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BRING US YOUR PRERSCRIPTIONS

We have the most complete stock of **DRUGS, MEDICINES and PATENTS** to be found in the city.

Mast Bros & Smith

Campbell School House.

Jan. 6.—Everybody has been enjoying good health with the exception of Miss Mary Falkner, who was on the sick list last week.

Messrs. George and Ollie Falkner attended the burial of Mrs. J. A. Ennis at Martinsville last week.

Mr. George Falkner, Jr. visited the Maude Fine at Caraway's mill Sunday.

Several of the youngsters attended the concert at Appleby Friday night.

Mr. W. D. Burrows gave a reception on last Tuesday night in honor of his sister, Miss Jennie Burrows.

Mr. Clayton Blake welcomed in the new year by giving a turkey dinner and an old time rag at night following.

Mr. Sam Strahan, from some cause or other, has fallen in love with the Shady Grove people.

Little Joe.

Will Sanders of Martinsville was in the city today.

Tribute to Prof. Davis.

In a lengthy article on the text book board, recently appointed by Gov. Campbell, the Austin Statesman pays this tribute to Prof. R. E. Davis of this city, a member of the board:

"Superintendent Davis of the Nacogdoches public schools was born and raised in a county in East Texas adjoining the county of his present residence, and is one of the ablest and most successful educators in that entire section of the state. He was born and raised on a farm near the pretty little town of Shelbyville, and was given a thorough education, and enjoys the confidence and esteem of all the people in that part of the state. The truth is Superintendent Davis is the eldest of a large family of boys, every one of whom affords abundant evidence of proving their efficiency in whatever line taken up. Some are taking to teaching and some to law, and every one is a success beyond peradventure."

EXPRESSIONS OF GRATITUDE.

The Methodist Congregation Appreciate Favors Extended

At the meeting of the quarterly conference of the Methodist church in this city yesterday, an invitation was extended to the congregation from the Baptist congregation to hold their services in that church until the Baptists secure a pastor. The invitation also extended to the Methodist Sunday school and the invitation was by vote of the conference gratefully accepted. Since the Methodist church was destroyed by fire last summer, the Methodists have been holding their Sunday school in the opera house, and the congregation has been worshipping in the Main Street Presbyterian church.

As a mark of their appreciation for the use of the opera house, the following was unanimously adopted by the conference:

"Whereas, we have been privileged through the generosity of Mr. John Schmidt to have, rent free, the use of the opera house for our Sunday school, and such other church services as we desired, for several months past, therefore be it

"Resolved, That we, as the official body of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in Nacogdoches, express to Mr. Schmidt our sincere appreciation for his unselfish kindness."

The following was also adopted:

"Whereas, in order to accommodate the congregations who attend preaching services, in order to better organize and develop our Sunday school forces, and in order to show our appreciation of an invitation, and at the same time render assistance to a sister church temporarily without a pastor, we deem it best, for a time, to hold our regular services in the First Baptist church. Therefore be it

"Resolved, That we express to our friends, the Presbyterians, U. S. A., our most lasting and sincere gratitude for their abounding hospitality and kindness; that we go out from them with full knowledge that no sort of unpleasantness has been among us, and that we pray God's richest blessings upon this pastor and this church for the future days."

A Higher Health Level.

"I have reached a higher health level since I began using Dr. King's New Life Pills," writes Jacob Springer, of West Franklin, Maine. "They keep my stomach, liver and bowels working just right." If these pills disappoint you on trial, money will be refunded at Mast Bros. & Smith's drug store. 25c. dw

MAYER & SCHMIDT.

This Splendid Firm Will Rebuild a Modern Business House

The firm of Mayer & Schmidt, whose magnificent dry goods establishment was recently destroyed by fire, make announcement in this issue that they will soon be reestablished in business, and that as soon as practicable they will erect a new and modern business structure on the site of their old building.

This is indeed a gratifying news to the people of not only Nacogdoches county, but of all East Texas. This city is fortunate in possessing a business institution of such magnitude as that of Mayer & Schmidt, which is conceded to be one of the largest retail centers in this section of the state. The modern, progressive methods of the firm have given Nacogdoches a well-earned reputation as a trading point and every business venture, large or small, shares in the profits resultant from such advertisement. Every progressive town or city has its "Big Store," and certainly it is that no community is more proud of a large institution than is Nacogdoches.

Hence the announcement that Mayer & Schmidt will re-enter business, among the people with whom they have spent nearly thirty years in business, and that they are here in Nacogdoches to stay, is indeed more than gratifying to their hosts of friends in this city and county.

From Mount Moriah

Jan. 7. Our people are all beginning the new year by placing orders for fine seed of all kinds and improved hogs. We will diversity more this year than ever and if all farming people would try they could have their living at home.

M. D. Stoker will close his store next week.

Mrs. R. E. Adams is visiting relatives here this week.

Rev. John Judd is preparing to enter the evangelistic work.

Mr. E. L. Judd, of Shreveport is visiting his father.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bentley of Humble spent the holidays with homefolks.

Clarence Stoker of Choate is visiting in our hub.

The little child of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Talley, which was burned, is improving rapidly.

Rev. E. R. Heilm will preach here next Sunday.

If during the new year we would all speak kind words and never say unpleasant things about our fellowmen, we would all be much happier when the next year comes.

J. E. Vernor, editor of the Lampasas Leader, is in the city visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. W. Mills. The Sentinel was honored with a visit from Mr. Vernor today.

Our Farmer Friends

Are requested to inspect our stock of Oliver, John Deere and Avery Implements—we have everything required for making a crop—and thanking you all for your liberal patronage though 1907, we solicit a continuance for 1908, promising you the best assortment of goods to select from, and courteous, fair treatment.

Cason, Monk & Co.

Brooks Will Not Run.

A recent special meeting of the regular annual meeting of the Houston and Commercial National Bank of

H. M. E. Brooks, of Nacogdoches, Texas, will be San Antonio, formerly held in the banking room of number of congressmen from the state. The first annual second congress and district, Nov. 14, 1908, between the city, today, and hour of 10 o'clock a. m. and stated that he would not be a candidate for congress in the approaching primaries, properly come before Mr. Brooks, health and other reasons.

to preach his making in E. H. Blount, Cashier, five campaigns as he has been Dec. 14, 1907, in bad health for the past year.

Bad Stomach Trouble Cured.

Having been sick for the past two years with a bad get D. W. W. Carbolyzed stomach trouble, a friend gave me a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, and in a few days I felt good for the first time in a long while. They did me so much good I bought a bottle of them and have used twelve bottles in all. Today I am well of a bad stomach trouble. Mrs. John Lowe, Cooper, Maine. These tablets are for sale by Mast Bros. & Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Carpenter and children are visiting Mrs. Carpenter's father, Mr. Tom Brown of Swift.

To Our Friends and Customers—

We thank you for your patronage and assure you that we greatly appreciate your sympathy in our loss in the fire.

WEEKS DRUG CO.

STOVES

The celebrated Bridge & Beach Stoves and Ranges, and Cast and Sheet Iron Heaters just received. Big stock.

Also new shipment of Enameled Ware.

H. T. BURK
Hardware Buggies Wagons

THE presidential boom of one Jesse Grant seems to have been punctured in Texas.

MRS. ANSON JONES, widow of the last president of the republic of Texas, died in Houston a few days ago.

THE Fort Worth Record says the average man is a decent sort of a fellow. No man likes to be classed below an average.

A YOUNG man is waiting to Chicago to cure himself of the drink habit. Why didn't he go to Atlanta?

THE Galveston Tribune says that a Venus de Milo is offered for sale, one third off. The other two thirds were left off by the painter.

THE citizens of Beaumont seem to be divided on the question of celebrating the completion of the Sabine lake canal; that is, some few want to celebrate and a large majority do not. That is an enterprise that all of East Texas ought to celebrate.

JUDGE Martin Dies has relieved all apprehension by formally announcing his candidacy for the democratic nomination for congress from the Second district against Mr. Cooper. In a statement he says: "I shall not base my candidacy upon the demerits of any other man." Yet he says is any who oppose his candidacy want to make that an issue, they have but to assume the affirmative and the issue is joined.

THE Beaumont Journal says: "Announcement of Hon. M. L. Brooks that his health will not permit his making a campaign for the democratic nomination for congress in the Second district will probably bring the fight down to Congressman Cooper and Judge Martin Dies, both distinguished Beaumonters. The congressional bee is reported to be still buzzing in the upper end of the district, however, and there is yet time for some other ambitious gentleman to get stung."

BE careful about making those new year resolutions. If you have one in mind you had better not make it, unless you have the manhood to never, never break it.—Nacogdoches Sentinel.

Remember the little school reader jingle. "Try, try again?" Strength comes from earnest repeated effort. The baby would never walk if he lost courage at his first failure to stand erect. The wise man makes resolutions when he sees the need, regardless of the day of the year, and renews them as often as necessary. Even the helpless baby can give us a lesson in perseverance.—Timpson Times.

THE final perseverance of the saints is good doctrine, and if more would stick to it there would be fewer back-sliders.

COUNTRY NEEDS RELIEF.

But Will Mr. Bryan's Plan Secure Desired Result.

Editor Sentinel.
Cushing, Tex., Jan. 1.—I notice that most of the papers of the state, and especially the big dailies, are urging Gov. Campbell to convene the legislature in extra session for the purpose of enacting a measure in line with W. J. Bryan's suggestion, guaranteeing bank depositors against loss.

I may not understand the scheme or the effect it would have upon the business interests of the country, but I am sure that governmental insurance of bank deposits will have the effect of strengthening the confidence of the people in our banking institutions, and doubtless the swelling of the volume of the deposits in banks and the discouraging of individual hoarding of cash. But in addition to this, might it not have the effect of hoarding this same cash in the banks, as every dollar so deposited would be absolutely worth 100 cents on the dollar, plus a probable premium? Would not all the cash of the country flow with the banks, and thus form a bankocracy to which every industry in the country must bow in order to meet financial obligations? And as the banks will be in possession of all the money, and that money worth 100 cents on the dollar or more, and as every business enterprise in the country is attended with greater or less risk; how are we to again get money in circulation? In order to get money out of the banks at all a collateral superior to cash itself must be furnished, and as all industrial enterprises are attended with risks where are we to find these securities?

The banks during the prevailing panic have fully demonstrated their ability not only to take care of themselves, but their depositors as well. Capital has always been able to take care of itself. Then as a relief let us have some measure that will relieve the languishing industries of the country; something that will set in motion the idle machinery of the land; something that will furnish needed employment to the hosts of idle laborers amongst us. This is what we need. Will offering greater inducements to bank depositors do this? I fear not.

A. B. Martindale.

An Unsettled Question.

Austin Statesman.
Among the unsettled questions pending before the present court of criminal appeals is the question as to constitutionality of the provision of the Terrell election law that makes it a penal offense for one man to loan money to another with which to pay his poll tax. A majority of that court sitting here at Austin last spring held it unconstitutional. Judge Brooks not being present. A motion for a rehearing was filed and argued and is still, as we understand the matter, pending. It is likely the new member of that court can save the

state the humiliation of having it said that a thing to which the constitution does not make the remotest reference is unconstitutional, thus federalizing the constitutional powers of the state. It is perfectly absurd to say that a law that is neither by direction nor by implication in conflict with any provision of the constitution of the state or the United States is unconstitutional, and it is hoped that the ascendancy of Judge Ramsey to the bench will save Texas the humiliation and embarrassment of having that said of one of its laws that aimed at the protection of the ballot.

STORM IS BREWING.

Plot Aimed at the Life of Farmers Union Discovered.

The following was recently sent out from Dallas to the press of the state:

According to "inside information" given out here the Texas Farmers' Union has serious trouble engaging the attention of its leaders.

A prominent member of the union made the following statement:

"President D. J. Neil has issued a secret circular, inviting the most prominent union men in the state to meet in private conference at Fort Worth next Saturday, Jan. 4. President Neill says in this circular that he has discovered a plot to get possession of the union in Texas that it may be run in the interest of cotton gamblers, and also to have bucketshops reopened in Texas.

"He declares that prominent union men have been bought up by the schemers, and that others are now under suspicion.

"I shall not be surprised if the meeting next Saturday shall develop into an angry and exciting affair.

"There is going to be a large attendance of union men, and plain talk is going to be indulged in by some of them."

The informant of this correspondent is one of the best known men in Texas, but for obvious reasons his name is withheld from publication.

Constitutional Amendment.

Abilene Reporter.
The people of the rural districts should post themselves upon the provisions of the proposed amendment to the constitution to be submitted next November, and see that it gets a good round majority. Briefly this amendment looks to giving country school districts the same privileges in taxing themselves for the support of the public free schools that towns and cities now enjoy. It is proposed that all districts be granted the privileges of assessing fifty cents on the hundred dollars or less by a majority vote, whereas now it is only in towns and cities that are incorporated that this can be done, and it is proposed to equalize the privileges. To us it is apparent that no man can find a word against this privilege being extended to all districts, and it is hoped that the amendment will carry by an overwhelming majority.

BEHOLD THE KNOCKER.

Unguarded Statements of a Henderson County Orchardist.

Editor Sentinel.

Will you please give me space to show up the vitriolic vaperings of a would-be orchardman from Henderson county? The following recently appeared in the Athens Review under the title—"A Trip to Angelina Orchard Co.'s 1000 Acre Orchard at Manton, Texas:"

Editor Review.

"For several years past we have been uneasy about the great volume of fruit this, the greatest of commercial orchards in the state of Texas, would unload on the different markets of the North and crowd us to the wall in Henderson county. So we had an occasion to view this big orchard on the 16th, and to our surprise we found the biggest sham in the way of an orchard that could be pictured out.

"While we feel under obligations to Mr. Felt, the general manager, who so courteously entertained us in his elegant home at Manton, a neat little city built entirely by this company for the use of help at their farm, whose expenditure up to this time, five years from the time its first tree was set out, has been about \$250,000. Mr. Felt is a perfect gentleman, highly recommended by the Hale Orchard Co. of Georgia as one who has all knowledge of growing fruit in Georgia. But in Texas man's recommendation comes by results showing what he can do.

"We have a man in this county by the name of Dean, who grew an orchard to the age of four years and sold \$2412 worth of peaches off of 10 acres, and who does not profess to be "Hoyle" on growing fruit trees.

"In the first place the portion of Angelina county lying along the T. & N. O. railroad hasn't a foot of soil adapted to the growing of peaches, it being a gumbo, hard pan, white crawfishy soil that would not grow a decent brier patch. Why the T. & N. O. has to haul sand from Henderson county to a deep cut in the Angelina orchard to keep the track from going out of sight.

This great orchard has on an average of four hundred pine stumps three feet high and eighteen inches through to the acre. The land is as poor as the Lord ever made pine trees to grow on. Old clay points with gullies washed all over it. One trestle in the midst of this orchard 190 feet long and 50 feet high. The trees are from two to five years old with about fifty per cent of them either gone or so scrubby peaches would not grow on them. The weeds and sage grass that grow on about 200 acres of this orchard are so tall a person would have to get on an elevated point to see the rows of trees at all.

"We came home feeling that if we went to work with a vim and determined to grow and pack high-grade fruit in Henderson county the rest of the world would



Most people know that if they have been sick they need Scott's Emulsion to bring back health and strength.

But the strongest point about Scott's Emulsion is that you don't have to be sick to get results from it.

It keeps up the athlete's strength, puts fat on thin people, makes a fretful baby happy, brings color to a pale girl's cheeks, and prevents coughs, colds and consumption.

Food in concentrated form for sick and well, young and old, rich and poor.

And it contains no drugs and no alcohol.

ALL DRUGGISTS, 50c. AND \$1.00.

not interfere with us who are in the fruit business.—After looking over East Texas our candid opinion is that we have the banner county in the state for fruit. Henderson county as a whole is made up of loose gray, sandy loam, just the soil that peach, plum and apple trees thrive in. There is plenty of iron ore to give color and flavor to our fruit. The people living in this county do not now, but will in the near future, fully appreciate the splendid opportunities offered us in growing fruit and truck.

All we have to do is to make up our minds that this is the best county in the state, make our homes attractive and convenient and immigration will come our way.
"J. F. Ash."

After carefully reading the above article by J. F. Ash, I have come to the conclusion that he evidently thinks himself a very wise and popular writer. He has a little orchard somewhere near Athens, Tex., which no doubt is far ahead of anything in Texas, or the whole universe for that matter. He knows so much about growing peaches that he rents his place out on shares and spends his time knocking against the rest of the world. When it comes time to harvest his crop he shows up with a wise look on his sore face and gets his share, and at the same time tries to get the other man's share also.

When he says there is not a foot of land in Angelina county along the T. & N. O. railroad adapted to growing peaches, it being a gumbo, hard pan, white crawfishy soil, we all know he is letting off hot air, and I wonder if anybody in this great state of Texas even remembers when he spoke the truth. He says our land is as poor as the Lord ever let pine trees grow on, yet he estimates there are 400 pine stumps 18 inches in diameter to the acre. I wonder how so many large trees could grow on such poor land. We find, after a careful inspection of the orchard, that we have fully 800 acres of peach trees in fine condition with a fine crop of buds on for next year's crop, and not over two per cent of these trees are dead or missing, while he says that about 50 per cent of them are gone or so scrubby peaches will not grow on them.

Of course this very wise being knows it all. He spent about one hour in company with a claim agent of the T.

& N. O. railroad, walking along the railroad through one end of our orchard, where the railroad company had burned one of our buildings and destroyed several thousand trees last July, and he judged the entire place by this fire swept spot.

The writer does not pretend to be up to "Hoyle" and know all about the fruit business. No doubt Mr. Ash knows more than any one else. He ought to write a book on the subject and let us have a little of his knowledge. He certainly is up to "Hoyle" when it comes to being a "knocker."

No doubt he has some property in Henderson county he would like to dispose of, and I expect the people in his neighborhood would be glad to have him sell so they could get rid of his company.

In conclusion, allow me to thank him for the magnificent advertisement he has given us, and I hope he will bear in mind that "every knocker is a boost."

Yours very truly,
Chas. H. Felt.

For Tax Collector.

In this issue of The Sentinel will be found the announcement of George F. Rainbolt of Garrison for the office of tax collector of Nacogdoches county. Mr. Rainbolt is a native of Rusk county, though he has resided in Nacogdoches county a greater portion of his life. Being the son of Marion Rainbolt, he hails from one of the oldest and most prominent families of East Texas. Mr. Rainbolt has always been a true blue democrat and a staunch and unswerving supporter of the party, and he submits his name to the democrats of the county upon that record. The citizens of Garrison contend that in as much as that division of the county has never been honored with a county office, and the further fact that Garrison is the most populous community and the largest voting box in the county outside of the city of Nacogdoches, they feel that they are entitled to this one office at this time, and to emphasize their claim, they have selected their most popular and worthy citizen to make the race. Mr. Rainbolt is eminently well qualified for the position, and it elected he promises to faithfully and efficiently perform the duties of the office.

Willie Harrington returned to the Holy Trinity College at Dallas yesterday.

A Woman's Back

Has many aching and pains caused by weakness and falling, or other displacements of the pelvic organs. Other symptoms of female weakness are frequent headache, dizziness, imaginary specks or dark spots floating before the eyes, annoying sensation in stomach, dragging or bearing down in lower abdominal or pelvic region, disagreeable drains from pelvic organs, faint spells with general weakness.

If any considerable number of the above symptoms are present there is no remedy that will give quicker relief than a more permanent cure than Dr. Pierce's Female Restorative. It has a record of over forty years of cure. It is the most potent invigorating tonic and stimulant ever known to medical science. It is made of the glyceric extracts of native medicinal roots found in our forests and contains not a drop of alcohol or harmful or habit-forming drugs. Its ingredients are all printed on the bottle wrapper and are tested under oath as correct.

Every ingredient entering into "Favorite Prescription" has the written endorsement of the most eminent medical writers of all the several schools of practice—more valuable than any amount of non-professional testimonials. Though the latter are not lacking, having been contributed voluntarily by grateful patients in numbers to exceed the endorsements given to any other medicine extant for the cure of woman's ills.

You cannot afford to accept any medicine of unknown composition as a substitute for this well proven remedy or know your own interest, even though the dealer may make a little more profit thereby. Your interest in regaining health is paramount to any selfish interest of his and it is an insult to your intelligence for him to try to palm off upon you a substitute. You know what you want and it is his business to supply the article called for.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the original "Little Liver Pills" first put up by old Dr. Pierce over forty years ago, much imitated but never equaled. Little sugar-coated granules—easy to take as candy.

Henderson Muckleroy of Houston came up several days ago to be with his brother, Tom, who is seriously sick with pneumonia at Redfield.

Bees Laxative Cough Syrup for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough grows in favor daily with young and old. Mothers should keep it on hand for children. It is prompt relief to croup. It is gently laxative, driving the poison and phlegm from the system. It is a simple remedy that gives immediate relief, guaranteed. Sold by Stripling, Haselwood & Co. w

M. M. Machechney is in the city today from San Augustine.

It will be unnecessary for you to go through a painful, expensive operation for piles if you use Manzan. Put up in collapsible tube with nozzle, ready to apply to soreness and inflammation. For any form of Piles, price 25c, guaranteed. Sold by Stripling, Haselwood & Co. w

Jno. Cronkrite and wife of San Augustine are visiting relatives and friends in the city.

Best and Cheapest.

Panol Liver Regulator keeps the liver, stomach and bowels working just right. That means to be well and to keep well. And it makes your money go furthest. Tin box, 15 cents. Money back if you want it. For sale by Stripling, Haselwood & Co. w

Stockholders Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Nacogdoches Tobacco Growing Company will be held at Redfield on January 15, 1908.

L. M. Reed, Sec. & Treas.

The Cough Syrup that rids the system of a cold by acting as a cathartic on the bowels is

BEES LAXATIVE COUGH SYRUP

Bees is the original laxative cough syrup, contains no opiates, gently moves the bowels, carrying the cold off through the natural channels. Guaranteed to give satisfaction or money refunded.

Stripling, Haselwood & Co.

COL. BRYAN'S SPEECH.

Practically Announces His Candidacy for the Presidency.

From Saturday's Daily.

Col. William J. Bryan made his first public political speech during his present visit to Texas to a crowd of 3,000 people in Nacogdoches yesterday afternoon.

He spoke from the balcony of the Redlands hotel, and the street below was jammed with a sea of eager listeners.

The speech was of only a few minutes' duration but in it Mr. Bryan practically announced his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for the presidency.

At 4 o'clock he spoke to the school children in the high school auditorium and at 4:30 he delivered his speech at the hotel. He was introduced by Judge S. W. Blount as a man two-thirds as great as Washington, in that he is first in peace and first in the hearts of his countrymen.

Before beginning his speech Mr. Bryan expressed some fear that the gallery might give way from the weight of the people assembled on it, remarking that he had had seven platforms to fall with him in which several people were injured for life and some killed. "If," he said, "this platform was like the Democratic platform you could not get too many on it."

He said that the Republicans have been in power now eleven years, and the party is less popular now than when it went in. There is only one among the leaders of that party who can lay claim to respectable popularity and his popularity extends only so far beyond his party as he has borrowed from the Democrats. The Democratic party is united, while the Republicans are hopelessly divided. He had had some experience with a divided party and could appreciate what that condition means. Referring to the campaign of 1906, he said that at that time the great corporate interests were in control of the country, but in that fight the Democrats succeeded in taking the political power away from Wall Street.

"We have now passed from the Valley of the Shadow of Death, and in passing out we see the Republicans just entering into the valley, and if they have as hard a time as we had we are likely to see some fun."

As an illustration of the division in the Republican party he said that in Indiana Senator Beveridge is a reformer and Vice President Fairbanks a standpatter. "Beveridge will go about ringing a bell and crying 'Wake up! Wake up!' and Vice President Fairbanks comes along with a bottle of chloroform and says, 'Sleep on! Sleep on! I am for reform!' and when President Roosevelt first announced his advocacy of railroad regulation I was among the first to call at the White House and bid him 'godspeed.'"

In concluding his short address, Mr. Bryan said: "I

have spoken long enough to satisfy your curiosity. I could not speak long enough to wear out your Democracy, and those of you who may never have an opportunity to hear a real live president of the United States speak, you can at least say now that you have heard one speak who on two different occasions cherished the delusion that he was going to be a real live president, and he feels the disease coming on again."

Last night Col. Bryan delivered his famous lecture, "The Average Man," to the largest audience that ever before assembled in the High School Auditorium.

He was introduced by Mr. E. C. Branch in a short but appropriate speech.

Seated on the platform with the speaker were Judge Jas. I. Perkins of Rusk, Capt. Jim Truitt of Joaquin, Col. L. T. Farris of Alto, Judge J. C. Feagin of Livingston, J. D. Ford of Timpson and W. J. Townsend, Jr., of Lulkin.

Though Mr. Bryan's lecture was purely a political address, it was a rare treat and was appreciated to the utmost even by the ladies.

The distinguished statesman left for his home at Lincoln, Nebraska last night by the way of Shreveport.

Still have a few places for rent. See John Windsor. wtf

Try It Once

There is more actual misery and less real danger in a case of itching skin disease than any other ailment. Hunt's Cure is manufactured especially for these cases. It relieves instantly and cures promptly. Absolutely guaranteed. w

Abe Mayer of New York, Max Mayer of Tyler and J. Wolf of Tyler, are business visitors in the city today.

We know of one remedy that will cure Rheumatism. It is called Rheumazore, and is manufactured by O. P. White, Rusk, Texas. All druggists sell it at \$1.50 per bottle, which is very cheap for such a remedy. It is said to be as sure a cure for Rheumatism as White's Head-Ease is for headache. 1md2mw

L. Bowers is in the city from Abilene, where he has been buying cotton the past season.

Pinesalve Carbolyzed acts like a poultice, draws out inflammation and poison. Antiseptic, healing. For chapped hands, lips, cuts, burns. Sold by Stripling, Haselwood & Co. w

For Justice of the Peace.

In the proper column will be found the announcement of Mr. J. F. Perritte for Justice of the Peace in Precinct No. 1. Mr. Perritte is a native son of Nacogdoches county, having spent his life on the farm in the eastern portion of the county. He was twice honored by the voters of Precinct No. 4, the Chireno precinct, with the office of justice of the peace, and he served four years in that capacity. The records show that he made a faithful and capable officer, and if elected at this time he promises to make a dutiful and efficient justice of the peace.

IT'S YOUR KIDNEYS.

Don't Mistake the Cause of Your Troubles. A Nacogdoches Citizen Shows How To Cure Them.

Many people never suspect their kidneys. If suffering from a lame, weak or aching back they think that it is only a muscular weakness; when urinary trouble sets in they they think it will soon correct itself. And so it is with all the other symptoms of kidney disorders. That is just where the danger lies. You must cure these troubles or they may lead to diabetes or Bright's disease. The best remedy to use is Doan's Kidney Pills. It cures all ills which are caused by weak or diseased kidneys. Nacogdoches people testify to permanent cures.

G. P. Parks, farmer living five miles west of Nacogdoches, Texas, on the Melrose road, says: "I had occasion to use a kidney remedy some time ago as I was troubled considerably with an aching in the small of the back. I procured a box of Doan's Kidney Pills at Mast Bros. & Smith's drug store. After using them I found the pain less annoying. I believe Doan's Kidney Pills to be an excellent kidney medicine."

For sale, by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's,—and take no other.

For Tax Assessor.

Mr. Robert W. Sullivan of Swift is a candidate for tax assessor of Nacogdoches county. Mr. Sullivan has resided in Nacogdoches county for 28 years, and has hosts of friends in all portions of the county. Though raised on a farm, for the past twelve years Mr. Sullivan has been engaged in teaching school. He is truly a self made man, having had to earn every cent of the money expended in securing his education at hard labor on the farm. He is well qualified for the position, and if elected promises to fulfill the duties of the office to the satisfaction of all.

I have for sale a lot of seed ribbon cane. Elido Cordova.

Two Classes.

Editor Sentinel: There are good men and men who advocate debt paying, men who pay their debts living here in town and in the country, and there are men that never pay. These last named are like a leech, blood suckers, living off of those who work, and do you know that these good men who pay their debts are so careless and slow, that you will find accounts against them running back from one month to one year, not paid, and really you cannot tell by the collection book which class they belong to. Now gentlemen, if you belong to the debt paying class get into line where people will know where you are; don't wait for your account to be presented, you know who you owe and go pay it. Citizen.

Corn Growers Convention.

For the State Corn Growers convention to be held at Terrell, January 16 and 17, 1908, the railroads have been asked to make the usual convention rates; tickets to be sold January 15 and 16, limited to January 18 for return.

The association is making extensive preparations for this meeting, and a large attendance is expected from all sections of Texas. The program includes lectures by many notable men on the value of seed selection and intensified methods of cultivation, and handsome premiums will be awarded for the best exhibits of corn.

Terrell is also making great preparations for the entertainment and comfort of the visitors, and a cordial invitation is extended to everyone interested to take advantage of the low rates offered by the railroads and visit Terrell on this occasion. While the presence of every interested man is desired, the association will gladly take charge of any exhibits that may be sent in its care, and all exhibits will be displayed in the corn show to the best advantage.

The shipments should be directed, charges prepaid, to the secretary of the Terrell Commercial Club, who will take charge of them in behalf of the association.

Insure your live stock with Simpson Insurance Agency.

January, 29th, 30th, 31st

Dr. Adams will be in his Nacogdoches office, Banita hotel, rooms 4 and 6. See him if you want to know facts about your eyes.

January 29th, 30th, 31st

For Constable. G. W. Stone is announced as a candidate for re-election to the office of constable of Precinct No. 4. Mr. Stone is serving his first term in this capacity, and he feels that he is entitled to another term. His record is before the people, and he is willing to risk his chances upon that.

How to Cure Your Piles

If sufferers from piles and rectal diseases would first try a reliable laxative like Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin instead of using external rubs and suppositories, or having an operation performed, they would save themselves a world of trouble, expense and pain. The reason is that in nine cases out of ten piles are the result of habitual constipation, and when once the constipation is thoroughly cured the piles disappear.

Piles are to constipation what pimples are to bad blood, simply an outward symptom. An outward as face lotions aren't half as good for pimples as a good blood medicine, so salves and suppositories aren't half as good for piles as a reliable laxative like Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. A 50 cent or \$1 bottle will give you these claims, and every druggist is authorized to guarantee results. Hundreds of people have written us that Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is the best pile cure they know of, and it is surely worth a trial from you. Not only will it cure the piles but it will permanently correct bowel troubles so that you will have regular movements. It will tone the stomach and make digestion easy for you. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is the best remedy for constipation, dyspepsia, biliousness, flatulency, and all resultant troubles, such as piles, arising from disordered stomach, liver or bowels. Its gentle action and pleasant taste make it especially suited to children and all who are too weak to stand purgative medicines, and gripping powders and tablets. A physician is not what pile sufferers need, but steady, easy bowel movements, and these can be obtained by the use of this wonderful remedy. It brings about a permanent home cure at a minimum of expense.

FREE TEST Those wishing to try Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin before buying, may have one sample bottle sent to their home by addressing the company. This offer is to those who have never taken it. Send for it if you have any symptoms of stomach, liver or bowel disease. Get it most effective, treat the children, women and old people. A 50 cent or \$1 bottle will give you these claims. **PUBLIC VERDICT:** "No Laxative So Good and Sure as DR. CALDWELL'S SYRUP PEPSIN." This product bears genuine marks. U. S. Pat. 1,114,410. U. S. P. O. **PEPSIN SYRUP CO.** 119 Caldwell Bldg., Monticello, Ill.

An Obituary.

The Christmas holidays were made sad to many by the death of little Etta May Lowry, the little three year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Lowry, of Etoile, whose life was ended beneath the railroad trestle near Woden. It was on the evening of Dec. 25th while playing with some of her little playmates that she fell from the trestle and struck the ground some twenty feet below. She lingered until next morning when she left this world of trouble and sorrow, to live in a land of eternal happiness. Little Etta May was three years, ten months and 17 days old.

She leaves father and mother, little brother and sister and a host of other relatives and friends to mourn her loss.

Weep not dear parents though her little life was ended beneath a railroad built on earth by man, her little soul, which is as spotless as snow, has mounted a railroad not made by hands and has been transported to that world on high where she will know no more suffering and pain.

Though it is hard to give up our dear ones and know that no more on earth we'll see their faces or hear their tender voices, yet we know that it was God's will, and if we will only live the life that He would have us live, when we are recalled upon to pay the debt that she has paid, we again can see little Etta Mays face as she stands with outstretched arms, beckoning us to come into the land where the awful sting of death can never again separate us.

Burglary Friday Night.

Friday night during the fire some one burglarized the Nacogdoches Grocery Company's establishment and stole a quantity of cartridges. Entrance was effected by forcing open a window at the last end of the building. It is not known how much goods was taken, but the thief left the impression of his teeth on a box of cartridges which may lead to his identity.

Royaline pills save doctor's bill. Stripling, Haselwood, & Co. w

HALTOM & HALTOM, Proprietors.
WILL T. HAWKINS, Editor.
GILLES M. HALTOM, Manager.

CULBERSON FOR SECOND PLACE.

Friends of Senator Charles A. Culberson have started a movement in this state looking to his nomination for the vice presidency on the Democratic ticket. Democratic leaders all over Texas have been enlisted and urgent telegrams and letters are being sent to the Senator in Washington insisting that he allow the Texas delegation to present his name for this high office. So far the Senator has not been heard from, but his Texas friends declare that he will do what is asked for the good of the Democratic party.

Sometime ago he refused to be considered as a candidate for the presidency, and intimated that he thought William Jennings Bryan the logical nominee. He intimated further that he thought the time not yet ripe for the nomination of a Southern man for the presidency. The Democratic leaders of Texas point out that the nomination of Senator Culberson for second place on the ticket will serve to gratify the growing demand of the South for recognition, and pave the way for the nomination of a Southern man for president four or eight years hence. Furthermore, as Senator Culberson is the Democratic minority leader in the Senate, and has an unimpeachable record both in and out of this state, they claim that he is the logical candidate and will add much strength to the ticket in the East.

PAY your poll tax and be a man.

The Kentucky night riders are proving more dangerous than were Roosevelt's rough riders.

Why delay paying that poll tax? As the clown said, "It's on the bills and must be did," so do it now.

Thaw has changed his plea of not guilty to that of insanity; that is, that he was insane when he killed White.

Fort Worth has lost her laurels. A real live wild panther has been discovered in Waco, and within a few blocks of Baylor university.

Women are to be excluded from the court room during the Thaw trial. No doubt the ladies will declare such an order to be an infringement upon women's rights.

The Texas delegation to the National Farmers Union convention, now in session at Memphis, is reported to be sadly divided and are likely to amuse the delegates from other states with a tri-cornered factional fight. What a pity.

The Standard Oil company is in trouble in Texas. At a hearing before District Judge Calhoun at Austin, the court granted the application of the state for a receiver, and appointed Mr. Guy A. Coffitt of Austin to take charge of the company's affairs in Texas.

Insuring Bank Deposits.

When a panic and season of business depression occurs under conditions which present various absurdities and many incongruities it makes the occasion all the more aggravating, as being senseless and unprovoked. There has been some excuse (it that word is permissible in such a connection) for former panics, and same palliative features connected therewith, but our recent flurry seems wholly without proper apology. While theorizing thus, however, the fact remains that, excuse or no excuse, the "disturbances" were very present and obvious, and were to put it lightly, exceeding annoying. Causes and reasons have been sought for this, our latest unpleasantness, which, simmered down, is, it would seem, explained by the word "Distrust." This last depression, occurring in the goodly year of 1907, has been dubbed a "Bankers' Panic," in contradistinction to the ordinary article which has been served up, at intervals, at former times, to a suffering public. Perhaps our late trouble was bred in that festering and perfidious desire to accumulate wealth too suddenly in what is usually called "over-speculation" in Eastern money markets, whereat, an inoffensive citizenship, having suffered by reason of such reprehensible conduct, rises up and wishes that particular section of our country nothing very pleasant. It is an unfortunate truth that Wall street is, more or less, a barometer of the condition of our country's finances; but it is a compensating reflection that the Great Southwest is becoming more and more independent of Wall street happenings. That disturbances in that section are, to a considerable extent, purely local and are losing their baleful influences on our country at large, was quite apparent during the recent financial strain originating in New York. The Great Southwest was almost oblivious of that money center's woes, for the former had plenty of assets, and its inhabitants were prosperous and happy and attending to their business, with not much more than a passing thought to what was happening "down East." In the face of bank runs and the settling of inflated, watery stocks to their proper values, the Southwest was absorbed in its daily round of duties with an equanimity which showed marked divorcement from New York influences. It was a matter of surprise and congratulation that this section of our country could take the financial disturbances in the East so philosophically, and if our banks had only felt certain that our people would have "kept their heads" they would not have needed to adopt certain measures for the protection of themselves and their customers, alike, measures which, in the minds of some unthinking people, have caused unjust complaint, and criticism. The people must hold up the hands of the bank in time of stress and not be unreasonable. To this

end all business interests will be best conserved, and when the pressure is a thing of the past, our banks will be in a better condition than otherwise to lend their valued aid to the needs of legitimate business.

Unfortunately the Eastern financial troubles affected outside banks because of large sums on deposit by the latter in New York, which became temporarily unavailable; and hence these outside banks were compelled to adopt certain prudent measures, although at much inconvenience and embarrassment to business operations.

It is suggested, and very properly, that inasmuch as the National banks are subject to government supervision that the government should, in some manner, be able to assist them to tide over financial difficulties which are possible of occurrence. How to do this without too much government paternalism, thus reducing bank officers to the status of mere puppets and figureheads who might shift the responsibilities of their positions onto the shoulders of the government, is the question. That the government must do something to prevent these recurring business-wrecking episodes, attendant, as they are, on abandoned enterprises and unemployed labor, suffering and loss, is pretty universally acknowledged.

Mr. Bryan, among others, claims that the government can erect an effectual and permanent barrier against panics by insuring bank deposits, but does not indicate any manner of avoiding the objectionable paternalistic features possible under such action. If a practicable plan can be formulated and put into effect to protect depositors the result would be happy and far-reaching. Official figures show that there is plenty of money in the country and the per capita circulation is large, but it is evident that very much is hoarded in private hands. This fund has been variously estimated, but all estimates concur in the statement that it is a very large sum indeed. With bank deposits insured and banks responding to sight checks all this money would find its proper depository in the banks of our country, where it would do the most good to the greatest number and help swell the volume of business transactions.

Several collectors for some of our largest wholesale houses were recently interviewed, with the view to ascertaining how many accounts were settled with checks and how many with cash. Among the small retailers it was noted that, as a rule, they kept no bank accounts whatever, but appeared to carry considerable sums of money in safes and strong boxes. It was further ascertained that these funds were kept over day after day and week after week, and that a number, who had formerly been bank customers, expressed indecision as to their future dealings with banks. The experience of these bill collectors may be assumed to be a fair indication of the feeling

prevalent among a very considerable class of small merchants with respect to the banks at present.

In the aggregate these hoarded sums would represent a fund beyond calculation which ought, as a matter of business sense, be swelling the channels of trade.

If, therefore, a plan to insure deposits were in effect, these sums, and the much larger amounts which, like a miser's hoard, is heaped together in various vaults and less secure places, would be where they should be, in our banks, pro bono publico.

In the language of a contemporary, however, "it is inevitable that in certain matters we must adopt the communistic method, but this country should resist with all its might every proposition which tends unwisely to extend the socialistic idea and do away with individual initiative and responsibility."

Poll Tax Payments.

Up to Monday evening, January 6, there had been only 1101 poll taxes paid in Nacogdoches county, as the following list furnished The Sentinel by Deputy Tax Collector James H. Brantley will show. Here is the list by voting boxes:

- Nacogdoches East box... 93
- Nacogdoches South box... 121
- Nacogdoches West box... 87
- Alazan... 27
- Appleby... 85
- Shady Grove... 78
- Martinsville... 42
- Melrose... 83
- Attoyac... 23
- Chreno... 53
- Etoile... 42
- Douglass... 37
- Nat... 38
- Lilbert... 26
- Cushing... 53
- Linn Flat... 83
- Garrison... 109
- Woden... 21

Total... 1101
Considering the fact that this is an electing year, the number of poll taxes paid is remarkably small. There are over 3,000 men in Nacogdoches county who are subject to poll tax, and unless they get busy right now there will not be near that number who will pay in time to entitle them to vote.

The people of Nacogdoches are up against a proposition that is causing them much worry. They have a system of water works almost completed at a cost of \$50,000 which ought to be of service in fighting fire, but so far there is no organized fire department to utilize it. It is hoped that some organized effort will be made at once to remedy this condition, and that ere long our property owners and tax payers will have that protection against fire which was promised them when the water works question was submitted to their vote last spring.

Here is an example that ought to serve as a stimulant to every farmer's wife in Nacogdoches county: During the year 1907 Mrs. Tom Hammers of near Garrison sold 620 dozen eggs, and Mrs. T. J. Mitchell of the same community sold 515 dozen. Even at 15 cents per dozen these ladies realized a neat sum on what may seem to some to be an insignificant industry.

Registered Hogs For Sale

Durocs, Poland Chinas, Berkshires
Have some fine gilts and young boars from best blood in Kansas and Missouri for sale. Also a few yearling prize winners from the American Royal Show. Can be seen any time. Will drive customer to farm three miles from town.
O. W. MATTHEWS, Fort Worth, Texas.

To The Farmers of Texas.

The attention of every farmer in Texas is called to the following points. When the tax assessor visits you in the near future, he will ask for the following information in regard to your crop:

Kind of Crop	No. Acres 1907	Total Yield 1907	Est. ac ea 1908
Barley			
Corn			
Cotton			
Rice			
Sugar Cane			
Wheat			
Oats			
Peanuts			
Peas			
Sorghum			
Kaffir Corn and Milo Maize			
Alfalfa			
Prairie and Johnson Grass			

The tax assessor is required by law to collect this information for the new Department of Agriculture. The assessor does not receive one cent of pay for this work.

Now, in turn, to make the extra work imposed on the assessor as small and as agreeable as possible, let every farmer be prepared to answer the above questions promptly and accurately. Do not wait until the assessor arrives to refresh your memory. Do it now.

In passing, I may note that this information has nothing at all to do with your taxes. It is for the use of the Department of Agriculture, and is collected for the good it will do the farmers.

This information will be useful to the farmer in determining what crops are likely to be most profitable to grow, and also in marketing the crops when grown.

Again urging all farmers to co-operate in making the collecting of these statistics complete and as expeditious as possible, I am,

Respectfully yours,
R. T. Milner,
Commissioner.

Texas School Lands.

Land Commissioner Terrell has just issued the list of school lands now for sale in this state. It embraces a million acres, scattered over the state. The land is sold on condition that the buyer will settle on it and live continuously one year from date, and at the end of 120 days he must make affidavit of this fact. The land is owned by the public school system of Texas, and is part of the splendid endowment reserved by Texas when she entered the Union for the cause of public education. This wise provision has given Texas an extensive and complete system of public schools without creating a burden of taxation to maintain it. Indeed some counties in this state receive more from the state for public schools than they pay to the state both in school and state taxes.

J. E. Countryman of Travick was shaking hands with his many friends on the streets today.

THE LOWLY PEANUT.

The lowly and neglected peanut has sprung into popular favor in Texas as a forage crop, and a wave of peanut enthusiasm is sweeping over the state. Already four large peanut mills have been established in East Texas and one at Falfurrias. This latter now building will have a capacity of 100,000 bushels of peanuts a month and will give employment to 100 persons. This factory announces that it will pay 75 cents a bushel for peanuts of the right variety. Arrangements have been made for the farmers in the adjacent country to plant 3000 acres in peanuts this spring. In addition hundreds of acres over Southwest Texas are being put into peanuts. In some localities they are pulled up by the roots and baled for forage or hay as alfalfa. At other places the hogs are turned into the peanut fields and fattened for market. As feed for hogs and mules the peanut is considered superior to all other forage plants. As food for human beings it is also highly nutritious and much used; roasted peanuts and peanut candy are common, and experiments in making peanut flour have been tried. A large St. Louis commission firm has bought a large farm near San Antonio and is raising high grade peanuts for the market. From the commercial the peanut has passed into the social life of Texas, and Progressive Peanut Parties are all the rage occupying a place in popular favor analogous to euchre and bridge in other sections. The skill of the game consists in conveying peanuts upon the blade of an ordinary table knife from one part of the room to another. The peanuts are then roasted and philopenas are eaten by the young folks with kisses as forfeits. In short the peanut is filling a large place in Texas just now and is proving a valuable addition to the state's products.

For Tax Collector.

Mr. B. F. Creel of Cushing is announced in this issue as a candidate for tax collector of Nacogdoches county. Mr. Creel has been a citizen of Nacogdoches county a number of years, and for seven years he taught school in the Linn Flat community. He is now serving his second term as justice of the peace in precinct No. 7, at Cushing, and no man in that community is more popular or stands higher among his people than does B. F. Creel. He is thoroughly qualified for the position to which he aspires, and if elected will make a faithful and capable official.

Bob Baxter of Cushing was a business visitor to the city today.

APPEAL TO FRIENDS.

Mayer & Schmidt Make an Important Announcement.

Nacogdoches, Tex., Jan. 8. Friends, Customers and Public in General.

In a brief way we wish to inform you through the newspapers of the recent misfortune we suffered through the fire fiend, which visited us and destroyed our store and contents on the night of January 8rd.

Part of our hard earned accumulations since our boyhood days, dating back for a period of nearly 30 years, have been swept away. Though we are grateful we are still living, and where there is life there is hope, we are here in Nacogdoches to stay to share all joys and sorrows with you.

We have rented the John P. Davidson building, next to the court house, for a short period, until we can rebuild our own store building. We expect to resume business on or about January 15th, and will await your patronage and commands with a fresh and complete stock of merchandise.

We now appeal to those who are indebted to us to help and assist us by paying what is due us, and we hope that you will respond to this appeal, for in the hour of need, assistance will be the more appreciated.

If you cannot come to Nacogdoches, remit us by check or money order, and if you cannot remit all you owe us, send us what you are able to do. Those who have cotton on hand yet bring it to us and we will pay the highest market price as we have always done.

Thanking you in advance for your kind assistance and your valued patronage, we remain as ever,

Yours faithfully, Mayer & Schmidt.

RESIDENCE BURNED.

Still No Means at Hand to Fight the Flames.

From Tuesday's Daily:

The residence of Mr. Lloyd Bowers, on the corner of Fredia street and Mims avenue, was burned about 9 o'clock last night, together with nearly all household goods.

The fire originated in the kitchen, presumably from a defective flue.

A large crowd gathered at the scene of the fire in a short time after the alarm was given, and by heroic work some of the household goods were saved.

Mr. Bowers estimates his loss at \$3000. He had \$1000 insurance on his house and \$1500 on the furniture.

Owing to the fact that the 1000 feet of new fire hose was all disconnected, and left off the reel, it could not be used in combating the flames. There was a fire hydrant within a block of the fire, and full pressure was on the mains from the pump last night, but without hose the water could not be used.

Mrs. C. C. Pierce and children have returned from Mississippi, where they spent the holidays with relatives and friends.

TELLS HOW TO MIX IT.

Directions To Prepare Simple Home Mixture.

A well-known authority on Rheumatism gives the readers of a large New York daily paper the following valuable, yet simple and harmless prescription, which any one can easily prepare at home:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kangon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces.

Mix by shaking well in a bottle, and take a teaspoonful after each meal and at bedtime. He states that the ingredients can be obtained from any good prescription pharmacy at small cost, and, being of vegetable extraction, are harmless to take.

This pleasant mixture, if taken regularly for a few days, is said to overcome almost any case of Rheumatism. The pain and swelling, if any, diminishes with each dose, until permanent results are obtained, and without injuring the stomach. While there are many so-called Rheumatism remedies, patent medicines, etc., some of which do give relief, few really give permanent results, and the above will no doubt be greatly appreciated by many sufferers here at this time.

Inquiry at the drug stores of this neighborhood elicits the information that these drugs are harmless and can be bought separately, or the druggists here will mix the prescription for our readers if asked to.

For County Judge.

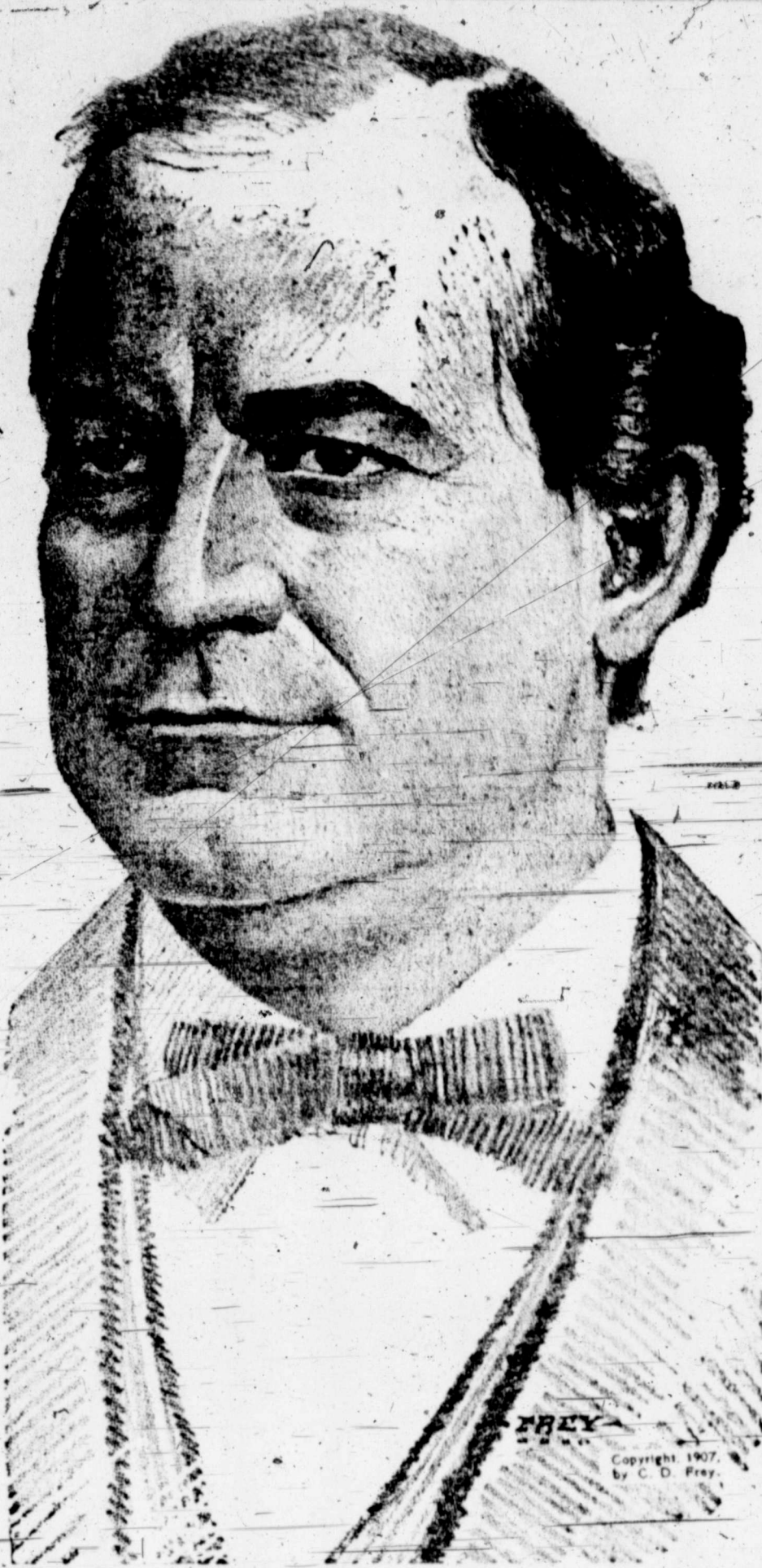
In this issue will be found the announcement of F. P. Marshall for the office of county judge. Mr. Marshall was raised on a farm, taught school for a number of years, and is too well known to need any commendation or introduction to the people of this county. He graduated in the law department of the university of Texas in June, 1903. He has never run for office, and, if honored with the office of county judge, he will faithfully and conscientiously discharge the duties entrusted to his care to the best of his ability.

Miss Minerva Wilcox of Pittsfield, Massachusetts, who has been the guest of her aunt, Mrs. F. C. Ford, during the past month, left yesterday for Beaumont where she will visit relatives. Miss Wilcox has been the recipient of many social courtesies and her return in February will be eagerly welcomed. Before coming back to Nacogdoches Miss Wilcox is to visit, also, Mrs. W. W. Perry at San Augustine.

Mrs. J. B. Moore returned to her home in Beaumont Saturday after a several days' visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Dotson.

H. P. Miley, a prominent citizen of Etoile, was here this morning.

G. W. Pendleton, erecting engineer from Dallas, is here to superintend the construction of the cold storage plant of the Nacogdoches Grocery company.



THE AVERAGE MAN.

Who Constitute This Element as Viewed by W. J. Bryan.

The lecture delivered by Col. W. J. Bryan in this city last Friday night will long be remembered by those who heard it as the greatest political speech they ever listened to.

The subject of the address as announced by the speaker was "The Average Man." While the lecture is not a new one, having before been delivered by Mr. Bryan in nearly every prominent city in the United States, yet it was new to his audience Friday night, with few exceptions, and all enjoyed it.

The thought that ran through Mr. Bryan's address was that the people had the right to rule; that aristocratic governments have had their day, and that even in Europe and Asiatic countries the one-time powerful rulers had lost their force while clinging to the fatuous notion that they were really leading the world. This idea it was that Mr. Bryan desired his audience to grasp and for the purpose of presenting it he divided the working forces of the world into classes, showing that each was performing its share of the burdens of life and that the great guiding and controlling forces sprang from them.

The classes were the farmer, the artisan in the city, the merchant, the lawyer, the doctor, the teacher, the preacher and the priest, the banker, the newspaper man.

From all these each in his own way, came the power that ruled the world. In the eyes

of unthinking people many of these would not be classed with the ones of earth but they were the ones that led the way. It was the average man that the great masses of the people must look to for progress.

Mr. Bryan told that in Mexico there were a small number of men who were educated, high-minded, with bounteous support, palatial homes, fine libraries and surrounded by everything the heart could wish. On the other hand were those who toiled so ignorant and inefficient that their leading enterprises, such as railroads, had to be managed by men from this country. There was no middle-class, no average man, capable of doing such work. In Asia and largely too in Europe the gulf that lies between the high and the low classes is so great that it is awesome to contemplate and the class that is down never thinks of anything better. Those belonging to that lower class are willing to be led about and not as in this country where the average man is the leader.

Leaving for a time this general theme Mr. Bryan took up the issues confronting the people today—the trusts, the tariff, the currency, the Philippines and others; but as his views are so well known on all these questions his argument and comment concerning them need not be repeated.

Throughout his address there was a mingling of striking ideas, grand and beautiful, with touches of humor of which the audience showed its appreciation and heartily applauded.

REDUCE COTTON ACREAGE.

National Farmers Union in Session at Memphis, Tenn.

What is probably the largest and most representative gathering of cotton planters ever held assembled in Memphis, Tenn., Tuesday at the opening of the annual meeting of the National Farmers' Educational and Co-operative Union. The delegates present at the opening numbered several thousand, and represented every State of the South, from Virginia to Texas and from Missouri to Florida. The States particularly well represented were Arkansas, Mississippi, Louisiana, Alabama and Texas.

Much important business is to be transacted at the meeting and it will probably be the end of the week before the sessions end. Reports are to be received showing the growth and progress of the co-operative movement among the farmers. These reports are of a most gratifying character, showing that in some states more than seventy-five per cent of the planters are actively interested in the work of the organization.

The chief business of the convention, however, will be to decide upon plans for reducing the cotton acreage and taking other steps calculated to keep down the production to a level that will enable the organization to maintain in the future a 15-cent price. Reports will be presented showing that in some states the farmers have already arranged to engage in a diversification of crops to a greater extent than ever before. With the aid of the numerous co-operative warehouses already established the union leaders are confident that the campaign for 15-cent cotton will be successful.

Bryan on Roosevelt.

In his lecture on "The Average Man," recently delivered at the High school auditorium in this city, Col. W. J. Bryan made this reference to President Roosevelt:

"I never found it so easy to defend democratic principles as now, yet never so embarrassing for the chances are sixteen to one that President Roosevelt will come back with a speech so much like it that you can hardly tell them apart. I never had so hard a time keeping track of our democratic platform. Some resent it, but I do not. When I see the president nibbling at our platform, I feel like exclaiming, 'bite bigger, bite bigger.'" No republican has so thoroughly enjoyed some of the things President Roosevelt has said as I have. He has helped me. It is gratifying to see one's ideas adopted. Some of the things I said years ago that were pronounced anarchistic, have become quite the thing in polite society since President Roosevelt has said them. The cartoons are much easier on me. One of the illustrated weeklies cartooned the president as two birds, in a nest, sitting on the top of a tree. He was on the nest, I had feathered my nest with all my feathers, and I had

only one feather left. I was dreadfully bare, and I wondered if he would take that one and sure enough his last message served notice that he would take it. But I have other feathers left, and a whole lot growing; that brings us up to a serious problem. If one hen lays an egg, and another sits on it and hatches, which hen is the mother of the chick? If a democratic party lays an egg and a republican administration hatches it out, whose offspring is it?"

Something New Under the Sun.

People say there is nothing new. This is not correct, for Mr. Montague, Supt. Telegraphy of the Cotton Belt Railway, is doing something unheard of before. He is placing several instruments between his office and the Relay office in one of the big General office buildings at Tyler, Texas, and will take the Tyler Commercial College telegraphy students as they qualify, and give them, under his own supervision, eight or ten days special practice before placing them in a station. This, coupled with a loop of the Cotton Belt train wire, bearing to the desk of each of our advanced students—messages passing over the wire from Mt. Pleasant to Waco, gives advantages to the learner of telegraphy never known before.

The practical equipment of the three large departments of telegraphy in our school is also unequalled, the most modern machinery of every kind is in use, miniature electric railways running on regular schedules, handled in the same manner as trains on a regular road; every blank form and record book used by the Cotton Belt R. R. is used in our freight and passenger offices. Our Western Union office is equipped with every form and rate sheet known to the Western Union business. We have, perhaps, the only practical school of telegraphy in the world, one that teaches you to do by doing practically every detail of railroad and commercial telegraphing. Free courses in English, Penmanship, Typewriting, and Mathematics, are given with the course. It is but little wonder that the management of the Tyler Commercial College of Tyler, have the greatest school of telegraphy in the world, for they have spared neither time nor money in making it so.

It is estimated that over 10,000 new telegraph operators will be needed after the first of March, owing to the new National nine-hour law going into effect. This is certainly a golden opportunity for our young people who desire to spend a few months in school, then go direct into splendid positions.

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Ayer's Pills keep the bowels regular.
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Huston for Re Election.

Frank D. Huston is announced as a candidate for re-election to the office of justice of the peace of Precinct No. 1. Mr. Huston is serving his first term in this office, and he feels, as do his many friends, that his splendid record as an official as well as precedent entitles him to re-election.

No man will appreciate the endorsement of his official acts by the voters than will Judge Huston, and it again honored with the office he promises to discharge the duties of the position as faithfully as heretofore.

Tired Women.

What numbers of women drag their way in pain through the endless duties that crowd brain and hand and heart. But life's work must still go on. Panol is a priceless boon and blessing to suffering women. It gives strength and quiet to tired nerves, tones the digestion, improves the appetite, brings restful, refreshing sleep, regulates every function, rids the system of malaria, puts roses on the cheeks, and joy in the heart. And it does it in a way so different from that of ordinary medicines that it calls forth the loudest praises. Pleasant to take as lemonade. Try it now. 50c, six for \$2.50. For sale by Stripling, Haselwood & Co.

New Teacher Elected.

Mr. C. M. Flagg of Ruston, La., has been elected to a position as teacher in the Nacogdoches High school. Prof. Flagg is a B. S. graduate of Harvard university, and comes with the highest recommendation as an educator. The school board is to be congratulated upon having secured a man of such distinction and ability for this position.

Why

should your baby suffer? When he is fretful and restless, don't experiment on him and use any old thing your neighbor recommends. Buy a bottle of White's Cream Vermifuge, greatest known worm medicine and cure for all children's diseases. It is mild in its action, builds up the system, makes thin puny babies fat. Mrs. J. C. Smith, Tampa, Fla., writes: "My baby was thin and sickly, could not retain its food and cried all the time. I used one bottle of White's Cream Vermifuge and in a few days baby was laughing, happy and well." Sold by Mast Bros & Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tipton returned to their home at Kennard last night. They were accompanied by Miss Sammie Tipton.

A Happy Marriage.

Miss Anna Clark and Mr. F. S. Schott were quietly married Tuesday night at the home of the bride's mother, Rev. Theo Drees officiating. Only a few of the special friends of the bride and groom were present.

After the ceremony a reception was tendered the bridal party by Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hardeman, the brother-in-law and sister of the bride.

Miss Anna was one of Nacogdoches' most popular and loveable young ladies, and the groom is a popular traveling salesman for Penick & Ford of New Orleans, with headquarters at Louisville, Ky. Mr. and Mrs. Schott left on Wednesday morning's train for Louisville, their future home, going by the way of New Orleans. They carry with them the best wishes of their hosts of friends.

All the World

is a stage and Ballard's Snow Liniment plays a most important part. It has no superior for rheumatism, stiff joints, cuts, sprains and all pains. Buy it, try it and you will always use it. Anybody who has used Ballard's Snow Liniment is a living proof of what it does. Buy a trial bottle. 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sold by Mast Bros. & Smith.

Percy Blount came in yesterday from Mart and will spend a few days with his parents. We are sorry to lose Percy from our town and wish him the best of luck and prosperity in his new home.

Catarrh and Headache.

Mrs. Z. E. Goforth, 2119 Holly street, Kansas City, writes: "After using a sample bottle and two 25c bottles of Hunt's Lightning Oil, I almost well of catarrh. It stops my headaches. It is the best medicine I ever saw and I just can't keep house without it." She is right.

J. L. Pack of Chireno was up today with three prisoners on a charge of gambling. The prisoners plead guilty and made convict bonds.

It Will Stay There

"In my family medicine chest no remedy is permitted to remain unless it proves beyond a doubt the best to be obtained for its particular purpose. For treating all manner of skin troubles, such as eczema, tetter, ringworm, etc., Hun's Cure has held its place for many years. I have failed to find a surer remedy. It cures itching instantly."—R. M. Swann, Franklin, La.

The fixtures of the Hoo-Hoo Cafe are being crated today and will be shipped to Tenaha, where it will be opened by Harrison Wortham.

The Joy

of living is to have good health. Use Herbine and you will have bushels of joy. You need not be blue, fretful and have that bad taste in your mouth. Try a bottle of Herbine, a positive cure for all liver complaints. E. Harrell, Austin, Texas, writes: "I have used Herbine for over a year, and find it a fine regulator. I gladly recommend it as a fine medicine for dyspepsia." Sold by Mast Bros & Smith.

Mrs. R. W. Haltom and daughter, Ruby, returned to the city today, after a two weeks visit to Jackson, Miss., and Carthage, Tex.

HA! HA! HA!

Good Digestion and Good Health Brings Joyous Life.

Do not blame the poor dyspeptic for being blue, cross, nervous, irritable and grouchy. He hasn't got a hearty laugh in his whole system.

Before there is any joy or merriment, it is necessary to tone up the weak stomach muscles and get digestion working naturally by using Mi-o-na stomach tablets. This prescription cures all stomach troubles by strengthening the digestive machinery and putting it in such perfect order that it will care for all the food that is eaten without distress or indigestion.

So certain and reliable is Mi-o-na to cure indigestion and all stomach weakness, that Stripling, Haselwood & Co. sell it under an absolute guarantee to refund the money unless it cures. Try a 50-cent box and see how quickly you will get relief from indigestion and forget you have a stomach.

Gone to Mississippi.

Rev. J. M. Miller and his good wife left yesterday for Hazelhurst, Mississippi, their future home. Few people who have lived in Nacogdoches so nearly possessed and cherished the friendship and love of the whole people as did Bro. Miller and his estimable wife, and it is the sincere hope of all that they may enjoy good health, long life and prosperity wherever their lot may be cast.

Don't It Jar You?

To have a cough that you can't leave off—even when you go to bed. Put it away for good by using Simmon's Cough Syrup. It heals inflammation of the throat and lungs—gives you rest and peaceful sleep.

A young negro named Walter Fears, who has been employed by S. L. Miller, was arrested this morning and placed in jail on a charge of burglary near Timpson.

"I trust this may be read by many sufferers from kidney and bladder trouble," writes Mrs. Joe King, of Woodland, Texas. "I suffered four years and could find nothing to give even temporary relief. Our druggist at last induced me to try your 30 days' treatment of Pineules for \$1. This one bottle has cured me and money could not buy the value it has been to me. Guaranteed Sold by Stripling Haselwood & Co. w

Will Greer came in from San Angelo a few days ago and spent the holidays with friends and relatives at Appleby and in this city.

Sour Stomach

No appetite, loss of strength, nervousness, headache, constipation, bad breath, general debility, sour risings, and catarrh of the stomach are all due to indigestion. Kodol cures indigestion. This new discovery represents the natural juices of digestion as they exist in a healthy stomach, combined with the greatest known tonic and reconstructive properties. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure does not only cure indigestion and dyspepsia, but this famous remedy cures all stomach troubles by cleansing, purifying, sweetening and strengthening the mucous membranes lining the stomach.

Kodol Digests What You Eat. Bottles 50c, \$1.00. Size holding 2 1/2 times the trial size, which sells for 50 cents. Prepared by E. O. DAWITT & CO., CHICAGO. Stripling, Haselwood & Co.

County Court Jurors.

The following is a list of jurors drawn for the January term of the county court, which convenes in Nacogdoches on Monday, January 20, 1908:

First Week—T. K. Cureton, Swift; D. J. Smelly, Appleby; P. Lambert, Swift; Jesse Muckleroy, Nacogdoches; Chas. Langston, Garrison; J. E. Teutsch, Chireno; Sharp McNeil, Cushing; T. J. Pack, Nacogdoches; Ned Legg, Douglass; Joe Corley, Lillbert; Chas. Baker, Nacogdoches; John Nold Rogers, Alazan; Bart T. Burk, Sacul; J. M. Williamson, Cushing; J. D. Blakey, Melrose; Charles Harvin, Nacogdoches; Cullen Falkner, Appleby.

Second Week—Sam Weatherly, Linn Flat; Sam Smith, Nacogdoches; Corkle Burk, Mahl; Mansfield Crawford, Trawick; J. R. McKinney, Nacogdoches; Greer Orton, Nacogdoches; O. C. Baker, Nacogdoches; John Smelly, Appleby; E. D. Cochran, Garrison; I. D. Parmely, Nacogdoches; Coney Bass, Nacogdoches; G. W. Falkner, Appleby; I. B. Parmely, Nacogdoches; C. C. Rowland, Cushing; G. W. Forsyth, Nacogdoches; J. B. Lilly, Appleby; Eldridge Wade, Douglass; Ben Grimes, Nat.

On the Safe Side.

Neglected coughs and colds put one on the unsafe side. There is no need to take these chances. Royaline Cough Cure, taken in time, will quickly put you on the safe side. You will find nothing better for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough. Contains no opium. Pleasant, safe, sure. Keep it on hand. 25 cents. Money back if you want it. Get a bottle today. For sale by Stripling, Haselwood & Co.

W. C. Young and wife returned from Cathage yesterday where they have been spending the holidays with friends and relatives.

Carrie Naton

certainly smashed a hole in the barrooms of Kansas, but Ballard's Horehound Syrup has smashed all records as a cure for coughs, bronchitis, influenza and all pulmonary diseases. T. C. H., Horton, Kansas, writes: "I have never found a medicine that would cure a cough so quickly as Ballard's Horehound Syrup. I have used it for years." Sold by Mast Bros & Smith.

Dr. W. L. Falk of Longview is in the city visiting his daughter, Mrs. R. T. Shindler.

No need to fear coughs and colds this year as you can obtain Bee's Laxative Cough Syrup now from your dealer. This is good news to mothers who fear croup and whooping cough. It is a gentle laxative that expels the poison from system in the natural way. Cuts the phlegm and clears the head. Guaranteed Sold by Stripling, Haselwood & Co.

Henio Y'Barbo and Filles Y'Barbo were here today from Martinsville.

Why do you scratch? Royaline Tetter ointment will stop that itching or your money back. 50 cents. Stripling, Haselwood & Co.

CATAARRH A GERM DISEASE

Success of Hyomei Guaranteed by Stripling, Haselwood & Co.

Catarrh is not a blood disease, but is caused by germs that lodge and grow in the air passages, causing irritation with poisonous and offensive mucous discharges. It is an insidious disease of most destructive tendency. Its approaches are unalarming, and its victims are well on the road to a chronic state or to dread consumption before they realize their danger.

Stomach dosing is ineffective in the treatment of catarrh. The only healing agent is Hyomei, which is inhaled with the air you breathe killing all catarrhal germs and driving them from the system.

The sooner you use Hyomei the sooner you will be free of catarrh. Stripling, Haselwood & Co. will sell you a dollar outfit with the understanding that if it does not give satisfaction your money will be refunded.

Lamar Blount is up from San Augustine visiting his parents.

Ring's Little Liver pills wake up lazy livers, clean the system and clear the skin. Try them for billiousness and sick headache. Price 25c Sold by Stripling, Haselwood & Co.

Constable Jack Nichols is up from Chireno today on official business.

Ring's Dyspepsia Tablet after each meal overcomes indigestion, dyspepsia and other stomach ills. Two day's trial free. Ask our dealer. Sold by Stripling, Haselwood & Co.

S. Mintz left yesterday on an extended business trip to Dallas, Fort Worth and other points in West Texas.

For Ache or Pain For Sprain or Bruise, LOYALINE OIL Is the thing to use.

Try it and you will use nothing else. That's the way they all do. 25c, 50c. For sale by Stripling, Haselwood & Co.

Gone to Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Garrison bid farewell to Nacogdoches and their hosts of friends today and left for Houston, their future home. Mr. Garrison having accepted the general attorneyship of the Houston, East and West Texas railroad, necessitated his moving to Houston, where the headquarters and general offices of the company are located. Mr. and Mrs. Garrison will be greatly missed from the business, social and church circles of this city, and while our people regret exceedingly to give them up, all join in wishing for them full measure of prosperity and success in their new home.

To stop that pain in the back, that stiffness of the joints and muscles, take Pineules. They are guaranteed. Don't suffer from rheumatism, backache or kidney trouble, when you get 30 days' treatment for \$1.00. A single dose at bedtime proves their merit. Get them today. Sold by Stripling, Haselwood & Co.

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LUFKIN, TEX.

A DISASTROUS FIRE.

The Total Loss Near Two Hundred Thousand Dollars.

From Saturday's Daily:

About 11 o'clock last night fire was discovered on the second floor of the Davidson building, occupied by the Weeks Drug Company.

The alarm was at once given, but when discovered the fire was so far advanced that it seemed the entire block would be destroyed. Owing to the fact that no water mains had been laid in the business portion of the city, it was impossible to reach the burning building with more than one stream of water, and that was so weak that it was practically useless. However, heroic work was done by the invincible bucket brigade, and through their effort the fire was finally checked. But not until four of the best business houses in the city had been razed to the ground and property valued at \$190,000 had been burned or damaged.

A complete list of the losses can not yet be secured, but the estimated losses are about as follows:

Mayer & Schmidt, loss on building and stock, \$125,000; insurance \$97,000.

Davidson estate, loss on two buildings, \$15,000; insurance \$9,000.

Weeks Drug Co., loss on stock, \$20,000; insurance \$10,000.

Julius Eichel, loss on stock, \$16,000; insurance \$8,000.

These buildings and stocks were totally destroyed, and the above estimates are practically correct.

In addition to the above the following buildings and stocks were damaged by fire, water and removal:

Allan Seale, building damaged.

Cason, Monk & Co., stock damaged.

G. W. Morris, stock damaged.

Simon Mintz, stock damaged, estimated at \$2,000.

Perkins Bros., building damaged.

Mast Bros. & Smith, stock damaged, estimated at \$1,500.

Thomas & Richardson;

stock damaged \$1,500.

Cox & Tucker, stock damaged \$1000.

Stripling, Haselwood & Co., stock damaged.

In addition to the above all occupants of the offices in the Perkins building had their books, papers and furniture damaged by removal and water.

Dr. C. H. Rulfs and Dr. F. C. Ford, who occupied offices in the Davidson buildings, had all their instruments and office furniture and fixtures burned. Dr. Rulfs' loss is \$600 with no insurance, and Dr. Ford estimates his loss at \$1,000, partly insured.

It is universally conceded that the fire was of incendiary origin and steps have been inaugurated to investigate it. An attempt to set the Davidson building on fire, and in the same room where it originated last night, was discovered on last Monday night just in time to prevent a conflagration. Two candles were found burning in a box of excelsior in the middle of the room, and one of the candles had almost burned down to the combustible when detected.

One disgraceful feature in connection with the fire last night was the large amount of goods stolen after they had been carried out of buildings to supposed places of safety. It was astounding to see so much bold pilfering going on, and the thieves were white people too.

Others Lost in Fire.

In writing up the fire Saturday we unintentionally failed to state that Dr. T. P. Seay lost all his optical goods and instruments, his loss being between \$250 and \$300, and with no insurance. Mr. Seay had been confined to his room with an attack of the grippe for some time which makes the loss fall all the more heavily upon him.

Mr. J. O. Ray, who also had an office in the Davidson building, lost all his office furniture, upon which he had no insurance.

Miss Eva Muekleroy returned to her studies in the Tyler Business College yesterday.

Home Treatment

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You naturally would prefer to treat yourself at home, for any form of female trouble, wouldn't you? Well, it can be done. No reason why you should not be able to relieve or cure your suffering, as thousands of other women have done, by proper use of the Cardui Home Treatment. Begin by taking

Wine of Cardui

the well-known female tonic. For sale at all drug stores.

Joe Moorhead, of Archibald, I. T., writes: "My wife had suffered for years from female trouble. On your advice, I gave her the Cardui Home Treatment, and now she hardly suffers at all." Sold by druggists.

WRITE US A LETTER

Write today for a free copy of valuable 64-page illustrated book for women. If you need medical advice, describe your symptoms, stating age, and reply will be sent in plain sealed envelope. Address: Ladies' Advisory Dept., The Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn.

Indictments Returned Against Three San Augustine Boys.

Beaumont Enterprise.

Hon. E. A. Cheatham, district attorney for the First judicial district, reached the city last evening and gave Sheriff Ras Landry the capias, based on indictments returned by the San Augustine county grand jury, charging Louis Jenkins, Henry Head and Charles Alvis with murder in the first degree.

These men are charged with killing two negroes in San Augustine county, near the town of San Augustine, several months ago, and a condition was created in that county bordering on mob violence, which resulted in Governor Campbell ordering a detachment of the State ranger force headed by Captain Rogers, to San Augustine county, and later the three men indicted were brought to the Jefferson county jail for safe keeping where they have since been confined.

Judge Cheatham states that now that the men have been indicted that the Sheriff of San Augustine county would come for them at an early date and remove them to San Augustine county where they would be given a speedy trial.

B. D. Roberts Dead.

We are pained to record the death of Bruno Durst Roberts, which occurred last Sunday morning at 7 o'clock at his home four miles southeast of town. He was the youngest of six brothers, sons of John F. Roberts, and grandsons of the well known pioneer, Jno. S. Roberts, first American owner of the noted old Stone Fort property on the Northeast corner of the public square in this city. His aged mother, who is a native Texan and was here in the days when events occurred that shaped the destiny of our Lone Star State, is left to mourn his loss, and so are his five brothers and four sisters—Mrs. H. R. Hyde, Mrs. Tom R. Jennings of Fort Worth, Mrs. Harry May of Huntsville, and Mrs. Geo. R. Walker of San Antonio. There are many other relatives, and while Bruno Roberts was a quiet unpretentious man, he was a true gentleman, and we tender our sympathies, as will the general public, to the grieving hearts left behind.

His disease was cancer of the face. He was operated on in Galveston last summer. He was buried at Fairview Monday.

The Price of Peace.

Dr. C. Wheeler of Alvin, Texas, who has been visiting his father, Ras Wheeler, near Black Jack, returned to his home last night.

New Tax Laws

The last Legislature passed laws requiring all corporations and individuals to render all taxable property for its full or market value.

And in addition thereto: "Art. 5124-c. When a commissioners court in this State convenes as a board of equalization, before considering the subject of equalization of property values for the purpose of taxation, each member of the court, including the county judge, shall take and subscribe to the following oath: 'I, _____, a member of the board of equalization of _____ county, for the year A. D. _____, hereby solemnly swear that in the performance of my duties as a member of such board for said year, I will not vote to allow any taxable property to stand assessed on the tax rolls of said county for said year at less than its true market value, or if it has no market value, then its real value; that I will faithfully endeavor and as a member of said board will move to have each item of taxable property which I believe to be assessed for, said year at less than its true market value or real value, raised on the tax rolls to what I believe to be its true cash market value, if it has a market value, if not then to its real value, and that I will faithfully endeavor to have the assessed valuation of all property subject to taxation within said county stand upon the tax rolls of said county for said year at its true cash market value, or if it has no market value, then its real value. I further solemnly swear that I have read and understand the provisions contained in the Constitution and laws of this State relative to the valuation of taxable property, and that I will faithfully perform all the duties required of me under the Constitution and laws of this State, so help me God.'

L. J. Chisum, a prominent merchant of Woden, was in the city today.

Six O'clock Dinner.

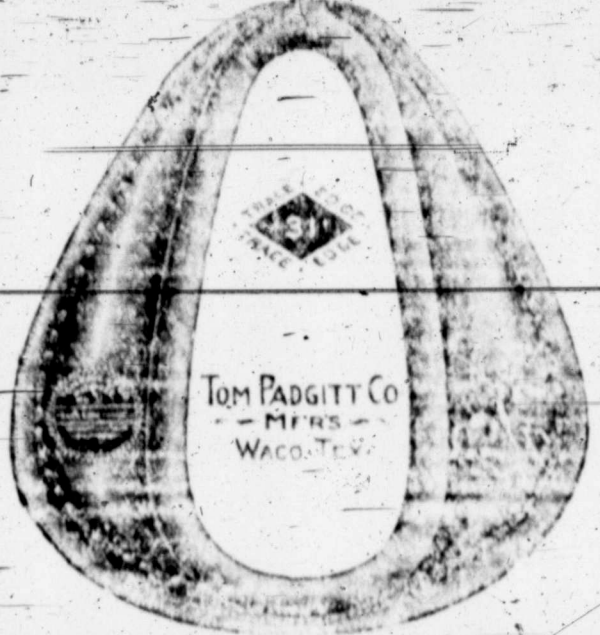
Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Nelson and son, Langston, entertained a few friends with a six o'clock dinner New Year's evening at the Redlands hotel.

The dinner consisted of six courses, all of which were

specially arranged for the occasion. Those present besides the hosts were Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Mayfield, Dr. and Mrs. John H. Reagan and little daughter, Catherine, and Miss Geiger of Alto.

A. Martin is in the city today from Martinsville.

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BAD BLOOD THE SOURCE OF ALL DISEASE

Every part of the body is dependent on the blood for nourishment and strength. When this life stream is flowing through the system in a state of purity and richness we are assured of perfect and uninterrupted health; because pure blood is nature's safe-guard against disease. When, however, the body is fed on weak, impure or polluted blood, the system is deprived of its strength, disease germs collect, and the trouble is manifested in various ways. Eustular eruptions, pimples, rashes and the different skin affections show that the blood is in a feverish and diseased condition as a result of too much acid or the presence of some irritating humor. Sores and Ulcers are the result of morbid, unhealthy matter in the blood, and Rheumatism, Catarrh, Scrofula, Contagious Blood Poison, etc., are all deep-seated blood disorders that will continue to grow worse as long as the poison remains. These impurities and poisons find their way into the blood in various ways. Often a sluggish, inactive condition of the system, and torpid state of the avenues of bodily waste, leaves the refuse and waste matters to sour and form uric and other acids, which are taken up by the blood and distributed throughout the circulation. Coming in contact with contagious diseases is another cause for the poisoning of the blood; we also breathe the germs and microbes of Malaria into our lungs, and when these get into the blood in sufficient quantity it becomes a carrier of disease instead of health. Some are so unfortunate as to inherit bad blood, perhaps the dregs of some old constitutional disease of ancestors is handed down to them and they are constantly annoyed and troubled with it. Bad blood is the source of all disease, and until this vital fluid is cleansed and purified the body is sure to suffer in some way. For blood troubles of any character S. S. S. is the best remedy ever discovered. It goes down into the circulation and removes any and all poisons, supplies the healthful properties it needs, and completely and permanently cures blood diseases of every kind. The action of S. S. S. is so thorough that hereditary taints are removed and weak, diseased blood made strong and healthy so that disease cannot remain. It cures Rheumatism, Catarrh, Scrofula, Sores and Ulcers, Skin Diseases, Contagious Blood Poison, etc., and does not leave the slightest trace of the trouble for future outbreaks. The whole volume of blood is renewed and cleansed after a course of S. S. S. It is also nature's greatest tonic, made entirely of roots, herbs, and barks, and is absolutely harmless to any part of the system. S. S. S. is for sale at all first class drug stores. Book on the blood and any medical advice free to all who write.

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The Hall Remedy Co., Dallas, Texas. Iowa, Ia., July 9, 1904.

Dear Sir:—I have tried a great many Chill remedies, but have found none equal to Hall's Chill Cure for Malaria. A few years past I had a severe attack of Chills and Fever and took many kinds of Chill cures, but they did no good and I just had to wait them out. They commenced on me last year the same way, but in a worse form. A friend recommended Hall's Chill Cure and I took it. It broke up the Chills and Fever and stopped them entirely. Whenever I hear of anyone having Chills or Malaria, I tell them—Hall's Chill Cure will make them well if they will take it. I never can say enough for Hall's Chill Cure. Yours truly, Mrs. FANN LINDSTROM

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The Sentinel is authorized to announce the following named candidates for the offices specified, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries.

For County Judge: P. P. MARSHALL.
For County Attorney: S. M. KING, A. T. RUSSELL.

For Sheriff: GEO. W. BLACKBURN.

For District Clerk: C. C. WATSON, ARTHUR SEALE.

For Tax Assessor: F. D. HUNGAN, ROBERT W. SULLIVAN.

For Tax Collector: JAMES H. BRANTLEY, CHARLEY RICHARDSON, GEORGE RAINBOLD, B. F. CREEL.

For Justice of the Peace, Pre. No. 1: F. D. HUNTON, J. F. PERRITTE.

For Constable, Pre. No. 1: G. W. STONE.

Audus Flores of Swift was here yesterday.

Jim Sowell from Etoile was here today.

Geo. Luman was in town today from Attoyac.

Jno. Noyle of Woden was in the city today.

I. N. Buckner of Chireno was a visitor here today.

Dan McQuin of Huntington is in the city today.

J. W. Stone was in the city yesterday from Clevenger.

Will Pinkston is in the city from Chireno today.

W. H. Hargis of Attoyac was a business visitor to the city today.

Jno. Stoker and mother of Stoker are in the city today.

Mrs. Eli Napier has returned from a visit to relatives in Center.

S. Mintz has returned from a business trip to Dallas and Fort Worth.

T. J. Williams, a former good citizen of this city, now of Houston, a business visitor here today.

Joe P. Clevenger left today for Beaumont, where he will attend the district meeting of Knight Templars.

Miss Sallie Garrett returned to her home in Center yesterday after spending the holidays in this city.

Ben Sanders, Herbert Shindler, Sam and Will Dorsey left yesterday for their studies in the A. & M. College at Bryan.

Bub Lee of Martinsville came up yesterday and will have an operation performed tomorrow by local physicians for appendicitis.

Misses Mamie L. and Mamie E. Blount left on yesterday's T. & N. O. for Dallas, where they will resume their studies in St. Mary's College.

To our Customers and Friends....

We want to thank you one and all for your liberal patronage last year and will ask for a larger patronage in the future. We have a complete stock of New, Fresh Seasonable Merchandise and will continue to sell our goods at the same low prices as we have done in the past. One purchase will make a long customer of you AS WE ALWAYS KEEP THE BEST AND SELL FOR LESS

S. Kaplan & Bro.

In Memoriam.

Sarah I. A. Raney (nee Legg) was born north of Nacogdoches, Texas, May 19, 1850. Joined the Missionary Baptist Congregation at old North Church at the age of sixteen.

Married to N. L. Raney Dec. 28, 1868, died Dec. 27, 1907.

These are some of the periods in the life of a good woman. They do not tell of the faithful days of toil and labor for fifteen years, a Christian in faith and practice Mrs Raney was the mother of ten children, six of whom survive her; three sons and three daughters, all married.

Her life and character is clearly reflected in the sterling worth of her children to whom she was devoted every day. She was a kind and thoughtful neighbor, as all this community (Lilbert) can attest, as she lived here for twenty-five years. She was faithful and devoted to her husband, who said when she was dead, "I lived with her thirty-nine years and never heard her use a by-word." All who knew her loved her, and those who knew her best loved her most. She has gone from friends and loved ones, her home on earth is broken up. Dear sorrowing husband and children she can not come to you, but you can go to her. God bless you all.

G. W. C. Selt.

It is very important and in fact it is absolutely necessary to health that we give relief to the stomach promptly at the first signs of trouble — which are belching of gas, nausea, sour stomach, headache, irritability and nervousness. These are warnings that the stomach has been mistreated; it is doing too much work and it is demanding help from you. Take something once in a while; especially after meals; something like Kodol for Dyspepsia and Indigestion. It will enable your stomach to do its work properly. Sold by Stripling, Haselwood & Co.

H. C. Fulgham, one of the popular traveling representatives of the Nacogdoches Grocery Company, has returned from a visit to his old home at Crystal Springs, Miss., where he spent the holidays with his parents.

Don't Take the Risk.

When you have a bad cough or cold do not let it drag along until it becomes chronic bronchitis or develops into an attack of pneumonia, but give it the attention it deserves and get rid of it. Take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and you are sure of prompt relief. From a small beginning the sale and use of this preparation has extended to all parts of the United States and to many foreign countries. Its many remarkable cures of coughs and colds have won for it this wide reputation and extensive use. Sold by Mast Bros. & Smith.

Ab Stublefield, a prominent citizen of Chireno was in the city today.

It depends upon the pill you take. Dewitt's Little Early Risers are the best pills known for constipation and sick headache. Sold by Stripling, Haselwood & Co.

Wanted—Empty grain sacks of all kinds. W. T. Wilson Grain

The Pure Food Law.

Secretary Wilson says: "One of the objects of the law is to inform the consumer of the presence of certain harmful drugs in medicines." The law requires that the amount of chloroform, opium, morphine, and other habit forming drugs be stated on the label of each bottle. The manufacturers of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy have always claimed that their remedy did not contain any of these dangerous ingredients. E. Teutsch, Chireno; Sharp McNeil, Cushing; T. J. Pack, Nacogdoches; Ned Legg, Douglass; Joe Corley, Lilbert; Chas. Baker; Nacogdoches; John Nold Rogers. Alazan; Bart P. Burk, Sacul; J. M. Williamson, Cushing; J. D. Blakey, Melrose; Charles Harvin, Nacogdoches; Cullen Falkner, Appleby.

Second Week—Sam Weatherly, Linn Flat; Sam Smith, Nacogdoches; Corkle Burk, Nacogdoches; Mansfield Crawford, Trawick; J. R. McKinney, Nacogdoches; Greer Orton, Nacogdoches; O. C. Baker, Nacogdoches; John Smelly, Nacogdoches; E. D. Cochran, Nacogdoches; I. D. Parnely, Nacogdoches; Coney Bass, Nacogdoches; G. W. Falkner, Nacogdoches; I. B. Parnely, Nacogdoches; C. C. Rowland, Nacogdoches; G. W. Forsyth, Nacogdoches; J. B. Lamy, Nacogdoches; Eldridge Wade, Douglass; Ben Grimes, Nat

On the Safe Side.

Neglected coughs and colds put one on the unsafe side. There is no need to take these chances. Royaline Cough Cure, taken in time, will quickly put you on the safe side. You will find nothing better for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough. Contains no opium. Pleasantly safe, sure. Keep it on hand. 25 cents. Money back if you want it. Get a bottle today. For sale by Stripling, Haselwood & Co.

W. C. Young and wife returned from Carthage yesterday where they have been spending the holidays with friends and relatives.

Carrie Nation

certainly smashed a hole in the barrooms of Kansas, but Ballard's Horehound Syrup has smashed all records as a cure for coughs, bronchitis, influenza and all pulmonary diseases. T. C. H., Horter, Kansas, writes: "I have never found a medicine that would cure a cough so quickly as Ballard's Horehound Syrup. I have used it for years." Sold by Mast Bros. & Smith.

Dr. W. L. Fall of Lovelock is in the city visiting daughter, Mrs. R. T. Shindler.

No need to fear coughs and colds this year as you can obtain Bee's Laxative Cough Syrup now from your dealer. This is good news to mother who fear croup and whooping cough. It is a gentle laxative that expels the poison from the system in the natural way. Cuts the phlegm and clears the head. Guaranteed. Sold by Stripling, Haselwood & Co.

Henio Y'Barbo and F. Y'Barbo were here today.

Miss Ethel Fall of Shreveport, La., is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. T. Shindler, and her uncle, J. C. Fall.

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"The Lone Star," "The Weavers," "Needles and Pins," "Jerry, Jr.," "The Settler," "Beatrix of Claire," "The Younger Set," "Beth Norvell," "Money Magic," "The Reckoning," "King of Diamonds," "The Best Man," "A Speckled Bird," "Senator North," "The Invader," "Ziska," "Graustark," "The Cost," "The Mystics," "The Circle," "The Flight of Georgiana."

This is only a few of the many books we have. We rent books 8 days for 10c. We order books for you if you want them.

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A Cure for Misery.

"I have found a cure for the misery malaria poison produces," says R. M. James, of Louellen, S. C. "It's called Electric Bitters, and comes in 50 cent bottles. It breaks up a case of chills or a bilious attack in almost no time; and it puts yellow jaundice clean out of commission." This great tonic medicine and blood purifier gives quick relief in all stomach, liver and kidney complaints and the misery of a lame back. Sold under guarantee at Mast Bros. & Smith's drug store.

Lame Shoulder Cured.

Lame shoulder is usually caused by rheumatism of the muscles and quickly yields to a few applications of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. Mrs. F. H. McElwee, of Boistown, New Brunswick, writes: "Having been troubled for some time with a pain in my left shoulder, I decided to give Chamberlain's Pain Balm a trial, with the result that I got prompt relief." For sale by Mast Bros. & Smith. dw

Work Wanted.

James McKay, a 15 year old boy, desires a position on farm, or a job cutting wood. He is a reliable and will make a good hand for some person.

It Does the Business.

Mr. E. F. Chamberlain, of Clinton, Maine, says of Bucklen's Arnica Salve: "It does the business; I have used it for piles and it cured them. Used it for chapped hands and it cured them. Applied it to an old sore and it healed it without leaving a scar behind." 25c at Mast Bros. & Smith's drug store. mp

PLOW HARNESS

We now have a full stock of Plow Gear, such as Collars, Hames, Traces, Backbands, Lines, Bridles, Curry Combs, Bushes, etc. We also have heavier collars and what you need for your wagon harness. We will appreciate a liberal share of your trade in this line. Call at the Saddle Shop.

M. L. Stroud

SEED TIME

The time is now here to buy your seeds for spring planting. You cannot produce a good crop unless you plant good seeds. We have been selling seeds in Texas and adjoining States for the past twenty years. Before buying your seeds it will pay you to send for our beautiful illustrated catalogue (free to intending purchasers), which tells all about the best varieties of Garden and Field Seeds, Plants, Bee-Keepers' Supplies, Fancy Selected Seed Corn, Cotton Seed, Alfalfa, etc. Write today to

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