# IN THE SOUTHWEST

Temperature Generally Ten Degrees Higher in Kansas, Oklahoma, Missouri, Texas.

WIRE CONDITIONS IMPROVED

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 14 .-Passing of the high pressure area to the upper Mississippi valley and Great lakes region today is bringing relief to the southwest from the cold wave. The mercury rose from four to nine degrees in Missouri over night, a little more in Kansas and Oklahoma, while in northern and western Texas the reading reported to the local weather bureau generally were ten degrees higher than

Snow for Missourt.

Slewly rising temperatures, with in creasing cloudiness that may bring show in Missourt, Kames and the northern part of Oklahoms were predicted. At Kansas City the mercury stood at 7% degrees below zero at 6 o'clock this

Four and a half hours later it had risen to the zere mark. Des Moines reported 16 degrees below zero at ? a. m.; St. Joseph, 10 below: Concordin, Kan., 5 below. Dodge City, 2 above, Fort Smith, Ark.,

Wire conditions were much improved and trains were resuming normal sched-

Warmer at St. Paul. ST. PAUL, Minn., Jan. H.-Gradually rising temperatures throughout the cenral northwest states today brought relie from the intense cold of the last two days and enabled railroads to resume normal service.

In the Twin Cities the temperature was 17 degrees below early today, as compared with 31 below twenty-four hours

Cold Wave Reaches Atlantic. WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.- The cold wave has reached the Atlantic states, although not in full force, over the north section the Mississippi river.

Pour Below at Chicago. CHICAGO, Jan. 14.-The cold weather which has prevailed in the middlewest for the last thirty-six house, continued today, but the weather bureau preducted higher temperatures before night. In this city at 7 s. m., street ther-nomelers in the downtown district reg-

intered 4 degrees below zero. Hallroad traffic west of Chicago is still far from normal, although reports from lows and Minnesots, where the serious trouble was encountered from the storm, state that conditions are fection which, she declares, he has lay-

### HAUSER'S NERVE BREAKS AS TRIAL APPROACHES END taken, but "I'll ask Art," she said.

ontinued from Page One.) last thing of the law-the presumption of innocence till guilt is proven. I most firmly and sincerely believe that son can say Arthur Hauser's guilt has been proven beyond question of a coubt by the case which the state has

"Counsel for the state has asked you if you are going to turn Hauser loose upon this community. Gentlemen, the question is not the interest of the comnor of Hauser's family. Hauser's life is not worth much. He is only a man, like the rest of us. He may have sinned. He has sinned.

should forget the interest of the arty, the city, the state, his old mother, his wife, and his daughter, But since counsel for the state has menthe effect of the result of this let me say a few words concerning those on whom a conviction would bear hardly.

Pleads for Baby.

"Arthur Hauser has a little baby there, lying in her mother's arms. By her side sits the man's aged mother. Some time when Arthur Hauser lies whether in a prison yard or in a better graveyard, that little girl will be a woman and she will marry and become a mother. When some one asks her: 'Who are you?' she will answer: 'I am the daughter of Art Houser, who was electrocuted for murder, the first man to ait in the deathchair in the state

"In Kansas where my home is they have abandoned the death penalty, but you have it in Nebraska and if you believe Arthur Hauser is guilty of this murder, I tell you to send him to the death; chair.

"Gentlemen of the jury, where were you the night of October 16. I was in the sanctuary of my home with my wife and linby. If someone said I was some where else how would I prove where was. I'd have to call that loving wife. That is what Hauser did.

trges Jury to Believe Wife. What is to protect you if your wife is not to be believed when she comes on the stand, enshaken and says you were with her. Is she not to be believed even if her testimony is not corroborated? But in this case there was corro boration. Hauser and Mrs. Hauser said the laundry was delivered the night of the nurder. I went to the laundry com

pany and they told me 'No.' I came back and said: 'My God, Hauser, are you lying to us.' He said, 'No.' Charles A. Linter, driver for the Chicago Laundry company, called to the witness stand by the state to refute the alibi which Mrs. Hauser, the bandit's wife, had to establish for him, broke down

at the last minute and admitted that his cash record showed he had delivered laundry to the Hauser home on October is, the date of the murder of the late Crawd Chunges Fatth.

This meant little in itself, but, coupled with his provious denial and with the testineous which a trail little woman, a faithful wife and devoted mother, had given an hour previously, it had the appearance in a living about to the

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death for the slayer of limith, in a flank
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Three likes issue, was signaled to the
limy, hundreds of men and women suddealy changing their hands and stamping
their feet as one person. It was said by
court officials to have been one of the

MERCURY IS RISING Mrs. Hauser and Child at Trial of Her Husband



Mrs. Hauser, by her evidence, repaid

her husband for the kindness and af-

ished on her and their baby during all

the long series of desperate crimes of

which he is accused. Her devotion to

him is manifested by her evident hap-

piness at being with him and by her

willingness to do whatever he desires.

She didn't want to have her photograph

photographs of her and the baby were

an hour with her husband before she testified, during a recess of court. Then she was called to the stand.

Married Eleven Years. "My name is Mrs. May Hauser," she said, testified. "I have been married to Ar-We came to Omaha on October 1 and vorable to the defense.

'Do you know where you were?"

Who was with you?"

'My husband and my babe." Where were you? "At 2117 Webs'er street from 5:30 o'clock

Saturday until Bunday morning." 'How do you fix the date?". Laundryman Came at Nine. The laundryman came at 9 o'clock, Also Arthur and I were going to go

down to buy me a coat. Arthur said, 'I

believe it best not to take our baby out tonight, because it is raining What laundry was it?" The Chicago laundry.

"Who paid the laundry boy?"

I got it from my husband. I went back to the kitchen where my husband nd I were playing cards and got it." Mrs. Hauser here told of going into the rooms of Mr. and Mrs. Crozier, proprictors of the rooming house, to get the bany, Lida Hauser, who, she said, had run in there, wearing only a petticont. Mr. Crozier in previolus testimony had said he remembered the incident, but

Sorted Out Baby's Clothes. Mrs. Isauser further established the alibi by testifying that on the evening of October 16, she undid the package lothes and sorted out what she needed or the bady over Sunday.

did not fix the date of it. Mrs. Hauser

said Arthur sent her after the child.

'Mr. Hauser put on the irons for me and I fromed that night," she said. "Then we retired and got up about 9 o'clock Sunday morning

County Attorney Magney did not crossexamine the witness. The laundry driver had admitted he times worked late on Saturdays.

Weather Man on Stand. Other witnesses for the defense were: Frank O'Connor, who testified of measuring distances at the scene of the crime: Colonel L. A. Welsh, weather forecaster. who told of the condition of the weather the night of the murder, and Dr. A. F. Tyler, who lives near the scene of the crime, and whose testimony was introduced in an effort to impeach Miss Grace Slater, eye-witness of the murder.

Colonel Welsh said; "According to my records, it rained from 6:15 to 7:20 the night of October 16, and from 7:50 to 9:3). A total of .18 of an inch of rain fell that

The forecaster said .03 of an inch of water fell between 9 and 9:30. The murder was committed at 10 o'clock Dr. Tyler, who lives at 119 Lincoln houlevard, 250 feet north of Dodge street, said he saw a man and woman on the oppo-

site side of the street from his house shortly before the time of the murder. They turned and went south to Dodge "A moment or two later I heard the

report of a pistol," said the physician." 'Did you see anyone after that?" "No, sir," said the witness; not until the crowd gathered."

Miss Slater had testified she and Smith did not go north of Dodge street. Linter, the laundry driver, was called n rebuttel by the state to disprove Mrs. Hauser's statement that he had delivered aundry to the "Wilsons," as the Hausers called themselves while living in Omaha. on the night of the murder. He first testified that he made only

two trips to 2117 Webster, where the "Wilsons" were living. "I was there the afternoon of October

20 and the morning of October 21," he testified. "I have been married to Ar-thur Hauser eleven years on February 4, "break" in his testimony which was fa-

Mrs. Hauser conversed more than half "Do you remember the night of Oc- Read The Bee Want Ads. It pays!

## Generals Rodriguez

EL PASO, Tex., Jan. 14.-Generals Jose Rodriguez and Almeida, were executed at Maders, shortly after their arrest. according to a dispatch received by the Mexican consul from General Jacinto arevine today.

Andreas G. Garcia, Mexican consul, de clared today in answer to a formal inquiry, that no armed expeditionary forces of Americans would be permitted to enter Mexico to run down Villa and his bandits

#### DEATH RECORD Frank O. Peterson.

WEST POINT, Neb., Jan. 14.-(Special.) The funeral of Frank O. Peterson took place from St. Mary's church, West Point, on Wednesday morning. Rev. A. Klemenz, assistant pastor, celebrated the

preached by iter. F. Peitz, pastor. Mr. Peterson was an early settler of the Bell Creek neighborhood, in Burt county, near applies regardless of age or condition in Oakland, settling there forty years ago. life. He leaves a widow, three daughters, Mrs | The congest on of stomach waste in the John Seeman and Mrs. Lawrence Seemen bowels is evidenced in various ways: of West Point and Miss Mury, at home. bloat, cructation of four stomach gases, also three sons. Joseph, Gustave and sick headache, languor, all indicate conof and died of heart disease.

Mrs. Katherine Redmond. Mrs. Katherine Redmond; a resident of function. Johnson county since 1876, died at her Harsh catharties and violent purgahome in Crab Orchard on Tuesday, Jan- tives should not be employed, as these

dren: Mrs. D. J. Turner, Gridley, Cal.; Syrup Pepsin is far preferable and is Pepsin and now keeps it on hand for fam-Mrs. Sara J. Platt, Crab Orchard; Mrs. now the remedy generally used and pre- ity use. A bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup W. H. Doelittle, Tacoma, Wash.; Joseph scribed by many doctors. It is free from Peppin should have a place in every Redmond, Colby, Kan.; Miss Madge V. opiate or narcotic drugs, acts easily and family medicine chest. A trial bottle can Redmond, Kansas City, Mo.; J. f. Red- pleasantly, without griping or other pain be obtained free of charge, by writing to

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Theodore Thoms.

WEST POINT, Neb., Jan, 14-(Special.)

mond, San Antonio, Tex.; Miss Ella Red- Sloux City hospital on Tuesday. Mr Thoms had been taking treatment 3t. Sloux City for some months without benefit. He is the o'dest son of Theodore Thoms of this city, a well-known and early settler of Cuming county. He was a native of this place and was 25 years The death of Theodore Thoms, it., a brought to this city for interment. of age, and unmarried. The body was

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Otto. The deceased was 68 years of age stipation, and call for prompt attention, not only to relieve the present discemfort, but also to avoid possible disens-TECUMSEH, Neb., Jan. 14 - (Special.) that follows neglect of this important

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