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## A QUARTER OF A CENTURY OLD.

Our drug store was established here in 1879 (twenty-five years ago.) During our quarter of a century of honorable dealing, the store has constantly been improved with up-to-date equipment until it now stands as a splendid example of the highest standard in pharmacy.

Therefore we feel that by reason of our long experience and practical knowledge of the wants of this county, we are offering you a better drug store service than can be attained elsewhere.

Besides we are never undersold on genuine first quality drugs. When you have prescriptions filled here you always get the best medicine which skill, care and trustworthiness can prepare. We invite you to buy all your drugs here.

## PERKINS BROS.

Druggists and Stationers.

### SUNK THREE MORE SHIPS.

Plucky Japs Continue the Bombardment of Port Arthur.

London, Feb. 12.—In a dispatch from Shanghai, dated February 12, 2 a. m., the correspondent of the Daily Telegraph says: "The bombardment of Port Arthur continues. Three Russian cruisers have been sunk. The Russian bank building has also been destroyed."

A special dispatch from Tien Tsin confirms the report that the Manchurian railroad has been blocked by the blowing up of a bridge on the line and thirty Russians were killed in the explosion. It is reported, the dispatch adds, that the Russian steamers Nonni and Mukden, belonging to the Chinese Eastern Railway company, have been captured by the Japanese.

The F W Mally Orchard Company has finished setting out a hundred acres in fruit trees on the company's new fruit farm South of Nacogdoches. Another hundred acres or probably double that acreage will be planted out next fall. Prof Mally is superintending the orchard in person

and is making Nacogdoches headquarters. There will be a great deal of improvement made on the large tract of land owned by the company near town during the present year.

\$100—Dr. E Dection's Anti-Diuretic may be worth to you more than \$100 if you have a child who soils bedding from incontinence of water during sleep. Cures old and young alike. It arrests the trouble at once. \$1. Sold by Perkins Bros. Druggists.

### For Sale.

100 acres of land in Nacogdoches County, in oil region and tobacco graded 60 acres in fine state of cultivation, balance timbered; everlasting water, fine springs, nice new dwelling, four rooms, hall and gallery, outbuildings, entire place fenced with plank and wire, all new, known as Ed Kendrick place; near churches school and Melrose postoffice; reasons for selling, other business; will sell reasonable. For terms address J. R. L. Booth, 462 Wood-st., Dallas Texas.

### For Sale.

Surry, buggy and harness, almost new. Will be sold at a bargain. Joe Rendl

## Plow Time.

When you get ready to commence plowing in earnest, don't ruin your teams by trying to use that old worn out harness. Let us fit your horses out in new collars, collar pads, hames, back bands, etc. Also buy a new curry comb and brush.

## STROUD & COX.

The Saddle and Harness People.

### TOPICS FROM TRAWICK.

Budget of News From The Sentinel's Correspondent.

Trawick, Feb. 15.—Nothing was ever better enjoyed than the entertainment and supper which was given here Saturday night. Not as many out as we expected, but all who come seemed to have a good time.

Messrs. Oleson and Vawter were among the guests from Cushing, and Peyton Ingraham and W. Dial being among the few from Nacogdoches.

The proceeds of the supper went toward the building of the new church.

Measles is the order of the now.

Ed. Jacks and family, of Cushing, were the guests of J M Dawson yesterday.

Eugene Paine is still suffering from the bone felon on his thumb.

J M Dawson has a letter to the effect that his daughter who has been seriously ill at Overton, is improving very fast.

J H Crenshaw will have a new residence built soon.

C A and Lee Trawick and families, of Nat, were guests of their father, J J Trawick, of this place yesterday.

### As to a Test.

Nacogdoches, 2-13 04.  
Editor Sentinel:

From the tenor of an editorial in your yesterday's issue, I presume that you are of the opinion that it is illegal for any political party to print any test upon tickets to be voted in primaries. I have heard the same idea advanced a number of times since the opening of the political year, and it seems that it is pretty generally understood that such is the case, and for the information of all who may be concerned, I send you copy of Sec. 94 of the Terrell election law, passed at the last session of the legislature:

"Sec. 94. The vote in all primary elections shall be by official ballot which shall have printed at the top thereof the name of the party, and under it the names of all candidates, those for each office being arranged in alphabetical order beneath the title of the office for which they are candidates. The voter shall erase or mark out all the names he does not wish to vote for; provided, the county executive committee of the party holding any primary election may prescribe additional qualifications necessary to participate therein."

It will be seen from this that the legislature did not only refuse to prevent the applying of a test to participate in the primary elections of any political party; but on the contrary, went out of its way to say that they may do so.

Very truly yours,  
Vernon E. Middlebrook.

Get onto the prizes offered in Mayer & Schmidt's ad.

### FREE COTTON SEED.

Congressman Cooper Explains Why Supply is Limited.

Washington, Feb. 8.

Mr. Jno. S. Doughtie, Nacogdoches, Texas. I have taken the liberty of ordering sent to you the cotton seed intended for Nacogdoches county. These seed have been shipped to you from Houston, Texas, and I presume you will be notified by the agent of the Agricultural Department. Each sack will be addressed to the party for whom it is intended, and they will be notified to call and get same. There may be some complaint on the part of some who do not receive seed, and if so I trust you will say to them that I was allotted only 220 sacks for distribution in the entire district, and that as the area I had to cover was so large I could send but a few sacks to each county. I endeavored to distribute them equitably throughout the several counties of the district. I have imposed this task upon you in view of your friendship for me and of your interest in the farmers of Nacogdoches county. With best wishes, I remain,

Your friend,  
S. B. Cooper.

Don't overlook Mayer & Schmidt's advertisement.

## Just Received

A CAR LOAD OF NICE, STYLISH and DURABLE

## FURNITURE

Which added to our already large stock enables us to furnish your home with everything in this line from

## KITCHEN to PARLOR.

Come and see for yourself, and you will be convinced that you can be better suited, in style, quality and price with us than elsewhere.

We are expecting our car of John Deere Plows and Farming Implements which we will sell at the usual low price of other goods, though everybody knows that the John Deere is superior to other makes.

Come and see us.

## Cason & Richardson

### Wanted.

I need two families; one to work on shares or to rent thirty-five acres of land. Good conveniences on place. The other family to work for wages. W. D. Lambert, Chireno, Texas

We will do mill and turned work for the country trade; and when it is not convenient to pay cash for same, we will take good corn at the prevailing market price. w4t Banita Mfg. Co.

## WE ARE ANKFUL

There having been so many misrepresentations on the part of some merchants in Nacogdoches through their advertisements, we were a little apprehensive that the people would not believe our statement when we advertised our stock at cost. We are pleased, and grateful to know that the people of this country believe what we say. Our store has been full to overflowing every day since the sale began, and all hands express entire satisfaction in the goods and price.

This sale will only last until March 1st which is not long. If you need goods, it will pay you to invest before it ends.

Gratefully Yours,  
SEALE & DONEGAN

## Weekly Sentinel.

HALTOM & HALTOM, Proprietors.

R. W. HALTOM, Editor.

THE farmers are stirring the ground these pretty spring days.

Now that fighting has actually begun, maybe the war will soon be over in the far east.

If this cold weather will hold on until the first of March there will be a fine chance for a good fruit crop this year.

THE commissioners court has decided upon buying a poor farm. Now look for the long list of paupers to decrease.

HOUSTON has been informed that there is no likelihood of the present congress making an appropriation for Buffalo bayou.

AN American fleet has been ordered to Japanese waters to see how things are going over there, and keep a watch on the situation.

HON. M. M. CRANE has announced that he will not be a candidate in opposition to Senator Culberson. We never did believe that he would be.

IT will not be long before Nacogdoches will boast of school buildings that will compare favorably with those of other towns of her size and importance.

ARE we satisfied with the present schedule of the T. & N. O., railroad, or are we going to enter a protest. How long will it take Nacogdoches to make up her mind?

THE Hayward road is now pushing to the front. We will "but in" to the Cotton Belt some of these days and then there will be some big talk that will count for something.

THERE are quite a number of new residences being built in various suburban sections of the city. A drive over the town reveals the fact that Nacogdoches continues to spread in every direction.

THE SENTINEL has received a copy of the New York World's Almanac for 1904 complimentary. The World's almanac is a useful encyclopedia in condensed form, and the little volume is very much appreciated by the press.

THE multiplicity of candidates is going to muddle things so that the only way out will be to hold two primaries—the second for deciding between the two candidates receiving the highest vote in the first.

ROOSEVELT will get even with the Texas Senators for lining up against his isthmian canal policy by refusing to appoint a Texan on the canal commission. He has a large accumulation of spleen.

SENATOR HANNA is still a very sick man, but the doctors do not regard his case as dangerous. His sickness is giving Teddy a resting spell, and a chance to "spit on his hands" for a new hold by the time the Senator recovers.

## THE POPULISTIC SITUATION.

Chairman A. J. Murphy of the people's party executive committee of Nacogdoches county, is urging upon his committeemen to sound the sentiment of the populists of their respective precincts with the view to holding a meeting at an early date to decide upon what course the party will pursue with reference to the approaching campaign. The party is badly demoralized, if not totally disorganized which seems to be a matter of grief to Chairman Murphy. For four years the people's party of this county has been practically out of business. At the last election it elected the sheriff by a close call, while four years ago they succeeded in electing the representative and sheriff. These elections, however, were not due to populist strength, but from a combination of causes. Their candidateds who have been successful will not stand for another race on that ticket. The leaders have forsaken the party, with few exceptions, some of them actually announcing for office this year on the democratic ticket. Their mouthpiece and official organ, the Plaindealer, the leading populist paper of East Texas, some weeks ago renounced populism and took up the democratic banner. Hence the party is almost totally without leadership, save Chairman Murphy, and he is at sea as to what course to pursue. The negroes, who have stuck to the party in its strength, have deserted it entirely in its weakness, consequently the prevailing sentiment is to abandon the sinking ship entirely. It is not probable that a ticket will be put in the field this year.

Many prominent populists have announced their intention to affiliate with the democratic party, and under the Terrell election law as it is understood there can be no test applied that will keep them from participating in the democratic primaries. This fact is encouraging to those who are running for democratic nominations that have hitherto been conspicuous as populists. The chairman of the democracy of the county is now called upon to get his committee together and decide what steps to take to meet the situation. In lieu of prescribing a test, it may be necessary to hold double primaries, which would seem to be the only practical solution to the difficulties that will arise through the multiplicity of candidates.

ACCORDING to the last ginners report sent out from Washington the total number of commercial bales of cotton ginned in Texas up to Jan. 16th is 2,505,588 bales.

THE interest in tomato growing seems to have almost completely died out in Nacogdoches. There will be none of any consequence grown here this year, and in this it is very probable that the truck growers are making a mistake. The market cannot always be as it was last year and there is a chance to profit greatly by the experience of the past two

years. The various causes of failure in the past are well known to the grower and could be obviated by the right kind of effort in the future.

THE President of the United States has been asked to intervene in behalf of peace between Russia and Japan. Uncle Sam will be most apt to display the wisdom shown by the French government in keeping his month closed for the present.

THERE has been too much money spent for free seed that won't even sprout. Congressman Shepherd is doing the right thing in opposing appropriations of the people's money for furnishing a "graft" for the seed growers who have stock on hand they can't sell to anybody but the government.

THE Galveston News' admonition not to go "cotton wild" is good, but from the signs it will be little heeded. There will be the largest acreage ever planted in cotton in East Texas planted this year in spite of boll weevil or any other scare. Cotton will not be fifteen cents next year, unless the boll weevil takes the biggest half of the crop.

THE tobacco proposition is interesting the people in every county in East Texas. There is an especial interest shown in San Augustine and Tyler counties, and there will probably be as large an acreage planted in tobacco in those counties as there will be in Nacogdoches this year. The East Texas tobacco crop will be of considerable importance this year.

THE case of W. W. Jenkins, who is charged with the killing of Lankford at Mt. Enterprise, was given to the jury in the district court at Henderson last week. After being out nearly two days the jury reported that it was impossible to reach a verdict and were discharged. The case will next be tried at Longview on a change of venue from Rusk to Gregg county.

THE gate should be opened wide for the return of the stray sheep to the democratic fold, but they should be cleansed and purified as they enter. The strongest safeguards should be erected against the Judases and their trickery. The county democratic executive committee ought to get together and get in touch with each other. There is much depending upon the wisdom and foresight of the committee.

COL. E. S. PETERS, president of the Texas cotton growers' association, has just returned to Texas from Washington, where he has been lobbying for boll weevil legislation. Col. Peters returned via New Orleans, where he consoled the cotton manipulators by telling them that the depression in cotton was only temporary. He believes that the boll weevil pest will ultimately reduce the maximum cotton crop to 8,000,000 bales; that the present cotton crop will be 9,500,000 bales, which is 1,500,000 bales less than the actual consumption.

JUNE C. HARRIS,  
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OWING to the war in the far east, the Cuban loan of \$35,000,000 will not be floated at present. Monetary conditions in Wall street have been disturbed by the war flurry and Cuba's bonds will not float until the situation becomes normal. The pulse of Wall street seems to effect the whole world.

JUDGING from expressions in our exchanges, Hon. Lee Blanchette is winning friends wherever he goes. We are free to say that few men, whom we have casually met, have impressed us more favorably than Mr. Blanchette. There is a magnetism about him that wins at the first contact.—Tyler Democrat-Reporter.

THE action of the U. S. court is certainly a great lever in the enforcement of the local option law. At the term of court just adjourned at Tyler, Judge Bryan sent five or six violators of the Federal revenue laws regulating the sale of whiskey, to the Penitentiary. And the grand jury found many more bills of indictment. In addition to this the U. S. revenue officers are taking up the matter of C. O. D. and other shipments of whiskey into local option territory, and will shortly be on the trail of every whiskey house so shipping for the Federal tax in each place to which they ship, and of the agents of Express companies for delivering of packages except to original consignee in person and then only when in fact ordered by him.

NEAR Doddville, Miss., Luther Holbert and wife, negroes, were burned at the stake by a mob last Sunday. The burning of Holbert and his wife closes a tragedy which has cost eight lives, engaged 200 men and two packs of bloodhounds in a four days chase across four counties and has stirred that section of Mississippi to such a state of excitement as it has never before experienced in its history. Holbert, who was a desperate negro, killed John Eastland, a white planter, who had ordered him off his place. Being fatally shot by the negro, Eastland returned the fire, killing John Winters, a negro who was with Holbert. Holbert then shot and killed John Carr, a negro, who was with Eastland. Holbert's wife then donned men's clothing and the two fled heavily armed. A posse in pursuit of them killed three unknown negroes who showed fight when approached by the posse. After

a four days chase the fleeing man and woman were taken while asleep, being entirely worn out with traveling over a hundred miles on foot through canebrakes and swamps, and were burned at the stake shortly afterwards.

THE combined deposits in Lufkin banks at the last report was \$228,559.98. At the same time Nacogdoches banks reported something like \$440,000.00. Them Lufkin folks had us "skint" about 6 months ago, but "things have changed since those days." The old town has pulled herself together once more and is now the whole thing.—Plaindealer.

THE tide just now is certainly for the southwest, toward which landseekers, colonists and tourists are traveling in unprecedented numbers. If all interested in the development of this section will improve to the utmost the present and coming opportunity, the increase in population and values will be rapid, substantial and permanent.—Chicago Farm and Home.

IT is intimated that Judge Jas. I. Perkins, of Rusk will be a candidate for district judge. Judge Perkins is a able man, has proved his superior ability as district judge in the past, and will no doubt be a popular candidate. But if all the other counties are going to have one or two candidates each the bee is liable to disturb some of the available timber of Nacogdoches and we may have one or two in the race before it is over.

THE schools at Temple are demoralized on account of small pox.

A SALESMAN in one of the leading dry goods stores this morning was heard to remark in answer to the inquiry of a customer, that the man that made three cent calico was dead. We are sorry to learn of the gentlemen's death, in many ways he was a benefactor to the race; then, a man could come to town with a dollar and buy three dresses—but he wasn't liable to have the dollar; now he drives to town with a hundred dollar bale of cotton and tells his family to trade all they want, he's got the money to pay for it with. Altogether, as far as East Texas is concerned, it is better to have 15 cent cotton than 3 cent calico. If however we over do the cotton business and the boll weevil doesn't help us out, 3 cent cotton and calico—and poverty will be with us once again.

SOME of the democratic senators who are yet in doubt about voting for the ratification of the Panama canal treaty want a "whereas" inserted setting forth that as there are serious differences between the United States and Colombia, and that Colombia has been injured by us, and also expressing a desire to placate that government, but there are others who will not cast any blame upon our government, and so they stand, there being only four who will not vote for it under any conditions, to-wit, Senators Tillman, Blackburn, Carmack and Daniel.—Austin Statesman.

SOUR LAKE is rushing up new buildings in the recent fire district.

## THE ENGLISH-AMERICAN COTTON CO

With a Capital of \$1,000,000  
and unlimited resources,

is organized for the purpose of offering the planters of Texas improved facilities for growing and handling the cotton crop. This company will operate warehouses at all the principle cotton centers of the State, and will be in position to offer the **Planters direct money at 5 per cent** to cultivate their crops, and when made, if there is a prospect of improved prices, the planter can hold this cotton in our warehouses at less than one-half the usual cost, on which cotton he can secure money from us at not over 5 per cent, and probably less. This will place the planter in position to secure the benefit of any advance in price at very small cost for carrying the cotton.

In view of the large demand for early maturing cotton seed, we have made arrangements to secure a limited quantity of **King's Improved Early Cotton Seed**, and the celebrated **Hawkins Extra Early Prolific Cotton Seed**, direct from North Carolina, that we offer to the farmers of Texas at the exceeding low price of **FIFTY CENTS** per bushel, freight point to any shipping point in the State. We make this offer merely to get ourselves before the planter, and the nominal price we receive for the seed is not near the cost of the same to us.

In view of this remarkable offer, we will accept no order for more than 100 bushels to any one planter, and under no circumstances will we vary from this.

All orders will be entered as received, until our supply is exhausted, and in each case remittance by postoffice or express money order or certified check must accompany the order. Mail all orders and make all remittances to

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COMMISSIONERS' COURT.	
Proceedings of the Regular February Term.	
Following accounts were allowed:	
Pauper list	\$950.00
J. A. Herrin, lumber	7.64
H. V. Sitton, road	10.00
Stack & Smith	18.85
Ramey & Sons	.40
Clark & Courts	33.00
Ireson Bros	30.00
J. B. Evaes	1.25
W. L. Burrows	1.00
Wiley Harris	4.00
C. S. Baines	2.00
W. G. Hand	12.45
J B Boatman	5.00
J A Herrin	26.51
M Mast, et al	12.00
E M Weeks	204.34
Haltom & Haltom	68.78
Dr W H Campbell	10.00
Clifton Wills	50.00
W O Crain	15.00
Robt Berger	281.00
H L Turner	8.50
John Parmelley	4.25
A J Spradley	350.00
Geo D Barnard	509.17
Tom Maroney	3.00
J W Byrd	28.00
W R Humphreys	90.00
G L. Muckelroy	2.50
J G Strahan	10.00
Beeman Strong	20.00
J J Barton	1.35
Robt Berger	11.00
Will Aiken	4.00
W R Harris	3.00
R L Williams	7.00
W J Kornegay	28.50
J H Woodham	24.00
W O Crain	175.00
W H Choate	20.55
H L Turner	1.60
S L Corley	7.50
H V Sitton	11.00
J O Thomas	18.00
J E Nelson	38.25
J J Trawick	25.00
James Upshaw	5.10
A J Harris	3.00
Seale & Donegan	6.25
Charley McGowan	6.00
A F Henning	17.05
Cason, Richardson & Co	31.80
Perkins Bros	3.75
Dallas Rawlinson et al	6.00
J J Millard	6.00
Mayfield Elliott	3.50
T H Carnley	3.00
C C Skeeters	18.00
J H Richardson et al	8.00
R T Shindler Drug Co	10.00
H T Burk	11.05
Dr W H Campbell	5.00
S F Baucom	9.80
The following reports were approved:	
Robt Berger, county judge.	
J E Watson, constable.	
J W Byrd, county commissioner, precinct No 1.	
W D Peavy, J P precinct No 1.	
J F Perritte, J P precinct No 4.	
E M Weeks, county clerk.	
Clifton Wells, district clerk.	
Beeman Strong, county attorney.	
J O Ray, county treasurer.	
The following applications for Confederate Pensions were granted:	
W W Cartright, J W Townsend, Mrs Martha Goen, J T Bell, Mrs Mary Hunter, W A Hamilton and C W Lister.	

The following orders were made:

The County Attorney ordered to investigate convict records of Nacogdoches county covering Judge Middlebrook's term of office.

Ordered that a tax of one-fourth of one per cent be levied for county revenue purposes upon all property in Nacogdoches county subject to taxation, and that a further tax of fifteen cents on the hundred dollars on all property subject to state tax be levied for roads and bridges; and that a further tax of ten cents on the hundred dollars be levied upon all property of the county subject to taxation for the erection of public buildings, said tax levies to continue in force one year from date.

Ordered further that a tax be levied upon all occupations upon which the state levies occupation tax, said levy being one-half the amount levied by the state.

Ordered that Red Oak school district be abolished.

The following judges and assistant judges were appointed for the various voting precincts of Nacogdoches county:

No 1 G B Layton, W B McKnight, W R Humphries and John Rusk.

No 2 R D Burrows, E W Smith, A W Grimes and W L Rawlinson.

No 3 R C Shindler, J H Parmelley, W L Davis and J B Martin.

No 4 J. G. Baugh, Eli Fields, J N Rogers and Jean Petty.

No 5 Jno W Hill, J R LaNier, H R Doolittle and J M Blackshear.

No 6 J B Rushing, W A Barr, Jas Blackshear and Willie Pleasant.

No 7 E S Trash, J H Muckelroy, J H Hanna and G F Fuller.

No 8 M Mast, J H Thomason, Jas M Lee and Jno N Wilson.

No 9 H H Hargis, Joe M Fuller, Jno J McKey and Jno C Martin.

No 10 H P Fall, B A Calhoun, I J Hall and W E Menefee.

No 11 Jeff Spinks, Tom Parton, Dr J M Rogers and J B Moton.

No 12 T S Neal, Jesse J Watkins, J P Bruton and S H Thomas.

No 13 M J Moody, R H Baxter, R R Loy and H V Sitton.

No 14 B W Thomas and F M Nelson.

No 15 F P Perry, C S Baines, W M McKnight and H H Wade.

No 16 W A Barry, W S Satterwhite, J W Murph and Tom Chiton.

No 17 B Y Lloyd and J C Melton.

No 18 S L Harris, W H Smith, John McDuffie and Andrew Carter.

Frank Tucker, of San Augustine, is in the city today.

**COMMITTEE MEETING.**

Democratic Executive Committee to Meet Feb. 27th.

As chairman of the Democratic Executive committee of Nacogdoches county, I hereby call a meeting of said committee at the court house in the town of Nacogdoches on Saturday the 27th inst. at 1 p. m. for the transaction of such business as may come before said committee.

I would be glad to have a full attendance.

Respectfully,  
W. H. Cambell,  
Chairman.

**FINANCIAL STATEMENT.**

Personally appeared before me the undersigned authority:

Robert Berger, County Judge, Nacogdoches county, Tex.  
J. W. Byrd, Com. beat No. 1. " " "  
J. O. Thomas, " " 2. " " "  
R. L. Williamson " " 3. " " "  
G. L. Muckleroy " " 4. " " "

who being duly sworn state upon oath that they have complied with Art. 867, Revised Statutes of the State of Texas, that they have compared and examined the quarterly report of J. O. Ray, Treasurer of Nacogdoches county, made by him to the February Term, 1904, of the Commissioners' Court, and that the cash mentioned in the said Treasurers' Quarterly Report, and held by him for said county, has been fully inspected and counted by them, and that they find the condition of the various funds to be as follows:

Jury Fund:  
Balance on hand \$ 674.63

Road and Bridge Fund:  
Balance on hand 6,099.62

General Fund:  
Balance on hand 9,105.74

School Fund:  
Balance on hand 11,232.83

County Land Fund:  
Balance on hand 9,568.37

Stenographic Fund:  
Balance on hand 47.88

Road and Precincts Fund:  
Balance on hand 82.60

Robt. Berger, Co. Judge, Nacogdoches county, Texas.  
Jno. W. Byrd, Com. beat No. 1. Nacogdoches Co. Tex.  
J. O. Thomas, Com. beat No. 2. Nacogdoches Co. Tex.  
R. L. Williamson Com beat No 3 Nacogdoches Co. Tex.  
G. L. Muckleroy Com beat No 4 Nacogdoches Co. Tex.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 13th day of February 1904. E. M. Weeks, County Clerk,  
By R. J. Ivey, Deputy

**MELROSE LETTER.**

Newsy Items From The Sentinel's Correspondent.

Melrose, Feb. 15th.—Mr. Z. T. Mast will resign his position as Post-master to Mr. Luther Swift as soon as necessary arrangements can be made.

The Methodist Sabbath school is increasing in interest. The superintendent and some of the teachers have offered some nice purses, five dollars for the Senior class, three dollars for second class and two and a half for the third. The attendance is very

good. Let every one find their work and the place for which they are best fitted, for there is certain work for each one to accomplish that the other cannot do, and remember, indifferent service is always hard work. It is wonderful what miracles God works in wills that are utterly surrendered to him. He turns hard things into easy and bitter things into sweet. God bless the Sunday schools.

Little Cullis Wilson is too sick to attend school.

Mrs. Tom Carter died in Woden community from the effects of measles. She leaves a husband, mother and little children who can most deeply feel the loss. They have our greatest sympathy and earnest prayers.

The hog law election is now in force, farmers are very busy building hog pastures, plowing and preparing for the new crop, also planting lots of Irish potatoes, garden seed etc. Let us hope for a bountiful harvest.

**E. M. Weeks.**

Morg Weeks announces to day for reelection to the office of county clerk, subject to the democratic primaries. He needs no introduction to the democracy of Nacogdoches county. There is not a man in the county that is better known than he is, or one who is more popular with all classes. He has filled the office long enough to prove his qualifications and to get all the cussing there is coming to a fellow who fails to please everybody. We have heard but little of the cussing and presume that he has discharged his duties to the universal satisfaction of the people. If elected he will continue to serve the whole county with justice to all and partially to none, with the same efficiency and courteous treatment to all that he has shown in the past.

**TWO HUSTLING FARMERS.**

Enterprising Citizens of Nacogdoches Visit Jacksonville.

Jacksonville Fruit and Truck.

The Nacogdoches association sent as her representatives to the meeting of the Union at Jacksonville, Messrs J. B. Power and L. W. Liles. It was our pleasure to make the acquaintance of these gentlemen at that time and learn something of their success in their respective lines. Mr. Power is at the head of the Rose Lake Nurseries at Nacogdoches and is building up a fine reputation as a skillful and reliable propagator of all classes of nursery stock, fruit trees, ornaments and cut flowers, in fact he is fast working into everything that goes to make up the stock of a first-class nursery.

Mr. Liles is particularly interested in the breeding of fine hogs in connection with fruit and truck growing, in which he is engaged at his home, of some 300 acres a few miles out from the city of Nacogdoches. He has on his farm a couple of small lakes, one of an acre and the other four acres in extent, both being stocked with different kinds of fish. He has a field of three acres of alfalfa that is looking fine. But when it comes to the question of hogs he is right there with some nice stock. He is a breeder of O. I. C. hogs, claiming they are the best for East Texas, and to prove his statement cited his results with a pair of these white hogs that he bought when they were a few weeks old for \$55.00. They were a year old last December and up to the present he has made \$117.50 and still has the pair, that aggregate over 800 lbs. weight. It is Mr. Liles' intention to breed fine registered hogs for the market, and any one wishing any such will do well to take up the matter with him. We wish these enterprising young men the success they deserve.

**Mrs. Emily Boyd Dead.**

From Tuesday's Daily.

Mrs. Emily Boyd of this city died this morning at one o'clock at the residence of W. S. Beeson. Mrs. Boyd was the aunt of Mr. Beeson and Mrs. E. C. Branch. Death was almost entirely due to the natural weakness of age, as she would have been 89 years all in April. She was in full possession of her faculties up to the time of her death, and was a lovely character cherished by all who had the privilege of knowing her.

The sympathy of their friends is with those to whom she was connected by the ties of kinship and affection, and to whom the grief at her loss is keen.

The body was taken to Corsicana and she will be laid to rest tomorrow among those she loved "When all the world was young."

**Japs Hold Port Arthur.**

The war news today indicates that the Japanese are in complete control of the situation at Port Arthur. Communication is shut off and the Japanese are ready for land or sea attack. They have landed troops behind Port Arthur and blown up the railroad. The people at Port Arthur are panic stricken and are leaving the town in large numbers.

One hundred Japanese are held in Port Arthur by the Russian government, and Japan will appeal to the United States to prevail on Russia to release them.

The merchant vessel Zensho Maru was blown up by four Russian cruisers and the attack is declared a wanton crime unjustified under the circumstances and Japan is deeply stirred and bitterly resentful over the affair.

**Fighting on Land and Sea.**

The dispatches tell of a tremendous victory by the Japanese at Port Arthur. Eight Russian vessels were sunk, ten captured and but one left. The report is not official.

The Russian Vladivostok squadron is still cruising in the Sea of Japan.

The Japanese forces have succeeded in crossing the Yalu river and have attacked the Russians on their own ground.

Twenty thousand Japanese troops landed at Chemulpo Sunday and the Russian fleet is still bottled up in Port Arthur.

Mothers can safely give Foley's Honey and Tar to their children for coughs and colds, for it contains no opiates or other poisons. Sold by Perkins Bros.

**Elliott—Haltom.**

Mr. Marshall Elliott and Miss Delia Haltom were married last Sunday night at 8:30 o'clock at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Haltom, Jr. Rev. Burke officiating.

Both of these young people belong to leading families of the county. They reside about eight miles from the city and have a large circle of friends and acquaintances who extend the warmest congratulations.

After the ceremony the wedding party sat down to a bountiful wedding supper, a large number of guests being present.

The Sentinel joins their other friends in the best of wishes to the newly-wedded pair.

Winter coughs are apt to result in consumption if neglected. They can be soon broken up by using Foley's Honey and Tar. Sold by Perkins Bros.

**"SUFFICIENTLY URGED."**

To the Public:

I have been "sufficiently urged" and will make my formal announcement for the legislature a little later on; that is, if I do not change my mind. I positively will not enter any sort of a scramble for any office. I am willing to go before the democratic primaries with any candidate or set of candidates on our merits, but if there must be a round of campaigning and stump speaking for six months, I am not going to be in it. The trouble with the country now is that too many fine stump speakers have been sent to the legislature. I am for shorter sessions, more business and less display of oratory in the legislature. If I wasn't I would never offer myself before the people. I believe I have sense enough to do what my people would want done if I were in the legislature and I feel that I would like to be tried once.

Respectfully,  
R. W. Haltom.

**THE T. & N. O. SCHEDULE.**

Matter Now Before the Railroad Commission at Austin.

From Tuesday's Daily:

Mr. John Schmidt received message by wire this morning from Mr. Geo. D. Hunter, Secretary of the Dallas Commercial Club, informing him that a committee from Dallas was now at Austin in conference with the Railroad Commission with regard to the schedule of the T. & N. O., railroad, and stated that a compromise could be reached with the railroad people by making the division at Nacogdoches instead of at Jacksonville. The railroad company contends that it is unprofitable and burdensome to them to run through trains from Beaumont to Dallas and rather than do it, it would add any convenience to Dallas to change the division to Nacogdoches, they had rather do that than to maintain a through schedule. Of course the change would be fully as satisfactory to Nacogdoches as a through train service as it would give us all the advantages we could possibly receive from the latter. The committee at Austin has been so informed by wire, and the matter is now up to the railroad commission.

For Tax Collector.

The Sentinel is requested by Mr. W. R. Falkner to place his name in the announcement column for the office of tax collector of Nacogdoches county, subject to the democratic primaries. In placing Mr. Falkner before the people of Nacogdoches county again we quote his own language, as follows: "I have no apologies to make more than that I want the office. I believe present conditions are such that my chances are good as I know I have friends in all parts of the county, and I look to the democratic sovereigns for my help in the race." Mr. Falkner is well known throughout the country, having canvassed the county for this office several years ago. He is a staunch democrat,

qualified to fill the office and would serve the people well if elected.

**A Night Alarm.**

Worse than an alarm of fire at night is the brassy cough of croup, which sounds like the children's death knell and it means death unless something is done quickly. Foley's Honey and Tar never fails to give instant relief and quickly cures the worst forms of croup. Mrs. P. L. Cordier, of Mannington, Ky., writes: "My three year old girl had a severe case of croup; the doctor said she could not live. I got a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar, the first dose gave quick relief and saved her life." Refuse substitutes. Sold by Perkins Bros.

For Tax Collector.

The Sentinel is authorized to announce Lum Martin, of Martinsville, for the office of tax collector of Nacogdoches county, subject to the democratic primaries. Mr. Martin is a native of Nacogdoches county, son of the late Dr. J. D. Martin, and is well known in Nacogdoches, where he was partly raised. He is familiarly known throughout the Eastern portion of the county. He was educated chiefly in the Nacogdoches high school, taking a business course. He is fully competent and qualified for the office he seeks and it elected will fill it with credit to himself and honor to his constituents.

**When you Have a Cold.**

The first action when you have a cold should be to relieve the lungs. This is best accomplished by the free use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. This Remedy liquefies the tough mucus and causes its expulsion from the air cells of the lungs, produces a free expectoration, and opens the secretions. A complete cure soon follows. This Remedy will cure a severe cold in less time than any other treatment and it leaves the system in a natural and healthy condition. It counteracts any tendency toward pneumonia. For sale by Perkins Bros.

Dedicated to Hon. W. M. Imboden.

Hon. W. M. Imboden, our efficient district attorney, was in town Saturday night enroute to Hemphill, where he goes to be in attendance upon district court. While here he showed the New Era man a present he had received which he prizes very highly with a fond recollection of the donor. The present is a book of poems and songs, composed by Andrew Veatch, formerly of Hemphill but now of Warwick, Okla., and dedicated to Mr. Imboden in the following beautiful language: To the Hon. W. M. Imboden, District Attorney of the 2nd Judicial District, of Texas: To thee, just man, wise statesman, loyal friend, And worthy product of the Lone Star State, These rustic rhymes, in idle moments penned, With brotherly regard I dedicate.

—Andrew Veatch.

The rhymes are sublime, and we imagine that with proper music applied the songs would be soul-stirring. Mr. Veatch is a gifted poet, and like the other newspaper men who know him, is a just friend to Mr Imboden —Center New Era.

**A MOUNTAIN FRUIT FARM.**

The Ideal Mountain Resort of Mr. T. J. Williams.

Cushing Enterprise:

This scribe in company with Editor Henning of the Nacogdoches Plaindealer, and Mr. T J Williams, paid a visit Monday morning to the latter's mountain fruit farm, some two miles north of town. Mr. Williams has about 10 or 12 acres cleared off, everything being cut off and with the exception of a few logs the land is ready for his trees. Mr. Williams has a good house on the mountain top, with a good spring near by. He will put out the land that he has ready in a few days and during the coming season will prepare some 50 or 60 acres or more on top of the mountain including some very fertile table lands, which he will set out in Elberta peaches another fall and winter. The crest of this mountain contains about 125 acres and one can stand anywhere on it and see a yearling anywhere on it once it is cleared off, it is so level. The top soil is a loose white sand which gradually turns to a yellow clay at a depth of two or three feet. It is said to be the very best of soil on which to grow peaches, the soil being loose and light. Mr. Williams has started right in this instance and as sure as he goes on with the project a fortune awaits him.

**A Cure For Eczema.**

My baby had Eczema so bad that its head was a solid mass of scabs, and its hair all came out. I tried many remedies but none seemed to do any permanent good until I used DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. The Eczema is cured, the scabs are gone and the little one's scalp is perfectly clean and healthy, and its hair is growing beautifully again. I cannot give too much praise to DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve.—Frank Farmer, Bluff City, Ky. In buying Witch Hazel Salve look out for counterfeits. DeWitt's is the original and the only one containing pure Witch Hazel. The name E. C. DeWitt & Co., on every box. Sold by Perkins Brothers.

**The Cotton Danger.**

Don't imagine that cotton is going to stay at 15c. It is in the hands of gamblers and speculators, and it may open at not more than 7c or 8c next fall. Diversify your crop, don't forget to raise hogs and cows. And every farmer will do well to remember that there has been a chicken and egg famine in Texas for the last year. Cotton is not the only cup in the alley. It will be an easy thing for a farmer to imagine he can raise 15c cotton and buy all the corn he wants at 50c; but cotton may be 6c instead of 15c. Then if the farmer has raised no corn, he is in the soup. Every farmer should plant to make plenty of corn for his own use; then if he can raise cotton as a side issue let him do it. But he should make sure of his corn crop.—Longview Times Clarion.

Cotton has not "stayed" at 15c, though it may get back to that figure. But if it goes to the 20c mark it will not stand the burden of the farm. In other words, if it is worth

20c next fall and every expense of the farm and its cultivation must come out of it, the crop will look sick unless it is one of those big crops which only the owners of large plantations can afford to raise. There is nothing more cruelly foolish than a small farmer devoting his whole farm to the raising of cotton. It is well to put in cotton. But in doing it the small farmer should make two resolutions, the first being to raise enough of other things to make his crop the money crop, and the next is not to put in so much that his children will be deprived of a schooling on its account. The remarks of the Times-Clarion are especially commended to the farmers of Texas as containing high worth.—Galveston News.

**Relief in One Minute.**

One Minute Cough Cure gives relief in one minute, because it kills the microbe which tickles the mucous membrane, causing the cough, and at the same time clears the phlem, draws out the inflammation and heals and soothes the affected parts. One Minute Cough Cure strengthens the lungs, wards off pneumonia and is a harmless and never failing cure in all curable cases of coughs, colds and croup. One Minute Cough Cure is pleasant to take, and good alike for young and old. Sold by Perkins Brothers.

**Frank Brewer's Great Speech at Tyler.**

Attorney Frank Brewer, of Nacogdoches was employed in the federal court at Tyler last week, and those who were present, lawyers and all, say they never heard such a display of oratory in any court as he gave them. Using their own language, he raised the shingles from the roof of the house. We have always known that Col. Brewer was a fine orator, but we are especially proud of the reputation he brought from Tyler with him. Mr Messic was acquitted.—Cushing Enterprise.

**Perfect Confidence.**

Where there used to be a feeling of uneasiness and worry in the household when a child showed symptoms of croup, there is now perfect confidence. This is owing to the uniform success of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in the treatment of that disease. Mrs M I Bastord, of Poolesville Md in speaking of her experience in the use of that remedy says: "I have a world of confidence in Chamberlain's Cough remedy for I have used it with perfect success. My child Garland is subject to severe attacks of croup and it always gives him prompt relief." For sale by Perkins Bros.

**Managers Elected.**

The board of directors of the East Texas Fruit and Truck Growers Union met in Jacksonville yesterday for the purpose of electing a board of managers for the Union. It was decided that it would be more satisfactory to elect five managers instead of one, as was done last year, and the following were elected: Wesley Love, C D Jarratt, F B Guinn, H L Hodges and L A Henry. J B Power of this city, was in attendance at the director's meeting.

Dr. B. M. Harrison, of Etoile, was in the city yesterday.

**Death of Mrs Dr Blount.**

From Monday's Daily:

A telegram was received this morning by Mr Eugene H Blount stating that Mrs. Dr Blount had died last night. She had been dangerously ill for several weeks, but was thought to be out of danger. The body will be taken for interment to New Orleans, where Mrs Blount's family all reside. Mrs Dr Blount was well known in Nacogdoches, having lived here for a short time after her marriage. She was endeared to all who knew her by her affectionate loving disposition, and was so merry and light hearted, so full of sunshine that it seems incredible that death has claimed her. The news has caused the deepest grief among Nacogdoches people and profound sympathy is expressed for the young husband and the parents that have been so sadly bereaved. Mr and Mrs E A Blount are now in Washington city. They had left New York where they had been called by the illness of their son's wife. Believing all danger to be over, they were, on their way home, but Mrs Blount was taken ill in Washington and was not able to return to New York when the news reached them. They are expected home as soon as Mrs Blount recovers sufficiently to travel.

**An Early Riser.**

A strong, healthy, active constitution depends largely on the condition of the liver. The famous little pills known as DeWitt's Little Early Risers not only cleanse the system but they strengthen the action of the liver and rebuild the tissues of that organ. Little Early Risers are easy to act, they never gripe and yet they are absolutely certain to produce results that are satisfactory in all cases. Sold by Perkins Brothers.

**Hog Law Election—Proclamation.**

Whereas the Commissioners' Court of Nacogdoches county on the 10th day of February, 1904, granted a petition signed by more than twenty free holders asking that an election be held to determine whether or not hogs, sheep and goats should be permitted to run at large in the following described subdivision of Nacogdoches county, and designating the 26th day of March 1904, as the day on which said election is to be held.

Therefore, I, Robert Berger, county judge of Nacogdoches county, Texas, do hereby issue this proclamation, and order that an election be held at Sand Ridge church on the said 26th day of March, 1904, for the purpose of enabling the freeholders of the following described subdivision of Nacogdoches county to determine whether or not hogs, sheep and goats shall be permitted to run at large in said territory described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the S W corner of Wm Dankworth survey; thence east to the Looneyville road; thence S E with said road to its junction with the Tyler road; thence N W with said Tyler road to a point due east of the S E corner of 50 acres owned by O. N. Weber; thence west to his S E corner and continue on west to his S W corner; thence north to his N W corner; thence west to the N W corner of said Wm. Dankworth survey; thence south to the beginning.

I hereby appoint R. Mosly as presiding officer and B. F. Feazell and S. W. Day as judges of said election, and they shall select two clerks to assist them in holding said election.

Given under my hand and official signature this the 16th day of February, 1904.

Robert Berger,  
County Judge,  
Nacogdoches Co., Tex.



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TOPICS FROM TRAWICK.

Budget of News From The Sentinel's Correspondent.

Trawick, Feb. 10.—Mr. M. E. Baucom has gotten moved and is now a resident of Trawick.

Mr. Carl Huff and mother, of Nacogdoches, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Crawford, of this place this week and will remain out in the sticks till after the blow out Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Paine visited J. B. Paine and family Sunday, accompanied by Lucile Crawford.

Mr. Willie Trawick had the misfortune to get a nail stuck in his foot Saturday, causing him to leave one shoe off this week.

Mr. J. M. Dawson was called to the bedside of his daughter last Saturday at Overton, Mrs. Ada Bridwell, who was reported quite ill. He returned yesterday and stated that she was much better.

We saw our old friend Dr. J. A. Brown on the train yesterday, going toward Cushing.

D. E. Paine is carrying one hand in a sling this week for a sore thumb, something on the order of a boafelon.

Mr. Horace Weatherly left Sunday for Omen, where he will enter school.

The railroad people moved the building belonging to Arnold Maddox off of the right of way last week and made a wire fence just in front of the door.

Miss Lelia Brewer, of Georgetown, is visiting her brother Albert this week and is the guest of Mrs. H. M. Crawford.

The Lost Ring.

Woman lived in Rackensack, Had a ringworm on her back, Said she would'nt care a snatch But 'twas where she could'nt scratch.

Therefore she could'nt endure Had to have aid quick and sure.

One box of Hunt's Cure did the work. It always does. It's guaranteed. Price 50c.

Doomed to Torment. Mr P C Keever, Aberdeen, Miss., writes: "For years I suffered from a form of eczema which made life a burden. I thought I was doomed to perpetual torment here below, but your Hunt's Cure rescued me. One box did the work, and the trouble has never returned. Many, many thanks." Hunt's cure is guaranteed. Price 50c. w

Beyond Expression. G W Farelowe, East Florence, Ala., writes: "For nearly seven years I was afflicted with a form of skin disease which caused an almost unbearable itching I could neither work, rest or sleep in peace. Nothing gave me permanent relief until I tried Hunt's Cure. One application relieved me; one box cured me, and although a year has passed, I have stayed cured.—I am grateful beyond expression." Hunt's Cure is guaranteed for all itching diseases of the skin. Price 50c. w

If you happen to be a cook and want to rise in this world, begin by starting the early morning fire with coal oil. And your rise will be so sudden it will take your breath away.—Current Issue.

Itch on human cured in 30 minutes by Woolford's Sanitary Lotion. This never fails. Sold by Perkins Bros. druggists

NACOGDOCHES SOUTHEASTERN.

Dirt Has Been Broken for the New Railroad.

Galveston News:

Nacogdoches Tex., Feb. 9:—Dirt has been broken on the new railroad, commonly called the Hayward road, but charted as the Nacogdoches and Southeastern. There are now a large number of teams grading on the first mile out of town. The road has been cross sectioned for a distance of five miles, beginning at the junction of the Texas and New Orleans, where the mill is located.

A corps of engineers are now pushing to the front, laying off the work of the graders and teams and scrapers will be put on the grade as fast as they can be secured. The road must be finished a distance of about sixteen miles before the big mill, which is located in the southern suburbs of this city, can be completed. It is the intention of the Hayward people to have road and mill in operation within the present year. The railroad will be equipped as a common carrier, to be operated under the railroad laws of the State and will ultimately connect with the Cotton Belt, which now crosses the southeastern corner of Nacogdoches county. It is about thirty miles to the point where the two roads will form a junction.

The building of the mill and railroad is bringing large numbers of new people to Nacogdoches, many of them from Northern States. The families of several of the officials, from Davenport, Iowa arrived during the past few days. There is a regular house famine here, many families being compelled to board because they cannot secure houses to live in. C C Hayward, manager of the company's works here, who has been almost at the point of death in the hospital at Shreveport is convalescing and has returned to Nacogdoches.

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104-106 Texas Street,  
Shreveport, Louisiana.

J. N. Thomas went to St. Louis Sunday as buyer for the A. Zeve Dry Goods and Clothing store. Mr. Thomas has been with Mr. Zeve some time and has an accurate knowledge of the wishes and tastes of shoppers in the town and county that will result in the purchase of a fine and popular line of spring goods for his firm.

The Wanderer. He left the dear old homestead and the scenes of his youth And went forth a wanderer; a searcher in truth. He looked not for treasure, naught he cared to be rich. What he sought for was something to cure his itch. He found it. Name, Hunt's Cure. Price 25c. w

Mr. Tom Wagnon died at Garrison Saturday and was buried Sunday. He was well known in Nacogdoches, having lived here the past several years until last year, when he moved to Garrison. His death will be regretful news to his many friends in this vicinity.

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### COTTON SEED BUNCO GAME.

The English-American Cotton Co., with J. E. Brophy, Southern Manager, that has sent out so much advertising matter concerning King's Improved early cotton seen from Houston, has turned out to be a take of the first water. Farmers are warned not to send them money. There is no such a concern and the fellow who started the scheme has buncoed the people out of a great deal of money before being exposed. Nearly every paper in the cotton belt has been taken in and the Houston Post was worked like a fish. The fraud was exposed through suspicion aroused by the post office at Houston. The papers that greedily accepted the advertisements sent out by the bogus million dollar organization are now eager to expose the fraud. The Sentinel was duped with hundreds of others and is caught for twenty-five or thirty dollars worth of advertising space. And to make matters worse the ad is already printed on the first run of The Weekly Sentinel for this week. Read the ad, but keep your money at home.

SENATOR MARK HANNA died in Washington city Monday afternoon at 6 o'clock.

DISTRICT court is in session at Hemphill. Nacogdoches comes next.

THE SENTINEL will be exceedingly sorry if any of its readers got stuck on the English-American cotton seed fake.

JNO. W. ROBBINS has announced himself again for the office of State Treasurer. He likes his job and doesn't get tired of a good thing.

THE announcement column is stringing out. There is plenty of room. If it takes more than a column to accommodate the boys, we are willing to devote two columns to them.

It was the Houston Post that was first taken in by the English American cotton company swindler and it was The Post that first exposed the fraud. We fail to see where the wisdom of the Chronicle comes in, in making such a to do over the matter.

DON'T send your money away from home for anything you can get here, regardless of price. There is too much risk of getting nothing in return for it. Those who sent money to Houston for cotton seed to save fifty cents on the dollar lost the fifty cents. It is pretty much the same way in about nine cases out of ten when money is sent away from home.

THE war news we get in the associated press dispatches is like reading a thrilling story with a patent medicine advertisement at the tale end. The most exciting accounts of the war always wind up with the words, "the report is not confirmed."

THE doors to the democratic primaries should be wide open for all who may so desire to enter the democratic fold. But it will be hard on the candidates who have been faithful to the democracy, if only a "sweep stake" primary is held. The situation is up to the executive committee.

DR. CAMPBELL, chairman of the democratic executive committee of Nacogdoches county has called a meeting of the committee on the 27th inst. The call is opportune, and it is hoped all the precinct chairmen will be present. The committee should keep in touch with each other if nothing more. The question of a test will doubtless be uppermost at the coming meeting.

THE SENTINEL learns with regret that several farmers of Nacogdoches county were caught by the cotton seed fake at Houston. Those who sent money off the latter part of last week have a chance to recover it, as the scoundrel who was working the scheme has fled the country. But from all accounts he made a good thing of it up to the time he skipped out from Houston.

OUR good friend, R. W. Haltom, of The Nacogdoches Sentinel, is being strongly urged to become a candidate for the legislature from his county and passes up the proposition to the boys from the "forks" in a very nice manner. Another good newspaper friend, J. A. Thomas, of the Leonard Graphic, is an aspirant for the same office from Fannin county. He is a most excellent young man and we trust he will be successful and we also hope that Haltom will make a winning this time if he decides to get in line. We like to see as many of the newspaper boys in the house as possible—provided, always, that they represent the best there is in the newspaper business, just as the two mentioned do.—Wills Point Chronicle.

THE Southern Cotton Ginner's Protective Association has a move on foot for the establishment of convenient cotton warehouses for the purpose of storing cotton, insuring it and advancing two-thirds of its value to the grower who prefers storing to placing it on the market when the price is low. An immense warehouse has already been established at Waco and others will be located at various points in Texas. The cotton receipts from such warehouses may be floated with merchants and bankers, relieving the farmer while withholding his cotton from the market, thus protecting him from the necessity of selling when the price is unsatisfactory. It is to the farmers interest that these accommodations be extended and increased.

THE millionaire brewer, W. J. Lemp, committed suicide at his home in St. Louis by shooting himself through the head with a pistol. He was despondent because his son and his friend, Fred Pabst, were dead.

IT would be unwise for Crane or Hogg, or any other man to oppose Culberson for re-election to the United States Senate. The people of Texas, while overwhelmingly in favor of the completion of the Isthmian Canal, will not fight Culberson or Bailey for standing by their honest convictions. Moreover, the canal question will have been settled long before the election of the United States Senator to succeed Culberson, if its ever going to be settled.

THE Jacksonville Daily Banner has at last made its appearance at this office. It arrived at this juncture probably to inform us that it is not going to support us for the legislature for fear that we would be taking the job to make ends meet and that we might wind up by selling rotten tomatoes for a living. We presume that we will lose Cherokee county. But never fear, Mac. We've got a "good living" to fall back on any time and we've gone out of the tomato business down here. Ten to one you'll want our support for that same old treat, whether we are in or out of the legislature.

IT being practically certain that the Panama treaty will soon be ratified by the U. S. Senate, President Roosevelt has taken up with Secretary Shaw the arrangements necessary to be made by this Government for the payment of the \$40,000,000 for the canal property and the \$10,000,000 to the Republic of Panama. Attorney General Knox has under consideration the Spooner act, with a view of determining whether it affords the President ample authority to provide for the issuance of bonds to raise the money immediately if needed and to appoint the commission. If it should be decided that the Spooner act does not confer that authority, no doubt is expressed that congress will enact promptly the necessary legislation. The President is considering very carefully the composition of the canal commission. No official announcement of his intention regarding any of the many candidates has been made, but it is thought certain that Rear Admiral Walker, president of the present commission, will be a member of the new commission, and probably will be at the head of it. Isham Randolph, the chief engineer of the Chicago drainage canal, and Gen. Geo. W. Davis, U. S. A., retired, also, it is believed, have been decided upon as members of the commission. There is little probability that a Texan will get a place on the commission.

THE Sentinel boasts of the fact that the Nacogdoches hotels were full of guests one day recently and sees great things in store for Nacogdoches by reason thereof. Here in Lufkin the hotels are al-

# HEAR US!

We Have This to Say; we Have What You Want. We Handle Everything.

We Will Continue Our Business at the Same Old Stand and in the Same Old Way.

The Boll Weevil is Not Going to Run Us Out of Business---We Are Going to Help You Put the Boll Weevil Out of Business---We Are Not Going to Forsake Our Friends---We will Continue to Help Those who Helped Us.

We want your cash trade as well as your credit trade. Your cash trade will be appreciated by us. We will not be undersold by anyone for the cash. Our credit price is reasonable. Remember: Our cash prices are as low and oftimes lower than the other merchants "Cost" price, "Bye Bye" price, and "For 30 Days Only" price.

Don't go spend your money elsewhere, but come price our goods, for we've got what you want; we can convince you that we are offering better goods for less money. Don't you think it right to give us your cash trade, if we are to sell you on credit.

We want your cotton, wool, wax and hides and don't want you to sell to anyone until you see us. We pay higher prices than any one, and your good money will buy more good goods from us than anywhere in Nacogdoches.

Yours "for keeps,"

## MAYER & SCHMIDT.

N. B.—Read our Boll Weevil ad.

ways crowded and it has become so common that we have become to consider it a matter of little importance.—Lufkin Tribune.

THE hotels of Nacogdoches are always full, but the guests that have been crowding them of late are of unusual importance to Nacogdoches and consequently have attracted unusual notice.

THE Times is for Beeman Strong for county attorney of Nacogdoches county and R W Haltom for representative. They are true and honorable men and devoted to their country's best interest.—Henderson Times.

THAT'S a nice compliment, Bro. Milner, and we are assured that Beeman Strong joins us in the acknowledgement of same with becoming modesty.

Mrs. Mary Mayheld and seven sons are recent arrivals from Blount county, Ala., to make their home near Timpon. These make 54 immigrants from the same county within the past twelve months. In that number were four single women and each of them has married since coming to Texas.—Timpon Times.

SEND a marked copy of the Times containing this item to all the marriageable women in Blount county and you will have four times fifty-four more immigrants from that county within the next twelve months.

AROUND Nacogdoches the tobacco business is becoming one of the biggest industries. Wonder if Van Zant soil wouldn't grow tobacco about

as well as Nacogdoches? The beauty about the Nacogdoches proposition is that there is a company at that place contracting for the crop before it is made—a regular cinch for the farmer. That's the thing farmer is most interested in—to know that he is going to find a market at home for his produce and that at a price at which he can afford to produce something.—Wills Point Chronicle.

THE editor talked with several of the leading men of the county the past week; and while she finds that the majority of the people are willing to utter a prayer of forgiveness and blot out all that shows on the political blackboard, there are a few who are apparently uncompromising and will have to be whipped into line. When the populists sprang up the democrats said: "Stay with us and vote what you desire." That was good advice; and now let every democrat take his own medicine. Let us go into the primary as white men, free men—honest men; let us stay by our party principals and the men who have fought our political battles. We want no man disfranchised—nor any one to vent spleen at the polls.—Wills Saxon.

Special Notice.  
All parties holding any kind of scrip against the county will please present same to the Commercial National Bank, and it will be paid at once.  
Respectfully,  
J. O. Ray, Co., Treasurer.

**Estray Notice.**  
In compliance with law and upon the return of G. L. Mackleroy, county commissioner of precinct No. 4, Nacogdoches county, Texas, I hereby give notice that there has been found running at large, and estrayed, the owner of which is unknown:  
One gray mare about 10 or 12 years old, about 12 1/2 hands high, branded T R on right shoulder. Said animal now ranging 10 miles east from Nacogdoches and left in care of P Lambert. If not legally proven away by the owner thereof within twenty days from date hereof, the same will be advertised and said commissioner will proceed to sell the same according to law.  
E. M. Weeks, County Clerk.  
By B J Ivey, Deputy.  
Dated Nacogdoches, Texas, this 12th day of February, 1904.

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In compliance with law and upon the return of G. L. Mackleroy, county commissioner of Prec. No. 4, Nacogdoches county, Texas, I hereby give notice that there has been found running at large, and estrayed, the owner of which is unknown:  
One yellow jenny about 8 or 10 years old, no brands. Said animal now ranging 15 miles east from Nacogdoches and left in care of Clabe Cordova.  
If not legally proven away by the owner thereof within twenty days from the date hereof, the same will be advertised and said commissioner will proceed to sell the same according to law.  
E. M. Weeks, County Clerk.  
By B J Ivey, Deputy.  
Dated at Nacogdoches, Texas, this 12th day of February, 1904.

**Estray Notice.**  
In compliance with law and upon the return of J. W. Byrd, county commissioner of precinct No. 1, Nacogdoches county, Texas, I hereby give notice that there has been found running at large, and estrayed, the owner of which is unknown:  
One black mare about 14 or 15 years old, about 14 hands high, no brands. Said animal now ranging 10 miles south from Nacogdoches, and left in care of John Carrier.  
If not legally proven away by the owner thereof within twenty days from date hereof, the same will be advertised and said commissioner will proceed to sell the same according to law.  
E. M. Weeks, County Clerk.  
By B J Ivey, Deputy.  
Dated, Nacogdoches, Texas, this 12th day of February, 1904.

**Estray Notice.**  
In compliance of law and upon the return of R. L. Williamson, county commissioner for precinct No. 3, Nacogdoches county, Texas, I hereby give notice that there has been found running at large, and estrayed, the owner of which is unknown:  
One small pony mare, about 7 or 8 years old, branded O left shoulder and E P on right hip has star in face. Said animal now ranging one mile south from Garrison and left in care of J B Craig.  
If not legally proven away by the owner thereof within twenty days from date hereof, the same will be advertised and said commissioner will proceed to sell the same according to law.  
E. M. Weeks, County Clerk.  
Dated, Nacogdoches, this 10th day of Feb, 1904.

Have You Indigestion?  
If you have Indigestion, Kodol Dyspepsia Cure will cure you. It has cured thousands. Its curing people every day—every hour. You owe it to yourself to give it a trial. You will continue to suffer until you do try it. There is no other combination of digestants that digest and rebuild at the same time, Kodol does both. Kodol cures, strengthens and rebuilds. Sold by Perkins' Brothers.

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And are sole agents for the celebrated Fertilizers made by Armour & Co.,---none better---analysis guaranteed The finest in the land for crops and truck of all kinds Prices we make are the lowest and on terms to suit the purchaser.

Let everybody join in together to "oust" Mr. Boll Weevil. Go after his "snout" and try to get it. They tell us plant improved seed, sow them early and work often and use some fertilizer. Don't plant cotton too thick---and by so doing you can make Mr. Boll Weevil's existence a little unpleasant. If we do this, with the present prices for our cotton, we will all make a little money.

We have just received one car Bliss Maine Triumph Potatoes, Seed Oats, and a general and complete stock of Plow Goods.

Count us among the number who do not believe that our county and country are going to the "bow wows," but yet think when this year is rounded out we will find everything has been very good with us all, if we have only put forth the proper efforts ourselves. Don't think we are altogether optimists, but we never could take a pessimistic view of everything.

We are not selling out at cost nor offering our stock on the market at any old price. But listen: We have one of the cleanest stocks of General Merchandise in the city and at prices when quality is considered as low as you find anywhere.

## We not Only Want Your Cash Trade, But can take care of your Credit also.

When we get your money and then later when you need a little accommodation we do not show you the door, and also remember we always buy your cotton. If you spend your cash or credit either we will remember in the fall to help you out when you have something to sell.

IF THE FARMERS AND THE WHOLE COUNTRY ARE GOING TO THE BOLL WEEVIL WE WANT TO GO TOO.

If you will give us all or a part of your business we assure you it will be appreciated and that your money will buy as much at our store as any place in the city; we guarantee absolutely every article we sell or refund your money. Visit our store and find some of the many bargains we have laid aside or you

Yours anxious to please,

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Premium stamps with every 10 cent purchase. Ask for them.

#### Nacogdoches Circle No 1.

The Southern Family Circle, a mutual life insurance association, has established a Circle in Nacogdoches with C D Mims, president; A F Henning, secretary, and J W Saunders treasurer. Trustees C D Mims, R Brown and C S Southern. Directors, C D Mims, C T Grimes, A F Henning, C S Southern and H A Still. Organizer, C S Southern. The Southern family Circle is chartered by the State of Texas, with authority to organize in all the States in the union. There is no lodge expenses, no signs, grips and passwords. It is simply a club, or a circle of clubs providing for loved ones, available the day death enters the family circle. Each member pays a dollar when a death occurs within the circle and the plan is a simple, economical and safe protection in the way of life insurance. Nacogdoches Circle No. 1 was organized by Mr. A. J. Caruthers, Supreme Secretary of Houston, who has been in the city the past two weeks.

#### For District Clerk.

The Sentinel is authorized to announce Willis P. Burrows for the office of district clerk of Nacogdoches county, subject to the action of the democratic primaries. Willis is a staunch democrat, a most upright man and an honorable citizen. He has a good education, has had experience in clerical work and is well qualified for the office. He will serve the people well if elected to this position.

#### Good Advice.

If your children are subject to croup you should never be without a bottle of Harts' Honey and Horehound in the house. It is a sure and speedy cure for croup and we have never known it to fail. If you give it as soon as hoarseness appears, it will prevent croup in every instance. Mothers should remember this as Harts' Honey and Horehound has saved the lives of many children subject to croup when nothing else gave relief. There is no danger in giving this medicine to small children in large or frequent doses. Sold by Perkins Bros.

#### Commissioners Court.

From Friday's Daily: The county commissioners court will adjourn this evening until next Thursday, Feb. 18th, at which time the proposition to buy a poor farm will be the special order. Parties who have propositions to submit on land located convenient to the county seat are requested to be present in person, or submit propositions in writing.

I will be in your city during the March term of court with a full line of spectacles, watches and jewelry, soap etc. Resp.

W. N. Burriss,

#### A Short Skirt.

One garment almost indispensable in any lady's wardrobe is the short skirt. It might also be as truth fully stated that Re Go Tonic Laxative Syrup is absolutely indispensable where a pleasant and reliable medicine is needed for any disorder of the stomach and bowels. Sold by Perkins Bros.

#### R. W. Murphey.

The announcement of R W Murphey for the office of district clerk appears in the announcement column today. Mr. Murphey announces subject to the action of the democratic primaries. He is a good penman and possesses superior clerical ability and is fully qualified for the duties of the office. He is well known throughout the county having appeared before the people before. His character is above reproach and as a citizen he is honored by all who have dealings or acquaintance with him. If elected he will make a competent, faithful and efficient officer.

#### For Rent.

75 acres good farm land 4 miles Southwest of Nacogdoches, also house and two acres of land 1-2 miles from town. A. C. Cordova.

Foley's Honey and Tar is best for croup and whooping cough, contains no opiates, and cures quickly. Careful mothers keep it in the house. Sold by Perkins Bros.

#### For County Judge.

The Sentinel is authorized to announce Judge Robt. Berger for reelection to the office of county judge, subject to the action of the democratic primaries. Judge Berger is now serving his first term as county judge and has proved his fitness and qualification to the satisfaction of the people. If reelected he will continue to serve the people with the same impartiality and promptness in the discharge of his duty that he has shown in the past.

Mr. Charles Stewart left yesterday for Timpson, where he will remain for a few weeks visiting. He has severed his connection with the R. T. Shindler Drug Co., having made other business arrangements. Mr. Stewart is a very popular gentleman and many regrets are expressed at his departure.

Mrs. J. C. Fondren is still quite ill, but is reported a little better today.

#### Luther Swift.

The announcement of Luther Swift for the office of tax assessor of Nacogdoches county appears in the announcement column. Luther announces subject to the action of the democracy at the primaries, and if chosen from among the list now out for that office promises a faithful and prompt discharge of the duties of the responsible position. He is well qualified, is an honorable and responsible man, energetic and worthy of trust. If elected he will fill the office to the satisfaction of the people.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Unequaled for Constipation.

Mr A R Kane, a prominent druggist of Baxter Springs, Kansas says: "Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets are in my judgment, the most superior preparation of anything in use today for constipation. They are sure in action and with no tendency to nauseate or grip." For sale by Perkins Bros.

# Ayer's

Feed your hair; nourish it; give it something to live on. Then it will stop falling, and will grow long and heavy. Ayer's Hair Vigor is the only

## Hair Vigor

hair food you can buy. For 60 years it has been doing just what we claim it will do. It will not disappoint you.

My hair used to be very short. But after using Ayer's Hair Vigor a short time it began to grow, and now it is fourteen inches long. This seems a splendid result to me after being almost bald.

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## Short Hair

### THURSDAY'S LOCALS.

S. A. Acree, of Wells, is in town today.

H. T. Fuller, of Sacul, is here today.

J. L. McBride, of Woden, is in the city today on a business trip.

M. M. Graham and Bud Page, of Etoile, are in the city today.

Jas. W. Curl, of Chireno, is in the city on his return home from Tyler.

A. D. Fountain, of Glenlawn, Rusk county, is in the city on a trading trip.

Messrs Crawford and Doyle of Wells, are buying supplies in Nacogdoches today.

#### Croup

Begins with the symptoms of a common cold; there is chilliness, sneezing, sore throat, hot skin, quick pulse, hoarseness and impeded respiration. Give frequent small doses of Ballard's Horehound Syrup, (the child will cry for it) and at the first sign of a croupy cough apply frequently Ballard's Snow Liniment to the throat.

Mrs. A. Vilet, New Castle, Colo., writes, March 19th 1901: "I think Ballard's Horehound Syrup a wonderful remedy, and so pleasant." 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sold by Perkins Brothers.

Mr. John Weathery, of Appleby, was in the city a day or two ago and was a caller at The Sentinel office. Mr. Weathery says he has not entirely made up his mind yet, but feels assured that he will, a little later on, enter the race for tax assessor.

#### Health

Means the ability to do a good day's work, without undue fatigue and to find life worth living. You cannot have indigestion or constipation without its upsetting the liver and polluting the blood. Such a condition may be best and quickest obtained by Herbine, the best liver regulator that the world has ever known. Mrs. D. W. Smith writes, April 3, 1902: "I use Herbine, and find it the best medicine for constipation and regulating the liver I ever used." Price 50c. Sold by Perkins Brothers.

R. W. Murphy is a prospective candidate for the office of district clerk. He made the race for this office several years ago and had a good support, and has found much encouragement to try his luck again.

### FRIDAY'S LOCALS.

Jim Gladden, of Cushing, is in the city today.

Dr. W. P. Fears, of Appleby, is in Nacogdoches today.

Mr Jno W Davis has returned from a business trip to Abilene.

J W Belk, of Cushing, was a friendly caller at The Sentinel office today.

John Rose, of Melrose, was in the city today and was a caller at The Sentinel office.

Mr J C Y Barbo and son, Adolphus, of Chireno, were in the city today on a trading trip.

Ben Tucker, of San Augustine, is spending a few days in the city on a visit to his mother.

Mr and Mrs J W Mitchell, of Denning, San Augustine county, are visiting Mrs W N Bailey, of this city.

Dr. W P Fears, of Appleby, is in the city. He announces his intention to move back to Nacogdoches for the practice of medicine, and will open an office here.

Geo W Cavin, of Cushing is in the city shaking hands with friends. He has not fully made up his mind about it, but is considered a prospective candidate for tax assessor.

A. B. Martindale, of Cushing is here today. He had the misfortune to lose two of his fingers in a saw mill. The middle finger of his right hand was cut entirely off and the first finger hanging by a shred. It was placed back in position and may be saved.

#### It Matters Not.

No matter the name; no matter the place; if you are afflicted with that intolerable, often excruciating itching sensation, you want a cure and want it quick. Hunt's Cure is an infallible, never failing remedy. It cures. Only 50c per box, and strictly guaranteed.

#### Died Today.

The four months old son, John, of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Dorsey, died at the family home this morning at 11:35 o'clock of yellow jaundice. The burial will take place at the city cemetery tomorrow at 10 o'clock a. m. Friends of the family invited to attend.

The bereaved parents and relatives have the sympathy of the entire community.

#### Itch—Ringworms.

E T Lucas, Wingo, Ky., writes, April 25th, 1902: "For 10 to 12 years I had been afflicted with a malady known as thd itch. The itching was most unbearable; I had tried for years to find relief, having tried all remedies I could hear of, besides a number of doctors. I wish to state that one single application of Ballard's Snow Liniment cured me completely and permanently. Since then I have used the liniment on two separate occasions for ringworm and it cured completely. 25c, 50c and \$1.00 bottle, at Perkins Brothers.

Jimmie King's pretty home on Mound street is nearly completed, and rumor says that it will be occupied as soon as completed.

### ILICIT DISTILLER KILLED.

Terrible Oath Leads to Killing in Anderson County.

Dan Crenshaw and Peavy arrested a few days ago for the killing of Sam Biggerstaff, an old man, have made confession, admitting the killing, but claiming self-defense.

The men will have a hearing before Justice Kennedy at Elkhart on February 15th.

Officers who investigated the killing say the plea of self-defense is hardly tenable, as the body was found unarmed, and the victim was shot while reading a letter, as he had the letter in his hand and a pair of spectacles on his nose. Biggerstaff was a man about 55 years of age. The body was riddled with bullets, having been shot four or five times with a Winchester and with a shot gun, both with buckshot and duck shot.

At first it was reported that the men had a falling out about a cross fence, but later reports bring a tale that sounds like a piece of fiction of the Nick Carter brand.

It is claimed that in the northern part of Houston county is a secret order, whose chief business is to protect illicit stills, and the men who operate them. To each man is administered an oath of the death and destruction order, to seal their lips. Biggerstaff and the men charged with his death are reported as members of that organization, and the supposition is that Biggerstaff had threatened an exposure. It is claimed that Biggerstaff was the chief "mogul" of the organization for awhile, and had administered the oath to the other members.

This information concerning illicit distilling, the secret oath, etc., has been furnished the Houston county authorities, and an investigation is now under way.—Palestine Herald.

#### It's Everywhere.

The huts of the poor, the halls of the rich. Are neither exempt from some forms of the itch; Perhaps a distinction may be made in the name, But the rich and the poor must scratch just the same. O, why should the children of Adam endure An affliction so dreadful, when Hunt's Cure does cure? All forms of itching. Price 50c. Guaranteed.

An oil-stove in Mrs. Ballard's kitchen exploded this morning scattering oil all over the room. All the paper was burned off the wall, some nice dishes destroyed and some fine silverware melted. Loss about \$50. The building is insured, but the policy does not cover the furniture.—Timpson Times

#### Puts an End to it All.

A grievous wail oft times comes as a result of unbearable pain from over taxed organs. Dizziness, headache, liver complaints and constipation. But thanks to Dr. King's New Life Pills they put an end to it all. They are gentle but thorough: Try them. Only 25c. Guaranteed by Stripling, Hazlewood & Co, drug store.

Pure bred Hereford cattle for sale at Nacogdoches by Jno. W. Davis.

### S. P. HAS TROUBLES.

Dallas Commercial Club Makes Roar Over Beaumont Train Service.

The Dallas Com. Club has raised a mighty howl about the new schedule of the Southern Pacific on the Dallas-Sabine division of the Texas and New Orleans. As heretofore stated in the Chronicle, the through train on this division was recently taken off and division head quarters established at Jacksonville, where the through trains that were now lay overnight before proceeding to their destination.

At a meeting of the Dallas organization yesterday a resolution was adopted demanding the Southern Pacific to restore the old train service or establish a new through train by Feb. 15 or the matter would be taken up by the Texas railroad commission.

It was charged at the meeting that the Southern Pacific inaugurated its new schedule so as to derive a benefit from discriminating against Dallas in favor of Houston.

Dallas is backed in its fight by Nacogdoches and a representation is expected to confer with the Southern Pacific management in the near future to seek a restoration or an improvement on the Dallas-Sabine service.—Houston Chronicle.

## Easy Pill

Easy to take and easy to act is that famous little pill DeWitt's Little Early Risers. This is due to the fact that they tonic the liver instead of purging it. They never grip nor sicken, not even the most delicate lady, and yet they are so certain in results that no one who uses them is disappointed. They cure torpid liver, constipation, biliousness, jaundice, headache, malaria and ward off pneumonia and fevers.

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The best evidence of a bad condition of the blood and unhealthy state of the system, is an old festering sore, running ulcer, or abscess. They show the bodily impurities are not passing out through the proper channels, but are left in the system to clog and poison the blood. So thoroughly does the poison permeate the system that every little scratch, cut or bruise inflames and festers. Everything about an old sore or ulcer suggests disease.

They affect the general health, they require constant attention, and are a source of anxiety and trouble all the time, and in some cases highly offensive. There is danger, too, of these places becoming cancerous if not treated promptly and in the right way. Washes, salves and ointments are good for external use, but they can't stop the discharge or change the condition of the blood, and for this reason the sore never heals permanently.

Not until the blood is purged of impurities and the system cleansed of all harmful substances should the ulcer heal, or the effect upon the system might prove disastrous. S. S. S. goes into the circulation and searches out and removes the cause of the old sore and invigorates and builds up the polluted, sluggish blood again, and as the poisonous matter is driven from the system the sore begins to heal, new flesh forms and the place is soon covered over with fresh skin and the sore is gone for all time. Where the constitution is debilitated from the effects of chronic sores, ulcers, abscesses, carbuncles, boils or other severe skin eruptions, S. S. S. will build it up again and stimulate and strengthen all parts of the system. S. S. S. contains no strong minerals, but is guaranteed entirely vegetable. It is unequalled as a Blood Purifier and invigorating tonic. Do not depend upon local remedies alone. Get your blood right, and as it forces out the poison the sore must heal, because nothing is left in the system for it to feed upon. Write us should you desire medical advice, which is given without charge.

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 Always restores color to gray hair, all the dark, rich color it used to have. The hair stops falling, grows long and heavy, and all dandruff disappears. An elegant dressing.

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You can't always judge good furniture by the price—some dealers put high prices on cheap stuff because it happens to show up well. With us it's different—we have a small per centage we add to the factory cost to each article alike. We show our customers the difference, and how the cheap and the good kind of furniture is made. Come and see us and we'll convince you with the fact that our goods and prices are right. We'll appreciate your visit.

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We own and operate the only old-fashioned distillery advertising and selling direct to consumers. Shawhan Whiskey is a pure, old-fashioned, honest whiskey, made by the old time formula from selected Western grain with pure, soft spring water from the famous Holladay Springs. Aged in U. S. Government bonded warehouses. We guarantee every shipment. If not entirely satisfied your money will be willingly returned. WE PREPAY ALL EXPRESS CHARGES.

**A FACT WORTH KNOWING.**  
 (From Kansas City Journal, Dec. 10, 1908.)  
 Take up the map of Kentucky, find Bourbon county, and in the northern part of that county you will find a little village called Shawhan. It was here that the famous family of Shawhans distilled the first whiskey made in Kentucky. This was 115 years ago. The little town, in honor of the family of Shawhan, was named after them. The Shawhans called their product "Bourbon Whiskey," after the name of the county of their adoption. This was the true origin of Bourbon whiskey. The Shawhan family have been making whiskey ever since. Their product has always been famous on account of its uniformity. It has always been recognized as one of the leading brands of whiskey on the market. The present Shawhan distillery is located at Weston, Mo., and for thirty-five years Mr. George H. Shawhan, the president of the distillery company which bears his name, has been making whiskey which he declares to be equal if not better than the Kentucky product which has made the name of Shawhan famous. Instances are on record of Shawhan whiskey being sold for as much as \$10 and \$12 a quart. Mr. Shawhan is the one, old-time distiller not in the whiskey trust, and the entire product is sold direct from the distillery to the consumer. It is said that a man who once tries Shawhan whiskey is the loudest in his praise. As enthusiastically stated by thousands of customers who use Shawhan Whiskey, "It keeps on tasting good."

**\$3.20** Buys 4 full quarts  
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NOTE—We will make C. O. D. shipments if desired on all goods quoted at \$3.50 per gallon and over. In addition to prepaying express charges, we also pay return charges on the money.

**THE SHAWHAN DISTILLERY COMPANY**  
 GENERAL OFFICES: 616 BAIRD BUILDING, KANSAS CITY, MO.  
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SOLID, COURTEOUS, PROMPT.

We respectfully ask a portion of your banking business.

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 J. W. SAUNDERS, Director. J. J. HAYTER, Director.  
 W. M. U. PERKINS, Director. J. W. SAUNDERS, Cashier.

**Prices Delivered.**

GALLON		GALLON	
Corn Hollow	\$4.00	Pure Malt Rye	\$3.75
Parker Rye	\$4.00	Kenton Club	\$3.25
Montreal Malt Rye	\$4.00	Old Sunny South	\$3.00
Rock Moor	\$2.75		

**CASE GOODS.**  
 Red Top Rye, per qt. \$1.50  
 Fed Raves, per qt. \$1.25  
 Geisha Malt Rye, per qt. \$1.00  
 Bonnie Rye, per qt. \$1.00  
 Morgan Joes, per qt. \$1.00  
 Nothing less than gallon delivered.

**S. B. & B. WALKER.**  
 ATHENS, TEXAS.

## BLANCHETTE'S TRADUCERS.

Athens Review.  
 We notice a few newspapers in the State are yet laboring under a mistake in regard to a report that Lee Blanchette sent to St. Louis for all his stationery. This report originated from Orange, Texas. There is a house there claiming to do lithographing, book-binding, etc. It has not a stone in office, we are told and it sends what orders it gets to Chicago or some other point out of the state to have the work done.

Because Mr. Blanchette did not recognize it, the manager started the falsehood that Blanchette would not buy goods from a Texas house. But this man so far as we can learn, long since crawled into his hole and closed his mouth when all the local papers of Jefferson county gave it the lie. We have been in Mr. Blanchette's office recently and we saw stationery there made by all the Texas houses. The local newspaper men of Beaumont all say that the report is false and all are enthusiastically supporting Mr. Blanchette, something they would certainly not do if he had ignored them in giving out orders for stationery.

If any newspaper man in Texas doubts the falsity of the report, he can write to the local newspaper men of Beaumont or go there and see for himself. Wherever this matter has been explained in accordance with the facts, it has been satisfactory and the evil is falling upon the person guilty of starting false report.

### The Death Penalty.

A little thing sometimes results in death. Thus a mere scratch, insignificant cuts or puny boils have paid the death penalty. It is wise to have Bucklen's Arnica Salve ever handy. Its the best Salve on earth and will prevent fatality, when burns, sores, ulcers and piles threaten. Only 25c at Stripling, Hazelwood & Co's, drug store.

### P. M. Sanders.

The announcement of P. M. Sanders for the office of County Clerk of Nacogdoches county, subject to the action of the democratic primaries appears in the announcement column today. Everybody knows Dode Sanders. He has been in public life for the past thirty years and has been a benefactor to more people than any other man in Nacogdoches county. His hand and his purse have always been open to those in need of help and in this he has made friends by the hundred and his generosity is considered his greatest fault by his closest friends. He is a thorough business man, possessing clerical ability and his qualifications for the office are undoubted. If elected he will make the people a faithful and efficient servant.

### Are You Restless at Night

And harassed by a bad cough? Use Ballard's Horehound Syrup, it will secure you sound sleep and effect a prompt and radical cure. 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Perkins Brothers.

## DRAWING THE COLOR LINE

Rusk County News:  
 A few days since on the train a gentleman told us of a strange case near Crockett. According to his statement, there was a valuable farm of one hundred acres situated near the town of Crockett. Fifty acres, or one half of this farm, was worked by a freedman, and the other fifty by a white man of foreign birth. Nothing separated these tillers of the soil but a turning row. The boll weevil attacked the crop of both these gentlemen. It left, however, nineteen bales to the white man and but three to the black man. Is this not discrimination against race and color, and is it not subject to action under the fourteenth amendment? If Mr Roosevelt gets hold of this case we feel sure the boll weevil is doomed.

### A Cure For Eczema

My baby had Eczema so bad that its head was a solid mass of scabs, and its hair all came out. I tried many remedies but none seemed to do any permanent good until I used DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. The Eczema is cured, the scabs are gone and the little one's scalp is perfectly clean and healthy, and its hair is growing beautifully again. I cannot give too much praise to DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve.—Frank Farmer, Bluff City, Ky. In buying Witch Hazel Salve look out for counterfeits. DeWitt's is the original and the only one containing pure Witch Hazel. The name E. C. DeWitt & Co., on every box. Sold by Perkins Brothers.

The suit of the Commercial National Bank of New Orleans against the Nacogdoches Compress and Warehouse Company was tried on Wednesday last in the Federal court at Tyler and judgment was rendered in favor of the Compress Company. This suit was for \$16,000 on forged cotton receipts of the compress company floated by B. S. Wettermark and the plaintiff claimed that the compress company by reason of certain facts was estopped from denying the authority of the receipts. The judgment as rendered is a source of great relief to the stockholders, all of whom are Nacogdoches citizens.

### End of Bitter Fight.

"Two physicians had a long and stubborn fight with an abscess on my right lung" writes J. F. Hughes, of DuPont, Ga. "and gave me up. Everybody thought my time had come. As a last resort I tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. The benefit I received was striking and I was on my feet in a few days. Now I've entirely regained my health." It conquers all coughs, colds and throat and lung troubles. Guaranteed at Stripling, Hazelwood & Co's, drug store. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

W. G. Parker, of Lutkin, is in the city and expects to remain several days and will put in the time introducing his fertilizer, which he guarantees to be second to none in the world.

## BANITA MANUFACTURING PLANT

IRESON BROS., PROPRIETORS.

Special Sash, Doors, Moulding, Lumber and Shingles. Manufacturers of Interior and Exterior Mill Work. Special designs in Columns, Brackets, Spindles, Gables, Jib and Cottage windows, Store doors, and Fronts, Counters and Shelving.

We especially solicit country trade and we are prepared to work and dress your lumber any way. We have the best planer foreman in East Texas and can make anything from your rough stock.

If you want bills of lumber figured on and plans for building call on us. We can most tell you what you want and how to get it.

## IRESON BROS.



BUY  
**TOM PADGETT & CO'S**  
 FAMOUS TEXAS SADDLES  
 35 Years the Standard  
 Ask Your Dealer for them.  
 Wholesale Manufacturers  
 Saddlery and Dealers in  
 Buggies.  
 WACO, TEXAS.

## BUY YOUR MACHINERY

And Machine Supplies From the Manufacturer and Save the Middle Man's Profit. We Have a Full Line at the Lowest Manufacturer's Price

THE W. K. HENDERSON IRON WORKS,  
 SPRING CADD AND COMMERCE STS. SHREVEPORT, LA.

## Commercial National Bank

Capital Stock \$30,000.

We have abundant facilities and will try to handle your business promptly and satisfactorily. We have the new Cash Register, said to be the best and only Strictly Burglar Proof safe made. We will gladly receive deposits for any amount.

E. A. BLOUNT, G. C. INGRAHAM, EUGENE H. BLOUNT,  
 President. Vice-President. Cashier.

## FOR SALE.

One tract of land situated about nine miles southwest from Nacogdoches, about forty acres in cultivation, four room house, forty-nine acres of fine timber, will cut eight to ten thousand feet per acre, close to school and church, good water. \$600.

Ninety-seven acres one mile west from Garrison, seven room two-story house, hall up and down stairs, splendid barn for cows and horses, fifty acres in cultivation. \$800.

Must be sold at once. Title perfect. Also many other tracts of good bargains and thousands of acres of timber land. Call to see me or address

**THOS. B. LEWIS, Att'y,**  
 Office in Blount building.  
 NACOGDOCHES, TEXAS.

## TO TOBACCO GROWERS:

All parties desiring to grow tobacco can contract with Florida-Havana & Sumatra Co. by calling on their agent, L. H. Shaffer, at Redfield, or notifying him through the postoffice at Nacogdoches, Tex. Contract price 15c per pound. Seed, advice and land selected free.

**Florida-Havana Sumatra Co.**

**Stripling, Haselwood & Co.**  
Druggists, Jewelers and Stationers.

**MONDAY'S LOCALS.**

Mrs J W Caver, of Linn Flat, and daughter, Mrs Dr Brown and children, spent yesterday in the city, the guests of Mrs Dr. J A Drewry.

Rev. S F Baucom was called to Thompson, Ga., this morning by a telegram announcing the serious illness of his mother, Mrs Fannie M. Parker.

J. M. King, of Woden, was a caller at The Sentinel office Saturday. He reported the death of Mrs. Tom Carter, which occurred at Woden on the 9th inst. of measles. The death of Mrs. Carter was a sad blow to her husband and little children and is sincerely regretted by the entire community.

H. V. Sitton, of Looneyville, is in the city today. He is spoken of as a probable candidate for county commissioner from the Douglass precinct. He is a good man

for the place and would do honor to that end of the county in that position.

Mr. C. S. Southern is moving into the three story brick on corner of Church and Pillar streets, where he will open the Southern Hotel. The stand is well known as a hotel, is conveniently located, roomy and very suitable for this purpose. Mr. Southern will doubtless make a success of the new enterprise, especially as he has had experience in the hotel business and understands how to please the public in this line.

Another Case of Rheumatism Cured by Chamberlain's Pain Balm.

The efficacy of Chamberlain's Pain Balm in the relief of rheumatism is being demonstrated daily. Parker Triplett, of Grigsby, Va. says that Chamberlain's Pain Balm gave him permanent relief from rheumatism in the back when everything else failed, and he would not be without it. For sale by Perkins.

**TUESDAY'S LOCALS.**

B. K. King, of Douglass, is here today on business.

J. N. Thomas, who has been to St Louis buying goods for Aaron Zeve returned home yesterday.

J. H. Whitaker, of Nat, was in the city yesterday and was a friendly caller at The Sentinel office.

Julius Eichel returned from market yesterday and will soon begin to receive his spring and summer stock of goods.

Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Blount arrived this morning from San Augustine and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Blount.

Jim Lowry, of Etoile, was in town this morning with a wagon load of deer, wild cat, mink and coon skins. Hunting is profitable as well as enjoyable sport, when one is as good a hunter as Mr. Lowry.

**Wedding at Moscow.**  
From Monday's Daily:  
Last night at eight o'clock the Baptist church of Moscow was the scene of an elaborate and beautiful church wedding, when Mr. James Bell King, of Nacogdoches, and Miss Ella Waive Goodwin, of Moscow, were married. Rev. S. F. Baucom, of Nacogdoches, performing the ceremony.

The church was a wilderness of flowers, vines and palms, and a wedding bell of white roses swung above the chancel.

The attendants were Messrs. J. W. Leggett, Eugene Muckelroy, and Frank Dudley with Misses Elizebeth Hill, Nettie Cameron and Rence Burrows. The brides maids were attired in white organdie.

The bride wore white chiffon over liberty satin, with bridal veil and wreath.

Mr. King is a Nacogdoches man and known to every one here. He is a young man of fine business ability and exemplary character. He has innumerable friends in the city who extend the heartiest congratulations.

His bride was one of Moscow's fairest flowers, a young lady whose bellehip was undisputed, and The Sentinel joins Mr. King's many friends in congratulation on his good fortune, and wishing for both, all that life can offer in the way of happiness.

Cures Rheumatism and Catarrh—Medicine sent Free.

Send no money—simply write and try Botanic Blood Balm at our expense. Botanic Blood Balm (B. B. B.) kills or destroys the poison in the blood which causes the awful aches in back and shoulder blades, shifting pains, difficulty in moving fingers toes or bone pains, swollen muscles and joints of rheumatism, or foul breath, hawking, spitting, droppings in throat, bad hearing, specks flying before the eyes, all played out feeling of catarrh. Botanic Blood Balm has cured hundreds of cases of 30 or 40 years standing after doctors, hot springs and patent medicines had all failed. Most of these cured patients had taken Blood Balm as a last resort. It is especially advised for chronic, deep seated cases. Impossible for any one to suffer the agonies or symptoms of rheumatism or catarrh while or after taking Blood Balm. It makes the blood pure and rich, thereby giving a healthy blood supply. Cures are permanent and not a patching up. Sold at drug stores, \$1 per large bottle. Samples of Blood Balm sent free and prepaid, also special medical advice by describing your trouble and writing Blood Balm Co., Atlanta, Ga. A personal trial of Blood Balm is better than a thousand printed testimonials, so write at once.

For Sale—Good to horse engine and boiler, or will trade for larger size and pay difference. Adams & Bentley, Martinsville, Texas. w

Prominent People.  
Robert G. Ingersoll, Roswell P. Flower and Henry George are among many prominent citizens of the United States who are said to have died of heart failure caused by acute indigestion. There is one absolutely sure and speedy cure for indigestion, constipation and biliousness. It is Re-Go Tonic Laxative Syrup, a pleasant medicine that costs but a trifle. 25 cents. Sold by Perkins Bros.

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS.**

The Sentinel is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, under their respective heads, subject to the Democratic primaries of Nacogdoches county:

Judge, 2nd Judicial District:  
H B SHORT.

For Representative:  
HOMER A DOTSON.

For County Judge:  
ROBERT BERGER.

For Sheriff:  
EUGENE BUCKNER.

GEO. W. BLACKBURN  
C. M. MOSE WALTERS.

C. T. A. PARK  
W H BOOTH.

J H GUNNING.  
For Dist. of Clerk:  
CLIFTON WELLS.

WILLIS P BURROWS.  
K W MURPHY.

For Tax Assessor:  
ROBT H BLACKWELL.

R A HALL.  
HARDY HALL.

LUTHER SWIFT.  
For Tax Collector:  
J B KING.

H L TURNER.  
C H LOUIS MARTIN.

W R FALKNER.  
For County Attorney:  
HEEMAN STROSKA.

For County Treasurer:  
J O RAY.

G A ROQUEMORE.  
For County Clerk:  
J A SPEARS.

P M SANDERS.  
E M WEEKS.

For Justice of the Peace, Pre. No. 1:  
W D BEEVEY.

F D HUSTON.  
J M (Martin) JONES.

For Constable, Precinct No. 1:  
C. M. W. WALTERS.

J E (Duck) WATSON.  
WILL McMILLAN.

**SATURDAY'S LOCALS.**

Miss Kate Acrey, of Cushing, is shopping in the city today.

Mrs W E Oxsher, of Joaquin, is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs Bridwell, of our city.

S. N. Wisener, of Douglass, was in the city today and was a friendly caller at The Sentinel office.

Mrs. Lena Burton, of Garrison, spent several hours in the city yesterday on her way to Cushing to visit friends.

Fred Brunstermann, the popular manager of the Angelina Orchard Co., has returned from a visit to Boston.

Capt. A. I. Simpson is reported dangerously sick at his home in Garrison—His many Nacogdoches friends and relatives are deeply concerned about his condition, all hoping that he may recover in spite of the unfavorable news.

**FIGHT THE BOLL WEEVIL**

Take advantage of the experience of others who have made the fight and won. To be forewarned is to be forearmed. Don't hang back. Enter the fight early. Fight earnestly. Fight intelligently, and success will reward your efforts.

**King's Improved, and Shine's Early Prolific Northern Cotton Seed**

Grown and shipped in sealed cars from North Carolina, fertilized with Virginia - Carolina Royal Cotton Fertilizers

are the Weapons to be used.

To the farmer planting our King's or Shine's Cotton Seed and using our Virginia-Carolina Royal Cotton Fertilizer who obtains the greatest results (regardless of nature of land planted) we will give one of our justly celebrated Mitchell Farm Wagons, complete with body brake and lazy back seat. Size 2 1 2.

To the farmer planting our King's or Shine's Cotton Seed and using our Virginia-Carolina Royal Cotton Fertilizer who obtains the greatest results on upland we will give one of our premium winner Garland Cooking Stoves complete. \$30.00 grade.

To the farmer planting our King's or Shine's Cotton Seed and using our Virginia-Carolina Royal Cotton Fertilizer who obtains the greatest results on 1st or 2nd bottom land we will give one of our B. T. Avery & Son's or Eagle 7-Knife Corn and Cotton Stalk cutter.

No one contestant can win more than one premium.

Minimum test crop to be 6 acres. Nature of soil, quantity of fertilizer and seed per acre, time of planting and cultural methods the points to be considered in determining results. Written statement by farmer, corroborated by ginner and attested by nearest notary public must be furnished us before Dec. 15, 1904. Awards to be made on Dec. 21, 1904, by a committee of three competent judges.

This is no Scheme to sell Cotton Seed or Fertilizer or to advertise our wares, but an earnest, honest effort to induce the farmers of this territory to

**Fight the Boll Weevil**

with the means that have obtained the best results in the boll weevil stricken district.

Come ahead and buy your Cotton Seed and Fertilizers. We have on hand now: One car King's Improved Cotton Seed. One car J. A. Shine's Early Prolific Cotton Seed. Two cars Virginia-Carolina Royal Cotton Fertilizer.

Yours for the Fight and Success,

**MAYER & SCHMIDT.**

N. B. We have in stock several cars of Corn and Vegetable Fertilizer, Maine Bliss Triumph Potatoes, Genuine Texas Seed Oats, and have in transit Northern Seed Corn and other seed for farm and truck purposes.