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QUOTES THE LAW.

Judge Ingraham Sees no Use in Taking Two Bites at one Cherry.

EDITOR SENTINEL.

In answer to your statement that "if the charter of the Nacogdoches University has lapsed" I request you to publish the following:

"An act to renew and continue in force an act entitled 'An act to Charter the Nacogdoches University,' approved February 3rd, 1845.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas, that an act entitled 'an Act to Charter the Nacogdoches University,' approved February 3rd, 1845, is renewed and continued in force until the first day of January, A. D. 1900: and all the acts of the trustees of said university done and performed by them since the expiration of their charter as limited in said act, within the scope of their authority as defined in said act, are hereby declared to be as valid as if said charter had never expired.

Section 2. Be it further enacted, that the following persons are recognized and constituted as trustees of Nacogdoches University and classified according to the provisions of said original act, to wit: trustees of the first class, Richard S. Walker, John Forbes, Bennett Blake, Frederick Voigt, Charles M. Rackett, M. G. Whitaker, L. E. Griffith, A. H. Crain and Peyton F. Edwards. Trustees of second class, Moses L. Eaton, Edward J. Fry, Lawrence S. Taylor, Henderson Kleroy, R. D. Orton and Sam Clark.

Section 3. Be it further enacted, that this act take effect and be in force from the date of its passage. Approved April 11th, 1873.

This act is on page 42 of the laws passed by the Legislature. This is the first legislation I have been able to find about the University. On it is based my opinion

that the Nacogdoches University has been dead for two and a quarter years, and that there is no one to step down and out.

If legislation is necessary then there is no use making two bites at one cherry. With the sincere hope that out of this discussion will spring much good to the educational interest of Nacogdoches I am,

Respectfully,

GEO. F. INGRAHAM.

Confederate Reunion Excursion.

The special excursion train for the Confederate Reunion at Dallas, will leave Lufkin at 5 o'clock and Nacogdoches at 6 o'clock, on Monday morning April 21, and will reach Dallas that same evening between 6 and 7 o'clock, making a daylight run all the way through without changing cars.

Only \$4.85 for the round trip. Fine coaches, fast time and the best of accommodations on the train. Everybody is cordially invited to go into Dallas on this train, and meet the old heroes whose noble heroism so long upheld the "Lost Cause," and only yielded at last to "overwhelming numbers and resources."

JAMES W. TRUIT.

Died at Austin.

Austin, Texas, April 14.—Judge J. E. Collard, associate justice of the court of civil appeals for the Third district, died this morning at 12:30 o'clock at his home here. The cause of his death was an attack of pneumonia contracted a week ago. Judge Collard was 63 years of age, and leaves a wife and several children. He had been an associate justice since the organization of the court in 1892. The funeral will be held tomorrow at 4 p. m. The state departments will be closed at noon on account of the funeral.

Among those in town trading, etc., on Saturday were J. E. Rice, Wm. Moss, David Parish, Hit Henderson, Lem G. Stanley, Jeff Collins and E. N. Stone.

WADE HAMPTON DEAD.

Many Thousands Follow His Remains to the Grave.

Columbia, S. C., April 13.—In the presence of thousands of people who came to pay their last tribute of love and respect to their dead chieftain, the body of Wade Hampton was buried in the old family lot in Trinity church yard today. Every effort had been made by the family to have the funeral quiet, but those who attended the funeral obsequies of John C. Calhoun, for which preparations were made by the state for a week, declare the demonstration this afternoon the greatest of all.

The outpouring of people was spontaneous. Every railroad leading here was forced to run special trains. Veterans, sons and daughters, military and municipal officers came from every county in the state. There were representative people; the most honored men and women in South Carolina society were here. During the short time today the public was permitted to enter the Hampton house several thousand people, including a great many negroes, passed by the coffin. The procession included all the organizations, about 800 militia and delegations from schools and colleges. All marched in double rank and close order and the line was a mile and a half long. All were on foot except General Hampton's family.

An Appeal For Aid.

Austin, Texas, April 13.—Governor Sayers has investigated the conditions which prevail in Zapata county, and today issued an appeal calling on the people of Texas to extend relief to the section on account of the very severe and protracted drouth which prevailed. He does not go into particulars as the number of people who are suffering.

A Big Tank.

Car No. 17562, of the T. & N. O. Railroad went to Shreveport yesterday from Beaumont. Upon this car was a mammoth oil tank, containing 12850 gallons of oil and weighing 150,000 pounds. The big tank was viewed with great interest by scores of people who saw it while the train stood on the side track a short while at the depot.

Directors and Stockholders Meeting.

There will be an annual meeting of the directors and stockholders of the Merchants & Farmers Cotton Oil Co. in Nacogdoches, Texas, on the 25th day of April, 1902. All are requested to be present. Directors meeting at 9:30 a. m.; stockholders meeting at 2 p. m.

ALLAN SEALE,
Secretary.

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ANDERSON'S TROUBLES.

Will Appeal His Case if a New Trial is Not Granted.

EDITOR SENTINEL.

April 14.—All are aware of my misfortunes, but none can realize it as I do, confined in jail as I am away from my aged mother, who is now 72 years old, and my wife and five children, who are dependent upon me. But I pray God to bless them and spare us all until I get out of this dreadful trouble. My attorney, Mr. Dial, has filed a motion for a new trial and if overruled by the court will take the case to the court of appeals. Mr. Dial will have the assistance of Frank Brewer Esq., whom my friends have employed, which kindness I have not words to thank them for as I feel. It is rumored that I am just working for a chance to get away. This is not true. I could have gotten away with all ease a few days ago when I was out at my own command for seven or eight hours. I expect to remain right here until I come clear of the charge against me or am sent to the pen. I have been on the dodge long enough and it is worse than serving a term in the penitentiary. I advise these young men in jail to go and serve out their time, for outside of the name of being a convict a man is better off there than on the dodge. When the sheriff came to San Antonio after me I told him I would not give him any trouble, and so I have not, and you people that like to talk so well may ask Mr. Spradley how I act. May be you can then speak a word in my favor, as I need all I can get.

J. C. ANDERSON.

Elections Were Illegal.

Guthrie, April 13.—Chief Justice Burford, of the territorial supreme court, has rendered a decision holding that the recent city elections at Chandler and at Lawton and the other cities in the new southwestern counties are void, having been brought about by special proclamations. The decision maintains that only the registrations next year will be legal.

Primary Election.

Chireno, Tex., April 12.—A primary election will be held in the town of Chireno on the 19th inst., for the purpose of selecting candidates for all the offices, state, district and county, to be placed on the democratic ticket to be voted for at the election in November next.

R. H. BLACKWELL,
Chm. D. E. C., Prec. No. 4.

Cholera in the Philippines.

Manila, April 13.—The cholera situation in Manila continues much the same, but the conditions of the provinces are becoming alarming. The total of cholera cases up to date is 245, while there has been 192 deaths from the disease. In the provinces there have been 418 cases and 318 deaths.

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BLACK JACK.

Local Happenings of Interest as Reported by The Sentinel's Special Correspondent.

Attoyac, April 13.—The whippoorwill's voice is heard once more, and with it came the whippoorwill storm. Some damage was done by way of blowing down fences in the Green's mill neighborhood, on Sunday night the 6th inst. Last night quite a nice rain fell, which was no draw back to the farming population.

Next Saturday is the last day of grace for the candidates before the primary, but of course all are feeling jubilant over their "I know I'll get there." Salt River is quite a large and lengthy stream with thousands of tributaries, one of which runs through our little town, so all candidates who fail to catch the overland stage can get aboard the steamer "Defeat," which leaves this port at 6 o'clock sharp on the evening of the 19th inst.

Get yourselves ready for the ice cream supper which the ladies intend giving in the near future. They have waited on the men long enough and are going to try and raise funds enough to build a neat church edifice at this place. Everybody should assist in this laudable enterprise.

It is time to talk up a May day celebration of some kind. Let us have it.

Rev. Hilton, a Baptist divine, from Shelby county, preached a very interesting sermon this afternoon.

Mrs. A. P. Stephen, after a residence at this place for the past 33 or 34 years, left Monday morning for Jacksonville, where she will make her future home. Mrs. Stephens will be greatly missed in church and Sunday school, as she was a thorough worker in religious matters. The soci-

ety young folks will miss her son and daughter, Roy and Ada, who are brilliant young people. Success to them.

Jerry Crisp spent last night with his uncle, John F. Pleasant, three miles from here on the Nacogdoches road and reports his cousin, Mrs. Alice Barrett's removal from Melrose to her father's, where she and family will make their home until they move to Center, Shelby county, where they have bought property.

Grass has risen sufficiently to make the chicken peddler happy.

The fruit crop will be abundant in this section if no disaster happens to it.

The doctors have some riding to do; nothing very serious, though.

Mrs. Bill Blankenship is now able to sit up and will soon be able to stir around.

There was considerable cotton planted last week, and by the latter part of this week the greater portion of the cotton crop will be planted.

To The Public.

I understand that whiskey was carried out Saturday to Shady Grove, and is circulated, as being sent by me. I wish to say that it is false. I was not at Nacogdoches Saturday. Was in Garrison.

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THE corporate limits of Nacogdoches ought to be widened out to double what it is. How can it be done?

FOR heaven's sake don't expect us to be perfect. We are human, and we don't like to be expected to err less than any other human.

THE election of school trustees on May 3rd will be one of the most important elections ever held in Nacogdoches. Are you ready for the question?

THE great pianist, Paderewsky, will be at Dallas on the 21st and will give a benefit performance to help the committees raise funds for the entertainment of the veterans.

THE Orange Daily Tribune is a credit to the little city of Orange. Few papers in the state display more editorial ability and its mechanical make up cannot be excelled. Its advertising patronage bears evidence that it is appreciated at home.

THREE new school trustees are to be elected on May 3rd for the Nacogdoches Independent district. The question of graded schools will be involved in this election. Do you know how you stand on this question? If not, it is time to be thinking the matter over.

THE Lufkin Tribune seems to have a morbid idea that every achievement of Lufkin operates to the discomfiture of Nacogdoches. Bless your soul, brother, Nacogdoches is in such a whirl of improvement, progressiveness and prosperity that she has not time to notice little things like Lufkin.

In the municipal election of last week Lufkin polled more votes by twenty than did Nacogdoches. Neither of the Nacogdoches dailies, however, seem to have discovered this fact.—Lufkin Tribune.

That is a fact that we care nothing about, dear brother. Besides, it signifies nothing. Nacogdoches has not half the voters within her limits proper inside her corporation. She could have voted twice as many as she did, even as it is, if all the voters had turned out. There was no interest in the election.

VIC DANIELS has decided that he is not as big a patriot as he thought he was a month ago, and has withdrawn from the race for Representative. He intimates that he has a better job and does not care to waste time and money seeking an office that will not pay expenses while it lasts. Daniels' head is about level, after all. If he had stayed in the newspaper business it would have been all right, because it is really not a sacrifice to a newspaper man to go to the legislature. Many of them go to Austin during the sessions, and all of them would if they could afford it.

A GOOD MOVE.

Now, if the people of Nacogdoches Independent School District No. 3 will back up the move made by the Board of University Trustees, promulgated at their meeting yesterday, we will come out of the tangle in school matters and Nacogdoches will soon be placed upon highest plane of educational achievement. The board met yesterday for the purpose of discussing the school situation and with the view to putting some sort of movement on foot for the betterment of our school interests. The following resolution was offered by D. K. Cason:

That the sense of this board of trustees of the Nacogdoches University is that they will deed to the Independent School District No. 3, of Nacogdoches, Texas, all the present University or College Campus now under fence; provided, the sum of thirty two thousand five hundred dollars in bonds be issued, and twenty-five thousand dollars of said bonds be used in the erection of a public school building on said University campus, and the remaining seven thousand five hundred dollars be used for building two other buildings in the town of Nacogdoches; and provided further that in the transfer of the University campus above referred to that the deed shall positively and unconditionally prohibit the sale or transfer at any time of any part of said grounds, and provided also that said grounds and buildings, when erected, shall be used for public school purposes and no other.

Carried unanimously. Mr. Cason's resolution was carried by a unanimous vote of all present, there being thirteen of the fifteen members of the board present.

Those present and favoring the move were, John Schmidt, J. H. Thomas, S. W. Blount, L. Zeve, W. U. Perkins, E. M. Dotson, J. G. Orton, J. C. Harris, T. B. Hardeman, F. C. Ford, D. K. Cason, R. C. Shindler and E. A. Blount.

Those absent were J. H. Summers and Geo. H. Matthews, both of whom it is understood are in harmony with the move.

It was recommended that an election be ordered at once for the purpose of taking a vote upon the proposition.

If this proposition carries, Nacogdoches will stand second to no town in school facilities. The idea is to erect a \$25,000 building on the college campus, a \$5,000 building on the grounds of West Nacogdoches Institute and a \$2,500 building for the colored school. The question is now open for discussion, and we trust will be viewed without prejudice and discussed from a standpoint of reason to the end that the very best interests of the entire people may be attained.

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A NEBRASKA woman beat her divorced husband in a shooting match, wounding him twice, while his five shots all missed her. If the duel had been with rocks the man would have been safe, whatever the fate of by-standers.—Texas Farmer.

Mr. D. A. Ballew, an old and respected citizen of Lufkin, died Monday at the residence of his son-in-law, R. B. Shearer, in this city. "Uncle Dave," as he was affectionately called, had been a citizen of Lufkin for a number of years and every man who knew him was his friend. He was a Master Mason, and his funeral services were conducted by the organization Tuesday morning at Knight cemetery. The Tribune extends sympathy to the bereaved relatives and friends.—Lufkin Tribune.

"Uncle Dave" was well known in Nacogdoches, and had many friends who regret to hear of his death.

"All things come in time to him who waits," says the proverb; but how few are there who know how to wait! This feverish, anxious, expectant waiting how it wears upon the soul, robbing the thing waited for of half its pleasure! It is a calm, confident patient waiting that does not seem long because the waiter has discounted disappointment at the outset by expecting it to be long. The man or woman who has an object to accomplish may set all possible machinery in motion, may plan and scheme, but in nine cases out ten there will be no success without waiting—patient, steady, silent waiting. The wise man watches the development of his plans, notes every symptom, and estimates its bearing and importance, but he bends his energies to waiting, and—succeeds.—Transcript.

The Nacogdoches Sentinel takes rather a gloomy view of canning factories, and says they are not a success. Probably not in some instances, but with thousands of acres in fruit, tomatoes and other vegetables in East Texas, it is very evident that the supply is going to be greater than the demand in a few years for the fresh products of the farm, and without canning factories for the protection of the grower, truck farming will soon be come as unprofitable as cotton raising. The Tribune predicts that in less than five years if Editor Haltom wants to eat tomatoes canned in Maryland and fruit put up in California he will have to go out of East Texas to do so.—Lufkin Tribune.

The Tribune misconstrues THE SENTINEL. We said that canning factories had not been a success independent of the cooperation of the truck growers. We got this information from those who have had experience. Nacogdoches is to have a first class canning factory and we believe it is going to be a financial success because it is backed by the truck growers, who will cooperate to that end.

Mesdames Irwin, J. C. Hines, T. J. Humphries, Mark Griffin and Miss Ellen Nall visited Nacogdoches this week.—Garrison Signal!

Hon. Cecil Lyon of Sherman has been elected colonel of the Fourth Texas volunteer guard to succeed J. A. Stysen, promoted to brigadier general.

Merchants' Excursion.

A growing and an altogether commendable practice is that of merchants' excursions at stated or irregular intervals, and always with the ultimate purpose of promoting trade. They may sometimes be permitted to lapse into mere "junkets" or occasion for having a good time—but even in that relation their intrinsic value is not wholly destroyed or lost.

We note that the Progressive Union of New Orleans—an organization, by the way, that is not misnamed—has started a movement of this sort that bids fair to accomplish most excellent and lasting results. It has asked the presidents of the Board of Trade, the Cotton Exchange, the Sugar and Rice Exchange and the Maritime Association to join with it in selecting an executive committee, with power to take general charge of such excursions by the business men of New Orleans and their friends. The idea is for the initial excursion to be made up of representative men from all lines, to leave the city early in April, devote ten days or two weeks to the trip on a special train, to visit the principal cities and towns in Texas and Louisiana, and to meet the representative men of all the cities and towns visited; this, with a view to the immediate establishment of cordial personal relation as the basis of intimate future business relations. And, properly managed, the plan is sure to succeed.

More and more does the personal equation enter into the larger side of business, as it disappears gradually from the smaller transactions of trade. A man no longer has to know his grocer—may not even recognize his tailor on sight. But outside of the strictly retail field men and firms and companies are led to buy or sell or to engage in this or that enterprise largely through personal persuasion, or through the ties of friendship and acquaintance. Men much prefer to do business with their friends to doing it with mere strangers—other things being equal.

And merchants' excursions are good promoters of friendship.—New York Commercial.

I have placed the accounts of the late firm of R. C. Shindler & Son in the hands of David Greer for collection, who is fully authorized to make settlement. See him and save trouble and expense. d28-wtf R. C. Shindler.

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The private car of Mr. F. B. Goodrich, of the H., E. & W. T. R'y Co. is now making its first trip over the road. It came up with the regular passenger train this morning and was left on a side-track at the depot, where it has been viewed as an object of admiration by hundreds of people today. It is a real beauty, both in exterior and interior appearance, and is most fittingly arranged for convenience and comfort of the occupants. The front is arranged so as to be used as a sleeping apartment at night and an office during the day, while the rear portion is used for the kitchen and dining room. The entire car is constructed with beautiful finish and has a most inviting appearance.

Mr. Goodrich came up on the car accompanied by Col. B. S. Wettermark who spent yesterday in Houston, and C. C. Gallaway, who has been attending the Lumbermen's convention.

The following gentlemen are the guests of Mr. Goodrich today: Judge McCain, claim agent; W. H. Taylor, general freight agent; Wm. Doherty, general passenger agent; Judges Feagan and Carter, attorneys; Alf. W. Cheeseman, commercial agent, all of the H., E. & W. T.

Mr. Goodrich has been holding a sort of informal reception all day and has received visits from scores of his Nacogdoches friends.

Bright's Disease.

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THURSDAY'S LOCALS.

C. J. Jessup, of Denning is the city.

E. A. Peacock, of Shelby county, is in the city.

Chas. Richardson and Hollis Mast turned surveyors this morning.

Frank Sublett spent several days in San Augustine this week.

Dr. Mast, of Chireno, spent several days in town this week attending court.

Mr. E. Gragard, who has been in Jacksonville several days returned last night.

H. W. Coale, Houston Drug Co's man, was here yesterday evening, selling goods.

Mr. John Weeks and family are moving in to their new house on North Street today.

Clabe Byley, a prominent ginmer of San Augustine county was in the city today.

Brune Wall left a few days ago for the Indian Territory where he will make his future home.

Capt. F. L. McKnight, of Douglas, is spending a few days with his Nacogdoches folks.

Dr. Felix Tucker has returned from San Augustine where he has been the last two days.

Dick Coats has received a carload of Pabst Beer in casks and cases. He also has a large consignment of Schlitz and Magnolia.

J. C. Buchanan, of Fort Worth, contractor for the new Perkins block, is in the city and is getting ready to begin work on his contract.

Mrs. Bridwell and Mrs. Frank Bridwell are in Melrose visiting Mrs. Mast. Mrs. Hollis Mast and two boys, have been there several days.

John Moreland, colored, who was on trial yesterday for assault to murder was fined \$25 and costs, the offense being reduced to an aggravated assault.

Maury and Ruby Haltom entertained a large number of their young friends last night, in honor to their little cousin, Miss Ivy Chapman, who is spending the week with them.

Mr. Antony Cazedessus, traveling for the Armour Packing Company, was in town yesterday. Mr. Cazedessus, was at one time located here, and has many friends in Nacogdoches.

Joe, and M. E. Burkhalter of Sabine County came up yesterday bringing cotton and trading. These gentlemen came 45 miles to trade in Nacogdoches, taking them nearly two days to make the trip.

J. W. Mitchell of San Augustine is in town. He bought a big ginning outfit and grist mill from Cason & Richardson, and put in a large gin plant nine miles this side of San Augustine on Price's creek.

West Main street will soon be something like itself again. Henry Millard has about completed the job of removing the dump from the railroad crossing, opening the ditches and

placing the street in really better condition than before it was spoiled by the railroad crossing.

Mr. Belk, the hotel man, is an expansionist in reality and has built up his hotel business to such an extent that he has found it necessary to enlarge his facilities. To this end he has rented a portion of the upper story of the Bailey building on corner of Main and Church streets, which he has fitted up in nice bed rooms.

Eugene Blount is in receipt of a telegram from San Augustine, asking him to become a director of the new bank being started at that place with I. D. Polk as President. Mr. Blount accepted, and will go down in a couple of weeks to start the new bank running. He will only be absent a short time, as he will still continue the popular cashier of the Commercial National Bank, of Nacogdoches.

Irion hill astonishes the casual traveler every time he wanders up there. It is a revelation; new streets are opened every day, and houses big and little go up with a rapidity that suggests Aladdin's lamp. They spring up in a single night it seems. Virginia avenue has been graded till the road is perfectly safe, and all the streets are laid out with reference to the time when Irion hill will be one of the most sought after residence portions of the city.

Mr. J. H. Summers and daughter returned this morning from Houston where they attended the Lumbermen's convention. They took in an excursion to Beaumont and had a good time.

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For Coughs and Colds in Children.

"I have not the slightest hesitancy in recommending Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to all who are suffering from coughs or colds," says Chas. M. Cramer, Esq., a well known watch maker, of Colombo, Ceylon. "It has been some two years since the City Dispensary first called my attention to this valuable medicine and I have repeatedly used it and it has always been beneficial. It has cured me quickly of all chest colds. It is especially effective for children and seldom takes more than one bottle to cure them of hoarseness. I have persuaded many to try this valuable medicine, and they are all as well pleased as myself over the results." For sale by Perkins Bros.

Capt. Walker, is the recipient of a medal, which came to him yesterday through Mrs. Mollie R. MacGill Rosenberg from the Daughters of the Confederacy. The medal is in the shape of a square cross, and on the front bears the inscription, "United Daughters of Confederacy to the U. C. V.," also the Confederate flag inserted within a wreath. On the reverse side is the inscription, "Southern Cross of Honor," with the motto, "Deo Vendice" in the center surrounded by a wreath. Capt. Walker appreciates the gift very highly.

FRIDAY'S LOCALS

Fritz Switt, of Melrose, was in town today.

Robt. Blackwell, of Chireno, is in the city.

W. R. Mast, of Melrose, is in the city.

Randolph Cox is visiting at Mahl this week.

The jury for this week has been discharged.

N. Payne, of Appleby, is here this afternoon.

Mr. Hal Tucker went to Toliver today.

Ed Watkins, of Douglass, was on our streets today.

Mr. F. M. Tomlin, of Shelby County is in the city today.

Mr. Bud Furlow of Mt. Enterprise is here trading today.

Mrs. W. C. Todd, of Timpson is visiting Mrs. Jno. T. Garrison.

John Williamson, of Laineville, Rusk county, was here yesterday.

J. D. Selman, of Douglass, was in the city on a business trip today.

Judge V. E. Middlebrook is back from a fishing expedition at Durst Lake.

Capt. Jim Garrison and Wm. Garrison were in town yesterday afternoon.

Mr. W. A. Wright, of Stoker, was in town today buying supplies for his farm.

John Weatherly, of Applebo, is shaking hands with the people on our streets today.

Miss Lizzie Watts passed through town this morning on her way to San Augustine.

Mr. N. H. Moody, representing the Dorsey Printing Co., was in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stack, of Shady Grove, are in town today, selling cotton and trading.

Capt. L. T. Barret, of Melrose, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Benton Wilson, of this city.

Mr. E. A. Blount is absent from the city on a business trip. He will be gone about two days.

J. D. Ford, of Lufkin, spent the day in the city. Mr. Ford is with the Lufkin Land and Lumber company.

Mr. Frank Summers, and wife and little Arthur came in from Houston last night, where they attended the Lumbermen's convention.

The Great Dismal Swamp.

Of Virginia is a breeding ground of Malaria germs. So is low, wet or marshy ground everywhere. These germs cause weakness, chills and fever, aches in the bones and muscles, and may induce dangerous maladies. But Electric Bitters never fail to destroy them and cure malarial trouble. They will surely prevent typhoid. "We tried many remedies for Malaria and Stomach and Liver trouble," writes John Charleston, of Byesville, O., "but never found anything as good as Electric Bitters." Try them. Only soc. R. T. Shindler Drug Co., guarantee satisfaction.

SATURDAY'S LOCALS.

Mr. Philip Tucker is dangerously sick.

Mr. L. Mims, a railroad man is in the city.

John Gilbert came in from Louisiana this morning.

Mr. Louis Whitton, now teaching in Melrose, is in the city today.

Mrs. Mary Little of Chireno is in town visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lit Smith.

Felix Roberts returned yesterday from a short visit to his mother at Timpson.

J. W. Vineyard made a business trip to Lufkin yesterday, returning last night.

Frank P. Brewer, Esq., was in Timpson yesterday looking after business in the justice court up there.

Mrs. W. C. Todd, who has been visiting Mrs. Jno. T. Garrison of this city, returned to her home in Timpson yesterday.

Mr. H. R. Hyde and daughter, Miss Effie, went to Carthage yesterday to visit Mrs. F. M. Bowman who is reported quite sick.

Giles Haltom returned this morning from Durant, Indian Territory, where he has been attending the grand Lodge of Odd Fellows.

T. A. Bullard, of Melrose was in the city today. He says farmers are busy, some of them having already commenced to plant cotton.

Peyton Ingraham and Edgar Wade returned from Beaumont last night via Lufkin. They made a stop over and took in the big dance there last night.

Mr. S. J. Hood leaves shortly for Allentown, La., for the benefit of his health, where he will remain sometime. Miss Eva Hood his daughter, is in Allentown at present.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Garrison, and Mrs. Joe Jackson went about 8 miles down the T. & N. O. this morning on a fishing excursion.

Mrs. T. J. Williams and children who have been at Gropper Bluff, La., where T. J. Williams is superintendent of a large saw mill, came in on the train last night.

Manager Goodrich and party finished up the trip over the road after spending Thursday in Nacogdoches, going on up to Shreveport and returning yesterday.

The east side of North street looks as though a cyclone had swept along, but it is only the electric light force topping the big shade trees so the wires will clear the trees.

Bob Taylor is out again after his long illness. His wound would have been much more serious, had no the bullet been steel which penetrated the bone without breaking it, when as a lead one would have shattered the bone.

The prettiest sight we have seen in a long time was a display of vegetables on Mr. Burgess' "truck" wagon this morning. He brought in a full load of lettuce, mustard, onions, raddishes, etc., etc., and it made ones mouth water to look at them.



Our Spring Display

of ladies and men's clothing is exquisite. The ladies will find that we have a greater variety, a better and more fashionable assortment of dress goods than we have ever had before. Our clothing department is also a picture with suits and furnishings of 1902 styles, you will profit by trading here in more ways than one. If every lady wants the latest style dress but does not want it to be a copy of any other dress it will be a tedious task to gratify their wish, but if they come here they will get just what they want. Come and walk up and down the aisles in our store and you will certainly find something you want.

MOST MEN ARE PROUD of their well fitting clothes and are very particular in the selection of them. We have all the new patterns and materials and can give you a faultless fit. Every man should at least come and inspect our stock and get our prices in order that he may do justice to himself. Prices that originally were low are lowered.

The Boy

is hard enough on shoes but in the spring he is out playing more than ever and his shoes get very rough treatment.

The Victor

shoe is made strong enough to endure these knocks. See us for a pair.



The Girl

is not going to wear her heavy shoes this beautiful weather. She must have a pair of shoes suitable for school wear too.

Dittmann's Victor SCHOOL SHOES

THE VICTOR

shoe is also made for girls and they are easy on the feet giving the feet a good shape.

Furnishings

For men and women this year are swell. If you only knew how much stylish furnishings added to the suit or dress you wouldn't close your purse to these beautiful novelties that we are selling.

Test Our Shirts.

Test Our Stocks.

Test Our Belts.

Test Our Hosiery.

Test Our Handkerchiefs.

Test Our Shoes.

Test Our Gloves.

Test Our Ties.

Test Our Linen.

Test Our Prices.

DAINTY FEET

Is the hearts desire of every girl and woman. They squeeze their feet into little shoes in hopes of gratifying their wish, but it ruins their feet and helps to make them larger and uglier and they soon find that they have to wear a large shoe.



DITTMAN SHOES

are made on all the lasts as are other shoes, but they have a knack for fitting the feet perfectly, giving comfort, grace and beauty to every foot. If you want styles in shoes, you could not ask for prettier or more durable than those shown in the Dittman Line.



Spring Millinery

This season finds our stock of spring ready to wear Dress, Walking and Hack Hats for Ladies, Misses and Children, beyond all question of a doubt the most elaborate ever shown over our counters, this line is

Very Handome

and must be seen to be fully appreciated. Your visit will be appreciated. Don't fail to inspect our goods and get our prices before buying. We can save you money.

THE box and crate factory is working nicely and is turning out beautiful work.

THERE are no sidewalks at the crossing of Fredonia street and the T. & N. O. railroad. It needs attention at once.

HON. WALTER T. BURNS, of Houston has received the appointment as the judge of the new federal district of Texas at Houston.

THE clerks of the H. E. & W. T. Ry. offices in Houston have organized a baseball team and have challenged any other railroad nine to play them.

THE Northern portion of Arkansas is suffering from a protracted drouth, similar to that of Zapata County, Texas, and aid is asked of congress for the sufferers of the drouth stricken district.

THE greatest event in the existence of the United Confederate Veterans will come off in Dallas next week. There will be the biggest crowd in Dallas ever seen in that city. The railroads have given an exceedingly low rate.

THE Census Bureau estimates the cotton crop of 1901 at 9,952,982, against 10,123,027 bales for the crop of 1900. The Texas crop of 1901, is 2,590,704 bales, against 3,536,506 bales for 1900, a decrease of nearly a million bales. Texas produces nearly one-third of the cotton crop of the United States.

COLQUITT FOR R. R. COMMISSIONER.

The following letter to Mr. June C. Harris from T. B. Griffith, of Terrell, a native of Nacogdoches, explains in his own way Mr. Griffith's desire to see his home county instructed for his neighbor and fellow townsman. Mr. Griffith is Mr. Colquitt's campaign manager. We are glad to say to the people of Nacogdoches county that they will make no mistake in supporting Mr. Colquitt, though THE SENTINEL has no particular choice between the candidates:

Terrell, Tex., April 14.
Mr. June C. Harris,
Nacogdoches, Texas.

Dear June: You will notice from the letter head that I am more than ordinarily interested in the campaign of Mr. O. B. Colquitt, and naturally I am ambitious to see my old home county, Nacogdoches, line up in this race in the Colquitt column, and as my friends and kinsman I shall ask you to cooperate with me all that you can in furthering the interests of Mr. Colquitt in old Nacogdoches. It may not be possible for me, and it certainly will not be possible for Mr. Colquitt to enter your county. The primaries are coming so rapidly and our opportunity to get notices of the calls have not been sufficient, nor the time long enough to permit Mr. Colquitt to visit each county, as he and I should desire. I would have been more than glad for him to go to Nacog-

doches county because he is a man that would take well with the good people of this staunch old home of mine. I believe that you have met Mr. Colquitt, and I know that many of our citizens have noted his record in the senate, and are not unacquainted with his political reputation. Kaufman county holds him in the highest esteem, and it is through her citizenship, coming ever to his rescue, that has enabled him to make the excellent showing so far in the campaign. It is the purpose of myself and Ed, if possible, to go to our old home in the interest of our friend, but circumstances may divert us in our purpose inasmuch as sister Mattie at this time is not well, and my family will, I fear, not be in condition to permit my absence for the time required to make anything like a satisfactory representation for our friend at our old home. In case we do not show up please see with other friends that our friend is cared for. I shall certainly appreciate any efforts you and others may make in behalf of Mr. Colquitt. I wish you would phone me suggestions at my expense in regard to matters in your county.

Yours respectfully,
T. B. GRIFFITH.

THE cool nights are not favorable to growing crops, and it is a source of uneasiness to the farmers and truck growers of East Texas. It is too cool for comfort without fires night and morning.

RENOWNED PREACHER DEAD.

Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage Passes Away at Washington, D. C.

Washington, April 12—Rev. T. De Witt Talmage, the noted Presbyterian divine, died at 9 o'clock at his residence in this city. It had been evident for some days that there was no hope of recovery, and the attending physician so informed the family.

The patient gradually grew worse until life passed away so quietly that even the members of the family, all of whom were watching at the bedside, hardly knew that he had gone. The immediate cause of death was inflammation of the brain.

Dr. Talmage was in poor health when he started away from Washington for Mexico for vacation and rest six weeks ago. He was then suffering from influenza and mental disorders. Since his return to Washington some time ago he has been quite ill. Until Thursday, however, tears for his death were not entertained. The last rational words uttered by Talmage were on the day preceding the marriage of his daughter, when he said: "Of course I know you, Maude." Since then he has been unconscious.

THE legislative investigating committee have finished investigating the penitentiary and report finding the management good but the system poor. Their attention will next be given to the treasury and comptroller departments.



For Impoverished Blood, Impaired Vitality, Periodical Chills or Fevers, that return soon when broken and seem unyielding to medicine. It destroys the malarial organisms in the blood and system that cause Chills and Fevers to become chronic. It is an Anti-Malarial Iron Tonic Blood Purifier, that restores health and vigor. It is an excellent remedy for Female Troubles. Ask for it. Don't have any other. Price \$1.00 per bottle; three bottles, \$2.50.

PREPARED ONLY BY
THE EUCALINE MEDICINE CO.,
Station A, Dallas, Texas.

After Dr. C. I. Holt, of Kilgore, Texas, had given Admirine Sarsaparilla Compound a thorough trial, he pronounced it a great remedy for Chronic Malaria, general run down system, Enlarged Spleen, Etc.

FOR SALE BY
Perkins Bros. and one dealer at each small place in Nacogdoches county.

25,000 acres of rice lands have been purchased near Bay City, Texas, by a Nebraska millionaire, who will colonize it with rice farmers. A million dollar rice mill will be erected adjacent to these lands.

THE Houston Chronicle has outgrown its present press facilities and has ordered a three deck Hoe perfecting press which will be in operation in August. Bully for the Chronicle.

THE expected has happened, Judge Grubbs has withdrawn from the race for governor.

THE old board of University Trustees are zealous in the good work of improving the school affairs of the Nacogdoches Independent district and are a unit in the step now being taken to put a move on foot to get new buildings which are sadly needed. Whether they have legal authority to carry out the plans suggested or not, the plans can be carried out and made legal, and it behooves the public to back them up in the move. There is no good reason for quibbling or contending over technicalities and small obstacles which can be removed without difficulty when the 18th legislature meets.

MANY sections of Texas where it has not rained for many weeks were visited by heavy rains during the past week and the people have been relieved of the terrible anticipation of a drouth. Crop prospects are favorable throughout the entire state with very few sections excepted.

Judge V. W. Grubbs Greenville has withdrawn from the gubernatorial campaign. He declares he has no ill and has accomplished the pose contemplated when first entered the race of enlivening the campaign by forcing into it certain issues.

THE president is after the beef trust with a sharp stick. He is getting in behind the attorney general, who in turn is making it warm for the trust.

THE SPRING TIME

Is now fully upon us and every Man and Woman, every Boy and Girl, and all the families of the land are just now laying aside their winter garments taking inventory of their last summer's stock carried over to see just what their necessities require for this season, and find out what purchases they must make to replenish their wardrobe with. This question settled the next one that presents itself is **Where will I make these purchases and from what house can I get the best values for my money or the largest returns for my credit. Now listen to a timely suggestion from us: We are not the only store in town, but we do claim to be ONE OF THE NUMBER.**
Our Spring and Summer stock in all lines excels any we have ever carried

All Goods New and Fresh Bought for Cash
and will positively be sold at correct price. No trouble to show goods, and no store undersell us.

We are The Leading Clothiers



and Gent's
Furnishers
of this City,

When it comes to fitting you out in this line WE ARE THE IT. We mean every word we say—can prove it to you, it only you examine our goods and get our prices.

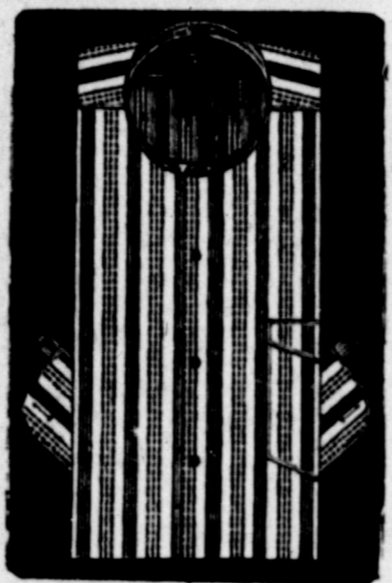
Clothing for Men, Boys
and Children.

All the correct styles and new goods. The prices are low and the quality A 1.

200 pairs Men's fine all wool cas-
mere and worsted pants, worth
\$3.50 to \$4.00, for **\$2.50**

We have a ladies' hose for 10c
A summer vest for A Dime
A parasol for A Half Dollar
Fifty dozen Handkerchiefs, each 5c

All these are values unequalled in this city and they only represent a few of the many inducements we have to offer you for your trade. Those articles also you can take and compare with any man's merchandise, if his is for less money—you keep ours for nothing.



A big lot of
Negligee
Shirts
.....
regular
Manhattan
patterns
and 75c value
for only
4-Bits.

Shoes that fit and Shoes that wear,
Shoes that are stylish and Shoes that
are cheap.
Shoes that we sell, no matter how cheap
or high, we guarantee every pair.

100 Mens'
Fine \$3.00
and \$3.50
SHOES
for the best
trade. Going
all the time at **\$2.50**



Our Dress Goods Department.

and Ladies'
Furnishings



are not to be sur-
passed anywhere.
We don't take our
word for this. Those
ladies who have vis-
ited our store this
spring tell us this,
and you can always
rely on what they
tell you except in
love affairs. Our
line of high-class
novelties are not to
be equaled this side of Houston. And
those Dimities at 5c, that Batiste and
Dimity at 10c, those Primrose Batiste are
the handsomest designs at 15c are abso-
lutely the best values ever shown in town.

We will cut you samples and let you shop
the town and compare prices.

We may talk a good deal some times at random, but when we are paying for what we say, as we are for this advertisement, we tell you the whole truth. We are advertisers of facts. Because to represent to you falsely would redound to our own detriment. We absolutely and unequivocally guarantee every article of merchandise satisfactorily, or your money refunded--Remember this.

TUCKER, ZEVE & COMPANY.

MONDAY'S LOCALS.

Just Eucaline, nothing else.
Jesse Coleman and his two
sons are here from Nat on a
trading trip.

Eucaline is the great win-
ner.

Col. E. M. Weatherly, of
Appleby, was in the city this
afternoon.

Safety pins. Using com-
mon pins? That poor baby.
5c dozen. Reed's Racket
Store.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Haney,
of Appleby, were in town
Monday and paid this office a
pleasant call.

The new express transfer
building near the depot has
been completed, and will be
occupied from today on.

Big Strike! 1000 for 5
cents. Oregon Parlor
matches. Extra good quality.
Reed's Racket Store.

Judge W. G. Ratcliff has
returned from Vinita, Indian
Territory. He looks much
improved in health.

Will Fears, Colored, who is
ambitious to practice law, was
examined today by the com-
mittee, but didn't get in forty
miles of a sheep's skin.

Butter and Eggs.

We pay the highest price
for butter and eggs, either
cash or in trade.

Wilson, Grimes & Co.

Notice.

All persons are warned not
to cut timber or wood off the
land of Mrs. Nancy Christo-
pher. Wright Christopher.

TUESDAY'S LOCALS.

Eucalines without an equal.
Jno. Bates, of Nat. is in
Nacogdoches today.

We have a nice
assortment of
chambers, from 20
to 60c. Reed's Racket store.

Messrs. M. A. Graham and
Jim Sowell, of Etoile, are in
Nacogdoches today.

Tom McCauley, of San
Augustine county, was in the
city yesterday on a business
trip.

A complete line of
milk crocks and
churns. Reed's
Racket Store.

Mr. T. W. Duncan has
bought a lot from E. A. Blount
in the fifth ward, near Hyde's
new cottage and will proceed
at once to erect a handsome
two-story building thereon.

The kind you usually
pay 25c for. Our price
20c. Other good shoe
polish at 10c. Reed's
Racket Store.

Miss Fay Smith. Eph
Muckleroy, Denver Chesnutt,
Clyde Chapman and Maury
Haltom spent the day with
Ralph Muckleroy in Hunting-
ton yesterday.

Do not worry about
your washing. Our
line of washboards are
pleasing. From 15 to
35c. Reed's Racket
Store.

Mr. J. T. Chamberlain,
paid THE SENTINEL office a
most interesting call this
morning. He is one of the
old San Jacinto veterans, and
leaves tonight for Lampasas,

where the remnant of the ar-
my that did so much for
Texas' glory, are to hold their
reunion. Only six are alive
now. It can be only a short
time until the San Jacinto vet-
erans are a revered memory;
but a memory that cherished
in the loving hearts of Tex-
ans, blazoned on the pages of
history, will never die.

There will be two extra
coaches set out at Nacogdo-
ches for the excursionists to
Dallas next Monday morning
The special train will leave
Lufkin at 5 o'clock and will
pass Nacogdoches about 6
o'clock. Anybody but toughs
can go on the special train to-
gether with the veterans.

A rather odd team was seen
on the streets this morning.
A party of movers going
through town had two tongues
to their wagon and three
horses harnessed abreast, Rus-
sian style. It might work
well for heavy pulling on a
level road, but would prob-
ably cause trouble in a narrow
bad road.

J. C. Menefee, of Chireno,
is in town this morning, and
was a welcome visitor at this
office. Mr. Menefee is one
of our substantial friends. He
says the only objection he has
to THE SENTINEL, is that it
doesn't come oftener. That
is our only objection to Mr.
Menefee, that he doesn't come
oftener.

E. L. Ruark, of Mt. Enter-
prise, was in the city last
night. He tells a joke on one
of our Nacogdoches county
candidates, who has been
writing letters to one of his
neighbors asking his support

in the primaries. Mt. Enter-
prise is about eight miles over
in Rusk county beyond the
Nacogdoches county line.

Mr. Kinsie Harris has pur-
chased a lot in the Pirtle addi-
tion opposite Mr. Vineyard's
residence and has material on
the ground for a neat cottage,
which is to be erected at once.

Wooten Gives up

Hillsboro, Texas, April 15.
—The county democratic ex-
ecutive committee met today
to canvass the vote cast in
the primary of Saturday last.

The work will not be con-
cluded until late tonight or
possibly tomorrow.

It is only a question of the
majority for Beall, as the of-
ficial count so far has served
to increase the figures claim-
ed by the Ellis county man.

Wooten's friends have giv-
en up the fight, and they
concede nomination of John
A. Beall when the district
convention meets.

Wooten, in announcing
his practical withdrawal, also
serves notice that he is a can-
didate for the nomination
against Beall two years hence.

Marriage Licenses.

Robt Luna and Emma Cole-
son.

Frank Davenport and Lu-
vada Conway.

J. J. Coker and Avie Cure-
ton.

W. N. Stevens and Della
Scarborough.

A terrific hail storm over an
area of three square miles, 20
miles northwest of San Antonio
destroyed all crops and broke
all window panes in the district
where it prevailed.

MELROSE MUSINGS.

Personal Paragraphs Picked up by Our
Pencil Pusher.

Melrose, April 15.—Prof.
J. B. Stripling's school closed
at this place Friday evening.
There were six prizes award-
ed the pupils. Advanced
class, first prize, Ritta Hall;
second prize, Lora Hardeman;
third prize, Nanna Powers.
Prize received by second
class, Gladis Barret, first
prize; Ritta Blackey, second
prize; Elroy Metteur, third
prize. The teacher, pupils
and parents enjoyed the rest
of the afternoon in eating ice
cream and cake.

We are pleased down our
way over the fact of having a
nice rain every week. The
gardens and corn are looking
so nice.

Mr. Steve Yates is very
sick with typhoid-pneumonia;
no other sickness near by.
The little baby of Mrs. Collins
that has had brain and spinal
fever for six weeks is improv-
ing very slowly.

Bro. Fletcher, wife and
babies, passed through on
their way to Chireno. He
preached there Saturday night
and Sunday.

The continued cold nights
make us feel a little gloomy
but we need not look for all
sunshine in this life. The
clouds will gather over us
sometimes and when they dis-
perse the sun shines the
brighter. So let us look on
the bright side and try to help
those that are less cheerful
than we are.

C. B. Wallace and Jim
Gresham, of Libert were in
the city today on a trading
trip.

C. D. KENNARD

LAWYER.

Office upstairs corner Fredonia
and Main streets. 1 yr.

USE
TOM PADGITT COMPANY'S
FAMOUS TEXAS SADDLES
36 YEARS THE STANDARD



Ask your dealers for them
TOM PADGITT COMPANY,
Wholesale Manufacturers
of Saddles and Saddlery. **WACO.**

Hollow Log Closed.

The Hollow Log Saloon
has closed its doors. J. R.
Buchanan, its proprietor, hav-
ing gone into voluntary bank-
ruptcy. The trustee in bank-
ruptcy, George W. Eason, of
Tyler, is here to take charge
of the business of the Hollow
Log. Nothing is yet given
out as to the state of Mr.
Buchanan's affairs, but it is
simply stated by him that he
was unable to pay his debts
and was compelled to take
this step.

This is the fifth week of
district court and Judge E. B.
Lewis is still holding court
and will preside until Judge
Davis gets well. There
is no jury for this week and
very little business of especial
importance to transact. Court
will be held open for the full
term for the transaction of
civil business.

The proposition made by the University Board of Trustees is a most commendable one. The tax to be levied is intended to pay for the erection of suitable buildings for school purposes. This proposed tax will not, in the least, affect the present for the payment of teachers; hence, it will not shorten the school term at all. It is intended to furnish the children of Nacogdoches what they absolutely need—comfortable and respectable building in which to spend their school days. By issuing bonds the amount each year will be comparatively light. Now is the time to act. Why not do it?

We want to see this school question discussed fully and thoroughly, and the columns of THE SENTINEL are open to all who will make use of them for the purpose of throwing light upon the subject. It is a serious question, and should be fully understood by those who have a vote upon it. We earnestly and sincerely want to see Nacogdoches stand at the front in school matters, and hope the move now on foot will not be defeated for want of understanding on the part of the people. Neither do we want to see a rash step taken. Let us consider the matter honestly and entirely free from prejudice, and vote with reason when the election comes off.

ON passing the sample room near THE SENTINEL office we were invited to stop and look at some maps. Maps do not sound interesting, but these are no ordinary maps. They will revolutionize the study of geography, making it perfectly fascinating, and leaving the student knowing something of the subject, besides the maps are in bas-relief with the mountain ranges in proportionate heights and the river valleys, really valleys. One glance shows the topography of any country, how the mountains lie, its heights above the sea level, why in consequence that country is cold or hot, what that country produces, therefore, follows as a sequence not as an arbitrary fact. "Death Valley" for instance, is a sharp depression, apparently nearly through the map. No need to be taught that the dreadful place is so far below the sea level that no life can exist there. One look at the map shows it, and fixes it in the mind forever. The ocean currents are also interestingly marked, an aid to physical geography that is simply invaluable. These maps are large, durable, and beautifully finished, they are the latest and best addition to school work, and the board of trustees never did a better thing than when they purchased two complete sets, one for Nacogdoches College, and one for West Nacogdoches Institute. The maps will be placed in the schools at once, and are well worth a trip to see.

THE VOTE LAST ELECTION.

Following is the vote polled for the county officers at last election, which we print for the information of those who are interested. It will be observed that while there is a big difference in the vote between the lowest and the highest man on the democratic ticket, there was not a great deal of difference in the democratic vote as a general thing. While the democrats did some scratching, it is evident that the populists did a good deal of voting for the democratic ticket. The race for county judge and county attorney, it is believed brought out the full democratic vote, while those under that were scratched by democrats and those over it received the difference from the populist ranks. The highest vote polled for any office was for county clerk, 4052, while the lowest was 3933, for county attorney, which shows that there were 119 scratches and independents who held the balance of power in every closely contested race. Following is the vote, copied from the records in the county clerk's office:

County judge—V. E. Middlebrook, 2130; A. Chesnut, 1885; total 4015; Middlebrook's majority, 245.

County attorney—Geo. S. King, 2106; W. H. Dial, 1827; total, 3933; King's majority, 281.

District clerk—Clifton Wells, 2214; W. M. Cole, 1762; total, 3976; Wells' majority, 552.

County clerk—E. M. Weeks, 2325; Wirt Boynton, 1727; total, 4052; Weeks' majority, 598.

Sheriff—W. J. Campbell, 1914; A. J. Spradley 2090; total, 4004; Spradley's majority, 176.

Tax collector—H. L. Turner, 2274; W. L. Rawlinson, 1737; total, 4011; Turner's majority, 537.

Tax assessor—R. A. Hall, 2311; J. J. Fulmer, 1637; total 3948; Hall's majority, 674.

County treasurer—Zeno Cox, 2325; R. R. Loy, 1673; total, 3998; Cox's majority, 552.

County surveyor—Jno. N. Gilbert, 2296; J. W. Pye, 1693, total, 3989, Gilbert's majority, 603.

Representative—B. A. Calhoun, 2008; R. W. Haltom, 1940; W. A. Skillern, 10; total, 3950; Calhoun's majority, 68.

THAT Texas farmers are taking up hog raising in earnest is shown by the statements of the prominent hog breeders of the state, many of whom claim they have sold out all of their surplus stock and have been still unable to meet the demands of customers. The establishment of a firstclass home market for good fat hogs will bring Texas squarely into line as a hog breeding state.—Farm Journal.

THE country at large will be glad to hear of the improvement in the health of Mrs. McKinley, the heroic wife of our murdered president. She occupies a very warm place in the hearts of the entire American people.—Houston Post.

THE SCHOOL QUESTION.

If the trustees of the Nacogdoches University make a deed to the Independent District No. 3 of the fenced land on Washington square, who or what will convey the title to it? Nacogdoches University having died Jan. 1, 1900 what would its deed be worth? Who is to issue the \$32,500 in bonds? Has the Independent School District any authority to issue bonds to buy land? Is a fee simple title to all land owned by Nacogdoches University on Washington square fenced and not fenced worth \$32,500? How are the school houses to be divided among white and colored, supposing of course if bonds are issued all persons will have to help pay for them? Why, if the land is conveyed to the trustees of the independent district No. 3, shall they not have the right to convey it no more forever? Is it upon the theory that after us comes the "deluge?" Can it be that men elected to take care of the educational interests of a district in which this \$32,500 matter will only be an incident, will be unable or unfit to look after and protect all of its educational interest. This proposition looks to me like this: "Here you give us \$32,500 in bonds and we will give you—nothing. The educational interests of Nacogdoches will never reach any great degree of perfection until the people come to the determination and conclusion, that it is supreme without regard to cost. I am glad this matter is being agitated and believe that the Nacogdoches University having died peacefully in its little bed on Jan. 1, 1900, that a deed made by its trustees would have no more effect than one made by me, that Legislation is the only way out, and as heretofore suggested that its acts since Jan. 1, 1900 ought to be ratified and confirmed, that a lot 100 feet square of the S.-E. corner of the land now owned by it on Washington square should be given to the Cum Concilio Club and its successors or to the Daughters of the Republic and their successors, or both for the purpose of rebuilding the Old Stone Fort thereon as a matter of Texas History, and as a place for the collection and preservation of matters of Texas history, and as a place for the collection and preservation of matters of Texas history, and as a part of our educational system. It could not be in better hands. The mothers and sisters of the generations coming would take good care of it and put it to the best of uses, and then the rest of the land ought to be turned over free and untrammelled to the trustees of Independent School District No. 3 for educational purposes. Respectfully, GEO. F. INGRAHAM.

If the enquiries contained in the foregoing article of Judges Ingraham's are directed to us, then we have to say that the University trustees propose to have the character of the University extended and revived by act of the next legislature, if in fact it

has lapsed. And then of course the board of trustees will execute the conveyance of the land and its deed will be worth all that any conveyance of the land can be worth. If any bonds are issued it will be done by the proper authority of the independent district after a legal vote on the question by the qualified voters of the district. As to the real value of the land composing the University grounds, we think it immaterial whether it is worth \$1000 or \$50,000. The University trustees propose to give it and go out of business. If bonds are issued the University trustees have absolutely nothing to do with the apportionment of the funds arising from said bonds as to different school buildings. But they make the one condition of donating the property to the school, that as much as \$25,000 will be spent in buildings on the grounds. Unless this is done, no such deed will be made. As to the conditions in the conveyance proposed, we would think the grantor in a deed could place any conditions in same he desired and if the conditions were not satisfactory to the grantee he need not take the deed. As to the statement the proposition looks like "you give us \$32,500 in bonds and we will give you—nothing." We confess we don't see it that way. "Us," in the above proposition represents the University trustees, and they certainly do not receive one cent of the bonds, every dollar of which goes to the present and future generations of school children of Nacogdoches.

As to the Stone Fort proposition, we see no reason or justification in attaching even one stone around the neck of the educational proposition involved, much less a whole Stone Fort.

"THE LITTLE SOLDIER."

A War Time Paper Preserved By One Who Wore the Grey.

We publish below the entire contents of "The Little Soldier," extra, published at Harrisonburg, Louisiana, Saturday evening, March 5th, 1864. This relic of the war is the property of Mr. J. T. Crawford, who has had it in his possession ever since the day of its publication. The article below is headed: "The Bombardment at Harrisonburg! A Gunboat Crippled! The Fleet Beaten Off With Musketry!!!" The following is the account of the fight:

Trinity, March 1.—Heavy firing was heard below town this evening at 3 o'clock.

At sundown, five gunboats arrived at town and commenced a furious bombardment of the place. No damage was done to our troops, and as the fleet seemed to be going up the river to Harrisonburg, Gen. Polignac fell back during the night to this place. The night was cold and the ground slightly frozen; many of the boys were entirely without shoes and suffered greatly during the night.

At about 7 o'clock on the morning of the 2nd, the gun

boats rounded the bend below town, and were received, with marked politeness, by the Pelican battery.

Nobly did the Pelicans stand to their guns, amid a perfect tornado of shells, case-shot, grape, and canister. The infantry also stuck to them like a "sick kitten to a hot rock," and whenever a port hole was opened, or a Yank showed his head anywhere about the boats, they poured a volley at them, that, at least, prevented the game from being altogether a one-sided affair. The firing was continued for about four hours, when the fleet moved round the bend, up the river. After an absence of about two hours, they returned, paying their compliments to the town and fort, and every nook in the vicinity, as they passed down. They were doubtless however, tired of their sport, as they left in double quick, with one of their boats in tow.

The houses occupied by the General, staff, couriers &c. were completely riddled by shells and grape-shot. The hospital, and several of the best dwellings in town were burnt.

Our loss in this affair was four men killed and six wounded. Among the wounded was Capt. Dick Waters, of Co. "I" Stevens' Regt., who has since died.

The loss of the enemy, is reported by citizens at Trinity, to be 19 killed, and 47 wounded.

March 3.—Heavy firing was heard at intervals throughout the day, in the direction of Trinity.

March 4.—It is reported this morning that the large iron clad, that figured so pompously on the 2nd, is aground at Trinity. The 17th Texas, and Alexander's Regiments, marched at day-light to look after her welfare.

March 5.—All quiet this morning. The regiments that went to down the river yesterday morning, returned in the evening; the boat that was aground, having got off the bar and made her escape. The whole fleet, when last heard from, was under full sail for the mouth of Red River.

Peach Orchards vs. Oil Wells.

Peach orchards are better than gold mines or oil wells. They do more for a section that may boast of them. Therefore, it is a good thing to live in East Texas, the only section of this great State where peach orchards abound.

The sudden development in peach culture in Texas as is similar to the discovery of gold mines or oil fields in a community, and the results will be a vast increase of wealth and enlargement of commercial possibilities.

The population of the oil well districts must always be largely a floating population, and consequently there is never developed that home interest and wholesome public opinion which are the products of fixed and settled communities. The uncertainties of the oil wells and mining—the lucky strikes by which fortunes are quickly made and the unlucky ventures by which they are lost—make impossible

that contentment which farming and fruit growing populations know and enjoy.

The pursuits of the fruit grower bring him in touch with those things which develop man's highest and noblest nature. He is brought face to face with nature and nature's way of doing things.

The wealth produced by the oil well goes into the pockets of a few. The profits of the orchard are distributed among the people generally. The man who makes a snug sum from the cultivation of the soil is careful of his wealth and applies it to a useful purpose.

The people of East Texas have a section beautiful and picturesque by nature and abundantly rich in many ways. It lies with us to assist nature in making our homes more attractive to strangers and enjoyable to ourselves, and to recognize and grasp the priceless opportunities held out to us.—Alto Herald.

A Doctor's Bad Plight.

"Two years ago, as a result of a severe cold, I lost my voice," writes Dr. M. L. Scarbrough, of Hebron, Ohio, "then began an obstinate cough. Every remedy known to me as a practicing physician for 35 years, failed, and I daily grew worse. Being urged to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, I found quick relief, and for last ten days have felt better than for two years." Positively guaranteed by Throat and Lung trouble by R. T. Shindler Drug Co., 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

The occupants of the "Nacogdoches" who so cordially received the representative gentlemen of Nacogdoches yesterday morning, entertained the ladies even more hospitably in the afternoon. The car was decorated with flowers, ice cream and fruit punch served, and every courtesy shown their appreciative guests, by the visiting gentlemen. A large number of ladies attended the reception in their honor. The car left last night bearing with it the good will and good wishes of a host of friends. May Nacogdoches and the "Nacogdoches" meet again often.

This paper might be filled with items like the following, and every one be the absolute truth. I had rheumatism for years and tried almost everything, but got no permanent relief until I used Chamberlain's Pain Balm, three bottles of which have cured me. It is the best medicine I ever used.—Philip E. Rhoads, Penville, Mo. Pain Balm is for sale by Perkins Bros.

By-The-Way.

You can't always judge a man's bank account by the price his wife pays for her easter toggery.

In many instances extravagance has wrecked the good intentions of a goodly number of young men starting out in life.

Good manners is becoming conspicuous by its absence in the small boy of today.

W. E. ARV.

CHRISTENED "NACOGDOCHES."

Citizens of Nacogdoches do Honor to an Appreciated Compliment.

About sixty of the citizens of Nacogdoches congregated at the private car of Mr. F. B. Goodrich at 10 o'clock this morning to show their appreciation of the compliment shown in the naming of the car after our fair city.

Mr. Goodrich announced that he would leave on the noon train and while all were present that he would wish them well until his return to the city. Mr. Gallaway, who always knows a good thing when he runs across it, was heard to make the remark in a stage whisper "that Goodrich is not so many, and we'll show him a thing or two," and left the car.

The first speaker was Hon. S. W. Blount, who spoke as follows:

"As representing the people of Nacogdoches, I take pleasure in shaking hands with Mr. Goodrich and of expressing to you the good feelings we are now experiencing, produced by two effects. First by having you here among us with your beautiful new car and by honoring us by naming it 'Nacogdoches,' and second, because of the effect of the glasses Mr. Wettermark has been passing around among us. We as citizens have come out here in an informal way to express to you our appreciation of your naming your private car for the town of Nacogdoches. We have watched the H. E. & W. T. Ry. company grow from a narrow guage to a broad guage road and we believe that the management has also grown from a narrow guage to a broad guage management, as evidenced by you and the other officials of your road, and our town since the incoming of your road has grown from a narrow guage village to a prosperous, thriving little city and one of the most enterprising cities in the state. with the most enterprising business men and most beautiful ladies. Our business men never do things half way, as you will observe that they never stopped until all the 'lemonade' was all gone. We have the most enterprising city officials here. Our mayor there, I understand has only had his thirteenth glass and hasn't stopped yet. We understand that your beautiful car was built at Houston and sincerely hope that it may never have a mishap, but if it should be so unfortunate, and should need repairs, we have an abiding

hope that it will come to Nacogdoches, to the shops, for repairs.

Mr. Goodrich replied to Mr. Blount as follows: "Mr. Blount and gentlemen: I appreciate your remarks more than I can say. Since first I came to your little city as an official of the T. & N. O. Ry. Company, I was much impressed with the town and the hospitality of your good people toward myself and wife. We have always felt very kindly towards you, and especially the treatment we received while in your midst. And when the time came for the naming of my car, there were only two names I thought of, one was Banita, and the other was Nacogdoches. I want to say that the H. E. & W. T. Ry. company has always felt kindly towards your town and is always ready and willing to do anything we can for you. I am like Mr. Blount in hoping the car will never have to undergo repairs, and have to go to the shop, but where the shops are going to be, I cannot tell. Gentlemen, I thank you very much.

Hon. June C. Harris followed as follows:

Mr. Goodrich: I have listened with a great deal of pleasure to the words of yourself and Mr. Blount, and I am only sorry Mr. Blount could not say more good things for you and your road, and we desire to say now that we appreciate this further token of friendship on your part for our town, especially for the reason that this beautiful little castle is emblematic of the city for which it is named. It is so emblematic that when it speeds along the line and its name is seen on the side, you can stand on the platform and say it resembles its mother. We remember you as coming here with the Southern Pacific and we welcomed you then as we welcome all railroads that come to Nacogdoches; but the Houston, East & West Texas Railroad is the pride of our youth and it is only natural that we should be proud to see it grow and prosper. You came as a welcome citizen among us as representative of the Southern Pacific, and we welcomed you with open arms; but we will always remember when Nacogdoches was a mere village nestling between the hills, when old Paul Bremond conceived the idea of building a railroad from Houston to Shreveport, through Nacogdoches county, and we remember full well when we got together under the old Elm tree and appealed to him to come to our town. He brought it here, and it has brought our old town into prominence. It will always occupy a warm place in our hearts and we now welcome you as a convert to our old love. We thank you for this compliment, and we now bid you farewell and invite you to visit us again.

Mr. Goodrich replied as follows: Gentleman, I thank you for these remarks and will ask Mr. McEachin to respond for me as I am too full for utterance.

Mr. McEachin said: "It is not surprising that

Mr. Goodrich feels too full for utterance upon this occasion. I am sure that the compliments which you have paid him here today, by this meeting, in a compliment which any man would highly appreciate, and knowing him as you do, and as we know him, I am sure he appreciates the proffer of your friendship. You will not be surprised later to find that in meeting this proffer he will come to you more than upon half way ground. In sizing up a town, as we sometimes express it, we look to your buildings, streets and to the outside appearances, but all of us who are any judges of human nature and all who have fought the battle of life know that the true way to judge a city is by the character of the citizens, and it we can judge this town from the aggregation of citizens assembled here, I feel confident that in the future you will realize far more than you have ever expected. You have the men, and evidently you have men of worth and mind, and men of muscle, and the future of your little city is bright indeed and we feel that your every effort will succeed. I believe I can express to you the feelings of this road, and especially of Mr. Goodrich, in the old motto: "If you love me like I love you, no knife can cut our love in two."

"The New Style Dancing."

The following is published by request of two young men, whom we suppose have had great experience in "dancing" and know all about it. 'Still it is our opinion that the article is out of place, for everybody knows it does not apply to the boys and girls of Nacogdoches:

The young people who indulge in the dizzy waltz will hear with interest that the heads of Washington and New York society have declared that sitting out a waltz will be more fashionable from now on than dancing. The only difference is you sit instead of dance. The mans right arm is around the girls waist while his left hand holds her right. Her left hand is placed on his shoulder while her head rests lovingly on his bosom, and all they have to do is to sit and listen to the music. Now that is something like it. We have always regarded it as quite a nuisance to have to gallop a mile or two to have a hug or two. A room full of people sitting around on sofas hugging to music is more to our notion. This will give the old rheumatically brethren another shot to waltz, and while many a man may lose his appetite to dance, he has to get powerful old before he loses his appetite for hugging a pretty girl.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

Miss L. Augusta Wilson is no longer in the Census Bureau at Washington. She is writing for the Sunday Washington Times, and will remain in Washington for the present.

AS OTHERS SEE US.

We quote from a letter written from Nacogdoches to the Galveston News by John Howard, immigration agent of the Southern Pacific system, written during a recent visit to our city. Mr. Howard spent several days here and was delighted with what he saw and was moved to say some very complimentary things about us. Speaking of the fruit and truck movement of Nacogdoches, Mr. Howard says:

"Some years ago in traveling through and over East Texas about all one would hear discussed were lumber, cotton and politics. Nowadays the people seem to have cut out politics and substituted fruit and truck. Go where you will, let it be in the cars, at the hotels, on the streets or in the stores, you will hear the people talking about tomatoes, potatoes, peaches, melons, cantaloupes, etc., how best to grow, when to plant, and the best method of marketing same. Diversification of crops seems to be the order of the day. Cotton is still planted, of course, but the people generally seem to have come to the conclusion that it is not the best to carry all their eggs in one basket, and they have decided in the future to 'live at home and board at the same place' instead of buying canned goods put up in other states, and hog meat fed and cured in Missouri and Kansas. They are now, and will continue in the future, growing their fruit and vegetables, and fattening their hogs at home. Some of the business men of this town have set a good example to business men of other community. I find that ten of the business men and property owners in this place have put in what might be called an experimental farm this season. The services of an experienced truck grower were secured as manager in the person of J. C. Sharp, who has had something like five years' experience in growing tomatoes and other vegetables in Cherokee county. Mr. Sharp is paid by the business men here a good salary per month and an interest in the net proceeds of the crop for his services. Among other crops that have been planted, 50 acres of tomato plants are now being transplanted from the cold frames to the field. The tomato plants now being transplanted here really look to be among the most thrifty plants of this kind that I have seen transplanted this season. The prospects for an early tomato crop in this vicinity is very encouraging. Fifty acres of tomatoes give employment to quite a number of people. I am told that there are not less than 600 acres of tomatoes in cultivation on line of the Houston East and West Texas Railroad this season. This, with the potatoes, melons, cantaloupes and peaches, if well marketed, is going to place in the pockets of the truck and fruit farmers of this section of Texas quite a good deal of money this season, which of course in turn will find its way into the cash drawers of the merchants and others in the towns, and will

help very much to pay the store and other bills of the farmers, and keep them out of debt, as they generally are where they limit their crops to one crop as they have been in the past.

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The fencing scene in "The Count of Monte Christo" was nothing compared to the fencing scene witnessed on North street yesterday afternoon, when one of the society young ladies of town was repairing a panel of fence, and trying to keep an eye on the ferocious cow that broke it down, at one and the same time.

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For State Senator:
HON. J. T. BEATY.

For Representative:
HOMER A. DOTSON,
V. E. MIDDLEBROOK

For County Judge:
ROBT BERGER,
THOMAS BASCOM LEWIS,
EMMETT W. SMITH.

For County Attorney:
G B LAYTON
BEEMAN STRONG

For Tax Collector:
W J (Willis) GRIMES
H. L. TURNER

For Sheriff:
W J CAMPBELL
GEO. W. BLACKBURN
I. M. SHEPHERD.

For Tax Assessor:
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JOHN WEATHERLY
N. T. SISCO,
N. Q. MAYFIELD,
R. H. BURK,
R. A. HALL.

For County Treasurer:
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J. A. PIRTLE,
Wm. HILLENKAMP,
J. O. RAY,
ZENO COX.

For District Clerk:
CLIFTON WELLS,

For County Clerk:
L. F. MILLER,
E. M. WEEKS,

For Commissioner Prec. No. 1:
ROBT. MOSBY,
J. W. BYRD,
JOHN BURROWS,
M. A. SPEER

For Commissioner Prec No. 2:

For Commissioner Prec No. 3:
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B. Y. LLOYD,
BOYD HANEY.

For Commissioner Prec. No. 4:
G. W. DENNIS,
D. C. MAST.

For Justice of the Peace, Prec. No. 1:
J. M. JONES,
W D PEEVEY,

For Justice of the Peace Prec. No. 3:
W. J. BLACKMAN,
JOSEPH BLAKEY

For Justice of the Peace, Prec No.

For Constable; Precinct No. 1:
W. J. GREEN,
DOC WATSON,
R. W. PARRISH,
JNO. H. BALCH,
WILL WISENER,
M. BOYD.

For Constable Precinct No. 4:
JOHN YBARBO.

For Constable Precinct No.

W. M. Vaught, of Nat, was a friendly caller at this office this morning. He reports every body busy and a good crop prospect in the west end of the county.

T. P. Wragg, of Garrison, is in the city.

Dr. Wm. Fall, of Chireno, is in town.

Dr. C. C. Quillion, of Garrison, is in the city.

Mr. L. L. Legg, of Eden, was in the city today.

Mr. C. Hanks of San Augustine is in the city.

James Lee, of Appleby, was in the city today.

John Weatherly is in the city stirring among the voters.

James Gresham and J. M. Beck, from Toliver, are in town.

Mr. P. P. Goldsberry, of Linn Flat, is in the city this morning.

J. C. Latham, a merchant of Mahl, is in the city today on a business visit.

George Baucum and W. M. Goldsberry, of Linn flat, are in Nacogdoches today.

Tom Fall, of Chireno, came up yesterday and spent last night with friends in the city.

Ed. Sanders of San Augustine is in town today, moving the rest of the machinery for his planer.

Doc Stack a prominent farmer of Shelby county, brought in twenty bales of cotton in one bunch to-day.

Henry Chapman, of Huntington, came up yesterday evening on a hurried business trip, returning this morning.

J. H. Sheffield of San Augustine is here moving a big refrigerator. He is opening a large meat market in San Augustine.

Soverigns E. J. Harris and W. D. C. Gillen, of Appleby, were in attendance at the meeting of the W. O. W as visitors last night.

Six cars were ditched near Appleby yesterday. The freight train ran over a cow. The wreck train went up this morning the clean up the debris.

It was reported that the postoffice of at Linn Flat had been discontinued when the office had opened at Mahl, but such is not the case. The postoffice is still doing business at the old stand at Linn Flat, and is in no danger of being discontinued.

A HARMONIOUS MEETING.

University Trustees Ask that a Mass Meeting Be Held.

The Board of University Trustees met yesterday and in the matter of the proposed issuance of school district bond for building new school building, unan- imously passed a res- olution to convey the pres- ent University buildings and grounds to the Independent School District, upon the fol- lowing conditions:

1st. That the Independ- ent District expend as much as \$25,000 in new buildings on said grounds.

2nd. That the said land and premises conveyed, nor any portion thereof, shall ever be sold or conveyed by the grantee in the deed to any person or corporation, and shall never be used for or devoted to any other purpose, than educational purposes and of white children, and the erection of such buildings as may necessarily be connected with such educational pur- poses, and should any portion of said property so conveyed be sold by the grantee in said conveyance or be devoted to other purposes than above de- fined, then in that event, said property so attempted to be sold or used shall revert to and become again the prop- erty of the Nacogdoches Uni- versity.

Each individual trustee pledged himself to hereafter execute such a deed.

The board then passed a resolution requesting E. M. Dotson, as president of the Board of School Trustees, to call a mass meeting of citizens at the court house next Tues- day evening at 3 o'clock p. m. to look over the matters in- volved and at the same time to suggest candidates or names for three school trust- ees to be elected on May 3rd next.

Jno. W. Berry is in town looking alter the estate of his deceased aunt, Mrs. Lucettie Wade. He is by descent the legal heir to one third of it, and by her will she gave it all to him. Another third is claimed by two children of Jasper Russell, whose wife was a Wilburn, and the other third by Mrs. Geo. W. Partin, Mrs. A. A. Russell and their brothers and sisters children. W. E. Baxter is one of these children. The others are children of W. E. Moore and reside about Mt. Pleasant. The estate is worth about ten thousand dollars. There may be a contest over the will.

Capt. Jim Garrison, of Gar- rison, is spending a few days in the city, the guest of his sister, Mrs. J. H. Barham. Capt. Garrison has not yet recovered from his terrible ac- cident of some months ago; he has not as yet been able to discard his crutches, and his arm is still almost useless. His friends hope that his stay in Nacogdoches will prove beneficial to his health.

Capt. J. W. Truit, of Tenaha, is in the city looking after the Confederate Veteran excursion. He says every- thing is favorable for the biggest time the old soldiers ever had.

THE OLD STONE FORT.

It is Texas History, and Will Live in The History of Texas.

Dear SENTINEL:

You don't want to tie a sin- gle rock to Washington Square, and I want to plant the Old Stone Fort on a cor- ner of it. When Augustine, (by divine providence and by the congress of the nation) first constitutional emperor of Mexico and grand master of the imperial order of Guada- lupe, flung to the breezes his first colonization law the Fort was an aged inhabitant of this country, a silent witness of the passing events. When the policy of the country that owned it was to create a desert along the coast and between this country and the United States of the North it had be- come hoary. When it took Texas, Nueva Leone and Coahuila to make a state it was becoming superannated. When the heroes of Goliad and the Alamo baptised this country with their hearts best blood and offered themselves upon the altar of human lib- erty, it was aged indeed. When the "sun of Austerlitz" dawned upon the battlefield of San Jacinto a grim smile passed over it, as it looked out upon this fair state of ours that was soon to blossom like the rose in the hands of the Anglo Saxon, and since from its place on the northeast cor- ner of the public square, i- has looked placidly upon the passing wonderful growth of our great state until 1902. When you look back upon the authentic history of Texas it is always there, and where au- thentic history fades as you go back, and you get in the dim light of tradition and try to pierce the gloom, in this twilight, as long as you can see through the over-hanging clouds still peeps out the Old Stone Fort, the very last thing you can see. It is Texas his- tory whether ye will or not, and it will live on in the his- tory of Texas, if not in the concrete on Washington square, then in the histories and legends of Texas, and in its songs.

History of this state ought to be a part of the education of its youth. This rough old fort coming out of the past history itself, made a repos- itory of historical matters can be richly used as an education- al matter in connection with whatever else may finally be placed upon Washington square, and in the hands in which I wish to place it will be a great addition to the school interest of Nacogdo- ches. The members of the Cum Concilio Club as locally interested will do what they can for its enhancement, and throughout this broad state the heart of every Daughter of the Republic will at the very least beat kindly towards the educational interest of Nacogdoches, because the Old Stone Fort is located there and in which they are personally interested.

Respectfully,
GEO. F. INGEAHAM.

JUDGE INGRAHAM favors placing the Old Stone Fort upon the College Campus. So do we. But whether it is or not, we don't want to see that question interfere with any move that would build up our school interests.

Just Now

Perhaps, you would like to know what is the correct thing in the way of Spring and Summer wear for ladies and gentlemen who like to dress well, and at the same time do so at a nominal cost. My stock this spring is a marvel of excellence—it comprises all the new and correct styles in ladies' and gents' furnishings, and if you want to know what is really the correct wear this season, come around and see my stock.



Before the Eyes of the World

we paint the merits of the "Sole of Honor," Selz' "Royal Blue" \$3.50 Shoe.
In the shoe is the best of work and leather and "back of it" is the name of Selz.
Selz means perfection and stands for satis- faction.
In all such kinds and styles and leathers as are right at one price, \$3.50

Selz, Schwab & Co., Chicago, the largest manufacturers of good shoes in the world, make this good shoe for men.

For Cash

You will find every purchase that you make at my store a money saving proposition. I want to maintain the reputation that "Davidson is head- quarters for the economical buyer of merchandise." If its a good article, of anything, you'll find it here—my stock is the best that money can buy.

Jno P. Davidson.

DAUGHTERS OF THE CONFEDERACY. The Program Committee on Decoration Day Makes Its Report. The program committee of the Daughters of the Confed- eracy met this morning to per- fect arrangements for Decora- tion day. As the 26th comes on Saturday, they changed the date to Sunday, April 27. Judge G. F. Ingraham was appointed orator of the occa- sion. The following commit- tees were then appointed to get all the little girls in their respective neighborhoods to act as flower girls, and to ob- tain all the flowers possible: On North street, Mesdames Thompson, Whitaker, Von- dersmith, L. Dotson and Crain. On Irion Hill, Mes- dames June Harris and V. E. Middlebrook. In the vicinity of Pillar street, Misses Hattie Thomas, Mary Doughtie and Mary Hoya, and in the direc- tion of Mound street, Mes- dames Chas. Perkins, Vine- yard and Cason. The little girls are to be dressed in white, wearing red sashes. Camp Raguet has been formally invited through the captain, J. S. Doughtie, to participate in the cremchies. The Brass Band will assist, and the following committee has charge of the music. Mrs. A Muller, Mrs. Howard Smith and Mrs. Geo. King. The graves of the Confederates will be marked with a small Confederate flag. The follow- ing girls are requested to meet at the residence of Mrs. H. P. Matthews, Sndmay af- ternoon of April 27th, at two o'clock. The following order will be observed in the procession. Band. Camp Raguet. Flower girls. Daughters of confederacy, visitors and friends.

FLOWERY MOUNTAIN.

Feed Scarce.—Debating Society.—Look- ing For a Boom.

April 15.—It seems that this place we call "The Moun- tain" is a place unheard of by the paper which is so popular among its people. so I thought I would venture out and tell you some of its history. It is noted for its healthy condi- tion, so far as the people are concerned, but oh, my, the corn cribs and barns, how "drawed up" they are. The horses that used to look and feel proud when 12 o'clock came, now look sad when they are led to their stall. The people are very busy trying to get early crops to come to their needs.

We had quite a storm Sun- day night. It would almost make a fellow wish he had told his sweetheart goodbye, but no serious damage was done; only dead timber scat- tered to the bounds of the planted crops for us kids to burn.

Our debate seems to be successful, at Red Land only had two meetings. We were invited to Nat Saturday night the 26th, to discuss this sub- ject: "Resolved, that inter- perance has been a great injury to the human fam- than war." Everybody co- and near the subject.

Another iron boom is citing the land holders on mountain. A young man Linn Flat community claim- to be agent for the Carne- trust is continually looking the rock on the eastern- ders of this mountain, as far down as Uncle Jo- Brewer's. Rec'n he is agent?

Well, as I have at all I know I guess I had- stop before I tell some I don't know. O. H. V.