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HOFFMAN PARAGRAPHS.

C. H. Hitchcock and Roy Cage went to Amarillo Saturday.

the Plains didn't afford, such tion. girls as the East, and went to Gatesville last week and was married to Miss Beatrice Darsey Sunday. We wish them a happy, prosperous life:

We have a very contagious fe ver in our midst that is playing. havoc with our young peoplethat is matrimonial fever. It seems that when it begins it sweeps over our entire community and we suffer loss. Hope someone will be. kind enough to send a remedy.

C. H. Hitchcock and daughter, Miss Lula, went to Canyon Mon-

day shopping.

Tuesday. T. R. R. Atkins of Deaf Smith, passed through here Tuesday en route to Canyon with a load of

B. T. Johnson preached at Pal oduro Sunday night.

Tuesday for Denver, Colo., where they have gone on a prospecting

Miss Ora Cage was given a birthday party Tuesday night by Mrs. H. S. Burnham. A nice time was had. The young people departed wishing her many Panhandle Stockmen's Convenmore anniversaries.

cock visited in Deaf Smith last the Pecos Valley Lines will sell

last week.

this writing. Dr. Vinyard of it April 20th, 1907. Amarillo, was called to her bed-

F. Hoffman delivered a fine

cow to Mr. Pennyfold of Deaf

Smith, Monday for \$40.

· One of our boys has been very full of business the past two D. C. McClain, after spending weeks. It seems there is one four years on the Plains' decided certain place the center of attrac

> Stock of all kinds doing fine. TASSIE.

No Damage Where Predestined.

Up in Rhode Island they mix theology and law as follows: Rev. Moffett brought suit against a railroad company for \$10,000, the damage alleged to have been sustained by reason of the death on the defendant company's railroad of the plaintiff's father, who was also a Presbyterian minister. The jury returned a verdict awarding the plaintiff \$1. The reason assigned was that both L. A. Pierce went to Canyon Rev. Moffett and his father were believers in predestination, and had preached this doctrine. It was held, therefore, that since the elder Moffett's death had been decreed from before the foundation of the world, and that since the decree was unalterable Mr. Geo. Day and wife left and unchangeable, the railroad company was in no way liable, since the manner and time of death had been fixed by the Creator. - Dallas News.

Special to Roswell. N. M.

For the annual meeting of the tion, to be held at Roswell, New Misses Mollie and Luna Hitch- Mexico, April 16th, 17th and 18th round trip tickets at greatly re Will Garner and wife of Um-duced rates: The fare from Canbarger, visited B. T. Johnson's yon City to Roswell and return will be \$5.00. Tickets on sale Mrs. Renison is very sick at 14th to 17th inclusive, return lim-

> Yours truly, D. L. MEYERS. Traffic Manager.

PROPOSED TAX HOLD-UP.

The Claude (Armstrong Coun-McDonald's instructions to as-

valuations the State has been are going to rule.' able to meet her obligations, or nearly so. Now comes the mandate from the revenue agent requiring the assessor to have each individual render under oath all his property at actual value. With this ruling strictly enforced and the rate at the present figures, there would be enough money collected from the people the coming year to run the State Government, properly administered, for fully three years. Now what the tax payers would like to know is, what is the necessity for this radical change in our system? And what the good sense in piling up this money in the before this goes any further. He treasury? If the Legislature will, is waiting for you in the antebefore the session comes to a close, reduce the rate one-half, then there could be no objection orders as issued by the revenue was standing dropped into the agent and no doubt endorsed by sulphurous depths.—Cleveland Governor Campbell. The people have rights, and while the former ranger had the power to enforce his orders at the end of his six-

shooter, we are inclined to doubt his ability to hold up the citizenship of Texas for the purpose, as ty) News, discussing Captain ing the vaults of the State treasury to be squandered by succeeding Legislatures. The principle For the past half century, pos. of assessing property at its actusibly, it has been the custom in al value is correct, provided our rendering taxes to place proper- tax rate is made to correspond ty at about one-third its actual with the needs of the State. value, and on this basis the tax Would it not be wise to call a halt rate has been fixed. This has before we find ourselves face to been the custom so long that it face with a dangerous problem? has carried with it almost the sanctity of law. The ad valorem rate now in force is 16 2-3 lished customs is not relished by cents on the \$100 and the school them. As remarked by a gentax 18 cents on the \$100, making theman deeply interested in all a total of 34 2-3 cents of the \$100. public matters, "This is a peo-At this rate and under present ples' government and the people

Disposed Of.

The magnate faced St. Peter. "What sort of a life have you led?" inquired the keeper of the

The face of the magnate grew luff and solid.

"By advice of counsel," he replied, "I refuse to answer"

The gatekeeper slowly nodded. "In that case," he said, "you had better consult your counsel

room below." Whereupon the saint pressed p a raise of values. We question the button and the elevator plathe practicability of enforcing form upon which the magnate Plain Dealer.

Be a News subscriber.

The Scrap Book

Elsewhere in this issue we present the first i stallment of a new feature, the "Scrap Book," which we commend to the attention of our readers. To neglect to read it would be as if one were to fail to pick up a dollar bill which was honestly one's own for the taking. He who reads will get at least five or six laughs which will stir his liver, kill the microbes in his system, and strengthen his whole organism against disease, dejection, cowardice and all other insidious enemies of our kind. He will also be inspired by a noble little poem, by pathetic and heroic passages, and by the wisdom of the wisest. He who reads will be a better and happier soul for the reading.

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THE DOUBLE TAX ISSUE.

Captain McDonald in his inproperty at "its real or market better.

Writing the Assessor of the naboring county of Armstrong Captain McDonald; among other things, says:

An inspector of the tax rolls of your county for 1906, and some years prior thereto, discloses the fact that both real and tives? personal property is assessed at only a certain per cent of its value, instead of 'at its value,' as required by the Constitution and laws of this State."

Now; sad to say, such is the condition not only in Armstrong, but in almost every other county in Texas. The exceptions, only a very few, however, being in some ragged poor counties where assessments at real value are imperative in order to meet necessary local expense.

Now, as stated last week; this unequal and deplorable conditionof affairs, no matter how time honored by use, ought to be remedied and the only question, as The News views it, is how and when? There can be no question but that the how of 'itris correctly stated by Captain McDon ald. On the when or time of ordinarily polite meaningless the following from our nabor enforcement only does The News take issue with him.

To follow Captain McDonald's nstructions now would undoubtof Texas counties and for period of two years anyway and perhaps three, unless the Legislature now in session adopted measures to prevent it. It would, to say the least of it, Tay up piles of idle money at Austin and to that extent paralyze the industries of the State and, as stated last week, The News is, inclined "little folks." This always gives to the opinion that the people wont stand for such a course. rate, State and County, Captain McDonald is too severe, too radical and cannot hope of securing the cooperation of either assessors or taxpayers. \ .

There is a reasonable way to bring this much desired change about. Let the Legislature, soon to meet in special session, cut the present tax rate one half and then every good citizen all over Texas will join heartily with Captain McDonald in the revolutionproposed. Unless this is done it will, by the great majority of citizens, be viewed as an attempted hold-up and they wont submit; not even to the man of whom it is said, that "he would charge hell itself with only one bucket of water.".

However, to show a willingness to comply with what is really the correct rule of law the several counties of Texas should hold citizens' mass meetings and petition the State government to so change the State rate as to make Captain McDonald's proposition a reasonable one.

Why not Randall county hold a mass meeting for this purpose?

It leaked out from Austin Mon-Governor" as the Dallas News expressed it, "that assessment at full market value" is required ure. It is even said that not and see them. only will this be necessary, but Howell, The Jeweler.

CANYON CITY NEWS that an increase in the present State ad valorem to 20 cents

K. Thaw trial has taken up three seems to be coming true already, months and has cost the com. In the series of three games with monwealth a pile of money, much Roswell on Monday, Tuesday and more, very much more than is Wednesday of this week the team One Year, from the forks of the creek bearing where the life of much better cit- the name of "Canyon, Texas," in izens, but poorer ones, are con- glaring letters across their breasts,

structions to Assessors to list all last year summed up a total of Canyon 2, Roswell 8; Wednesday, twelve millions and on the first | Canyon 8, Roswell 4. value" has raised an issue which day of January last the banks The Roswell team has always the people of Texas generally alone of Dallas, had fifteen had the reputation of being the must meet and the sooner the millions on deposit. It seems to hardest team in the west to defeat, in the Panhandle counties.

> To follow Captain McDonald's double taxation in Randall coun- tor in this season's averages. How does this strike the na-

> > County School Institute.

which closed Saturday all teachers in the county, except three, were present, and also several visiting teachers. No part of the program, published in this paper for a day. . Let's all get together some three weeks ago, was allowed to go by without comment sues of late concerning the welfare and some discussion, and several of Canyon and give our team enthings not upon the program, thusiastic support with a "Rah for but of great interest to the cause Canyon!" of education, came in for considerable attention. Judge Henson, a good presiding officer generally, excels himself in Institute work, in fact a more in earnest ing of the Easter cold snap and capable body of school workers its damage to fruit on the lower it would be hard to find anywhere lands, creek valleys, etc. ventthan Randall county can justly ured the conclusion that fruit on boast of at the present time. the general level of the country This, The News says not in an was not materially injured and newspaper compliment, but as a county of Armstrong, taken from just tribute to deserving people. the Claude News, bears this out:

One of the features not in the There has been some uneasiedly amount to at least double, at the court house Friday night, far as we can learn very little taxation for easily three fourths In this the audience was treated damage has been done up to the by Judge J. C. Hunt:

> preacher could give. The speak- frees. er left no doubt as to where he stood. He is for longer terms of A Woman Tells How to Relieve Rheuschool, ten months in towns and six months at least in . country

> thing and the public, especially ing it and soon felt like a differtake more interest in it. Just many of my friends have tried it Just think, not a single trustee Cole, 140 S. New St., Dover, Del. was at any one of the Institute liniment. The relief from pain

necessary to cooperate with the by S. V. Wirt, druggist, teachers in their work and there is, as The News sees it, no better one place to begin this cooperation than in the County Insti. elections in Lair school district tute. What higher mission in day from "one very near to the life can there be than the thorough and proper education of our tion in the first named district is children?

in order to wipe out the present Watches, clocks, chains and State deficiency and meet appro- charms and many other nice arpriations of the present Legislat- ticles in the jewelry line. Call

Canyon Beats Roswell.

must come. Just as well have & The prediction through these colmade this statement at the be- umns a few weeks ago that Manager Oscar Smith would pick up a "fast bunch" of ball players during Counting this week the Harry his recent visit to Fort Worth

won the best two out of three with the following scores: Monday, Dallas county's tax values for Canyon 6, Roswell 5; Tuesday,

The News that Captain McDon- and in view of the fact that our ald might find more there than team had never really played together this season before meeting the alfalta aggregation, it would seem to the discerning that the instructions will. more than Canyon team will be a potent fac-

Canyon has ever enjoyed the reputation of being as clean and straightforward a town as any anywhere and in the personnel of the team the town is well represented, At the County School Institute It has been and is the desire of the management to have none but clean, honest, straightforward men on the team, and no man who is otherwise can hold a position on it as we have on other important is-

The Plains Fruit Crop.

The News last week in speak-

program was the entertainment ness about the fruit crop but so to select reading by Charlotte was in town last week and said Ingham; recitations by Mabel he never saw better prospects; Rowan, Katherine Thompson, aside from a few pears he had Zina Henson, Raymond Wansley, not been able to discover any Kathleen Stewart and an address damage to his orchard, and the wild plum crop promises an immense vield. Uncle Jesse Mc-The reading and recitations Clure brought to the News office were spicy, of the humorous va- last Saturday specimens from riety and were given by bright his peach and plum orchard which showed that they were all right, and if he doesn't have plensatisfaction to grown children ty of fruit this summer the damand did here. The address was age will have to be done later, Under present conditions as to along educational lines and such The only injury so far as we have as only one who "has been there" been able to learn was a few for years—an old teacher or a peaches in Bob Campbell's orchard and that on not very good

districts; more taxation to keep I have been a very great sufferthem up and better salaries for er from the dreadful disease, teachers, and for a higher educa- rheumatism, for a number of tion also, one that does not stop years. I have tried many mediat greater attainments intellect- cines but never got much relief ually, but includes the moral and from any of them until two years spiritual growth. Judge Hunt ago, when I bought a bottle of has missed his calling-he ought Chamberlain's Pain Balm. I to have been a preacher. found relief before I had used all This Institute work is a good of one bottle, but kept on applypatrons of the schools, should ent woman. Through my advice why they don't has always been and can tell you how wonderfully a mystery to The News editor, it has worked. - Mrs. Sarah A. of all the seven in Canyon City Chamberlain's Pain Balm is a which it affords is alone worth To maintain a first-class school many times its cost. It makes in any community it is absolutely rest and sleep possible. For sale

> Commissioners' court, in special session Tuesday, ordered No. 7 and Burch school district No. 12 on May 4. The proposito increase the special school tax from 15 to 20 cents, and in the Burch district to levy a special tax of 20 cents on each \$100 for school purposes. As the petitions were signed by almost all the voters in each of these districts the tax is likely to carry.

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Planters are now in season and it behooves those who use them to

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Club Notes.

The Woman's Book Club was entertained by Mrs.-Walter Cran ford last Saturday evening in her suburban home. The afternoon was pleasant and those who failed to attend missed a most lively and interesting meeting. It being the appointed time for the election of new officers no special program was prepared, but questions of vital importance to every Club member were discussed and referred for further action at the next meeting. Those who would have "their say," be present or "forever hold their peace."-

Mrs. C. R. Burrow was unanimously re-elected President of the Club. Other officers elected as follows: Mrs. S. L. Ingham, vice-president; Mrs. A. S. Rollins, librarian; Mrs. R. A. Sowder, secretary; Miss Emma Brandon, treasurer.

A few fines are imposed at each meeting for the non-return of books. Each book must be returned to Club meeting to be exchanged or even, renewed.

The Club adjourned to meet with Mrs. Sterling Coffee on the 20th of April.

Talk of more brick business houses going up soon.

TOWN & COUNTY

PERSONAL AND OTHER MATTERS

Fine Candies-Best in town at Wilson's.

Howard Stephenson was in town again Sunday.

E. H. Ackley was on the sick list first of the week.

Don't let the newly set out trees die for lack of water.

No more booze drinking on the trains in Texas. Good thing.

Mrs. Chas. McDade returned from a visit to Amarillo Sunday

For Rent Two farms close to GEO. L. ABBOTT.

As spring advances the Side walk Club is growing in numbers.

To Trade A new rubber tire buggy for a reliable buggy horse.

B. FRANK BUIE. The T. E. Baird case, appealed from last district court, has been

affirmed. Ollie Dunbar and his partner Nation, are among the sidewalk contractors.

Mrs. Brandon leaves for Ros well Sunday to visit Walter, Edna and the baby.

Miss Wilida Blackburn of Amarillo, is visiting Miss Besse Haney this week.

Born-To Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Ballard last Saturday, twins, one boy and one girl.

W. D. Smith cures fistula, poll evil and spavin on horses. Castrating a specialty.

Miss Hortense Bucie returned home last week from a visit to her aunt in Amarillo.

from one of the best milk cows by the first of May. in town. This office.

and relatives in Illinois.

Rooms To rent, upstairs in my new brick building.

J. F. SMITH.

All kinds of Racket Goods School supplies and Confection ery at Wilson's. Try us.

Joel Preslar has bought the C 4. Montgomery residence north of the Victoria.

Mrs. Robert Faulkner return ed last week from a visit to her brother at Denver, Colorado.

Rev. W. B. Wilson of Clarendon, was shaking hands with his many friends here yesterday.

Mrs. McCartney from near

Amarillo, visited her daughter, Mrs. Carl Coffee, last Sunday.

Mrs. Ford of Bell county, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. W. Underwood, left Saturday.

Miss Bess Haney visited the

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. O'Keefe returned Saturday from their trip to Fort Worth, and Mineral Wells.

John and Conrad Forsgren, of the cement firm of Forsgren & Saltiel, came in last week from Fort Worth.

Prospectors were not so numerous last week as formerly but about the usual proportion of land trades were made.

Fair rains fell last week on the watershed of the Canadian river. Judge Word says they reached his ranch in Potter county.

See the automibile ad in this issue of The News. The "Buick Car" is one of the best made and you can buy it at Hereford.

tions one mile and a half south of Co.'s big store. Come in and school house. Will sell in blocks keep in touch with all the latest of 20 acres and up.

JOHN KNIGHT.

Commissioners' court, special session, this week.

A. S. Rollins moved into his new residence Monday.

Several of our citizens are talking of going to Roswell next

was near death. Keiser Bros. & Phillips sold to nearly all the men they had down last week as much as one quar-

ter section each. brethren Sunday.

H. D. Brown of Sioux City, scribers Monday.

J. C. Coker and family came in T. E. Money intends moving Saturday from a winter spent at back to town about the first of Corpus Christi and other points in South Texas.

> The Canyon Lumber Co. is putting up their new warehousefor sash, doors, etc., in depottown near the new elevator.

Anything wanted in the jewelry line will be furnished by J. W. Howell, The Jeweler, at S. V. Wirt's drug store, north side.

W. B. Rittenberry, a Dallas representative of the Atlas Engine Works, is here the guest of his brother-in-law, J. F. Smith.

J. F. Smith says his new brick will be ready for occupancy by There is, however, no cause for J. c. PIPKIN the 15th. He has some nice

J. A. Edwards, now at Lake Arthur, N. M., was in town Monday. He says he will move back here as soon as his residence is finished.

Oscar Gamble says that his brother, J. D., is at the old home For Sale Jersey heifer calf that he expects him here again

Albatross flour is too well rise in price. W. C. Kenyon returned Friday known to require further praise from his visit to the old home from us; we like it and so do our customers.

CANYON MERCANTILE CO.

When looking for something nice for your girl see that elegant line of jewelry of J. W. Howell's at S. V. Wirt's drug store, north side square.

at Amarillo and a brother minister, Rev. Harder, from Cook county, were here mixing with "the brethren" yesterday.

For Sale One section of improved land near the town of Happy in Randall county, Texas. See Joel Preslar, Canyon City, Texas. Phone No. 204.

Peter Meyers, purchaser and resident on the L. S. Carter ranch, was in town Wednesday and became, as all Randall county citizens should, a News sub-

Misses Blackburn in Amarillo hard wheat flour than the Globe. this purpose. An excellent idea last week, returning home Mon- If your lightbread is made of and one that if carried out will

the land. Try a sack. CANYON MERCANTILE CO.

We have for sale the Hutchinson property, 65 acres, which lays south of the school building. Desirable part of town and will sell from 1-4 block up. See us

HELLER & KNIGHT.

Santa Fe shop building at that point has been transferred to Clovis, and that things are very quiet from a business standpoint ity is being erected near the oil 3-4t at Melrose now.

A full stock on hand and new goods of fine quality and up-totomorrow in style and texture in every department arriving every For Sale Three quarter sec- day at the Canyon Mercantile and best, whether you wish to purchase or not.

H. C. Maxwell, piano dealer and tuner, has returned from his New York trip where he was investigating many details of the piano business. Mr. Maxwell claims to have had a fine trip and thinks the "Ludwig" the best piano made for so moderate a price. He has a car J. W. Reed left Wednesday for of them on the road to sell in the Tennessee in response to a tele-Panhandle. He was thoroughly gram announcing that his father pleased with the great care and perfection shown in their manufacture. This firm is building a factory double the present capacity and it seems now have failed to get it large enough to meet pressing demands. . He also handles the J. & Rev. Conway, a Baptist minis- C. Fischer, one of the oldest in the ter from Marion, Kentucky, world, boasting over 127,000 satis preached for his Canyon City fied customers. (Not Charles H. Fischer). Mr. Maxwell also has a good line of tuning from Amarillo to Iowa, called in and added his Roswell especially, and is pleased name to The News' list of sub- with the reputation he sustains and responds promptly where called on and greatly appreciates his many friends along that line. - Daily Panhandle.

> Mr. Maxwell informs us this can is billed to Canyon City.

Frank Ames still has sickness among his children. They are said to have membranous croup or something similar to if not diphtheria. Either one is bad enough, but as to being -catching" it can only be done, so experts declare, by infection. Children are most liable and it is therefore the best policy to keep them away from contact either with those afflicted or those recently exposed to this malady. alarm, as great care is being takrooms upstairs and wants to rent en, diptheria or no diptheria, to prevent its spread.

Colored Sidewalks. - We can make you a blue or red sand stone walk-without any additional cost. Remember 20 per cent of the bill is allowed to stand back for one year as a guarantee. Parties desiring walks laid would do'well in Tennessee, in good health, and to make contracts with us as soon as possible before the cement factories make the usual

FORSGREN & SALTIEL.

A. B. Axtell has formed a partnership with S. D. Miller, anoth er civil engineer of Amarillo, and together they will do general engineering and surveying wherever in the Panhandle such servielsewhere. In this connection Rev. Jenkins, Baptist pastor The News is pleased to state that Mr. Axtell will still make Canyon City his home.

> Mr. and Mrs. Hagood enter tained the following young friends informally at the Victoria Wednesday evening: Misses Haney, Blackburn, Bernecker, Bu-52-tf cie, Reeves, Bomparte, Bowyer; Messrs. C. P. Hutchings, Frank Lester, Tom Gallier, Louis Miller, Dogget and Bell.

N. Thompson favors a City Park and talks of buying the Hutson residence block on the There is nothing better in a north side of Evelyn street for Globe flour you have the best in cause Bro. Thompson to be remembered lovingly by Canyon City people until the day of judg-

Whooping Cough.

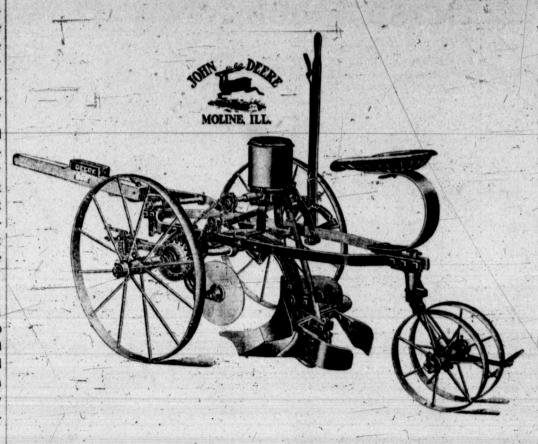
I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in my family in cases of whooping cough, and want to tell you that it is the best J. F. Culwell, a former citizen medicine I have ever used. - W. here, now of Melrose, N. M., was F. Gaston, Posco, Ga. This remin town Tuesday. He says the edy is safe and sure. For sale by S. V. Wirt, druggist.

> A grain elevator of fair capac tank at the depot. It is a branch of the Amarillo proposed system of elevators mentioned in these columns some time ago.

plenty of water and will pasture miles from Roswell, at \$25,000. cows or horses at \$1 per month. It is known as the Leland place, W. E. BATES.

Books with cattle bills of sale. on the ditch,

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Canyon Hardware Co.

Local Weather Record.



The picture indicates weather conditions for the past week. It ces are required. See their ad has been lovely for all kinds of outdoor work and just cold enough to feel good over.

> Some of our new citizens 'from the States" are just a trifle disturbed over the continued dry weather, but old settlers are not in the least alarmed. No matter if his farm methods are somewhat crude the West Texan always reaps enough to carry him through. His faith in himself and his country frequently excites the wonder of "outsiders" and then he sets a sight of store in the promise of God, that While the earth remaineth, seed time and harvest, cold and heat, and summer and winter, and day and night shall not cease." In this he has never yet been deceived and "his faith has made him whole."

Rain for the small grain crops is of course needed more now than a week ago, but still with the 'watch' The News can say that as yet "all's well."

Stock Notice.

My jack will make The season three miles north of town at the old Taylor place. Terms, \$10 to insure foal. Will pasture mares free of charge during season, but will not be responsible for accidents.

R. E. FOSTER.

Dr. and Mrs. Howell returned from their Roswell trip the first of the week. While down there they purchased a highly improv-Pasture Have good grass and ed alfalfa farm of 126 acres, two has 95 acres already well set in alfalfa and includes a water right

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Mrs. Geo. C. Long and daughter, Miss Ono, left Thursday for their section at Umbarger, last week sold home at Cordell, Oklahoma.

Cashier Donaldson of the Tulia Friemel, at \$18 per acre. National Bank, was a visitor in town Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Cyrus Eakman was called vacated by A. S. Rollins. to the bedside of his sister, Mrs. J. M. Donaldson, at Amarillo last Saturday. Mr. Eakman joined his week from a visit of six weeks to wife there Tuesday.

The Commercial Club of Plainview has arranged for Hale county advertising material and for the keeping of a representative at Am- or fishing will be permitted on

Rufus Arnold, on the old Thomas the west half, 320 acres improved, to some Germans, friends of P.

Mr. Hamilton intends, some time this week, to move into the house

B. J. Rector returned last his old home at Marshall, Mo.

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subscription list has always been ery debate have no other aim than the no one notices him, and he only pleases the present intention is to make the least ca. whether the truth proved allude to my works when with men it all that way.

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As a result of this advice one little boy turned in the following composi-

"I ain't goin' to attempt no flite of me, and I got a hart, a liver, two lungs the dose for a man. and some other things like that; then I got a stummick, and it's got in it a permint candy and my dinner."

good sense than men. They cannot cine down his throat." reason wrong, for they do not reason

are less implicated in theories and Three weeks later the doctor met the mind and therefore more truly and bundled in heavy wrappings. OFFICE-THOMPSON DRUG STORE. naturally.—Hazlitt.

> A DEED AND A WORD. A little stream had lost its way

Amid the grass and tern.

A passing stranger scooped a well,

Where weary men might turn. He walled it in and hung with care
A ladle at the brink: He thought not of the deed he did, But judged that all might drink. He passed again, and, lo, the well, By summer never dried, Had cooled ten thousand parching

And saved a life beside.

A nameless man amld a crowd That thronged the daily mart'
Let fall a word of hope and love,
Unstudied, from the heart.

A whisper on the tumult thrown.

A transitory breath.

It raised a brother from the dust,
It saved a soul from death. O germ. O fount. O word of love, O thought at random cast.

Ye were but little at the first, But mighty at the last!
-Charles Mackay.

Sir Boyle Roche.

Sir Boyle Roche described himself on one occasion as "standing prostrate at in the house of commons said, "I smell, a rat; I see it floating in the air, and by heaven. I'll nip it in the buid!"

Burke on John Howard.

He has visited all Europe not to survey the sumptuousness of palaces or the stateliness of temples not to make Abstracts of Canyon City and Ran- accurate measurements of the remains of ancient grandeur or to form a scale of the Furiosity of modern art, not to collect medals or collate manuscripts. but to dive into the depths of dungeons, to plunge into the infection of hospitals, to survey the mansions of sorrow and pain, to take the gauge and dimensions of misery, depression and contempt, to remember the forgotten, Examine Titles to Texas Lands for to attend to the neglected, to visit the ail Purchasers who desire such work. forsaken and to compare and collate Non-resident land owners represent: the distresses of all men in all couned in general. Contracts of all kinds tries. His plan is original and it is as carefully prepared. Your patronage, full of genius as it is of humanity. It was a voyage of discovery, a circumhavigation of charity, . Already the benefit of his labor is felt more or less in every country.

General Miles. In company with a friend, was walking down Pennsylvania avenue, when a person entirely unknown to the veteran soldier rushed up to him and, grasping his hand, said warmly, "Well, Nelse, old boy, I'll bet" anything you don't remember me!"

"You win!" coldly and laconically replied Miles, as he released himself into partnership." from the grasp of the stranger and resumed his walk -- Woman's Home Com-

The Weed and the Man.

Gough used to describe the struggles of a man who tried to leave off using tobacco. He threw away what he had word." and said that was the end of it; but, no, it was only the beginning of it. He M. Labouchere returned to England would-chew camomile, gentiae, tooth- and in two months after married Miss picks, but it was of no use. He. bought another plug of tobacco and put house of Hope & Co. Henry Labouit in his pocket. He wanted a chew chere, editor of London Truth, is his awfully, but he looked at it and said: grandson. "You are a weed, and I am a man. I'll master you if I die for it." And Sociable With the Pig. he did master it while carrying it in his pocket daily.

Strategy In Ireland.

A traveler eligaged a chaise at Galway and had proceeded some distance when it came to a sudden standstill at the beginning of a steep incline, and Cars leave both cities every hour the driver, leaping to the ground, came traversing the business center of each to the door and opened it. "What are for half an hour ye didn't budge me an you at, man? This is not where I ordered you to stop!" said the traveler. "Whisht, yer honor, whisht!" said Padthink he's intirely got rid of yer hon- that wi' a poor fellow creature I wasn't or's splendid form, and he'll be at the the one to vote against him." top of the hill in no time."

Schopenhauer on Discussion.

The News' out-of-the-county If human nature were not base, but by the great for my dramas. Corneille thoroughly honorable, we should in ev- composes nobler verses than mine, but to be in favor of the opinion which we of the world, but I amuse them about had begun by expressing or of the matters they like to hear. My talent opinion of our adversary. That we with them consists not in making them should regard as a matter of no mo- feel that I have any, but in showing

ry consequence; but, as things are, it is the main concern. Our innate vanity, which is particularly sensitive in ref. Jewish Legend of Solomon and erence to our intellectual powers, will not suffer us to allow that our first powould be simply to take the trouble al-

A young teacher who graduated from ways to form a correct judgment. For cold. We also have the the normal school last June was asked this a man would have to think before one day recently to act as a substitute he spoke. But, with most men, innate in a higher grade than her own. She vanity is accompanied by loquacity and concerning the building of Solohandle your horse easy was a little nervous over the tempo- innate dishonesty. They speak before mon's temple. The reason therein rary promotion and was anxious that they think, and even though they may assigned for the perfect quietude everything should go off in the usual afterward perceive that they are wrong which existed in and about the great good order. While instructing the class and that what they assert is false they building while it was in course of composition she said: "Now, chil- want it to seem the contrary. As a erection is that the stones and timall kinds of work. Call dren, don't attempt any flights of fan rule, then, every man will insist on cy.; Don't try to imitate the things you maintaining whatever he has said, even have heard, but just be yourselves and though for the moment he may consider it false or doubtful.

The Contrary Mule.

A farmer in Kentucky sought advice from a veterinary about a sick mule fancy; I'm just goin' to write what's in The doctor advised calomel, five times

"How can I make him take it?" "You put a stick of wood three-quarput the calomel in it insert in the mule's mouth, which is held open by Women have more of what is termed the piece of wood, and blow the medi-

judge of objects more from their ine farmer, who had changed greatly. He made a staff from a sprout of the mediate and involuntary impression on was emaciated, lumped; ghastly and tree of life, which was growing in

"That's easy enough," said

his garden, and leaning upon this "Why, what's the matter?" said the he died, standing belt upright in the

'The farmer sighed deeply and spoke feebly. "That mule," he said, "that cussed, idiotic, fool ninic! You see, I got ready just as you told me, got the did not disturb him for upward of a infernal male blew first!"

Thoughts Breed.

Hatred, envy, malice jealousy and revenge all have children. Every bad little white ants fone account says thought breeds others, and each of these goes on and on, ever reproducing itself, until a world is peopled with their offspring .- O. S. Marden.

Presidenting and Planting.

"Rutherford B. Hayes while president and visiting his home in Ohio passed the farm of a neighbor who was planting potatoes in a patch near the roat. The president, being somewhat of a farmer himself, noticed some peculiar-Mty in his neighbor's style of planting, earth."-S. Louis-Passiblic, and after a few minutes' chat he called the feet of royalty" and in a speech attention to it, and the old man argued the point awhile

"After all," concluded the president, "I don't think you are doing it as it. should be done for the best results." The old farmer rested his arm on

the fence and looked stendily at Mr. "They ain't neither one of us," he said

"above havin' fault found with Incledon," us, but ef you just go on presidentin' the room in a towering passion, the United States your way an' I go on plantin' potatoes my way I guess my name in a very improper manwe won't be no wuss off.

Love and Business.

In 1797 M. Peter Caesar Labouchere. then a clerk in the banking house of Hope & Co., Amsterdam, was sent by his patrons to Mr. Baring, the London banker, to negotiate a loan. He displayed in the affair so much affility as | coolly, "There, sir, that has given to win the esteem and confidence of the great English financier.

Baring, 'your daughter is a charming you're the most unreasonable fellow creature. I wish I could persuade you to give me her hand."

"Young man, you are joking, for, seriously, you must allow that Miss Baring could never become the wife of a simple clerk."

"But," said Labouchere, "if I were in partnership with Mr. Hope?" "Oh, that would be quite a different thing. That would entirely make up

for all other deficiencies." Returned to Amsterdam, Labouchere said to his patron, "You must take me

"My young friend, how can you think of such a thing? It is impossible. You are without fortune, and"-

"But if I became the son-in-law of Mr. Baring?" "In-that case the affair would be soon settled, and so you have my

Fortified with these two promises, Baring and became a partner in the

A candidate on paying a second visit to the bouse of a doubtful roter was somewhat surptised at hearing him

say that he would support him. "Glad to hear it," said the candidate. "I thought you were against me."

and stood by that pigpen and talked inch, but after you had gone away, sir, I got to thinkin' bow 'ye'd reached yer hand over the rall and scratched the dy in an undertone, "I'm only-desay- pig's back till he lay down wi' the ing the sly baste. I'll just bang the pleasure of it. I made up my mind door and the crafty ould cratur will that when a man was so sociable as

How Racine Made Friends.

ment or, at any rate, of very seconda- them that they have.

BUILT BY UNSEEN HANDS.

House of the Lord.

"So that there was neither hamsition was wrong and our adversary's mer nor ax nor any other tool of right. The way out of this difficulty iron heard in the house while it was building" (I Kings vi, 7). The above should apply to is a Scriptural quotation, to be found at the citation given, and is bers were all made ready before being brought to the site of the great building. Heber beautifully alludes to this in the little couplet, in which he says:

No hammer fell, no ponderous axes rung. Like some tall palm the mystic fabric sprung.

The Jews have a legend to the effect that Solomon did not employ men in building the great "house pickle, a piece of piec two sticks of pep- ters of an inch thick between his teeth, of the Lord," but that he was nided and then you take this rubber tube, in the gigantic undertaking by the genii. Having a premonition-that he would not live to see the building finished, Solomon praved to God that his death might be concealed from the genii until the structure was finished. Immediately after he

> unfinished temple. Those who saw-him thought that he was absorbed in prayer, and they tube in his mouth ready to blow, and whole year? Still the genii worked then," he paused for breath, "then that day and night, thinking that they were being constantly watelfed by him whose eyes had been closed in

> > death many weeks. All this time, so the legend says, red mice) were gnaving at the staff, and when the temple was finally finished the staff gave way, and the body of the dead Solomor fell prone upon the floor. Mohammed alludes to this queer legend in the Koran (see Sura xxxiv), where he says, "When he (God) had decreed that Solomon should die, nothing discovered his death unto them (the geni) except the erceping things of the

> > > action.

On one occasion some remarks of Incledon, the once famous singer, gave offense to a man who resolved to have "satisfaction" for bis wrongs. Accordingly he hunted up Incledon the next-afternoon, finding him at dinner in a noted botel. "Mr. "you have been making free with ner, and I've come to demand satisfaction!" After some parleying Incledon rose and striking a graceful attitude in the center of the room. began to sing "Black Eyed Susan" in his most delightful style. /When he had finished the rong he said confidete satisfaction to several thousand people, and if you want "Faith," said Labouchere one day to, anything more I've on'y to say I ever met!"

Space Fillers. Two chance aequaintances on a train between Washington and Philadelphia discovered that they had come originally from the same neighborhood in Delaware and fell

to conversing about old times. "By the way," said the passenger in the skullcap, "whatever became of Harry Mullins?" "Oh, he's a special writer on one

of the New York papers," replied the passenger with the red tie "Gets \$10 a column. Good thing." "And his brother Dick?"

"Dick's a fat man in a museum. Weighs 410 pounds. Gets a good

"Well, well," mused the man in the skullers. "Both of 'em have achieved success as space fillers, eh?"-New York Times.

Better Bait.

Teddy's father had brought home some rare old cheese, and after hearing his praise of its strong points Teddy was manfully struggling to make away with a small piece of it, Seeing the cheese still on his plate and Teddy's nose per-"So I was at first," replied the voter. ceptibly elevated, his father said: "When you called here the other day "What is the matter, Ted? Don't you like that fine cheese?"

"Yes," answered Teddy, with the air of a connoisseur. "This cheese is very good, but I think I like jus plain, common mouse cheese bet ter."-Harper's Magazine.

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