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flushes, ringing in the ears. etc.

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Bill Nye on Life Insurance.

I also had that tired feeling, hot constant desire to evade work. gnawing sensation of industry,

the times and tipsy telegraph poles, live wires and dead repairers, these days when the colitician and the deadly bridge policeman with his pull lie down together (under the ininfluice of the same stimulant) these days when death lurks in the air we breath, the earth we tried, the water-the water we bathe in, the -I say it behooves us to look well to our future state, and I take pleasure in certifying and saying to whom these presence may come, that since I became fully insured my lealth has improved so much that is a subject of profound congratulation on my part and the deepest disgust on the part of those who would naturally inherit my past wealth -Ex.

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blood purifiers, they filter out the waste or impurities in the blood. If they are sick or out of order, they fail to do their work. Pains, aches and rheu-

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s. You may have a sample bottle by mail Home of Swap free, also pamphlet telling you how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. Mention this paper when writing Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. Don't make any mistake, but remember

the name, Swamp-Root. Dr. Kilmer's Syamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N.Y., on every bottle.

-Exchange.

Bright Prospects.

Hundreds of students will enter Tyler College at Tyler. Texas, next week, for shorthand and commercial courses.

The managers of this institution have scarcely been able to give personal replies to the great number of inquiries they have been receiving recently from prospective students. It is the excellent work that is being done by the graduates of Tyler College that is heading to such crowds of students.

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What young person could not afford to invest this small amount of money in a practical education that will enable him to earn the entire amount back in from one to two months? You need not question, "Will I get a position when I finish?" The business world is badly in need of the class of bookkeepers and stenographers that the above named institution is turning out.

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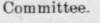
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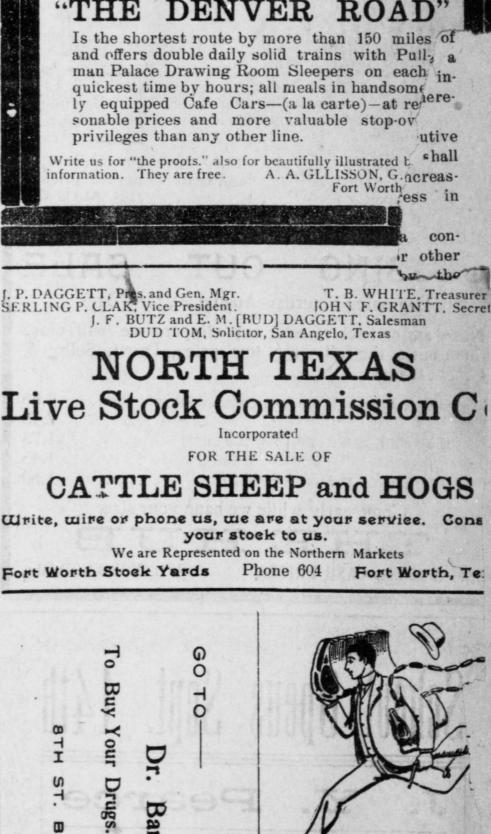
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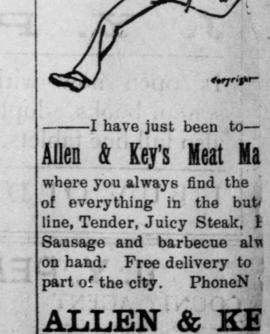
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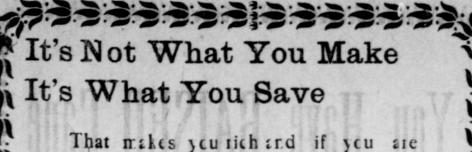
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An act to regulate elections and to prescribe penalties for its violation.

Sec 65. Any judge may re- No judge or clerk shall make quire a citizen to answer under any statement nor give informa- printed with black ink on clear oath before he secures an official tion in any manner of the number white book paper of sufficient ballot whether he has been fur- of votes nor any other fact re- thickness to prevent the marknished with any paper or ballot garding their opinion of the ing thereon to be seen through on which is marked the names state of polls until after the the paper. There shall be of those for whom he has agreed closing thereof, except as hereor proposed to vote, or has in permitted.

such paper or marked ballot in Sec. 70. Two clerks shall his possession, and he shall not each keep a poll list, upon which be furnished with an official bal. they shall write the name and number of each person who lot until he has delivered to the votes and at the times of his judge such marked ballot or voting. paper, if he has one, which, on Sec. 71. No officer of election delivery, shall without examinashall unfold or examine the face tion be destroyed by the judge. of a ballot when received from Sec. 66. At the expiration of an elector, nor the endorsement one hour after voting has begun on the ballot, except the signathe receiving judge shall deliver ture of the judge, or the words ballot box No. 1 to the counting stamped thereon, por compare judge, who shall at once deliver it with the clerks' list of voters, in its place ballot box No. 2 when the ballots are counted. which shall again be opened and nor shall he permit the same to examined in the presence of all be done, nor shall he examine, the judges, and securely closed or permit to be examined, the and locked; and until the ballots ballots after they are deposited in ballot box No. 1 have been in a ballot box, except as herein counted, the receiving judge provided for in canvassing the shall rective and deposit ballots votes, or in cases specially proin ballot box No. 2. Ballot box vided by law. No. 1 shall, at its receipt by the Sec. 72. The counting judg-

counting judge, be immediately es and clerks shall familiarize opened, and the tickets taken themselves with the signature out by him, one by one, when

each political party shall contain the names of all the candidates whose nominations for elective office have been duly made by such party and not withdrawn, together with the title of the political barty, as certified in the certificate of nomination.

Sec. 78. All ballots shall be nomination of each party or body making nominations when such certificate is fiied. The term "primary election," as used in this act means any election held by the members of any political party for the purpose of selecting candidates of such party to be voted for at any general or special election held under the laws of this State. The term "primary convention" means any convention or mass meeting held in the voting precincts of any county by the painted at the top of each ballot the name of the party represented on the ballots, and under each the printed names of the candidates of such party and of the offices for which they are candidates.

Sec. 79. The party names shall be printed in display, the name or designation of the office in brevier lower case, and the name of the candidate in brevier capital type. The title of office,

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PERSONAL MENTION	First Premium.	Clyde Voss of Miles was here Thursday.	
Harry Scott came in from Brownwood Friday.		Rock Friday to attend Presby-	
Mrs. Louie Litt, of Coleman, returned home Saturday.	money, \$50, which was made up some weeks since. The cotton was grown on Joe	Dr. W. B. Halley went up to	Von Hovo DAICED Cono S
Horace Thomson came in Mon- day from a trip to Canada.	Johnson's farm north of town. The bale weighed 486 pounds and was bought by Davis-Fan	visit.	
Joe Cumby, of Bronte, was in town Friday doing some trading.	cher Co. at $10\frac{1}{2}$ cents per pound. Mr. Davis expressed the opinion	Sceigh Cobb went up to San Angelo Friday to visit his brother M. C. Cobb.	2
Miss Bertha Reed went up to San Angelo Tuesday on a visit.	that cotton would go no lower but it would probably bring 12½ cents before the season was far	Judge Guion spent last Friday and Saturday in San Angelo on	Now Save It
Pickens Butler went to Temple Monday to resume work after a	advanced.	business. Judge Crozier, County Judge	The only way to do this
	The new firm of Gressett & Williams informs us that they intend to erect a big sheet iron	of Concho county, was here Thursday.	
Misses Lee Stocks and Moody	blacksmith shop on their lot to the rear of T. S. Lankford's	J. B. Alvis & Bro. are head- quarters for all kinds of fruit and vegetables.	DEERING CANE ROW BINDER
Cordill spent a few days in Miles the guest of relatives.	will be a substantial improve- ment to Ballinger and no doubt	L. Markowitz returned Thurs- day from the east where he has	
Miss Stubbs, sister to our merchant W. B. Stubbs, came in Friday to visit the latter.	prove profitable to these par- ties.	been to buy goods. Miss Bustin of Claudcroft,	At The
G M Vaughn returned Sat-	There will be no preaching at the Methodist church next Sun- day morning as Rev. C. M.		Inil Hadwana Comnany
he had been looking after his cattle.	Shuffler will be in Denton county holding a meeting. Rev. Fitz hugh will preach a prohibition	Bob Dees came in from Fort Worth Monday and is now tend ing bar at Harry Scott's saloon.	Endli Adamalt Lomban E
Saba, spent a few days here	sermon at the Methodist church on Snnday night. All the	day from an extended visit to	
this week the guest of her uncle E. L. Hagen.	Dick Oliver, of Winters, came	Uvalde and other points in South Texas.	Ballinerg Texas.
Carl, returned to Brownwood Monday after a weeks stay with	in last Friday from Limestone county. He reports the boll weevils very bad in that county	the guest of Mrs. R. L. Bennett	
Edwin Day and family. Mrs. E. L. Hagen entertained	and that cotton was practically ruined but a fine crop of corn was raised there.		
the "smart set" Monday night in honor of her niece Miss Mamie Hagen, of San Saba.			
Bob Corum, Harry Thomson. Tom Patterson and Maurice	Bay City to spend a month visit-	Rev. O. M. Fitzhugh will preach at the Cumberland Pres-	FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE We have for sale, an 80 acre tract of land on Hog Creek, im- proved, fenced, 40 acres in cultivation, with a house and well
Crews went up to San Angelo Saturday. Maurice pitched the game Saturday for Ballinger.		byterian church at 11 o'clock Sunday morning.	on it. Price, if taken soon, \$9.00 per acre. Will take two- thirds of the purchase money in cattle at market price.
Prof. J. H. Rotramel princi- pal of the Winter's public school	San Angelo.	The large tabernacle in Brown- wood which has been so long used for public meetings, burned	The Lewis Mountain Pasture.
was in Friday to meet his wife's sister Miss Davis, of Ridgeway who will spend the winter with	nesday for Van Horn to spend a month on the ranch.	at 4 o'clock last Tuesday morn- ing.	We have surveyed the Lewis Mountain Pasture and subdivided it into tracts of 165 acres to 640 and placed it on the the market. Most of this land is very fine agricultural land, while a part of it is fine grazing land only, making it a very desirable location for
him.	Mrs. W. R. Spencer left Fri-	A. W. Davis of Elgin, nephew to J. A. DeMoville our esteemed	farming and stock raising. There are a number of sections in the pasture owned by other clients of ours, which have heretofore been leased by Mr. Lewis, and purchasers of one or more sec-
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Miss Lola Lewis.

ing friends and relatives at Wingate this week.

C. A. McBeth and wife arrived this week from a months visit to Gatesville. R. A. Hester of the Winters

country was here Wednesday. Horace Thomson is visting home folks this week.

A Correction.

In A. H. Van Pelt's display ad last week we put it H. Winkler when it should have been

Dry Goods at prices that suit these hard times at Stubbs & Hartman's.

here Wednesday the guest of the Miss Emma Lankford is visitlatter.

> Quite a large number of ministers came in on Thursday's train to attend Presbytery at Paint Rock which convenes Friday.

> Mrs. J. L. Davis of Sonora and Will Covington and wife of San Angelo are the guests of their aunt Mrs. J. A. DeMoville of this city.

> D. F. Lollar, of Winters dropped in to see us Thursday. He has just returned from an extensive trip in Missouri, his old home. He reports everything prosperous in that section.

> Temple Hoffer went up to San Angelo Friday to attend some business matters and witness the ball game between Santa Anna and that place. He will drive a team through to Ballin. ger Saturday.

Concho Herald.

J. W. Norman is attending the annual meeting of the Scottish Rite Masons at Galveston.

W. T. Mansker was over from The Rev. W. H. Berry will speak in South Ballinger this week with watermelons and peaches, and presented the Herald with a nice bucket of peaches.

> Godfrey Massey purchased 124 head of cows and calves and dry cows and two bulls from Sam Waring this week at p. t. They are all well bred Herefords, and are good lookers.

To Whom it May Concern.

We have sold the Greenwood & Osteen photo gallery to L. W. St. Clair. We thank our friends 000 and customers for past favors and hope in the future they will give him their work as he will be better prepared to dc work than we have been in the past. Respt. T. M. Osteen

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for prohibition at the following in places and dates and will divide in time with any gentleman endorsed in by the anti-prohicition committee Ballinger. Crews, Friday Content, Saturday Antelope, Monday Winters, Wednesday Pumphrey Wingate Thursday Norton Friday Maverick Saturday Runnels Monday Norwood Tuesday Miles Wednesday

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