conscience so absorbed with the spirit of the first and conscience so absorbed with the spirit of the first and conscience so absorbed with the spirit of the first and conscience so absorbed with the spirit of the first and conscience so absorbed with the spirit of the first and conscience so absorbed with the spirit of the first and conscience so absorbed with the spirit of the first and conscience so absorbed with the spirit of the first and conscience and the first and conscience so absorbed with the spirit of the first and conscience and the same busing the constant. The Recels last winter did not give one social function. They live at the Shoreham when here, instead of taking a residence, and Mrz. Reed has been at home to callers only two or three times during in the Science. science so absorbed with the spirit of imaginary patriotism that heads nuw proud will bow to the yoke of imperialism. These are not meant as prophetic words, but the capable surgeon newsy performs a heroic operation until the patient is sub-

as a dream or hope, when once lest can be regained only by human uprisings such as mark the great tragedles of the world's

An Answer to Judge Reagan.

Palestine Advocate. Sayers has ever pretended that railroads the big corporations to bear their just Mrs. Anna E. George of recent criminal no- forfeited simply because they happen to will get the frozen face from Platt. be parallel or competing lines; indeed, it

rather than of those who have failed to Galveston as well as Houston is agitating that the connecting line that completes the party at interest and have its charter to-wit, to create competition. It is com-petition the organic law hopes to secure The Gaiveston Tribune unkindly remarks:

"The attention of The Post is respectfully called to the condition of the Houston hase-ball team. Our fellows are not even setting good oractice." There's no chivalry in kick. Ing a fellow when he is down.

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to the people when it so positively probable to compete a tax can not be evaded any more than that tax can not be evaded any more than that tax can not be evaded any more than that they can any form of real estate.

It is believed that in New York City meeting in December was admitted.

The fact is well established that President in the increase of hundreds of millions in the assessment and from ten to the constitution of the fact is well established that President in the case of nouses and tands as the tax can not be evaded any more than that they can not be evaded any more A 2-cente-on-the-dellar tax on theomes constitution to carry out its purpose, and above \$2000 a year would be a pretty stiff one. A man with an income is entitled to have us fear, a malefactor it is a bless-as much consideration in the matter of taxa. assist in doing a wrong, and certainly it is no wrong in the view of the constitu-tion of Texas for one road to compete our Whenever a railroad helps another and is in no sense an infractor of the Attorney General Monnett of Ohio says no stilution, but its preserver and the pro-law can be too severs in checking rebates to moter of its highest intendment. So let the trusts by railwars. If Ohio is hunting the judge constantly hear in mind the if aids the Missouri, Karsas and compete with the Spectrum

greatest industrial necessities of the times ing that Texas will be represented at the for South Texas. If a town, city or a Louisiana purchase anniversary in St. section of country does not progress as It Louis in 1962. The try has so far propromight or should, it is generally because
its inhabitants insist on being ""pennywise
and pound foolish," and utterly refuse to its inhabitants insist on being "pennywise and pound foolish," and utterly refuse to recognize the natural resources of their particular town, city or country. The Post is doing an Herculean work in rectifying the past industrial sins of omission, as for the past industrial sins of omission, as for as Houston and Sauth Tays was a willeness when the Houston and Sauth Tays was a willeness when the houst ment of success with the preparation as to be prectically sure of success with proclaim himself to be no less than a communist. The governor is said to have returned that his approval of the set would be directly against the growth of communism, for it would meet by a rational that the preparation with the preliminary arrangements as to be prectically sure of success with the proposed world's fair on that occasion and if Texas does are occupy the most conspicuous places in the country arrangements to gull to success than a communist. The governor is said to have returned that his approval of the set would be directly against the growth of communism. For it would meet by a rational that would meet by a rational that the presented in the head.

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Sair's rights 'ar to any question of law been distormined by the legislature in orban distormined by the people that the great corpal demand by Texas —the accidence which prohibit consolidation of parallel or composing lines.

The new bills, therefore—and to the
governor is due the credit for their present form—scrure another eta of extensive
ent form—scrure another eta of extens their own terms, if they come under the inhibition against the consolidation of the profit for the manufacturer is curtailed, this or any other State—in 1898 wasted parallel or competing lines:

Branchia county—and there is none more vention in this city next mouth and set the profit for the manufacturer is curtailed, this or any other State—in 1898 wasted representation at the St. Louis world's it will require all his capacity for inde-fair certain. There is time enough to pendent action to turn a deaf ear to Brazoria county—and there is none more ertile or richer in natural resources in on foot a mavement that will make Taxas that sould have made first-lizes hav, the value of which would have made first-lizes hav, the value of which would have made first-lizes hav, the value of which would have made first-lizes hav, the value of which would have made first-lizes hav, the value of which would have made first-lizes hav, the value of which would have made first-lizes hav, the value of which would have made first-lizes hav, the value of which would have made first-lizes hav, the value of which would have made first-lizes hav, the value of which would have made first-lizes hav, the value of which would have made first-lizes have the mouth and set of this country.

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day, The Houston Post says:

It is paying us in our own coin to cave the native leaders now turn back our flags of truce under which we are begging for a parley! The obstinate and shortsighted administration at Washington has found itself as the

backs" we have received! Papers like The Post, statesmen like Mr Bryan, Mr. Hoar, Mr. Balley and other nen prominent in our National affairs. and money, but in prestige, because that active part in social functions. wise advice was spurned by the willing | Considered from this point of view, perialists

must be an it. We regret to hear of the Dalzells have a handsome Washington loss of our brove soldlers in those far off home, and during their residence here they islands, we feel humiliated by a reverse, have been lavish entertainers.

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None of the other candidates for humanity into one of conquest, and it must take the consequences!

Deals Out Pure Democracy.

Van Alstyne News. The Houston Post always shows up up the right side. It deals out pure democracy and talks for the best interest of the

long. Well, the time for the dissolution only socially inclined, but also has a purse In his discussion of the question of rail- the white feather and crawls at the feet strain of the capital's fashionable requireway consolidation and competing lines of Tom Platt on the Ford bill passed by ments. Judge Reagan persists in putting the cart the New York legislature, and designed before the horse. No one who believes as a measure to make more equitable the

A critical period in the political career is competition that the constitution of Teddy has arrived and it will undoubtcompetition is destroyed by the pooling or he is destined to occupy. It was at his consolidation of competing or parallel suggestion and at his urgent solicitation lines that the constitution calls a halt. that the legislature passed the Ford bill which provides for the taxing of franchises,

At present the large corporations enjoying these privileges are able, almost without exception, to avoid the payment

lions in the assessment and from ten to subject of an extra session to some of his side. People have lost confident he

for one road to aid in making compelition in the streets for steam or electric or horse either for or against an extra session until Men eat certain kinds of food at a possible, or in promoting compelition in the streets for steam or electric or horse either for or against an extra session until Men eat certain kinds of food at a case of the streets for steam or electric or horse either for or against an extra session until Men eat certain kinds of food at a case of the streets for steam or electric or horse either for or against an extra session until Men eat certain kinds of food at a case of the streets for steam or electric or horse either for or against an extra session until Men eat certain kinds of food at a case of the streets for steam or electric or horse either for or against an extra session until Men eat certain kinds of food at a case of the streets for steam or electric lighting or tale. phone uses owe substantial sums to the more advanced stage. community for the rights which hereto- In fact, it is likely that the president are poisonous. Then the parties into fore they have enjoyed practically without will listen to a personal report from Ad- on the other side place other expen-

houses, and in the lower branch was al- action, most amothered by trickery, though favored by a large majority. It was only through the governor's determined efforts that the measure was placed upon
its passage. It is now before him for

ELONDON.—Queen Victoria and Albert mution stone of the Victoria and Albert mut Southern to compete with the Missouri Kansas and Texas at Greenvilla, where the Missouri Kansas and Texas toy and the righteons principle of the constitution that forbids the constitution that forbids the constitution that forbids the constitution of competing or parallel lines of rail-Why Such an Institution Should Be Located at Houston.

Located at Houston.

To the Editor of The Post.

Way is not only into execution.

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Severnor Rossevelt to persuade him to NEW YORK Professor William Hale Mc. Sugar, coffee, tea, spice and a doubt of the Editor of The Post.

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the area of the silled errorations of the millions of dollars and powerful to be are thousands of men in this country to the silled errorations of the millions of dollars and powerful to be selected by the prosent grand fury, but will be the city of New York representing hundreds of millions of dollars and powerful to the selected by the prosent grand fury, but will be are thousands of men in this country to the city of New York representing hundreds of millions of dollars and powerful political influence, will be brought to bear upon the governor.

Hearings are to be given at which all still Harry E. Cornish, will not be considered by the prosent grand fury, but will be are thousands of men in this country to do not hestitate, for the sake of a self-fight from Berlin with 200 600 marks in April cased a sensation here and who was arrested at Leibnek, with his mistress, has committed suicide by taking poisson. They would indignantly scent to be prosent grand fury, but will be are thousands of men in this country to do not hestitate, for the sake of a self-fight from Berlin with 200 600 marks in April cased a sensation here and who was arrested at Leibnek, with his mistress, has committed suicide by taking poisson. They would indignantly scent to be level to be a self-fight for the June body.

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Philippines growing more serious every Let us watch the game and see what will happen.

The society women of this city are taking a hand in the speakership contest. The fashionable set is conducting an active campaign in favor of having the next speaker chosen with some respect to his A social tendencies. The leaders declare ints, and more than a hundred societies of that it is one of the necessary requirements of so high an official position as a arged a conciliatory course months ago, that of speaker of the house, that the Now incumbent of that chair should take an Ja-

of reckless speculators or wild im- Representative Dalzell of Pennsylvania McKinley has made his bed and seems the most available candidate. The T. H. Napier, in Winsboro Wide-Awake, We regret to hear of the Dalzells have a handsome Washington

None of the other candidates mentioned

leaders comment severely upon the fact thal although Mr. Reed was allowed \$3000 additional, presumably for the purpose of entertaining, the Reeds last winter did not | Bustrop Advertiser,

Mrs. Carlisle, as the wife of a speaker, you need, and be happy, the

believe I said some time ago that Tom nulty, therefore, is now being brought to Platt and Teddy Roosevelt would dissolve bear upon the members of congress to setheir political partnership before very cure the election of a speaker who is not has about arrived. Unless Teddy shows sufficiently long to enable him to bear the

Mark Hanns has apparently scored first blood in the preliminary skirmish to keep with the supreme court and with Governor payment of taxes in that State, compelling "Toledo" Jones out of the coming Ohio republican convention. The Jones set of are in danger of having their charters share of the burdens of taxation, then he delegates from Toledo to the State convention have been badly beaten.

Mr. Jones is reported as saying that the nomination of a Jones slate was "unauthorized" by him, but it is a little strange that he did not discover that fact until his ticket was knocked out. Mayor Jones' setback in his own city will not, however, in the judgment of Ohio politicians, elimiyet paid them. That is the fault of those Philippine policy as the administration at quite properly, that one line of railroad Under its operation all franchises for the that State. He is bound to be a disturbuse of public streets, throughout the entire State, will be classed and taxed as ing element and will keep Mark Hanna and November.

So far as known McKinley has decided on no date for the calling of an extra complaining spectator so long as competition is maintained, and the road that asthem with mortgage bonds and other first draft of the measure, but the subsize affected by a further prosecution of these
size affected by a further prosecution of the size affected by a further prosecution in the case of houses and lands, and the any other time in extraordinary session.

the fact is well as recently mentioned the read the testimony of expension the official visitors and that he has suggested perts. They have seen them about The bill was framed and passed in re- October as the time for calling such an matched on both sides of important sponse to a popular demand for a more extra session, if it should be found de- tiens, and they have come to the equitable system of taxation, which should sirable to have legislation before Decemrecognize that the great corporations using ber. But he will not, it is said, decide ready to swear to anything. the streets for steam or electric or horse either for or against an extra session until

miral Dewey himself in regard to the exact the stand-who solemnly declare to po Its passage was blitterly resisted in both Philippine situation before deciding on any our stuff has come in contact with a

SHORT NEWS STORIES.

that if he signs the bull he incurs the enclosed next Saturday, Monday and Turaday, and the provisions exchange next Monday, and the provisions exchange next Monday.

Application of Sension Plats, whose business interests are identical with a sension of the provisions exchange next Monday. interests are identical with those of the writing other combins with a capitalization of 27,000,000 is almost an accomplished fact. Body complains of his stomach, hear, lim

Florida sixteen years fem.

Ching clearer in Florida, Hearings are to be given at which all kill Harry B. Cornish, will not be consid-

PHILADELPHIA.—Maxwell Samerville has presented to the University of Pennsylvania the engraved gems Buddhist Temple. East Indian Ethnological collection and colored it is safe to say that the people at a possession of a very large stock of time. WICHITA, Kan .- A special to the Beacon

ST. LOUIS.—An explosion at midnight at more works in South St. Louis injured seven men: H. Oenturi, internally and fatally; the moulding room of the Missouri blast furdames Gamache, keeper of cupols, scriously; James Ellis, Dan Hogan, Lewis Manly, James Course adulteration of food, drink and sale outs adulteration of food, drink and sale

A Tribute to Finger.

Mr. Finger was one of the most popular remarkably successful in reforming men in Texas. He was the idol of the conditions which endanger the lives of the young democracy of the State, and his un- however indifferent they may be when all timely death is felt as a personal loss by a few are likely to suffer, or when the and can but mock at it when calamity have the regulate social qualifications, so thousands of men all over Texas. It was trouble is confined to one class of st prostitute the leaders of this movement say. Mrs. my good fortune to know him intimately, section. Sereno 12 Payne is a quiet and retiring and never was there a truer man. He was woman, to whom social amenities are a unselfish, manly and honorable—true to I shall not attempt to give this arms bore. Mrs. Dave Henderson, also, cares his friends and liberal to those who op- a local character, but the readers of Norfolk, Va., May 17.—Mrs. John more for her home ties and the happiness posed him. His entire life had been a city dailies will readily recall at units O'Keefe, wife a well known sign artist of this city, has presented her husband with three soons. Today the father named them Dewey, Sampson and Schley, in honor of the three naval heroes of the lete war. The mother and the three young rear admirals are progressing nicely.

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Under the Reed regime there was no social side to the speakership. The society leaders comment severely upon the fact.

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"Of, For and With the People,"

Shoreham when here, instead of taking a Post is rapidly forging to the front as residence, and Myz. Reed has been at home among the very best newspapers published to callers only two or three times during the season. Her daughter. Miss Kittle Reed, a pretty and popular girl, who was invited out extensively, did not in a single instance reciprocate the hospitality of her friends.

Mrs. Carlisis, as the wife of a speaker.

A CRUSADE FOR PURE

Atlanta Constitution.

Death comes to us in mystetter expected ways, in these latter day the doctors and scientists khos about the secrets of life and los Old people, apparently in son collapse suddenly on the street, h cars and at home. Young people a no symptoms of illness to give the

Strong men break down in the routine of work or business, and in ried to their beds delirious and so fatally smitten.

Everywhere there is a general to aneasy dread. Newspaper reading when they open their morning to ead of the sudden and inexplication of some prominent person, friend ex bor, the night before.

The very mention of the matter s he weak, timid and morbid.

Only the other night, an old lab ainting to the floor in a Louisville when she heard Rev. Sam Jones that the city would be shocked by a ber of sudden deaths in the per days.

Evidently there is something omewhere. What is the troublet People are not satisfied with such nations as heart failure and apoples. Perhaps there is another cause. will suggest itself to every in reader of this article,

Within the past few weeks people w read so much about "embalmed bet" thousands are now tempted to

They do not feel reassured when the Men eat certain kinds of food att s

the preparation or preservation of the

Somebody has fled, on one side or

other. In the meantime people buy and fill their pantries with adulterated for

are complaining that something is were in their systems. They have no appel

All over the country men and we

Old "General Debility" is on top, tall

highway, but when they poison at the

matica on the subject. asys: "A county seat election in Grant county."

Oklahoma, resulted in favor of Pond Creek, the present county seat. An attempt was made to steal the records, but guards

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I do not wish to alarm anybedy, to! be too particular and cautious about with NEW YORK.—Representatives of Irish so-cleties have formed an association called the United Irish Secteties." The Clan Na Gael, Accient Order of Hibernians, frish National-manufactured or sold by unscrupation at sometimes ignorant persons, who de his

respectable citizens engaged in the points out adulteration of food, drink and zellcine should be sent to the gailows.

I do not believe that this evil will left much longer. The American people at

They will find themselves recalling the estimeny about embalmed beef, and the hundreds of statements they have see about the dangerous adulteration of all nost everything consumed by the people is

the shape of dally food and drink.

Unless we find a remedy, there is seen to fear that our so-called modes reason to fear that our so-called modes and inventions will fright