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Judge W. J. Townsend Jr., Announces Today.

It is with unfeigned pleasure that the News announces the candidacy of Hon. W. J. Townsend, Jr., today to fill out the un expired term of the late Hon. C. C. Stokes in the upper house of the Texas Legislature. No one in the district, we are sure, is more ably qualified to serve the people in this capacity and we are also certain that no one could be selected who would come near er representing his whole conthat might come before him in furnishing line. which he would have to cast his vote.

The Judge was born and reared in Angelina county, is thirtyfive years of age, an able lawyer and a graduate of the University of Texas, graduating with honor in the year 1889. He has served his county as its prosecuting attorney for two terms and also served one term as county judge carrying seventeen out of eighteen boxes in the county and leading his opposition with the very flattering vote of 711. Since then he has been engaged in the active practice of law at this place. He has many warm friends over the district and is assured of their hearty support different as to where you in his worthy ambition to represent them in the great lawmak-

Merchandise is moving that Angelina county puts him cheapest to the best. in the district if given the nomination at their hands.

Gentlemen, we commend him to you and ask that you give his candidacy your careful consideration before casting your ballot. Lufkin News.

# Speaking Dates.

Lufkin, Texas, Aug. 29, 1910. Grapeland Messenger,

Grapeland, Texas.

Please publish through the columns of your paper that I will address the citizens of Houston County on the following dates and places as herein given in the interest of my candidacy for State Senator. All candidates for the same will be accorded a fair division of time at said places:

Kennard City, Thursday Sept.

15 at 3 P. M.

Ratcliff, Thursday Sept. 15, at 8:30 P. M. Augusta, Friday Sept. 16, at

8:30 P. M. Crockett, Saturday Sept. 17, at

8:30 P. M. Lovelady, Monday Sept. 19, at

8:30 P. M. Weldon, Tuesday Sept. 20, at

8:30 P. M. Creek, Wednesday Sept. 21, at

8:30 P. M. Porter Springe, Thursday Sept. 22, at 8:30 P. M.

Percilla, Friday Sept. 23, at at 8:30 P. M. Grapeland, Saturday, Sept. 24,

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# **ENDORSEMENTS**

For State Senator.

Judge W. J. Townsend, Jr., of Lufkin announces as a candidate for the democratic nomination for the State Senate, subject to white primary ordered for October 8th. Almost ever since this vacancy was created by the death of Senator C. C. Stokes, the friends of Judge Townsend from all over the district have been urging him to announce. The Judge is well known over the district as an able lawyer, and in event of his election, his legal knowledge, his clear and convincing reasoning power will be an acquisition to the thirty-Cooking Stoves in the second legislature and a benefit

W. J Townsend For State Senate.

The Press-Journal is this week announcing Hon. W. J. Townsend as a candidate for the State Senate, in this the 13 Senatorial District, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late Senator C. C. Stokes.

Mr. Townsend is a native of our neighbor county, Angelina, and his home is in Lufkin. He is not a stranger to our people, having married Miss Zoe Willson many friends in Rusk and Cherokee county. As to his ability to represent this district there is no question. He is thoroughly acquainted with the duties of the position to which he aspires, and is in full sympathy with our interests. The Press-Journal is in possession of the platform upon which he will make the race, and will publish same next week Unless Cherokee County should have a candidate for the position, we are inclined to believe that our people should support Mr. Townsend for the Senate.-Rusk Press Journal.

# For the State Senate.

Hon. W. J. Townsend, Jr., of Lufkin authorizes this paper to his candidacy for the State Senate, to fill out the unexpired term of the late Senator Stokes. A primary election has been ordered to take place on Oct. 8 h, and and the final election will occur in November, on the same date as the general election.

Mr. Townsend writes us that his platform is now in the hands of the printer and will be issued to the public at an early date.

He is in favor of submission and personally will vote for statewide prohibition; he is also opposed to changing the Rusk prison to a negro asylum, and is for reform in Court proceedure. He will begin next week a vigorour campaign, and will visit this county.

Having known Judge Townsend for many years, and being well acquainted with his qualifications for this office, we have no hesitancy in stating that we consider him a good man for the place and believe that if he is selected, he will serve the district faithfully and efficiently .- Jacksonville Banner.

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# Trinity River Ripples.

Reynard, Texas, Aug. 29 .-Cotton picking has opened up in dead earnest and our gin is in operation and there will be something doing down this way. Herman and Glenn Beazley moved the first bale of the new crop from these parts.

We are still in need of a good rain, but it would do both good and bad right now. If we do not have rain soon seed cane will be about all that will be made.

Mr. Fulgham received a telegram telling of the sad and untimely death of his brother, who was killed doing his duty on the railroad. Such is railroading, but of course we cannot stop the trains because a man is killed.

Mr. Alton Murchison, a Grapeland young man, has accepted a position with T. S. Kent as sales-

The family of T. S. Kent will soon be divided. Part will live in Grapeland and part will remain here. Of course Grapeland gets the best part and will get all some day.

The government is tinkering with the lock and dam business again and it does not seem like they would be spending money for naught, and some day you folk will be coming down this way to take passage to Galveston, for the novelty of the thing if nothing else.

W. L. Fox, who has been visiting relatives and old friends here for some time, left Saturday for other parts of the state.

Most of our young people attended the party at Daly's Friday night and report a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Beszley and children spent Sunday at Daly's with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pen-

Nugent Beazleyis in Crockett visiting friends.

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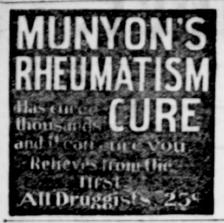
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# STUNG BY BASE INGRATITUDE

Bowery Denizen Seemingly Had Right to Be Indignant at Old Friend's Attitude.

"You remember dat guy, Jim Burke?" asked an irate Bowery denizen. "He's dat stiff dat's doin' time senate today, after the favorable lacy senate insurance bill, providing a up der river-Sing Sing-boiglary- committee report, and may be taken maximum insurance rate and compe ten years. Well, you know all I done up Tuesday if printed by that time. tition below that rate, was next beter dat stiff. When he was pinched The Murray resolution providing fore the house. didn't I put up der coin for der law- for the appropriation of \$5,000 for the The Cureton bill was read as a conyers? Didn't I pay der witnesses? arrest and conviction of the slayers mittee substitute for the senate Sure I did. De oder day I t'inks I'll of two rangers, recently killed in Hi- measure, this being the specific rate just go an' see dat mutt just t' leave dalgo County, was tabled, upon mo-bill, and was adopted in lieu of the him know his frien's ain't tied de tion of the author, Senator Murray, senate measure. can on 'im. So I drives out to d' jail This action was taken after prolongand goes into d' warden's office and he ed debate. Senator Murray eventusays I gotter send me card in. Me ally seemed to yield to a point of or- insurance legislation in the house card! D' ye get dat? Well, anyway, der made by Senator Terrell (Bowie.) and senate in a effort to bring about I writes my name on a piece o' paper This subject was not embraced in an agreement. He asked the house what d' you t'ink dat stiff tells dat guy to tell me?"

T've no idea," said the listener. "He tells him," concluded the angry one, "t' tell me dat he ain't in!"-From Success Magazine.

# Not to Overdo It. Lily-I'se gwine to a s'prise party

tonight, Miss Sally.

a present?

Lily-Well, we didn' cal'late on takin' no present. Yo' see, we don't bill providing for the issuance of 6 the appropriation of \$25,000 with wan' to s'prise 'em too much.

# There Are Reasons

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# Legislative News

--- DOINGS IN THE

# Senate and House

Monday's Senate Doings.

round of sparring for time until the house Monday. mittee they were not voting affirm- that motion tabled. atively for the favorable report of the bill, necessarily because they were effect Oct. 15, as prescribed in the altogether in sympathy with the com- emergency clause, instead of ninety mittee bill, but merely for the pur- days after adjournment, or in Decempose of getting it before the senate, ber some time, is now doubtful. If

citly stated in committee that they will concur with the senate. If the did not favor the bill in its entirety, necessary two-thirds vote is not oband assured the newspaper reporters tained in both houses the bill can not that there would be "something do go into effect on Oct. 15, and thereing" when the bill came up in the sen- fore its passage will be of no benefit

the governor's call.

ment on Sept. 3 was introduced by conference committee and allow difstate affairs.

ernor submitting as a subject for leg- conference. Miss Sally-What will you take for islation amendments to the Galveston Mr. Ray offered an amendment in

# In the House.

ost the entire day Wednesday on the bill of lading bill.

smith offered a substitute to strike ing to \$100. out the enacting clause and in effect kill the bill.

Speaking against the bill Mr. Highno demand for a law of the kind.

Mr. Munson wanted to know why, if conditions are normal, the New Orleans bankers have declined to honor cotton bills of lading and sent a committee to confer with Eastern bank. ment and commended the bill.

have made it a rule not to advance surance hearing by the house commoney on bills of lading which are mittee was a farce and a fraud, as not guaranteed. He called President the witnesses examined were mostly Loudermilk of the Farmers' Union financially interested. bers got in a hurry to pass the bill 41 to 56. when "Mr. Buttermilk slapped them Late in the afternoon the senate on the back."

peared before the committee in behalf reading-67 to 30. of the bill.

Mr. Currey-Don't you know that one man represents the union farmers

"It won't do the farmers any good," Mr. Highsmith replied. "I tell you it will do more harm than good when you see the practical working of it." Mr. Currey-When we need your advice on it we will come to you for it. companion measure to the one the (Laughter.)

Austin, Tex.-The senate sessions Thursday were very brief, in order that undivided attention might be given the drafting of a tentative pen- the "International and Great Northern itentiary reform bill by the joint question" is by no means settled by committee.

In the afternoon the lieutenant goverrnor announced that the committee appointed to report upon senate employes failed to name the salaries to be paid. Senator Holsey sought to reduce the salaries of the secreof 1 to 9.

Monday's House Doings.

Austin, Tex.-The senate's sessions Austin, Tex.-Ninety-one of the 133 Monday were purely perfunctory, members, just two more than a quoand consisted, in reality, merely of a rum, answered to roll call in the

auspicious moment for the considera-not be a sufficient number of memtion of the penitentiary reform bill bers present for some days, if at all, shall have arrived. This bill was re- to pass the bill of lading act by a ported favorably by the penitentiary two-thirds majority, Mr. Munson callcommittee of the senate Monday ed up his motion to reconsider the without discussion. Brachfield, Ter- vote by which this bill was passed, a rell (McLennan), and others let it vote in which the bill was given less be distinctly understood that in com- than a two-thirds majority, and had

The question of this bill going into where amendments could be offered. it gets a two-thirds majority vote in These gentlemen and others expli- the senate it might be that the house to the fall cotton movement,

The bill was ordered printed in the The Hudspeth, Brachfield and Wil-

Mr. Vaughan informed the house of to pass the house bill as substituted In the afternoon a concurrent reso for the senate bill and give the senlution providing for sine die adjourn- ate the opportunity to ask for a free Senators Watson, Perkins, Kellie, ferences between the house and sen-Paulus and Weinert. The resolution ate to be adjusted in such free conwas referred to the committee on ference. Further, he asked members having amendments to withhold them A message was read from the gov- at this time and present them to the

causeway bill. Immediately thereaf the nature of a substitute for one ter Senator Kauffman introduced a whole section of the bill, cutting out per cent Galveston causeway bonds, which the state is to maintain the fire rating board and providing that Austin, Tex.—The house spent al- the expense of this regulation, fixing the salaries of board members at \$2. 500 each and reducing the \$500 a Following reading of the committee year addition to the salary of the amendment Messrs. Dotson and High- commissioner of insurance and bank-

Mr. Ray spoke in behalf of his amendment.

smith argued there is no necessity and Hunt opposed the amendment and Messrs, Hamilton of Childress and supported the bill.

> Mr. McDaniel supported the amendment and opposed the bill.

Mr. Cureton asailed the amend-

Mr. Nickles condemned the bill as Mr. Highsmith said some bankers wrong in principle and said the in-

Mr. Buttermilk," and said some mem- The Ray amendment was killed-

bill, amended by the substitution of Only one man (Mr. Loudermilk) ap the Cureton bill, was passed to a third

Adjourned until Tuesday. In the Senate,

Austin, Texas .- The Senate Saturof Texas, that they have organized and day passed finally the International established warehouses, and though and Great Northern bill, after an alltheir agents want to get bids and the day debate, without even a recess at best price possible for their cotton and noon. All amendments which had yet you say there is no necessity for been offered were killed, the bill passed as it was originally introduced, and it received the necessary two-thirds vote to make it effective before the sale of the International and Great Northern on September 15. The house has also passed finally its International and Great Northern bill, a senate passed. But although both branches have taken this favorable action it is very probable because of developments in the senate today concurrent with the bill's passage that

the legislature. Senator Hudspeth and others who oppose the bill but desire that the claimants of the International and Great Northern railroad should be paid made this suggestion: That it might be possible to irduce the authorities of the federal court to stay tary and journal clerk from \$7.50 to the order fixing the date of sale of 35 per day. This was lost by a vote the International and Great Northern railroad on September 15.

OIL ON TROUBLED WATERS.



The Joker-What do you think of Paintem's painting of the ocean?

The Artist-I thought the water looked too calm. The Joker-I guess it's the oil on

It that does that.

Good Record Made by Women. Through the activity of women, in the anti-tuberculosis campaign, sanatoria and hospitals for the treatment of tuberculosis have been erected; traveling libraries have been circulated, posters, circulars and other kinds of literature have been distributed to the number of millions of R.F.D., Graniteville, Vt. uted to the number of millions of pieces, thousands of lectures have been given, large sums of money have been secured, hundreds of needy cases have been helped; tuberculosis work has been started in many communities where no movement had existed; and millions of women have learned the dangers and methods of prevention of tuberculosis. The work of the women extends from the drawing room of the rich to the homes of the poor, and embraces all classes, including the factory girl and millionaire. During the coming year a special campaign of lectures to women will be carried on

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# **AUGUST COTTON AT 20C**

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# HIGHEST SINCE CIVIL WAR

The Southern Spot Markets Showed No Such Gain, the Greatest Advance Being at Savannah.

New York.-August cotton sold at 20c a pound in the New York cotton market Monday on urgent demand from speculative shorts who had postponed covering until the last minute in the hope that the increasing new crop movement might break the control of the bull leaders.

This price, highest reached for cotton for any delivery since the civil war, and exceeding by nearly 2 1-2c per pound the highest figures reached in the famous bull year of 1903-04, which until now had stood as a standard of comparison, was regarded by many as the culminating of the bull movement in progress here for the last six months, during a season, which, when it ends next Thursday, will go down as the most spectacular in the annals of the cotton trade since the civil war.

Not a great many bales-perhaps fifteen thousand-actually changed hands on the advance from 16.82c, the closing price of last week, to 20c for August Monday morning. At 20c an offer from W. P. Brown, one of the bull leaders, to sell 100,000 bales, checked the upward movement and it was the general impression in the ring that this was a level fixed in the open market as a basis for settlement of the entire August interest remain-

Later, however, this view of the situation was somewhat shaken by the fact that, after reacting from 20c to 18,20c under scattered selling of a few hundred bales, August again advanced on renewed buying by shorts, touching 19,90c in the afternoon or within 10 points of the high record. At the close August was quoted at 19.75c bid, while new crop months. which had been very quiet all day, were only 4 to 9 points net higher.

In the local spot markets, the prices were marked up to 19.75c, but the Southern spot markets showed no such gain, the greatest advance recorded being 3-8c at Savannah, showing the local character of the extensive advance.

Latterly reports concerning the prospect have been confusing, owing to drouth in the Southwest, deterioration has been reported in that section, but weather conditions over other parts of the cotton belt since the first of August have been considered much more favorable and some reports have shown considerable improvement. The next report of the government on conditions will be issued at noon next Friday, and owing to the conflicting nature of recent advices, opinions as to its showing vary largely.

# After Cotton Pickers.

Hallettsville, Tex.-Parties from ton is opening so fast there, they claim, that they must have help to get pickers from this section, as there is a great deal of cotton to be pick- party of big railroad men out to it. ed here. Farmers in this county are jubilant over this year's crop and the price that it is bringing.

# Luling Schools.

Luling, Tex.-At the last meeting of the school board C. E. Lipscomb was elected to succeed J. P. Bridges who had resigned as president of the board. On motion is was ordered by the board that the white school shall open Sept. 19 and that the colored school should open Oct. 3.

# Want Honest Elections.

Oklahoma City, Ok .- A mass meeting has been called by the manager of the Chamber of Commerce to consider ways and means of insuring honest elections in the future. Recounting up to date appears to show that three candidates, announced as successful, were defeated.

# Wild Ducks at Eagle Lake.

Eagle Lake, Tex.-Wild ducks are coming in very rapidly and good numbers of them have been killed during the past few days by the hunters of this vicinity. This is the earliest that ducks have come to this section.

# Floresville Creamery Closed.

Floresville, Tex.-The Floresville creamery, which has been in operation for several years past, has closed down temporarily. The creamery has been a great advertisement for Floresville and Floresville butter Las become famous.

# A CASE OF GRAVEL.

Tulare, Cal., Man Cured by Doan's Kidney Pills.

Harrison A. Sturtevant, G and Maple Sts., Tulare, Cal., says: "I was in bad shape with kidney trouble. Too frequent passage of the urine com-

pelled me to arise at night, my bladder became inflamed and I hadexcruciating pains in my abdomen. Soon after I began using Doan's Kidney Pills, I passed a gravel stone three-

quarters of an inch in length and variegated in color. After this my trouble disappeared." Remember the name-Doan's.

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Why He Was Sorry. To impress on young children just what should and what should not be done and why, is among the most trying problems of parents, as evidenced by the recent experience of a West Philadelphia mother. Last Sunday she asked her small son, aged 8, to carry a chair for her from the dining room to the parlor. He started off willingly, but in the hall he tripped and fell. Amid the crash could be heard the boy giving vent to utterances that would have done credit to a pirate of ancient days. The mother was taken by surprise and was greatly shocked. She gave the boy a long and serious talk on the subject of profanity. This apparently did not make the right impression, for when she concluded the boy added to her discomfiture by exclaiming, "I am sorry I swore, mamma, but I forgot it was

# IN AGONY WITH ECZEMA

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# Little, but Oh, My!

Senator Smoot of Utah tells a story Runge looking for cotton pickers. Cot. on the late E. H. Harriman, which sounds somewhat familiar. He says that when the Salt Lake cut-off was completed Mr. Harriman took a large

They had their pictures taken at the right spot scenically. Mr. Harriman stood at one end of the group. When the pictures were printed and the photographer brought them around the railroad men examined them.

"Why," shouted one of the guests, "where's Mr. Harriman??"

"Do you mean that little chap that stood at the end?" asked the photographer. "Why, I cut him off."

# How Lightning Splits Trees. Lightning makes trees explode, like overcharged boilers. The flame of the

lightning does not burn them up, nor does the electric flash split them like an ax. The bolt flows through into all the damp interstices of the trunk and into the hollows under its bark. All the moisture at once is turned into steam, which by its immediate explosion rips open the tree. For centuries this simple theory puzzled scientists, but they have got in right at last.

# Lemons Cure Malaria.

Lemons are said to be an infallible cure for malaria. This is the method of preparation: Take one lemon, wash thoroughly with a brush and hot water till all germs are gone, cut in very small pieces, using skin, seeds and all; cook in three glasses of water till reduced to one, and take this while fasting. A cure is generally effected within a week.

# FASTIDIOUS.



"Lady, can youse give me a little gasoline? "Fer the land's sake! You don't

drink gasoline, do you?" "No, lady. I wants ter clean me gloves wit it."

# All the Difference.

The professor was delivering an eloquent address on cruelty to animals, and, to illustrate how a little judicious forethought would eliminate to a great extent the sufferings that even small insects are subject to, said:

"As I was coming through the hall tonight I saw a bald-headed gentleman very harshly treat a little innocent house-fly which had alighted on his

"Now, if there was any justification for such bad temper, I would be quite justified in indulging in it at the present moment, for a fly has just alighted on the back of my head. I can't see it, but I can feel it.

"Possibly some of you can see it now; it is on the top of my head. Now it is coming down my brow; now it is coming on to my- G-r-r-eat pyramids of Egypt, it's a-wasp!"

# Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal sondition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

F.J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

# Tit for Tat.

"Miss Bings," stammered the young man, "I called on you last night did I

you did." "W-w-well, I just wanted to say that

"What an odd question! Of course,

if I proposed to you I was drunk." To ease your mind, I will say that

# if I accepted you I was crazy.-Judge. The Witching Hour.

Claire-Jack told me he wanted to see you the worst possible way. Ethyl-And what did you say?

Claire-I told him to come to breakfast some morning.

tude of diseases.

Stomach Blood and

Much sickness starts with weak stomach, and consequent

poor, impoverished blood. Nervous and pale-people lack good, rich, red blood. Their stomachs need invigorating

for, after all, a man can be no stronger than his stomach.

active, makes rich red blood and overcomes and drives

out disease-producing bacteria and cures a whole multi-

Get rid of your Stomach Weakness and

Liver Laziness by taking a course of

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery

the great Stomach Restorative, Liver
Invigorator and Blood Cleanser.

You can't afford to accept any medicine of unknown

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A remedy that makes the stomach strong and the liver

# 900 Drops

ALCOHOL-3 PER CENT AVegetable Preparation for Assimilating the Food and Regulating the Stomachs and Bowels of

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A perfect Remedy for Constipation, Sour Stomach, Diarrhoea Worms, Convulsions, Feverish-

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# Points of View.

Venus was rising from the sea. "What a vision!" cried the men on the beach.

"What a horrid bathing suit!" echoed the women, enviously.-Chicago News.

TO DRIVE OUT MALARIA
AND BUILD UP THE SYSTEM
Take the Old Standard GROVES TASTELESS
CHILL TONIO. You know what you are taking.
The formula is plainly printed on every bottle.

It's always a case of the survival of the fittest. Are you it?

# To Cure Your Pimples.

Take a cup of GRAND MA'S TEA every night before retiring. Pleasant to take and marvelous results in two weeks.

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Everywhere in the world men shave with the Liver Troubles

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WORLD OVER

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For children teething, softens the gums, reduces it.

Bammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle

A seal on a watch-fob may be worth two on an iceberg. Constipation causes and seriously aggravates many diseases. It is thoroughly cured by Dr. Pierce's Pellets. Tiny sugar-coated granules.

A fool can always find another fool to admire him.

Because of those ugly, grizzly, gray hairs. Use "LA CREOLE" HAIR RESTORER. PRICE, \$1,00, retail

# Augusta News.

Augusta, Texas, Aug. 28 .-Since our last the night riders have paid this portion of the turn out of the box and the negro from Augusta to Grapeland. section.

GEORGE E. DARSEY'S

him to step down and out.

On yesterday evening there was quite a number of our citizens in town from the surround. country a visit, shooting up three ing country. The road question negro houses, wounding a negro was freely discussed and those man and a negro woman. The present were very enthusiastic wounds are slight. We under- over the matter. As your corstand that two arrests have been respondent has been informed, it made. The negroes are very would take only a short time to much demoralized, and another finish the gap on the road leading will be a thing of the past in this This is an enterprise that every man should take an interest in The fourth called session of the and lend a helping hand to acthirty-first legislature is still in complish something that will be session. We suppose that Mr. of great benefit to him in the Campbell will be ready to call future. Let all the people along another extra session as soon as the line of the above road take a the present one adjourns. He fair view of the matter and con-(Campbell) is determined to sider well future results. The spend all the State's fund that road well clayed will save your he can. His foresight must be teams also your wagons, and in short for he most assuredly is in fact, it will prove to be a mondigging his political grave and ey saver in the long run. We driving more nails in his political believe Grapeland will cheerfully coffin than his few friends can respond, as she knows she is pull out the remainder of his life. loosing trade every day on ac-We are not talking through our count of the sandy roads. Now hat when we say we can see his what do you all say to appointpolitical end. To say that his ing a day, getting together and administration has been a failure finishing the work? This should does not express it. We believe be done without delay as the that we voice the sentiment of farmers will soon begin harvest the people when we say they will ing their crops. How many buy you a pair of Douglass shoes determined that one at least will bowels well regulated. rejoice when the time comes for answers can we get to the aboye? from

Don't all speak at once.

drugs he has and those in transit County. Miss Myriam Weienterprising citizen.

ham, son of Marion Cunningham. wishes for a long and happy life He was a bright and good boy to this deserving couple. and was a great comfort to his invalid father.

Farmers are picking cotton and their report is that it is very short-good many figure their crop at eight acres to the bale.

The ladies circle has gone today to an anniversary on loni. In our next we hope to be able to malarial fever.

The dry weather continues, day, September 19th. causing many wells to fail. Good drinking water is above par | Ticket Agent. with some of our people.

Till we meet again. Old Gray.

Mr. Fletcher Weisinger and Dr. Blair has moved his office Miss Anabel Reader were marinto the house formerly occupied ried last Sunday afternoon at the by T. S. Cook. He has more home of the bride's parents at room and the large supply of Tennessee Colony, in Anderson will present the appearance of a singer, sister of the groom, was city drug store. So much for an present at the wedding. The happy couple came to their home We are are sorry to chronicle north of town Monday morning. the death of Delbert Cunning- The Messenger extends very best

# Last of the Season. Popular Excursion to Houston and Galveston Via I. & G. N. Saturday September 17th 1910.

Excursion tickets will be sold for trains arriving Galveston and give you a full text of their trip. Houston Saturday afternoon, Considerable sickness. Little Sept., 17th and Sunday morning Web Douglass is quite sick with Sept., 18th. Limit returning leave Galveston or Houston Mon-

For further information see

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BUY YOUR Tasteless Chill Tonic From J N PARKER Bottles for ..

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MONEY. Yours for trade,

# N. PARKER

Hot days followed by cool nights will breed malaria in the A Boston doctor insists that body that is billious or costive. the human race will be insane in PRICKLY ASH BITTERS is 250 years if the present rate of yery valuable at this time for If you want the best shoe made cranks keep up. The doctor is keeping the stomach. liver and

A. S. Porter Special Agent.

# FALL ANNOUCE them. After due consideration we have decided that it is best to make a big cut in prices and turn our goods into credit business entirely during September, Otober, November and December, and will confine our sales exclusively our sales more than enough to offset the credit sales during the fall months. You will find that the knife has been to TO OUR FRIENDS AND CUST IN MAKING OUR FALL ANNOUNCEMENT we desire to state that early in the season when our crop pro ing our contracts and purchases for the Fall Business. Now our crop prospects have changed from the be some time, and we are caught with car load after car load of different kinds of goods in stock and in transit, turn our merchandise into cash. Don't wait-come early as many bargains offered this week may be gone by next articles at the price we are selling them today. Come as soon as you can and purchase freely, as every purchase y prices are lower than today's manufacturers' wholesale price. The question with us is to make the price that will

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Demins 10c quality indigo blue demins,

Bleached Cotton Flanel 7c We carry one of the largest, if not the largest, and most complete line of clothing in the county, from the best makers, including SCHLOSS BROS. & COS. Suits, the best high grade clothing made, and also a full line of popular priced suits.

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all wool, made-to-measure clothing, and will be glad choice to show you the line.

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Simpson's and other standard calico, black and white and brown and white checks and fancy grays to need and browns, 3 to 20 yard lengths, small pieces, 56 a yard sold by piece only, a yard.....

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Fancy plaid checks and stripes, perfect goods 7 Yard in 10 to 20 yard lengths, a yard

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In this department you will find many Bargains for mentioned here, for our stock is just beginning to arrive and we only quote a few prices. We will, as usual, have one of the completest lines of Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Hats, Ladies' Coats, Trunks, Suit Cases, Grips and Traveling Bags, Furnishing Goods, etc. You are specially invited to visit our Dry Goods Store and inspect our line, get samples and compare prices. We are always glad to show Suits, the best high grade clothing made and always. and compare prices. We a goods and compare prices.

**Dress Goods** 

A showing that will appeal to you; an extensive line of pretty mercerized novelties in cotton frbrics, pongee, diagonal, Mohair suitings, Bengalin Cord, Chrystal Cloth, Fancy Chambry and Cotton Suiting a strong line of popular priced woolen goods, fancy and plain Mohair, Melrose and Panama for skirts and coat suits.

REMNANTS, a New Department
In which we are offering bargains that it will pay a strong line of popular priced woolen goods, fancy otherwise stated.

Standard Calico Sc

'Special' 36 Inch Mohair Brillianteen 39c.
Plain Mohair Brillianteen, a cloth of splendid weight, good lustre and fine finish, very popular at all seasons but especially so for fall, an unusual bargain, as this quality is offered by most houses 39c at 50c, our special price per yard.

We have again concentrated on the Brown Shoe children and can shoe the whole family. Their dress shoes, the White House and White House 5.00 to to 20 yard pieces, a yard.

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Are original and exclusive designs and patterns, made over destinctive and classy lasts of the highest and pink, slightly imperfect, 10 to 20 yd pcs.a yd. Te Shoes

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advance, and many of them are cheaper than to day's wholesale price, but as stated above we are going to turn every piece into cash. Come quick and get your pick. This is the chance of a life time to get a cheap lot of find many money saving prices that it will pay you to investigate and use freely as many of the prices quoted will never be made again when the prices, make out your bill, then buy enough to do you, as it will be money well spent. In our Grocery department you will

Groceries

# THE WISE MAN

# HIS MONEY

Are hard to separate.

What is left after necessity has had its demands satisfied, finds its way to an account that County at Whitley & Keeland's. he is interested in at some good bank.

Every dollar that can be saved IS saved.

And every dollar that is saved represents not only that much of an addition to the surplus' but an increase in the depositor's earning capacity.

When YOU get ready to talk to us about a bank account, you will find us ready to talk to you.

F. & M. STATE BANK, Grapeland, Texas

# LOCAL NEWS.

Lively sells good shoes.

Be sure to see our men's suits F. A. Faris & Son.

See that big 10 cent counter at Whitley & Keeland's.

Pears for perserving at Howard's.

New goods at Howard's.

Trade with Lively.

1000 matches at Howards for

New goods arriving daily at Lively's; prices right.

Best line of saddles in Houston

See those \$5.00 W. L. Douglass shoes at the F. A. Faris & Son's.

Wright Pridgen of Loraine is here looking after his cotton crop and meeting his many friends.

Buy a Bridge-Beach cooking stove and get the best. At Whitley & Keeland's.

You will find the freshest and

best flour in town at F. A. Faris & Son's.

Fresh groceries, fruits and candy at Lively's every day in the week.

Drop head, ball bearing "standard brand" sewing machines for 16.50 at Whitley's & Keeland's.

Every box of Electric Axle grease, guaranteed to be the best you ever used. F. A. Faris & Lively sells it for less.

Flour and feed at Howard's.

Just received a fresh car of flour at F. A. Faris & Son.

For special bargains in everything go to F. A. Faris & Son's.

LOST MONEY—by not having Clewis to clean and press my

All over 10 cent lawns to close out at 7 1-2 cents.

F. A. Faris & Son.

Fresh groceries always at Lively's. Phone 14 and have them | relatives. sent up.

Best line of guaranteed hosiery in the city.

F. A. Faris & Son.

C. F. Cook and Clevland Saddler have remembered the Messenger recently.

All summer goods to close out regardless of cost.

F. A. Faris & Son.

Miss Jennie Oliphint has gone to Ennis where she will teach the coming term.

If you want some of the best flour made try a sack of Buley's Blue Ribbon. F. A. Faris & Son'

# MONEY TO LOAN

We Handle Real Estate.

If you want to buy or sell a farm or borrow money on it, call on us. We buy Vendors Lien Notes.

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Mrs. W. N. Irwin and baby of Teague are here on a visit to

3000 samples on display at Clewis' tailor shop. See him before buying. He will treat you right.

Horse collars, brest straps. wagon lines and blind bridles at F. A. Faris & Son's.

Mr. W. R. Wherry is making an attractive proposition to the buying public in this week's issue. Look up his advertisement.

Mrs. Dora Faris and little Frank Ross returned to their home at Livingston Sunday morning. Miss Eva Lou Faris accompanied them and will spend several weeks there visiting.

> Respectfully delay,

and for less

Don't

Subscribe for the McCalls magazine and you can select any pattern you want free. F. A. Farie & Son.

Forget the race war; it will get you nothing, but you will save money to have your clothes cleaned and pressed by Clewis.

WANTED-Family to pick cotton. Will furnish house, three fourths of a mile from town. Apply to A. N. Edens.

We offer some bargains, bought at Racket Store, selling cheap rather than move them.

S. E. Howard.

ATTENTION! Only a few days left to place your order for fruit trees with the best nursery in East Texrs. See Clewis and let him have your order.

# You Will Find Our Many De Unusually

# Complet

Shuttles, Oils Bobbins, Leather, Machine Oil, Cylender Oil, Oils, Paints and Varnishes, Guns, Loaded Shells, Sewing Machines, Machine With new goods, such as Barb Wire, Hog Fencing, Lime, Shingles, Doors, Windows, Nails, Staples, Loc Grind Stones, Axes, Cross Cut Saws and Builders' Hardware. If you have anything to buy or sell, see us.

COME TO GRAPELAND-and bring your Cotton, where you will find more anxious buyers than at any

COME TO GRAPELAND-and bring your Cotton Seed where you will always get the top price, and ofte

COME TO GRAPELAND—and come right to our store and make it your headquarters—the store where y Chickens, Eggs, Turkeys, Hides, and Bees Wax, for Grapeland is known as the best market in East Texas for

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GEORGE E. DA

Grapeland, Texas

August 31st, 1910.

# All 3.00 and 3.50 iron beds r 4.50 6.50 6.550 7.00 7.50 All complete with rails, 8 In this department we have the best and newest assortment found and you cannot appreciate bargains until you see the will find almost anything you to buy e ing it will pay you to buy e we cannot duplicate anything Saddles, harness, bridles, lines and strap good. Here i quality counts and it will pay look close before you buy. only the best goods we can gare made by the well known Padgitt Bros. of Dallas. The Legget & Platt bed springs, we sell under a guarantee to ner down and to give perfect sat at 3.50. They will cost you 5 more at other furniture stores at these prices after the pre-is sold. Leather Good All iron beds up to 2.25 no All complete with rails, slats and Heavy arm rocker, rodded 1.70 and braced, 2.25 value for Same kind in a 2.75 value for 2.50 Double cane seat chairs, per 3.50 Heaviest oak dining chairs, 1.00 Oak Princess dresser, 15.00 11.90 5.00 kind for ......4.00 Oak bureau, 3 large and 2 6.00 small drawers, 8.00 value for...6.00 Havy oak dollar chair each 75c. Good heavy oak dining chairs, Oak dresser 8.50 value for 6.50 Good oak rocking chairs, 1.00 " 10.50 Heavier oak rocking chair 90c. 12.50 " The 6.50 kind for 5.60 10.00 worth 1.25, each ... For a limited time we will give free with each 25c bottle of Garret snuff 1 5c box. Limit 5 boxes to a customer. You will at all time find our stock complete with fresh groceries and it will pay you to let us put up your entire bill. Best high patent flour, per 135 Best fancy patent flour, per 150 Brown Mule tobacco, a ten 3 15 pound box for Bed Springs, Mattresses and House keeping Outits. This is our strongest point. We have at present several carloads of furniture in stock and have contracts out for three more and we have got to move it fast. So here is to you if want the cheapest bill of furniture you ever heard of. The factory has advanced their price and the price we are making is based on our 6 bottles for \$1.00. Limit \$1.00 worth to the customer. Limit 1 box to a customer Best smoked short clear bacon 3 bottles Rooster or Red Cross

5c Boxes

Furniture

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# THE GRAPELAND MESSENGER

ALBERT H. LUKER, Editor. GRAPELAND, : : TEXAS

# NEWS AS IT HAPPENS

NATIONAL, STATE, FOREIGN, OF INTEREST TO READERS.

# THE WHOLE WEEK'S DOINGS

Short Mention of Interesting Happenings From Day to Day Through. out the World.

# DOMESTIC.

Temperature near or below nor mal will prevail over the greater part of the country during the present week, beginning Monday, according to the weather bureau forecast. A disturbance will appear in the Northwest Monday or Tuesday and move eastward, attended and preceded by unsettled, showery weather and rising temperature. It is due to reach the Atlantic States by the latter part of the week. The chief meteorogical feature of the past week was the cold wave which passed over the United States from the Canadian Northwest.

The Democratic Congressional Convention for the Fourth Congressional District was called to order in Denison, Texas, Saturday. Every county in the district, made up of Grayson, Collin, Fannin, Hunt and Rains, was represented. The platform committee reported as follows: We, the representatives of the democrats of the Fourth Congressional District of Texas, in convention assembled, reaffirm and pledge our support to the wellknown and time-honored principles of

"To save the bables is to save the nation," declares the July bulletin of the Texas state board of health, which has just come from the press. With this theme the bulletin urges carefully at least twice. upon the cities of this state the necessity of adopting some method for the protection of the lives of the infant population. Particular attention is called to the plan originated in Chicago, whereby the parents of each child are given, upon the birth of the little one, a pamphlet telling of the best methods of treatment of children, the best diets where the natural food supply fails, the best methods of sanitation, etc.

A mob of about 1,500, including 200 persons from Hinton, W. Va., gathered around the county jail Sunday night at Huntington, clamoring for the lives of Thomas Wayne, the negro who is charged with murdering Mrs. John Ailiff at Quinnemont, and for the day. Ministers should say what Charles Clyburn, another negro, who they think on the occasion in order killed Harry Withrow, a railroad fore- that their trade union hearers may man. Sunday

This week may see the extra session of the legislature dispose of the important bills pending now ready to be considered. No one believes that final adjournment will come this week, but legislative affairs could be so shaped during the six days coming that a getaway could be made next week. It can be said that quite a good deal was accomplished during the week just ended. And if the work is carried on with just a little more energy much will have been accomplished by the end of this week.

Result of Sunday's games in Texas league: San Antonio 5, Galveston 1; Dallas 5, Fort Worth 3; Houston 5, Waco 4; Shreveport 1, Oklahoma City

At the door of such men as Senators Carter and Heyburn and Representatives Mondell of Wyoming, Gifford Pinchot, the maker of the forestry, in severe arraignment Friday lays the grave responsibility for the terrible devastation by fire, the waste of timber land and the financial loss of several hundred human lives.

W. G. Crush, general passenger agent of the Missouri, Kansas & Teas Railway, Friday applied to the railroad commission for a readjustment of the passenger traiff applying on party rates with especial reference to the handling of theatrical companies and their baggage. The show season will soon begin and the companies desire a readjustment of the regulations for handling them.

The entire business section of the town of Era, twelve miles southwest of Gainesviile, Tex., was completely wiped out by fire Friday with the exception of one drug store, which was badly damaged. The buildings were all frame, built close together, and with no water protection with the exception of deep wells and buckets, the town soon fell a victim to the flames.

The congressional committee which has been investigating the Gore bribery charges and the McMurray land contracts completed its work in Oklahoma Friday and adjourned to meet in Washington in November. The committee has taken testimony that will fill two printed volumes.

Divining Rod 200 Years Old.

Winslow W. Fifield of Medford, Mass., owns a metallic divining rod brought from England more than two hundred years ago by one of his ancestors. The rod, says Mr. Fifield, has been used successfully all over New England and in the western mining districts. It is attached to whalebone intendent had that morning occupied handles 12 inches long and weighs two ounces. The handles have inscriptions on them which are almost obliterated

The person who brought the rod to preacher? I do." America was Isaac Greenleaf, who settled in Massachusetts. The rod became famous as a finder of water. After offspring, the minister eagerly inmarking the place of many springs the quired into her reasons for her staterod was used in California, Colorado ment. and North Carolina for locating by men in quest of gold mines and other metals. One person who used it with par- when he stamped his feet?"-Judge.

ticular success was a blind man, in whose hands the rod is said to have done marvels.

A Strong Preacher. The minister's eight-year-old daughter was returning with her parents from church, where the district superthe pulpit.

"Oh, father," asked the little girl, her face alive with enthusiasm, "don't you think Brother C. is a very strong

Gratified by this evidence of unusual intelligence on the part of his

"Oh," replied the little miss, artlessly, "didn't you see how the dust rose

# The Counterfelt Southerner.

Of course, there are many counterfeits. A most amusing imitation is one that often passes for the typical southerner in New York. This satchelmouthed braggart infests the cases and demands attention by his abusing the waiter for offending his delicate sense of honor. "I hate a nigger, suh," he loudly proclaims, which is a sentiment that one never hears from those it is poor fun to practise his gentility

He wears a wide black hat, mounts the table and yells whenever the band plays a southern melody. Such a pretentious caricature would be harmless lar authors seem to accept him at face | charity.

value and exploit him in novels or plays where a "southerner" is a necessary part of the stage machinery .-Everybody's Magazine.

# Wasted Sarcasm.

The Philadelphia milk dealers who recently raised the price of their product to nine cents a quart and then lowered it again to eight appear to have been the subjects of a great deal to the manner born. He haunts the of unjust censure. They announced theaters and parades the streets, since at the time of the raise that milk could not be sold at eight cents without loss. Finding that the consumers would not pay the new price, however, they are continuing to sell at the old, thereby qualifying as genuine philanthropists. Every purchaser of milk enough, but for the ridicule he brings at eight cents a quart will doubtless upon the south. Unfortunately, popu- hereafter feel that he is an object of

# Hoodwinking Clergymen

When a small clique of men put up a scheme to harness the clergy of America and induce the ministers to, in turn "hitch up" the members of the churches, we should all take notice.

They couldn't harness the preachers in a bad cause except by deceiving

Ministers of the gospel are essentially and fundamentally honest but, like all men who work for the public good, they are at times mislead by false statements.

Trust them when they have exact

truth to speak from. Now for the story which should interest every one for we are all either receivers of wages or we pay to wage earners and the freedom of each individual is at issue.

In various papers the following statement has been printed. Read it

# "Interest in Labor Sunday.

"Labor Sunday-the Sunday preceding Labor day-will be observed generally this year and in future years throughout the United States. This because of the American Federation of Labor declaration for the observance of that day. The numerous letters recently received at American Federation of Labor headquarters from ministers is an assurance that interest in the idea of giving special attention to the cause of labor from the pulpit one day in the twelve months is widespread. Our readers are urged to try to bring about an understanding in their respective districts with representatives of the church so that ministers will make addresses that may attract trade unionists to the churches in large numbers put the right estimate as to where the church stands on the question of the organization of labor. The more the subject is discussed the better will it be for labor. Union ethics are sound.

-American Federationist." Observe that "Labor Union" men "are urged" to induce ministers to make addresses that will attract trade unionists to the churches "for the "Ministers should say," etc., and winds up with "Union ethics are sound;" observe the hidden threat.

This is clipped from the American Federationist the organ of Sam Gompers, et al.

This clipping has been sent to papers throughout the country and the Typographical Union men in the newspaper offices instructed to "urge" that it be printed.

That is one of the ways of the "ma-

It looks harmless so the papers print But! Let's lift the cover and look

The hidden motive is as dangerous to the peace and liberty of the citizens as a coiled rattlesnake in the

Organization by workmen to peacefully and successfully present their side is necessary and most commend-

There are such organizations now rapidly winning their way to public confidence without strikes, dynamite or killing fellow workmen.

(Some facts on this matter a little further along in this article.) We see here a demand on the min-

isters of God, that they endorse and help build up the strike-producing, boycotting and violent American Federation of Labor. Think of the man of God who

teaches brotherly love being covertly ordered to praise and help get new members for an organization with a record for violence, crime and murder done by its members the like of which the world has never seen. Think of the thousands of women

made widows and the increasing thousands of children left fatherless by the pistol, club, dynamite and boot heel of members of this Labor Trust. Any one who recalls the countless murders done in the multitude of

strikes in the past few years will

agree this is no exaggeration.

Take just one as an illustration: There were some thirty men murdered and over 5000 bruised and maimed in the Chicago teamster's

There is seldom a day passes but somewhere in our country from one to a score of our fellow men are assaulted or murdered by members of this band.

Then remember the homes blown up or burned. The families hounded, the rioting, burning of street cars, wrecking of trains and attempted or successful killing of passengers. The general disturbance of industry

and the thousands of dollars forced from tax payers to pay extra police, sheriffs and militia to protect, even in feeble way, the citizens from the mobs of members of the American Federation of Labor.

Then you will realize why the great peace-loving majority of over 80 miltion Americans protest against the growth of this crime-tainted organization comprising perhaps one and onehalf million men, of which it is estimated at least seven-tenths are peaceloving citizens and are members by coercion and are not in sympathy with the three-tenths who have gained control and force their methods

We find that a few designing men have seized control of the American Federation of Labor, just as some shrewd capitalists have secured control of some railroads and other interests and are now twisting and turning them into machines for personal profit and fame.

These men cunningly plan to force workmen to join and pay 25 to 75 cents a month in fees.

Various methods are used to "induce" workmen to join.

First, they talk of the "tyranny of capital" making slaves of workmen. Then they work up enthusiasm about the "brotherhood of man" and other talk which experience has shown excites the emotions of workmen and they are induced to join and nay fees to the leaders.

The 5000 workmen in Battle Creek are, as a rule, free from the dictates of the great Labor Trust and still get the highest wages in Michigan. they had yielded to the smooth talk of the agents of the trust and joined. they would pay in fees from \$1250.00 to \$2000.00 a month to the big trust and be subject to strike orders any

time. Now they save that and put the money into homes and family com-

forts But the managers of the American Federation of Labor have worked

hard and long to harness them. The trust has sent small bales of money and last winter 18 "organizers" to tie up Battle Creek. They hired halls, gave picture shows, smokers, etc., as an investment, looking to rich returns when they succeeded in hav-

ing them tied hand and foot. But they failed and the last of these "organizers" left Battle Croek on May 1st saying "it's no use."

The workmen knew the record of this great trust and formed their own association to protect their rights and also to protect them from the big Labor Trust.

In Philadelphia some 4000 independent street car men, who mainly had families, had their own union and refused to join the big trust, preferring to be free to work or not as they

But the trust planned to force them into the fee-paying ranks, so a strike was ordered to compel the traction company to kick out these men and hire only Labor Trust members.

It was not a question of wages or hours but to push the free men out of their positions where they were earning good money to support their fami-The strike was ordered, not to raise wages or reduce hours, remember, but solely to throw out members of an independent union and make places only for Labor Trust members. and thus show the independent men they could not earn a living unless they first paid fees to the trust man-

Incidentally the people of Philadelphia must submit to no car service, rioting and bloodshed with millions in losses while these fee-hunting, notoriety seeking trust leaders were teaching the world that industry cannot be carried on except by workmen who first bend the knee, bow the head and

How these men as strike leaders love to see their names in the papers

to their souls.

Then think of the lordly power, and don't forget the steady flow of money squeezed from the workman's hard

earned pay enevelope. But when these leaders "tie up" any industry no man can hold a job who refuses to pay fines even on trumped up charges, and steadily pay fees whatever they are.

The workman is absolutely at the mercy of this band of men who have secured and hold control.

Many and many an honest workman has raised his voice and appealed to his fellows to rise and throw off the yoke of Gompers, et al. But, as one writes, "At every convention of the American Federation of Labor, strong opposition comes up but at the critical moment the impassioned orator appears and most dramatically puts the spot light on the leader and covers him with a mawkish film of 'martyrdom' and the emotional delegates yell in delight, forgetting the instructions of the peaceful workingmen at home who desire to free themselves from the odium of membership under the great advocates of strike, boycott, violence and hate."

So we see the unequalled insolence with which these trust leaders pro-pose to "induce" ministers to pull their chestnuts from the fire by preaching modern aggressive and violent labor trust methods.

There is a better way to secure justice for workers, as will appear further along.

Just a little diversion here. I am charged with having first brought to the attention of the public some years ago, the name "Labor

A trust is a combination of men or organizations for the purpose of selling their product at a profit and re-

stricting production to effect it. We will say a large Oil Company gathers in smaller ones and thus controls production.

The Labor Trust "gathers in" local trade organizations and thus has power to say how much work each man

The Oil Company then fixes prices. The Labor Trust does likewise. The Oil Company may "use meth-

ods" to force an unwilling dealer to join. The Labor Trust men go further and slug the independent man if he tries to sell his labor without paying fees and "obeying orders." They are both exactly alike in purpose, which,

in both cases is entirely selfish to gain power and money for the leaders. Certain Labor Trust members do not hesitate to use violence, dynamiting of property, burning homes of independent men and even murder to force obedience.

The Oil Company doesn't go so far. Both are extremely dangerous to the welfare of people and communities, for power placed in the hands of a few men either representing Capital or Labor is almost always abused and the public suffers.

Remember, reader, that your safety lies in strenuous opposition to all trusts which try to ride over and dictate to the people.

Only by opposing their growth can you retain your personal liberty. Now to ministers.

The average congregation is made up of about 90 per cent. of free citizens and much less than 10 per cent. of members of the Labor Trust.

The free citizen wants to hear words defending the rights and independence of the common man, free from the arbitrary dictates of any self-seeking organization either of Capital or La-

The merchant, lawyer, school teacher, doctor, clerk, farmer and workman rebels against any forcible stopping of trains, boats, street cars, or factories, for the prosperity of the community is entirely dependent on steady continuance of these things. Men don't like strikes, boycotts, in-

jured workmen or burned cars and A famous divine says: "These men

may hate capitalists but their hate for other laboring men burns like a flame, eats like nitric acid, is malignant beyond all description.

Then we remember cases of acid

throwing, eyes gouged out, children

pursued, women stripped, homes de-

each morning! It's meat and bread | stroyed, men murdered and the long, long list of atrocities practised by Labor Trust members on other human beings who cannot agree with the trust methods.

Now for the better way. Workingmen are now organizing in

the old fashioned trades union or "guild" way, affiliated with the National Trades and Workers Association whose constitution provides arbitration of differences with agreement for no strikes, boycott, picketing or hateful coercion of any kind.

This Trade Association has evolved from the experience of the past and is the highest order of Trades Unionism at the present day.

Under its laws it is not possible for the Hod Carriers Union or the Street Sweepers Union to order the school teachers or locomotive engineers to quit work in a "sympathetic strike."

If any craft finds injustice, the case is presented to properly selected arbitrators, testimony taken and the case presented to the public through the press. Thereupon public opinion, that greatest of all powers, makes itself felt and curiously enough a fair settle-

ment is generally the result. There is no strike, no loss of wages, no loss to the community and yet the faithful workers get their just treat-

There are many details which have been worked out by men skilled in labor matters.

It will recompense any interested man to know these details which can be secured by a postal request for constitution and by-laws written to the National Trades and Workers Association, Kingman Block, Battle Creek, Mich.

Reader, look carefully into this. great question of the relations of Capand Labor and its successful solution. The new plan works and brings results for the members.

I became so favorably impressed with the trustworthiness and practicability of the leaders of this new labor movement that I gave the Association a sanitorium at Battle Creek worth about \$400,000 and with about 300 rooms, to be used as a home for their old members and the helpless bables, sometimes made fatherless by the pistol, club or boot heel of some member of the violent "Labor Trust."

Suppose you attend church Labor Sunday and hear what your minister has to say in defense of the safety and rights of the common, everyday

Let me ask you to read again a portion of one of my public articles printed a few years ago.

The people of the world have given me money enough to spend in these talks through the papers in trying to make better and safer conditions for the common people, whether the Postum business runs or not.

Scores of letters have come to me from work-people and others, some from union men recounting their sufferings from union domination and urging that their cases be laid before the public.

It will not answer for us to only sympathize with the poor, the oppressed, those who haven't power enough to drive off tyrants and resent oppression, we must help them tie the hands of the oppressors. Americans must act.

Some of my forebears in New England left comfortable homes, took with them the old flint locks, slept on the ground in rain and frost; hungry, footsore, and half clothed they grimly pushed on where the Eternal God of Human Liberty urged them. wove for me and for you a mantle of freedom, woven in a toom where the shuttles were cannon balls and bullets and where swords were used to pick out the tangles in the yarn.

These old, sturdy grandads of ours stood by that loom until the mantle was finished, then, stained with their life blood it was handed down to us. Shall I refuse to bear it on my shoulders because the wearing costs me a few dollars, and are you cowards enough to hide yours because some foreign labor union anarchist orders

you to strip it off? I have faith that the blood of 1776 still coursing in your veins will tingle and call until you waken. Then Americans will Act." "There's a Rea-C. W. POST.

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Judge I. D. Fairchild owns two houses, exactly alike, in Lufkin, Texas. J. M. Torrence painted both houses, one Devoe, 151 gallone; the other with another paint sold at same price; 25 gallons. That 25 gallon paint is weak and 15 percent whiting; that's why it took 61 gallons more.

It costs \$2 to \$4 a gailon to paint any paint, whether good or not. Add to this the price, and the cost of your job is \$5 a gallon: \$75 or \$100 for trash; Devoe

Paint that takes more gallons may or may not be adulterated; there are 8 pure paints and 200 adulterated; Devoe is the strongest of all; it takes less gallons, makes the least bill, and wears longest, of all.

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A. S. Porter.

Sid Boykin came in last week from Loraine and is shaking hands with his numerous friends in Grapeland. This is the first time Sid has been in Grapeland in about four years, and of course the town looks new to him.

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# Charles Stokes is Dead.

Crockett, Texas, August 27 .-Charles Stokes, one of the oldest residents of Houston county, died at his home, one mile west of Crockett, yesterday from typhoid fever. He was 84 years of age and leaves a widow, three daughters and two sons, Dr. E. B. Stokes and R. C. Stokes of this city. He was the father of the late Senator C. C. Stokes. He served Houston county as tax assessor for a number of years, and had been prominently identified with the growth and development of this county. His funeral was held at the family residence this evening, after which burial was had at Glenwood cemetery.

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turned to Palestine Sunday after here with friends. Mr. Smith spending a week here with relatives.



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Sherman, Texas, August 29 .-A copy of the Beaumont Enterprise containing an editorial on Good Roads was handed R. E. Smith of this city by a representative of the Texas Commercial Secretaries Association for his comments. Mr. Smith is one of the best known farmers in Texas and is one of the largest growers of Alfalfa in the United States. Mr. Smith was president of the Texas Good Roads Association for a number of years and has done more to develop Texas than the last half dozen sessions of the legislature. The editorial follows:

"The Texas Commercial Secretaries have purchased a set of good road models and will present them to the State Agricultural and Mechanical College. Perhaps, if Texas would have fewer legislative sessions with their accompanying expense, it would be able to supply its institutions with these things itself. As it is, only \$500 was available in the college fund for good road purposes."

"The editor of the Enterprise plowed a straight furrow that time" said the Grayson County farmer. "We have already had the 31st legislature in session five months and it is still grinding and it has cost close on to \$200,000 in mileage and per diem not to mention the intangible damage in the way of business disturbances, etc., and this money put into a Department of Public Highways would result in circling the state with macadam highways", said the apostle of Good Roads. "From a business standpoint, the mud holes of Texas constitute about as great an emergency as the Fire Insurance Matter or the Penitentaries Reform. Most men keep out of the Penitentiary and we would get along without insurance, but everybody uses the public highways and I for one think we had better stop making year, one that when you have laws and build roads awhile",

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# ROOSEVELT AMONG THE CATTLE MEN

Attends the Great Frontier Days Celebration at Chevenne.

TALKS OF VIRTUES OF WEST

Pioneers and Their Successors Possessors of Masterful Qualities Which Lie at Foundation of Nation's Greatness.

Cheyenne, Wyo., Aug. 27. - When Colonel Roosevelt stepped from the train at Sioux Falls at 10:25 this morning he was greeted with the characteristic yell of the range given by a thousand cowboys and cowgirls who were on hand to act as an escort to the distinguished visitor. The shout, so familiar to him in days of old, made him laugh aloud in giee, and he grasped the hands of every one who could get near enough to him.

Mr. Roosevelt's visit and the speech he delivered later in the day formed the culmination of the annual Frontier Days celebration waich had attracted to the city thousands of persons from all parts of the west and a large number of tourists from more distant sections of the country.

Colonel Roosevelt's Speech.

Out in the open air, under the blue sky, a vast crowd assembled to hear the former president speak, and it heard one of the most important speeches he has made since leaving the White House. His address was as

When, at the close of my hunting trip in Africa, I reached the borders of civili-zation, the first invitation I accepted was this, to visit the capital of Wyoming on the day when the people of the frontier the day when the people of the frontier came together to commemorate their achievements; I was glad it was so, because I have a peculiar feeling for the men and women of what used to be called the "Far West," and especially for those of the cattle country. For a number of years I lived on a ranch on the Little Missouri, sharing work and play, good fortune and bad fortune, with my neighbors; working on the round-up, serving as delegate from the Little Missouri as delegate from the Little Missouri round-up district to the Montana Stockgrowers' association, and even at times acting as deputy sheriff at my end of the county. I count those years as among the most valuable of my life, because nothing breeds such community of feeling as to work with one's fellowmen at their as to work with one's fellowmen at their life tasks, and to learn to know their feelings by actually sharing them. The man of the west, throughout the successive stages of western growth, has always been one of the two or three most typical figures—indeed, I am tempted to say the most typical figure—in American life, and no man can really understand our country and appreciate what it really is and what it promises unless he has the fullest and closest sympathy with the ideals and aspirations of the west. The prime reason for this is to be found in the fact the westerner is so good an American. He is an American first and foremost: for this is the great lesson. foremost; for this is the great lesson, friends, that all of us need to learn and to keep, the lesson that it is unimportant whether a man lives north or south, east or west, provided he is genuinely and in good faith an American, that he feels every part of the United States as his own, and that he is honestly desirous to uphold the interests of all other Americans in whatever sections of the country they may dwell.

A hundred years ago, when men spoke of the west they meant the country be-tween the Alleghanies and the Mississippi. Fifty years ago the white man's west took in Minnesota, Iowa and Kansas, and then skipped across to California and Oregon. The country of the great plains and the Rockies, the country in which you whom I am now addressing lead your lives and do your work, has grown up within my own lifetime. I myself saw and took part in the closing years of the pioneer period, and it was my great priv-ilege to work s'de by side with the pioneers—the ranchmen, the miners, the cow-punchers, the mule-skinners, the bull whackers-who actually country. I have seen the opened up the herds and flocks of the cattlemen and sheepmen supplant the game: I have seen the fortunate the game: I have seen the fortunate movement by which the small farm has tended gradually to take the place of the I now travel in great unfenced ranch. every comfort on rallways across lands which, when I first rode across them, were still the home of the Indian and the buffalo; and I find cities where one can obtain not merely comfort, but luxury, in the places where thi rty years ago there who did this work doble house. The men were engaged in the final stages of con-quering the continent; and it was their privilege to do one of the great works of all time, to do their part in the performance of an epic feat in the history of the progress of mankind.

West Stands for Progress.

I have used the word progress. The west stands for growth, for progress. So must the whole American people stand. A great democracy must be progressive or it will soon cease to be either great or democratic. No nation, no state, no or democratic. No nation, no state, no party, can stand still. It must either go forward or go backward; and it becomes useless if it goes backward. Therefore I greet you, men of the west, and I stand for progress as all men must stand who are progressive.

The pioneers and their immediate successors won victory only by proving that

men who have made this great republic of the west what it is, and especially the men who have turned it into a continental commonwealth, have possessed in the highest degree the great virile virtues of sirength, courage, energy, and undaunted and unwavering resolution. Their typical leaders—of whom Abraham Lincoln, though the most exceptional, was the most typical—have possessed keen intelligence, and a character not merely strong but lofty, a character exalted by the fact that great power was accom-panied by a high and fine determination to use this great power for the common good, for the advancement of mankind. The ploneer days are over, save in a few places; and the more complex life of today calls for a greater variety of good qualities than were needed on the fron-tier. There is need at present to en-courage the development of new abilities which can be brought to high perfection only by a kind of training useless in pio-neer times; but these new qualities can only supplement, and never supplant, the old, homely virtues; the need for the special and distinctive pioneer virtues is as great as ever. In other words, as our civilization grows older and more com-plex, while it is true that we need new forms of trained ability, and need to de-velop men whose lives are devoted wholly to the pursuit of special objects, it is yet also true that we need a greater and not a less development of the fundamental frontier virtues. These virtues include the power of self-help, together with the power of joining with others for mutual help, and, what is especially important the feeling of comradeship, of social good fellowship. Any man who had the good fortune to live among the old frontier conditions must, in looking back, realize how vital was this feeling of general now vital was this feeling of general comradeship and social fellowship. There are good men and bad men, in the new communities just as in the old communi-ties, and the conditions on the frontier such that the qualities of the good were such that the qualities of the good and bad alike were rather more strikingly manifested than in older communities, but among the men who tried to lead hard-working, decent lives, there was a feeling of genuine democracy, which represented an approach to the American ideal which we certainly should do everything in our power to preserve. We did not try to say that men were equal did not try to say that men were equal when they were not equal, but we did our best to secure something like an equality of opportunity and an equality of reward for good service; and moreover, each man expected to be received, and, on the whole, was received wherever he went, on the footing that his merits warranted.

Now so far as possible these qualities and conditions that bring about these qualities should be kept in the great states which are growing out of the old frontier communities. We need to strive for the general social betterment of the people as a whole, and yet to encourage individual liberty and set high reward on individual initiative up to the point where they become detrimental to the general welfare.

Wrong Doers and Wrong Systems. In continually and earnestly striving for this betterment of social and economic conditions in our complex industrial civi-lization, we should work in the old frontier spirit of brotherly comradeship and good will. I do not mean that we should refrain from hating wrong; on the con-trary. I would preach firey wrath against wrong. But I would not preach such wrath against the wrong-doer, save in those cases where his wrong-doing really is due to evil moral attributes on his part and not to a wrong or false sys-tem, of which he is almost as much the victim as the beneficiary. Sometimes a wrong represents the deliberate wickedness of the wrong-doer, in which case the remedy is to punish him, but somesit represents the effects of a false social system, in which case the right course is to alter what is false in the system. Both principles need to be kept in view as guides to our conduct, and it is necessary sometimes to work in accordance with one and sometimes in accordance with one and sometimes in ac-cordance with the other.

Before ending I wish to say a word on something which I believe should especially interest all men who live in the open country, and especially all men who during the past thirty years have lived and worked or ranches, or have done their life work in the wilder parts of our land, on the great plains or among the mountains. The phase of our national mountains. The phase of our national life in which the stockman, the mining prospector, were the chief characters, was not only a very important but also a very picturesque phase. Often such a phase passes without any great artist arising to commemorate it.

The old-time backwoodsman, for instance, the man of the back who lived in the eastern forests through which the waters ran eastward to the Atlantic and westward to the Mississippi, passed away without any painter or sculptor arising who possessed at once both the keenness of vision to see what a vital and picturesque figure the back-woodsman was, and the genius adequately to present that figure. The artist who saw that picturesqueness of the backwoodsman lacked the genius adequately to commemorate it, while the artists of real ability unfortunately had their eyes turned towards Europe and lacked the ro-bust originality which the novelist Cooper showed-to see where their chances lay to do a great work. But in our genera-tion, for our good fortune a great artist arose who was capable of seeing and of recording the infinite picturesqueness of the life of the plains and the Rockies.

Eulogy of Remington. Of course I speak of Frederic Reming-

He was one of those Americans who

his achievements distinctly well of America. He worked with pencil. with chisel, painter and a sculptor. His pictures and his few bronzes are equally good. my own regiment, a typically western regiment recruited mainly from the men of the great plains and the mountains, was disbanded at Montauk Point, the officers and enlisted men joined in giving me Remington's "Bronze Bronco Buster." a gift which I thought peculiarly appro-priate coming from such a body of men. In Remington's pictures all the most vivid and characteristic features of the western pioneer life which is just closing were set forth, and the commemorated forever the men of the plains and the mountains as they actually were. The cowboy is his favorite type, but the mining prospector, the frontier farmer, the man who guides ox-wagon or mule-team, ceasors won victory only by proving that they possessed the great, masterful qualities which lie at the foundation of National greatness. There are certain well-meaning men of intellectual cultivation, but lacking mental and moral robustness, who complain continually that they find American life, and especially the life of those American communities emerging from the ploneer stage, crude and without genius or beauty. Genius is a fine thing for a nation, but character is a still finer thing, and though beauty is good, etrength is an even greater good. The the soldier, the Indian—all appear. Now I wish very much that these men them selves would in their turn provide a monument for the great artist the sum of whose activities represent such a feature of American achievements, and, above all, represents a commemoration of some of the most interesting figures that have ever appeared on the stage of American life. A statue should be raised to Rem-

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The Stylish Fisherman.

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Meeting a native, he asked: "Here, my good man! Kindly tell me whether it would be worth my while to try fishing in this vicinity.

The native regarded him scornfully, "The fishin' ain't good," he finally said, "but I ain't informed as to how you values your time."-Lippincott's.

# LACK OF MONEY Was a Godsend in This Case.

It is not always that a lack of money is a benefit.

A lady of Green Forest, Ark., owes her health to the fact that she could not pay in advance the fee demanded by a specialist to treat her for stomach trouble. In telling of her case she says:

"I had been treated by four different paysicians during 10 years of stomach trouble. Lately I called on another who told me he could not cure me; that I had neuralgia of the stomach. Then I went to a specialist who told me I had catarrh of the stomach and said he could cure me in four months but would have to have his money down. I could not raise the necessary sum and in my extremity I was led to quit coffee and try Postum.

"So I stopped coffee and gave Postum a thorough trial and the results have been magical. I now sleep well at night, something I had not done for a long time; the pain in my stomach is gone and I am a different woman.

"I dreaded to quit coffee, because every time I had tried to stop it I suffered from severe headaches, so I continued to drink it although I had reason to believe it was injurious to me, and was the cause of my stomach trouble and extreme nervousness. But when I had Postum to shift to it was different.

"To my surprise I did not miss coffee when I began to drink Postum.

"Coffee had been steadily and surely killing me and I didn't fully realize what was doing it until I quit and

changed to Postum." Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human

# Grapeland Messenger

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# **Announcements**

The Messenger is autuhorized to make the following announcements, subject to the action of a 8. special democratic primary to be held October 8, 1910:

For State Senator, 13th District: W. J. TOWNSEND, JR.,

of Angelina County G. R. FOWLER

of Anderson County

The Messenger takes pleasure this week in announcing the candidacy of Hon. W. J. Townsend Jr., of Angelina County for State Senator to fill the unexpired term of the late Hon. C. C. Stokes. Mr. Townsend's candidacy is subject to the action of a special democratic primary, which has been ordered through out the district for October 8. Judge Townsend is a lawyer of recognized ability. His home county twice honored him with the county attorney's office and once with the Judgeship, he retiring of his own accord. Mr. Townsend is making the race on a platform that is in keeping with the needs of the state and this senatorial district. hope that you will give his candidacy due and careful consider-

The Messenger is authorized to announce Mr. G. R. Fowler of Anderson County as a candidate for the State Senate to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. Stokes. Mr. Fowler is a graduate of the A. & M. College and the State University. He is a lawyer by profession. Mr. Fowler has had experience in the lawmaking body of Texas, having served in the lower house of the twenty-eighth legislature. During this session he served on some very important committees and led the fight against an extravagant appropriation bill; he always took a prominent part in

labor legislation. His home not question the good intention county chairmanship for two larger membership would be a terms. Mr. Fowler has also won safer body; as the House is neardistinction on the battlefield. ly always a safer body than the He served as a volunteer in the Senate because of its larger pine insurrection. We believe reason is, they are elected oftenhe is thoroughly qualified to er and are closer to the people. serve this district in the Senate, dacy is subject to a special dem- expense of the campaign as

# John Luce Dissents.

Austin, Texas, Aug. 27 Editor Grapeland Messenger,

Grapeland, Texas. Dear Sir :-

paper that is in favor of cutting | ple. down the members of the Legislature we now have, and increas-

with you on the first proposition, for the reason that the fewer members we have, the easier it is in the past. to defeat the will of the people. I do not believe the membership of the House should ever be decreased below 133, the present number. I further believe that the membership of the Senate should be increased to not less

than fifty members. While I do

county has honored him with the of the Senators I feel sure that a war with Spain and the Philip- number of members. Another

As for increasing the pay, I and ask that you give his candi. heartily agree with you. If for dacy due consideration before no other reasons, it will help to you cast your vote. His candi- remunerate to the officials the ocratic primary to be held Oct. well as to get better men to serve the State.

You state further that you are in favor of changing the term of office from two to four years. In this I do not concur, because the oftener we elect our officials, the closer they will be to to the people and the surer they will be of I notice an editorial in your carrying out the will of the peo-

Now in conclusion, I do not want it understood that I impugn the motives or actions of any offi-Now Mr. Editor, I do not agree cials of this State or counties. This is a question that should be studied more closely by the great masses of the people than it has Very truly yours. J. R. Luce.

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