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A PLEA FOR HENDERSON COUNTY.

County: -All things being equal, Judge is mistaken. Palestine Henderson County furnish the judge for the next four years. For many years Anderson County has held the anything about are at Palestine judgeship. She now has the honor of furnishing both the Judge and the District Attor- other lawyers of Palestine anney. Since Judge Williams held nounce for re-election the bar of the office, Anderson County has at each election been successful. resolutions. The bar is compo-It is true Judge A. B. Watkins sed of the lawyers of Palestine. of Henderson County held the About all these lawyers hold ofoffice for a short while under an fice, and of course they want to appointment, but he was re- be elected. So they proceed to man at the election following his dorsment is always unanimous. appointment. It is also true They then use their influence also defeated at the next elect- Armed with these important her men for this position.

of office. The Judge's views have carefully prepared. have changed materially since he announced four years ago had a man elected to this posiagainst Judge Gooch. Gooch tion, and I solicit your support at that time was running for a as Henderson County's canrecond term, and had made an didate for District Judge. efficient judge. Gardner contended that Gooch was not entitled to a second term, though Gooch was also an Anderson County man, and the question of rotation in office between the Houston county are hereby recounties composing the district issue. It is strange how easily 23rd, 1908, at 2 o'clock p. m. for the Judge can change his mind the purpose of considering the when it is to his own political best means of having sybmitted advantage to do so.

His argument now is that because four years ago, at his the sale, manufacture, gift, exsolicitation, the people gave him change and interstate shipment this position and paid him well of spiritious, vinous and malt for his services, they should liquors. Petitions are now beelect him again for four more ing circulated in the county reyears, notwithstanding that for the last sixteen years a man from his county has been elected to this same position. Under contention, County and Houston County would never be entitled to have the hands of S. E. Miller at one of their sons elected judge of Grapeland; I. A. Daniel at Kenthis district. Anderson County nard; W. F. Dent at Lovelady; will also reserve the right to T. W. Thompson at Crockett, and elect her District Attorney when other persons in other places in she desires the position.

more than her just share of otfiers. She has as Governor of the State Thos. M. Campbell of Palestine. She is represented having the question submitted to in her Congressional District by Gregg of Palestine. She is represented in her Supreme Judicial District by McMeans of Palestine. She is represented in her Judicial District by Gardner and Harris both of Palestine. Certainly common fairness de- M. Waller. mands that the honors be devided, and that the counties surrounding Anderson County occasionally be allowed to elect building up of a political machine at Palestine should not be allow- Honey and Tar- It quickly stope

To the voters of Houston Henderson County. Now the has held all the offices so long that the politicians of Henderson County are all dead. In fact the only politicians we know composing his gang.

When Judge Gardner and the Anderson County meets to form placed by an Anderson County indorse one another, and the inthat Judge Lipscomb of Hous- with the Democratic Executive ton County received an appoint | Committee of Anderson County, ment to this position, but he was and get, its endorsement. ion by an Anderson County man. documents they go before the So at each succeeding election voters of the state and various for the last sixteen years, districts, and if you attack their Anderson County has elected records or open any reason why they should not be re elected, Not withstanding the fact that they say, "let the bar of Andershe now has both the judge and son County and the Democratic District attorney, Judge Executive Committee speak," Gardner contends that he is en- and quote these flattering resotitled to another four years term lutions, which they themselves

Henderson County has never

W. R. Bishop.

Prohibition Mass Meeting

All prohibition democrate of quested to meet at the courthouse was not, as between them, an in Crockett on Saturday. May to the voters of Texas a Constitutional Amendment prohibiting questing the state democratic executive committee to submit the question at the July primary, and all friends of prohibition are Henderson requested to sign these petitions. Such petitions will be found in the county. It is desired to have in order that all phases of the question may be discussed and such steps taken as will result in the voters of the state.

All petitions must be in by Saturday, May 33rd.

T. W. Thompson, T. K. Conaway, E. L. Brown, J.E. Downes, J. A. Bricker, A. A. Aldrich, C. L. Edmiston, J. W. Madden, G.

deplete the system exhaust the has been using Herbine for her one of their sons to office. The nerves and open the way for self and children for five years. serious illness. Take Foley's It is a sure ours for constig ed by the voters of the 3rd. the sough and expels the cold. Judicial District. Judge Gard- It is eafe and certain in results. ner speaks of the politicians of Bold by Carleton & Porter.

Letter to T. P. Perkins.

Grapeland Texas.

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For reasons that are satiswalks of life. I refrain from ex- Commoner. But there is a way to reckon: pressing any opinion with refe-\$5 a gallon. The difficulty is in rence to the merits or demerits knowing how many gallons to of my honorable opponents, as buy. There is a way out of that. others may desire to enter the and those desiring beef for the Respectfully,

ness and Constipation.

J. J. Faulk.

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Mr. Ryan, of the Metropolitan Dear Sir: We should like to factory to me, I hereby withdraw Street Railway Company, has set your boys and girls to work from the race for District Judge. admitted on the witness stand on arithmetic and casuistry. A It would serve no useful pur- that his company contributed farmer is fattening three hogs pose, to give in detail, the cause \$500,000 to the campaign in 1900. in three small pens; they have or causes that prompts me to As a part of this sum was, acequal room and straw and care, take this course. I will say cording to Mr. Ryan, used to and are fed in these three ways: however, that it is not based on prevent Mr. Bryan's nomination, first hog, on a certain proportion the belief, that I did not stand a it is quite evident that the rest of milk and cooked cornmeal; good chance for election; at was used to defeat him after the second hog, on the same, half least, I know that I would receive nomination. When one corporawater; third hog, on the same, such support in the district as tion-and that a local one-gives half water and sawdust. How would be very complementry to more money to a national camlong will it take, how much will any gentleman, if not sufficient paign than the democrate were they weigh, how much will they to elect. To my friends who able to collect from some six milcost, and what'll the profit be on have so loyally stood by me, I lion and a half of voters of the the three? And a similar quest tender to you an unbounded American people ought to get tion in pigmentry. That same gratitude that language can- some idea of the corrupting infarmer is going to paint three not express. I have no enemies fluence of predatory wealth. barns same size; and he says to to punish, but I pray that God These contributions are not gifts three painters: "What'll you may lengthen my days, that I they are investments. They are may be able to prove to my advance payments on contracts First painter scratches his head friends in some tangible way for the future delivery of the few minutes and says: "I'll how much I appreciate their government into the hands of the kindness. My services are yours contributors. These same inwhen you need them. I know fluences are trying to control that my ambition has always both the leading parties-and Will they each get a barn to been prompted by true and hon- every intelligent man ought to paint, or will one get two, or one orable motives, and God, from know it by this time. Fortunateall three, or nobody any; and whom no secrets are hidden, ly the masses are incorruptible what will they make on the job? knows that I have tried to do my and the scheme will fail in the That's about how painting duty, whether in private or public democratic party.—The Bryan's

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

I will kill a beef on May 19th. Parker re-union, see me.

J. A. Bean.

The function of the kidneys is to strain out the impurities of the blood which is constantly passing through them. Foley's Kidney Remedy makes the kidneys healthy so they will strain tics only made matters worse. I out all waste matter from the do not know where I should have blood. Take Foley's Kidney Remedy at once and it will make you well.-Carleton & Porter.

> There will be a competitive Bible drill between the Slocum and Grapeland training classes next Sunday afternoon at the Christian church at 2 o'clock. We are requested to extend to every one a cordial invitation.

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Squire Davis' court was in seesion Saturday and a special session was held on Tuesday. Thirteen negroes were arraigned for shooting craps, and eight were convicted. Earle Adams, county attorney, represented, the state and G. R. Whitley of Palestine represented the defendants.

The Plain Plucker.

If a burn or a bruise afflicte you. rub it on, rub it on.

Then before you ecarcely know it all the trouble will be gone. For an aching joint or musele do

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General News.

Hempstead—The Buffet dam and a portion of the roadbed of the Houston & Texas Central Railway was washed away by the river at Harmon Switch.

Yoakum-Successful tests were made of an automatic mail catcher. The inventor of this contrivance, J. W. Freeman, claims that 400 pounds of mail can be delivered while the train is traveling at sixty miles an

Laredo-Earl Brennan was accidentally shot in the foot while handling his father's pistol.

Iaredo-Frank Nye sustains a broken collar bone and a bad dislocation of the shoulder in a run-

Austin-Miss Bessie Vivian Flanagan, daughter of General Webster Flanagan, passes away. The de-ceased was twenty-one years of age and was extremely popular amongst those who were privileged to know

Galveston—The second annual convention of the Retail Liquor and Mait Dealers' Association was held. A large delegation of saloon men from San Antonio attended.

Eagle Pass—J. C. Rice of Houston accepted the position as manager of the local telephone company upon the resignation of E. T. Rucker.

Colorado-A bonus is being raised and plans are being discussed for the erection of a cotton mill.

Fredericksburg-Rudy Kott and Miss Lorlie Wahrmund are married at the Church of the Holy Ghost. Miss Emma Wahrmund of San Antonio was maid of honor, while the groom was attended by Arnold Kott. The bridal party left immediately for Mason and other points to spend tral Committee. their honeymoon.

El Paso-Work will soon be commenced on the Juarez irrigation canal. The estimated cost of the construction is \$300,000. A surveying corps is to be placed in the field at once.

Kerrville-The damage from the last cold snap is not so bad as was at first reported. Wheat and oats are slightly damaged, while corn will come out all right. The cotton crop will have to be replanted.

Aust'n.—A general petition is being circulated which calls for the muzzling of all dogs. Several cases of rabies and a fear that it will spread is what started the petition.

Hempstead.-The residence of Chas, McCarthy is entirely destroyed

Austin.-Judge Poindexter intimates that he might be persuaded to make the race for the Governorship.

Kenedy.—At a meeting of the stockholders of the State Bank the following officers were elected: J. A. Martin president; Will Nichols, vice president; William Green, F. G Hillje, E. P. Rubmann, T. D. Puckett, and H. W. McGoldrick, cashier.

Comanche.-Mrs. M. K. Witt, wife of Professor Witt, is burned to death as the result of a gasoline explosion.

Uvalde.-Corner stone to the new \$40,000 school building is laid, accompanied by elaborate ceremony and public rejoicing.

DOMESTIC.

New York, N. Y .- Amelia Bingham, the noted actress, is in a very critical condition as a result of an operation for intestinal obstruction.

Birmingham, Ala.—As a result of a street duel between Dr. J. E. Garrison and J. D. Williams, Williams is dead and Garrison is in a very precarious condition. Trouble was caused by family affairs.

Washington, D. C .- Mr. Byrd of Mashington, D. C.—Mr. Byrd of Mississippi makes a stirring speech in which he states that the South should manufacture all of its cotshould manufacture all of its cotton instead of sending two-thirds of its product abroad.

Fort Wayne, Ind .- The New Avelin Hotel is entirely destroyed by fire and twenty-five guests perish. Many others jump and are severely injured.

New York, N. Y .- Wu Ting Fang, Chinese diplomat and Minister to the United States, declares that the moment that China becomes strong enough to protect her sovereign rights the problem involved in the Far Eastern question will have been

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Ripley, O .- The Burley tobacco district has been placed under mar-tial law by Adjutant General Critchfield. Rumors of an invasion on the part of the Kentucky night riders is the caused of this action.

Washington, D. C.—The House resolution was passed by the Senate appropriating \$250,000 for the relief of the victims of the storm districts of Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi and Louisiana.

Baltimore, Md.-W. M. Dennett of San Francisco, in a newspaper interview, makes many sarcastic observations on the exacting and foolish legislation enacted by the Thirtieth Legislation. Mr. Dennett stopped over at many of the principal cities in Texas while en route to Balti-

St. Louis, Mo.-Dr. C. F. Simmons and a former employe, Norman H. Chamberlain, fought a pistol duel on the streets of Excelsior Springs, Mo. Eight shots were fired, in spite of which no one was hurt. Dr. Sim-mons has large interests in Texas real estate.

Washington, D. C.—Colonel Thos. Gary died at his residence in Washington in his seventy-fourth year. The Colonel was a native of Virginia, though his home has been in Galveston since 1876.

New Orleans, La.—Matthew J. Sanders, prominent financier, is "called out" by J. D. Honor on account of testimony given before the courts in the River Front strike trouble.

Des Moines, Ia.—Eight railroads operating in Iowa affirm in their reports that the two-cent rate has stimulated travel and increased receipts.

St. Louis, Mo.—Attorney General Hadley has decided to get into the race for Governor of Missouri. An official announcement of this fact has been sent to Chairman W. S. Dikey of the Republican State Cen-

Washington, D. C .- Secretary of War Taft leaves on an extended visit to Panama. Secretary Taft makes the trip on the United States cruiser Prairie. The supposed purpose of the trip is relative to relations existing between Panama and the United States.

Nashvifle, Tenn.—Eleven thou-sand pounds of coffee suspected of containing adulterations was burned by the United States Government authorities. The shipment was made to Nashville parties.

FOREIGN.

Tokio-The cruiser Matsushima of the Japanese training squadron is totally wrecked as the result of an explosion in the stock magazine. In the neighborhood of 225 of the crew plosion is unknown. were killed. The cause of the ex-

London-England is having considerable trouble on the Northern frontier of India. One attempt was made by a large force of Afghans to capture a block house in the Kyber Pass and a hostile demonstration in the Bazaar Valley has kept the small British force in the immediate vicinity extremely busy.

Budapest-General Stephen Tarr, a Garibaldian veteran and a former adviser of Louis Kossuth, dies as the result of heart trouble.

Caracas-The bubonic plague is raging in the port of La Guayra. European residents are leaving in a rush while there is yet a chance to get away, and the business of the port is completely demoralized.

Messina-Mount Etna is still in a state of eruption and the residents of nearby villages have left their homes and are camping in the open.

Lima-Owing to the absolute re-Dr. Durand is publicly condemned by the populace. Durand and his followers are fugitives.

Paris-Despite the efforts of the police to keep the matter a secret, it has been ascertained that the death of the Duc de Chaulnes took tel Langham in a dying condition by the police.

Rome-Owing to the absolute refusa, of the Catholic Church to acknowledge Madame Gould's divorce, Helie de Sagan has decided to become a Protestant. This will enable the couple to become united by both | the civil and religious ceremony.

Guadalajara, mex.-Newspaper is started for the purpose of booming the election of General Bernardo Reyes to succeed President Diaz. Several publications of a like nature have sprunk up throughout the State and a well defined movement is on foot for the election of Reyes on the expiration of President Diaz' term of office.

City of Mexico.—Arrangements have been made by the Mexican Water and Light Co. to store 50,000,000 cubic meters of water this summer by means of the lately completed dam. This will effect a saving of \$2,000,000 in fuel bills by doing away with an immense steam plant which has hitherto been used by the company to produce the necessary

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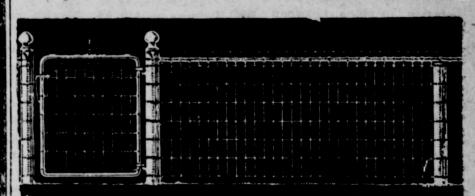
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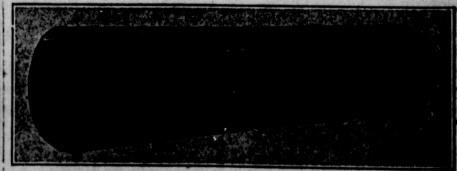
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shook hands "under the table" February 25,—a gala day marking the opening to the traveling other brave and heroic deeds of public of the Hudson Terminal glorious women, but she has toilor McAdoo tunnel system, that ed and suffered and endured for connected Manhattan Island years and years without numwith Hoboken, Jersey City, and ber, and we can find no line to transportation.

The face of a long, lank Southerner, William Gibbs Mc-oine—this mother. She wears Adoo, broke into a smile. The no armor, no badge of distinchustling commutor who spends tion-just a plain, ordinary, so many of his daylight hours every day dress. At one time, Hudson to his Jersey home- heart days, when her lover ad-\$60,000,000 dream became a they all dream of the perpetual

overcome? What tussles with the one man. capitalists and battles with mud and rock, with silt and quick-sand! "I am only one of the men who put these tubes through," he drawled, in the slow musical language of the South. "I am only part of the scenery. I'm only a cog," he to realize that it is the little added. "General Sherman is things in life which go so far no doubt primarily responsible for what I have done in connection with the building of the tunnels. When Sherman led his great army 'Marching Through the slightest caress is to a woman Georgia,' he didn't leavemuch in Georgia worth picking up, and most of us lads who had an ambition to do something in the world discovered that the only thing for us to do was to get out and find some place that Sherman and his army had not visited. That situation was the starting point of what little success I have had in the world.'

Mr. McAdoo got out of Georgia, where he was born, at Mariin 1863. After graduating in the Tennessee University, in which his father was a professor, McAdoo come North and went into the law office of William McAdoo, former assistant of the Treasury, a namesake, but not a relation. One day young Mc-Adoo was sent over to Jersey City and there saw a section of a tunnel begun by Colonel Haskins, an Englishman, in 1014. Haskins had dropped some baby will be clean and sweet, the now grows in great abundance into ablack hole and abandoned baby will have proper food and large size, and every twig is the idea of tunneling the Hudnourishment, and so it continues, crowded with small ball like son. Six years of boring lay the same round of monotony all there a dead, inertless loss. It through school days until collections. was a cold day and the wind blew over the Hudson and through the thin skin of the southern born thought, if this tunnel were fin- bar necessities of life so that ished and I could cross over to her boys or girls may share hillside. An expert estimates New York beneath the river inequally with the others. stead of upon the bleak ferry boat. The idea took hold if him and so firmly was it imbedded in his mind that he never let up until he got the ear of big New York capitalists. Work was be-gun in 1892. All the hard, intricate problems of engineering have been met with Napoleonic fortitude and ingenuity by the daring McAdoo and his aide, Jacobs. The tunnel creator is a giant in stature and firm of jaw Lincoln, whom he resembles. His eyes are blue and his temperament is as gentle as a poet's. He is soft of speech, magnetic and convincing, so convincing that he has lured into his tunnel building \$100,000,000 of American gold.

The Real Heroine.

of Her Worth.

How many of us have sat cial, the play, that we may go with straining nerves, bated breath, and glowing eyes and read of the heroic deeds of history's greatest heroines, not knowing or realizing that within our vision, actually living and breathing, is the greatest heroine the world ever did or ever will know—Mother!

breast or leg? Who is it stays home from the concert, the so-cial, the play, that we may go with the others and not be stint-ed for small change? Who is it crucifies her love of pretty clothes, her desire for good things, herlonging for pleasure that we may y have all these? Who is it? Mother.

Boys, when you grow up should you attain the wealth of

True mother never led an army and saved a country as did Joan of Arc; she never manned a life boat and rescued drowning souls as did Grace Darling; she never went to hte New York and New Jersey front and nursed sick and wounded soldiers as did Florence Nightingale; or the many glorious women, but she has toilall the world by direct electric her credit in history or a monument that marks her bravery.

She is a very insignificant hercatching trains and ferry boats drove into the airy depths of the McAdoo tube with a sigh of relief and was whisked beneathe the traffic congested hair, but that was in her sweetthe triumph of the Southern boy years ago, before she became a who came to New York ten heroine. Then sne dreamed like years ago to "make a living." other young girls—she was no No wonder he smiled when his different from the girls of today, love making, the never ending What obstacles dd the young lover-like attention of the man-

But husbands grow indiffera word of remembrance—Oh! things in life which go so far towards making up the sum of human happiness, they do not remember that a few words of affection, a clasp of the hand, the greatest thing in the world. Poverty and love is the true weman to superior to wealth and indifferance, but few husbands understand the true woman. Our poor heroine! she grows accustomed to this heartache—this void of something for which she longs, her dreams fade away until—until a future is before her, something that will fill this

Oh! then is when our heroine hows her mettle, she accepts her Gethsemane as part of her life, shrubs. These are largely of she rallies her strength and begins the battle anew. She has botanically as Legunosa, the something else to live for now—most common being the mesthe dreams are forgotten in the quite, huisache and other acamartyrdom of motherhood, the cies, embracing, according to thousand and one little cares and this expert, the largest range of tribulations, the slaving over the perfume flowers and shrubs sewing machine that baby will known to any section of America. look prettty, the toiling over the The huisache, a native of Brazil, wash tub and ironing board that has extended northward and \$2,000,000 of English money bending over the hot fire that in this section. It grows to a through school days until college ness. Their perfume fills the time is reached, and then comes pastures of Southwest Texas time is reached, and then comes an extra task, the pinching and now. Even more common and squeezing of every penny, the not less fragrant is the mesquite, A fine thing, he self-denial of everything but the

How many of us have stood and watched with admiration the thousand dollars are going to returning victor of some petty battle, cheering until we were practical use made from these hoarse, exhausting ourselves with the vehemence of our enthusiasm, when right beside us, possibly touching our hand, was which adjoins this on the west, one greater than he? One whose is the largest single honey probattle has not been petty—whose ducing county in the country, conflict has not been of short and last fall shipped three carduration, but has for us fought loads of honey to England, the many a severe fight.

When we had the scarlet fever or diphtheria and not one could come near us, who held the cup of cold water to our fever parched lips? Who bent over us day and night and fought away with almost supernatural strength the them covering forty or fifty greatest of all enemies—death? The world's greatest heroine— Mother! Who is it that each Sunday dinner time chose the interest capital in establishing a neck of the chicken that we might have the juicy wing or it is only a question of time when breast or leg? Who is it stays this waste wealth is utilized.

gan, don't give your money to universities, to libraries, or make wonderful collections until after raised a monument, a wonderful monument, to the world's heroine. Give your medals to the mothers-real mothers, those who prove themselves to be mothers, not those who prefer the silken bundle of a French poodle to the sweet sacredness of a baby girl or boy; not those who leave their sacred charge to the mercy of a nurse or governess, not those who prefer the company of fashionable friends to the presence of their children, or to those who find more pleas-

an Andrew Carnegie, or a John

Rockefeller ar a Pierpont Mor-

ure in the discussion of an immoral book or play to the inno-cent prattle of their God given gifts—not those mothers, boys, but real mothers, brave, enduring, suffering mothers—those who have given to the world side in three minutes. This was mired each little change—long boys and girls who have helped make the world, those who have given their best in life that you may succeed—raise the grandest and best monument under the blue canopy of heaven in honor and commemoration of the greatest heroine of all ages, past and forever—our heroine—the world's heroine—Mother.—Human Life.

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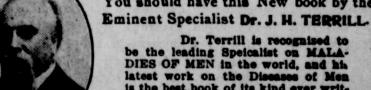
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DEMOCRATIC SUCCESS.

The observer of the signs of the times sees many indications pointing to an early vindication of all those principles of democracy which the great commoner from Nebraska has been con- W. R. Bishop of Henderson tending for all these years. County as a candidate for Dis-The indicating straws are ap- trict Judge of the Third Judipearing every day to show the cial District, subject to the general drift of the current action of the July primary. of public opinion, and it is bereap the harvest

objective some day: If this claims are presented. were not a law of nature, then all the glorious and sublime panhigher things.

him next time, because he has caused it all. not been duly tested. But when a gladiator stands up succes-

arose smiling and debonair sideration. to fight another day. They have handed him side cut and grave to produce as much con- his home. sternation in monopolistic ranks as did the recusitated Georgia which Uncle Rastus remarked, either.

Grapeland Messenger after he had performed several leagues of collegiate sprinting town, jolly him. Tell him this "Dat was de liv'lies corps I is a great little city-and so it is. ever har'n tell of."

sometimes the straight manful him to believe that he has at last blow, direct form the shoulder is going to strike home.

An auspicious augury of democratic success in November is the fact that 'the people, justly or otherwise, have changed administrations in the presidential elections succeeding the Advertising Rates Reasonable, great panics. After the panic and made known on application. of '37, the whigs elected Harrison; after the panic of 73-75 the democrats elected Tilden; after the panic of 93-95 the republicans elected McKinley. As has been yery neatly observed. For some reason the people have always rebuked the the party that premitted a runaway in money matters while it held the reins .- Mangum Ok.,

HON. W. R. BISHOP.

In the proper place this week will be found the name of Hon.

Mr. Bishop is comparaitivily a coming more potent evey hour young man and has never bethat fate has not ordained for fore asked for public honors. the people's champion the lot of But he has been very successful a life time sower-with others to at the bar, and his home people -those who know him best-Personly we beleive it is just bear testimony that he is a man naturally in the constitution of of high moral character and Mr. Bryan to be president of the thouroughly qualified to fill the United States some day. When position. He is now in this a man after successive defeats County looking after his candirises stronger, broader, more dacy, and expects to see most of fully developed, and more pop- the people in person, and asks ular than ever, it is in the nature you as a matter of fairness to of things that he will reach his withhold your decision until his

A man or woman may lead a orama of struggling effort is but life of honesty and purity, Lata cruel jest. Bryan is preimi tling bravely for all they hold nently one whose sinews of war dearest, so firm and sure of the are toughened by defeat, and rightness of their life that they who, after the beautiful words never think for an instant of the of Lord Tennyson "rise on step- diabolical ingenuity that makes ping stones of his dead self" to evil report where naught but good really exists. A few words And what a grand fighter lightly spoken by the tongue of Bryan is after all; under the slander, a significant expression ornate and courtly exterior of a of the eyes, a cruel shrug of the Lord Chesterfield you will find shoulders, -and then friendly in him all the tough combative bands grow cold, the accustom. ness of 'Old Hickory'. When a ed smile is dicplaced by a sneer man makes a brilliant finish of and she stands aloft with a dazed his opponent in a single round feeling of wonder at the vague, we do not feel like staking on intangible something that has

Mr. Stell Sharp of Latexo is a sively before opponent after op candidate for Commissioner of ponent, an tho' felled rises Precinct No. 2, and his name with renewed determination, we appears in this week's paper. fell like he is going to Mr. Sharp is a progressive come out victor sometime. farmer, and is making the race It is somewhat in this light on his merits. He is qualified that the gladiator of the com- to make the county a good officer mon people has been vouchsafed and to discharge the duties of to us. He has been in the arena that office in a business way. for twelve years. He was floored His candidacy is subject to the once-1896-in open violation of July primary, and we commend all rules of the game, but he his cause to your careful con-

The man who owns his home back thrust, uppercut and under- is in a position that the renter cut, a straight manful blow di- can never reach. The renter rect from the shoulder. The usually finds that his rent is too firt time they felled him they high, and is restless, and dissaid he was shelved but he contentment stalks before him. sprang from the shelt like Min- He wants to move. He doesn't erva from the fourhead of Jove. take the same interest in munic-The next time they floored him ipal affairs, in his own affairs, they said he was dead, but Laz nor is he as solicitious of his arus like, he sprang from the neighbors as the man who owns

Many a woman has driven her negro among the darkies at an husband to drink, and he didn't interupted funeral, concerning stop at the watering through,

When a stranger drops in Don't discourage him by speak-The summary of it all is that ing ill of your nighbors. Lead found a place where good people

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W R Bishop, of Henderson

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For Sheriff A W Phillips Jno C Lacy (Re-election)

For County Judge John Spence (Re-election)

For County Superintendent Public Instruction J F Mangum

For Representative W G Creath J R Nichols J B Smith John Luce

For County Treasurer D J Cater (Re-election)

For County Attorney Earle Adams, Jr. (For Re-election)

For District Clerk B F Dent Joe Brown Stanton For re-election

For Tax Collector A L Goolsby

For County Clerk Nat E Allbright (for reelection)

J R Howard

For Commissioner, Precinct

8 H Lively (re-election) A Morris

For Commissioner Precinct No. 2

J A Hughes GR Murchison (re-election) Stell Sharp

For Constable, Precinct No.5 S C Spence (re-election)

For Justice Peace, Precinct

Jno A Davis (re-election)

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If I don't smile when you walk in remember I am glad to see opinion on the Bailey question, you just the same.

Mrs. Minnie Lunsford of Crockett spent a few days here this let each of us consider carefully week visiting the family of W. R. Wherry.

Misses Bruton and McMasters of Latexo visited relatives and friends in the city Saturday and Sunday.

Dr. J. B. Smith of Crockett and W. G. Creath of Belott, both candidates for representative, were in town Saturday.

Olan Davis has resigned his position with W. E. Swift at Palestine and accepted a position with the Pacific Express Co. He

George Scarborough was in town from his home at Denson Springs Monday, and reports crops in that locality as recovering from the recent cold snap.

Mack Garrison of Salmon was in town last week and had us to replace his name on our list, after doing without the Messenger for several months,

Notice to the Public,

Owing to the light grinding, in order to reduce expenses, we have arranged to only run each mill every other Saturday. Herod & Bridges will run Saturday, May 9, and Brooks the following Saturday, and will continue in that order until further notice.

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Let us Have Peace.

To the Messenger: -Now that the election is over and the county convention has been held, I hope we will forget the bitterness that may have been engeadered during the campaign.

It was the right epirit which prompted Hon. I. A. Daniel to citizens of Grapeland at the offer, and the county convention school house next Tuesday to pass, the resolution that all strife and bitterness should cease ing ways and means to keep this among us and the result of the town clean during the summer. election in the state be accepted Let every man in town be by all in good faith. I agree fully with the entire resolution, both .. MESSENGER OFFICE ..

We ought, in my humble judgement, to accept the result of the election without holding in Would you exchange your our hearts bitterness towards our friends and neighbors, and I am sure it is not too much for me to say that all of us ought to consider only the qualifications of a merchandise for your produce candidate for office, and not how when I'll pay you the CASH for he may have voted in the primary on May 2nd, in casting our votes. It is to the interest of every one that the best men are selected to fill our offices.

While many of our best men were for Senator Bailey, it is true that just as many were against him who were just as good and just as conscientious in casting their votes. We claim for ourselves honesty of conviction and freedom to vote as our conscience dictates. Shall we deny equal honesty and the same freedom to those who differed with us? And if so, by what right? Is it fair or just to say we will not vote for a candidate who was against Senator Bailey, while at the same time, claiming we had the right to decide how we would vote, and no man had any right to question Flour! flour! we handle the our sincerety or freedom in choos-

> I most earnestly hope all of our people, and especially those who, like myself, were for Senator Bailey, will consider the matter carefully and deliberately. If I may advise, let no man prescribe any candidate because of his and let no man vote for any candidate on account of the way he may have voted on May 2nd, but the qualifications of each candidate, and conscientiously cast our vote for him, who in our judgement, will best fill the office.

Joe Adams.

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"Well, thee sees, lass, it makes a chap feel a bit awkward-like to be alus accepting other folks' civilities when he never has nowt o' t' sooart of his awn to ax 'em back to.'

His Wife Took Heart.

The Worth of Soberness.

A blacksmith had in his possession, but under mortgage, a house and piece of ground. Like many others, he was at one time fond of the social glass, but was happily induced by a friend to join the temperance society. About three months after, he observed his wife one morning bussaid he, "I have owned this lot never known you to care to imgave up drink. I had often persuaded that should I do it some stranger would pluck the

A Tramp's Sermon.

What "Personal Liberty" Gave to One Own with cool tears its influ-Man.

A tramp asked for a drink in a saloon. The request was granted, and when in the act of drinking the proffered beverage, one thoroughly acquainted with what of the young men present ex-ature will do for them when as- claimed, "Stop! Make us a

The tramp hastily swallowed

"Gentlemen," he said, "I look but I put out tfhe holy fire, and darkness and desolation reigned in its stead. I had aspirations No matter what your eye or and ambitions that soared as Today I am a husband without a wife, a tramp without a home, and a man in whom every good drink,"-The Chronicle.

Ode to the Knocker.

Put the hammer in the locker, Hide the sounding board likewise.

Anyone can be a knocker-Anyone can cirticise; Cultivate a manner winning,

Though it hurts your face to smile, And seems awkward in begin-

ning-Be a booster for a while.

Tex. Let the blacksmith do the pounding-That's the way he draws his

pay; You don't get a cent for pound-

Saint and sinner night and

day; Just for solid satisfaction Drop a kind word in the slot, And I'll warrant you'll get action

Kindness every time beats kick-

On your efforts on the spot.

Mirth is better than a frown, Do not waste your time in picking

down; And it isn't so distressing If you'll give a little boost To the man the fates are press-

When the chicks come home to

Yes, the world would be brighter If you'd kindle friendship's flame.

And thus make troubles lighter Of the man against the game; Send your grouch on a vacation Give your grumbling tones the shake.

And with grim determination Throw your hammer in the lake.

—Exchange.

but her feet

Turn never backward; hers no bloody glare. Her light is calm and innocent

and sweet. And where it enters there is no despair.

spire Quivers and gleams that uncon-

suming fire; While these stand back against her morning skies,

The peasant sees it leap from peak to peak Along his hills. The craftsman's burning eyes

ence mother meek. It lights the poet's heart up like a star.

—James Russell Lowell. All honor to him who shall win the prize!

The world has cried for a thousand years. But to him who tries and who

fails and dies I give great honor and glory and tears.

tears To all who fail in their deeds

sublime. of years.

They are born with time in advance of time.

a name. But greater many and many

a time in shame

And lets God finish the thought sublime.

sword undrawn. And good is the man who refrains fro wine.

But the man who fails and yet still fights on-

Lo, he is the twin born brother of mine! -Joaquin Miller.

love, too, to be loved. All loving praise Seems like a crown upon my

life, tomake It better worth the giving and to raise Still nearer to your own the heart you take.

I love all good and noble souls. I heard

One speak of you but lately, and for days, Only to speak of it, my soul was

stirred In tender memory of such generous praise.

I love all those who love you, all who owe Comfort to you, and I can better condi-

find regret Even for those poorer hearts who once could know And once could love you and can now forget.

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Status of Prohibition in the South.

Prohibition in the South has an inspiration at its heart. past." They look upon prohibition as a decreed impossibility, The spectacle of the and point to Maine and Kansas in making a demonstration of for proof.

is something different. It is not powerful enemy of the human ordinary state prohibition, but race is immensely significant to an impulse of civilization, the outflow of religious, educational, liquor traffic and its antagonoutflow of religious, educational, liquor traffic and its antagon-economic, social, and political ists the battle heretofore has open them the bargain is off. resolution of southern society. been a draw. With 30,000,000 "What is behind prohibition in people placed solidly in the bal- slowly, very slowly, the kisses bethe South?" Religious interests ance against the liquor traffic gan to fall upon her lips. One, and energies. A proposition to the moral equilibrium of the two, three, four (a long pause). restore the liquor traffic would world will be disturbed and a receive almost the same response world awakening against the eight, nine, ten (intolerable from the churches as to restore drink evil will follow. a state church establishment.

prohibition. An army of 30,000 icy is an exhibition of rare moral teachers has been commissioned courage—an innovation in An- in astonishment and drew back to teach that the liquor traffic glo-Saxon human nature, in her pretty mouth from the adis an enemy to the personal and liquor traffic has always found vancing lips of a strange boy, public welfare. The introduc- a responsive chord. There is a very common, shabby sort of a tion of text books on physiology another aspect in the situation boy, whom she had never seen into the schools was the inaug- which is inspiring to those who before. uration of the prohibition propaganda. To the thousands of pub- that at last the Southern people cried. lic school teachers consecrated to are coming into a position of truth and consistency prohibi- moral leadership in the nation. the reply, 'sellin' yer kisses for tion is mental and moral free- The South has taken a distinct two apples apiece. Better shut sensitive conscience.

The economic conscience is behind prohibition. The truth has at last been recognized in the South that the whisky traffic belongs to the category of economic wastes-floods, famines, wars and disasters of nature. Industrial conditions forced this conviction upon the people. The great need of the South is labor. experts to the reiterated It had everything else. Cotton ment that the expense incident to vable land; but skilled labor was of the deficit in the postal revewanting. It was learned that nues of recent years is confirmed the profit in cotton lay in its by the records of the postoffice manufacture,—that a bale worth department. In 1897, when the \$40, by the addition of labor and brains in the factory could sell delivery was only \$14,840, the for \$400. It lacked the brains, and suddenly realized that whatever injured the sources of labor was anindustrial enemy. Hence industry's fiat against liquor. "There is a rank of men, indus-trialists and agriculturists, who have dreamed a dream of the on account of rural delivery ser-South's industrial future which they are bent on realizing. If the liquor traffic should veret the liquor traffic should vere the liquor traffic shoul the liquor traffic should ever at- rural delivery service is respon-

negroes has operated as a tre- ally followed by the increase of mendous incentive for prohibition of the liquor traffic. The Atlanta and Mississippi riots showed the dangers of the saloon. It was an attractive social center for the dangerous element of Southern population,—the lower level of both races. Following the racial lines from top to bottom, they converged at the saloon, which was situated in the acute angle of this inverted social pyramid.

the vengeful and irresponsible white. Ofboth the South is tired. So the Negro alone was not the only or chief cause for prohibition, although admittedly, a pow-

erful incentive. Prohibition is not on the defensive. It is a great, broad, deep movement of the most commanding proportions and with to contend with two classes,— has laid hold upon the spirit of the "Alcoholics" and the "Aca- Southern solidarity, and is makdemics,"-says Mr. John E. ing an appeal to patriotic imag-White, in the Southern Work- ination, to sectional pride, which man for March. The former are is having a recognized effect on partisans through selfish mo- national conscience. It will be tives, and the latter "are those recorded as the most important who have fallen in love with and influential moral deed syllogisms and have some sort achieved in American civiliza-of records in the deputatious tion during the first quarter of

The spectacle of the South sufficient social moral courage Southern prohibition, however, to deal materially with the most

Prohibition in the South in Educational forces are behind the civic program as a final poltake the South to heart. It is which is good for everybody everywhere.

Postal Gains under Rural Delivery.

Exception is taken by postal it had, and also, available culti- rural delivery has been the cause delivery was only \$14,840, the postal deficit was \$11,411,779, while in 1907 the expenditures for rural delivery had increased to \$26,755,524, and the deficit had decreased \$6,953,282. These figures are cited to demonstrate that the increased expenditure tempt to return from outlawry sible for avery large percentage it will find them in line, standing of the increase in the postal reside by side with the preachers and the teachers. with their guns in their hands." of the South are behind prohibition. The presence of 8,000,000 ity affected, and this is graduand discontinuing star routes.

Three Judges to Agree to an Injunction.

Senator Overman's bill for the regulation of injunctions by Fed-When they had been closed for a week in Atlanta, the people asked: "Why not a year and forever?" The liquor traffic fostered and encouraged the degrees. In speaking of the measure of the second of the prayed and criminal negro and ure, the author of the bill

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