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## Local Contractor <br> Gets Sidewalk Work. <br> Bids for the construction

 of cexmately 4,000 square fee of cement sidewalk in Cotullawas opened on 15th and th was opened on 15th and the awarded to Mr. R. A Guinn, a local contractor. Hi bid was the lowest, $141-2$ cents per square foot.
Work putting in this sidewalk
will begin within a short time.

## Band Has Employed Leader.

The band has employed Prof H. H. Stitch, of Sydney, Ohio as an instructor. His employ-
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month but at the end of thirty month but at the end of thirty
days arrangements are expected days arrangements are expected
to be made that will enable the greement with him. Prof greement with him. Prof
Stitch is an all-round musician playing all kinds of instru ments. He is a professiona band and orchestra director, and piano tuner. If an agreement
is reached for his permanent is reached for his permanent aervice Prof. Stitch will Heve his twamily here from Ohio. very proficient on violin, clarinet saxophone and piano, We be lieve Prof. Stitch will awaken greater musical interest than was ever before known in Co-
tulla and should receive the was ever before known in co-
tulla and should receive the
encouragement and support of encouragement and support of
the people. He expects to organthe people. He expects to organ
ize a choir orchestra at once.


The undersigned hereby gives
notice that the primary election
V.and 7 P. M. on Saturday, prescribed by law, in the various County, Texas, and that the polls will be open in Cotulla, Artesia, Encinal, Sauz Ranch, Fowlerton, Millett and Wood-
ward, ward,
Party for said La Salle County is Party for said La Salle County is
also hereby called to meet in Cotulla, Texas, at the Court house at $2 o^{\prime}$ clock on Saturday, the 3rd. day of August 1912 to discharge the duties required by law at which timeand place the Democratic Executive Committee of said County will also meet to canvass the returns of said pri-
As prescribed by said Execu each election precinct of said county are hereby requested to county are hereby requested to
assemble in precinct conventions at 8 o'elock P. M. on July 27 , 1912, and organize by electing a chairman and secretary of said
convention and proceed to elect delegates to said county con-
vention. The delegates so elected shall secure from such president and seceretary of said precinct convention a certifi-
cate showing that they were so cate showing that they
G. A. Welhausen.

Chairman of the Democratic
Executive Committee of LaExecutive Committee
Salle County, Texas.
Attest: R. F. KnagGs.
Secretary of said committe


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A Double Winner.
Probably the best pleased man
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for Vice President.
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thought among the progressive
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for his State without spectacular demonstration or playing to the galleries.
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With such a ticket, and on a of the masses who have studied the conditions, why should we

Woodward Notes.
Woodward, Texas, July 18 Mr. J. H. McGeehee and family of San Antonio are visiting Cap
tain Combs and family. Miss Lillie Talk brother Milam, of Runge, Texas are visiting their sister, Mrs Newt Winters.
Mr. J. C. Lacey has returner from Mexico and expects to reof his big crop will require all Mr. D. J. Wettion.
Mr. D. J. Woodward of SanAntonio was a pleasant visito here last Monday and Tuesday
and was much pleased with the crop prospects.
Texas, is visiting his of Mexia,
Texas, is visiting his daughter
Mrs. Bobert Sawyer.
Mr. Lacy is putting
Mew. Lacy is putting in some
stands and otherwise getting the gin in first class
condition to handle the condition to handle the cotton
crop. Mr. Owen Misenheimer re
turned to Chicago last Frida after spending ten days her visiting his father and mother,
he was accompanied by his wife he was ace
and child.

## The Palace Market <br> Supplies its Patrons with the Be.t Meats obtainable every day in the week. <br> If You Appreciale <br> such service give me your business. guaranteed.

ensued in Atascosa county duri the past two and one-half year in which time the bosses have ned efforts to thwart the wil of the people, and to administer public affairs for their selfish private interests. The interests and the individuals in Atascosa
County that have given support County that have given support
and encouragement to Messrs. Earnest and Nelson in thi campaign profess support fo each, as occasion and locality de mand, hoping in the event tha they succeed in defeating Judg Burmeister that they will hav gained the friendship of a suc cessful candidate. ance with the needs of the for nce with the needs of the fou counties embraced in the 80 t
district, and with his knowledge of state-wide tions, we unhesitatingly as that Judge Burmeister will, the next State Legislature, aga reflect credit upon his constit ency, and in endorsing his cal didacy we solicit the support the untrammeled, unmuzzled, dent voters of La Salle Fr dent voters of La Salle, Fr
McMullen and Atascosa Counti In voting for Hon. Frank Burmeister, the citizens of 8oth district will be but exte ing support to the moveme that has grown nation-wide its scope-that of DOWNI THE BOSSES.
F. B. Ricks, Pleasanton Tex
H. G. Martin,
H. G. Martin,
John W. Hunt.
B. F. Spradlin,
M. Bowyer,
G. H. Allen,

Roy E. Dossey,
Geo. N. Ricks,
July 15th 1912
(Political Advertisement
Nunnally's candies
Express, at Gaddis.'

Don't tomo... the date
Dangerously III.

Mrs. Jas
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A fine lot of new pipes wait-
g to be smoked,
Robt. Williams, a young stock-
nan of Carrizo Springs, accomanied by his family spent everal days of this week in Co -
ulla visiting at the home Curt Herring. Mr. Williams $\begin{array}{cc}\text { curt Herring. Mr. } & \text { Williams } \\ \text { as been ranching in Mexico but }\end{array}$ as been ranching in Mexico but
has closed out his interests
as closed out his interests
over there. Revolutionists have
not bothered him and he has
lost only one bunch of steers through their activities.
No need of suffering with
prickley heat, chafing, when 25c pricksey heat, chating, when 25 c
buys a full pound package of the
finest Talcuin powder,

## Notice to Property Owners.

The City Council has passed a clean-up ordinance, and I take this method of notifying all own-
ers of vacant lots and other lots ers of vacant lots and other lots
that they must cut the weeds, underbrush, pear, and trim up
une the trees, pile the trash in piles and burn it, or haul it to the City dumping grounds. This work must commence at once, and I
expect to see that the ot dinance expect to see that the or dinan
is promptly complied with. Respectfully,

Roland A. Gouger,
Mayor of Cotula.
Gaddis' Buck Horn screw worm remedy kills t
the wounds.

Office Closed Next Week.
The Dental office of Dr. D. N.
Cushing will be closed ali Cushing will be closed all next
week, on account of his absence week, on a
at Dilley.


Be Careful!
You owe it to oourself, your
large to BE CAREFUL about what goes on your table a well as

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 usiness. Get your delight from Seal Brand Coffee (Chase \& Sanborn). Beechnut Jams, Jellies, Preserves, Peanut Butter But Sugar Wafers, etc. They are not "just as good,"

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## COMING! COMING!! COMING!!!

Car Fancy ALBERTA PEACHES. Be here Wednesday, the 23d. Will sell from the Track. Watch for the car. Never will you have the opportunity to get such nice Peaches as cheap as these will be. Don't fail to see them. Splendid for canning.

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A. F. Childs, Cashier.



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the city sunday.
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Monday for Okla
they go on business.
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Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gallman
spent a couple of days in Sin spent a couple of
Antonio this week.
Joe Jennings of Carrizo Springs was a passenger
train going South.
train going South.
Lee Daniels returned Saturday from Laredo where he spent a
week with his brother, J. M. Daniel.
R. O. Gouger, manager of the retuil drom a business trip to San Antonio Saturday
We have a lot of old papers
on hand and if you can use any we will make them to you fo 10 cents per hundred. Come quick before they are all gone
Mrs. B. A. Johnson and daugh
ter of San Marcos came in Tues ter of San Marcos came in Tues-
day morning. They were called to the bedside of Mrs. Johnson' sister, Mrs. Jas. Lacy, Jr.
Stings or bites of insects that
are followed by are followed by swellings, pain
or itehing should be treated promptiy as they are poisonous counteracts the poison. It i
both antiseptic and healing Price $25 \mathrm{c}, 50 \mathrm{c}$ and $\$ 1.00$ per bot tle. Sold by Horger \& Windrow John R. Black left Monda for Griswold, Iowa, where h will spend a few weeks, at hi old home visiting his sons an
daughters. Ira Black is i daughters. Ira Black is of the ranch during his fathers absence
Want to buy 5, 10, 15 or 20
acres of land near Cotulla, acres of land near Cotulla, un
improved, or small improvement One to five miles.- - no.
Jackson, Austin, Texas. W. A. Tarver returned las Satuday from Sutherland Spring where he spent a week attend
ing the Baptist Encampment. He reports a splendid time and
hage crowd there.
Mrs. Simpson and daughter
left Tuesday for Viona left Tuesday for Vilona, Ark
where they will where they will make their
future home. This family has lived in Cotulla three years and have made many friends who
regret to sce them leave. Worins interfere "with th
growth of children. They come thin, pale and siekty. Get
rid of these parasites at. once if rid of these parasites at once
you would have healthy, happy cheerful children. WHITE CREAM VERMIFUGE destroy
worms and benefits the whol worms and benefits the whole
system. Price 25 c per bottle

| wn's store regins Wednesd rning. The store was clos day Tuesday in order to ma and display the goods. T e will close on the 27 th inst. Onion returns are being ved by the farmers slow me are bad and some are be <br> They are running all <br> $y$ from $\$ 10$ to $\$ 400$ per <br> y few of the latter fig wever. A majority of urns are between $\$ 25$ and $\$ 1$ now see how fortunate re in not having a big oni p this season. <br> A bad taste in the mouth con a disordered stomach, ek of that is usually a torp er:-A condition which invit eases. HERBINE is medv needed. It corrects mach and makes the liv ive and regular. Price 50 d by-Horger \& Windrow. <br> Don Clark, driving an aut bile for W. L. Crawford ley, running without light uck Phil Mewherter's bug turday night, but fortunate damage of consequence w ne. Clark was arrested a ed in Justice Court Tuesda e trial resulted in a hu $y$, five for conviction and acquittal. <br> When you feel lazy out of so 1 yawn a good deal in the d e, you can charge it to a liver which has allowed stem to get full of impuriti ERBINE cures all disord oduced by an inactive liv strengthens that orga anses the bowels and puts stem in good healthy conditi ice 50c Sold by-Horger |  |
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## Fine Cotton.

J. M. Robbins who is manag ing the farm of Mr. Baker of
Lockhart, located seven miles West of Cotulla, brought in a stalk of cotton Saturday which crop. The stalk was loaded with grown bolls, half grown bolls and squares, and if it is all
like this a good vield will be hal like this a good yield will be hal
regardless of further rainfall. Mr. Robbins also brought the Record a watermelon of the Alabama Sweet variety, that
weighed 56 pounds It was a dandy.

Texas Steers Still Coming. Texas is still sending steers the quarantine division in train
load lots. Today there was ceived on that side 13 carload of grass steers from the ranch of the Callaghan Land and Pastora Texas. This located near Encinal, was made ap large consignment best steers bringing $\$ 6.15$.
Kansas City Drovers Journal.

 the local Telephone exc.
informs us that the South informs us that the South, ern is making arrangements
handle primary election retu on 27 th. inst. A system is on ing adopted all over the st that will give returns quic
and more accurate, than th and more accurate, than the
have ever been handled befo

## Bought 1000 Head


where he and Roe Oliv three year old steers from
of the big ranches in that tion. The steers are to be
livered at the Rio Grande 0 a ober 1st. Judge Thomas s
fine rains have fallen in fine rains have fallen in portion of Mexico and
range is covered with fine gr
He says tho best ranches in the country are raising bloofle cattle that are dandies would be hard to equal this s do
of the Rio Grande.

## Will Spend Vacatien al Oid Virginia H $m$



Monday morning for Stel ${ }^{\text {Ma }}$
Tavern, Va, his boyhood hof two months. Rev. Hamilto n n
the son will fill the father's chd while the latter takes a nee led

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If you buy a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone and do not find it the | safest, most pleasant and | suc |
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| cessful liver remedy you | ever | took, this store will give y without a quest'on This guarantee that a worthy druggist is glad to afe and relioble as the med and that is saying a lot

ALLEN SAYS MATTERS ARE SHAPING UP.

Noah Allen of Brownsville, assistant United States attorney, who has been in the city for the
past week on business connectpast week on business connect-
ed with the Cotulla irrigation project, stated yesterday that
the project is progressing nicely the project is progressing nicely
and that matters are shaping up for early activities in the forma-
tion of the district and the pros tion of the district and the pro
ecution of the development work.
In an account given of this
proposition somedays ago in The proposition some days ago in The $\left\lvert\, \begin{aligned} & \text { Express it was inadvertently } \\ & \text { stated that three dams would be }\end{aligned}\right.$ River, and three reservoirs established, which would irrigate a total of 225,000 acres. Mr.
Allen says it is not the purpose
to build reservoirs and water 225,000 acres, but to build one dam with
one reservoir, which will irrigate 100,000 acres, if the largest reservoir contemplated by selecting
from three separate from thr
"There are three sites for dam under consideration," said
he. "To build the dam at the he. So build the dam at the tion on the river, water would be
provided for 50,000 build at the next highest point would furnish water for 75,000
acres; to build acres; to build it at the lowest
point under consideration it point under consideration it
would provide for the irrigation would provide for the irrigation
of 100,000 acres. The number of acres that come into the distriet will determine which one of the three dam sites will be selected, and consequeatly the capacity of the reservoir. The in-
dications now are that the lower site will be selected and water provided for the irrigation of at
least 100,000 acres. No finer least 100,000 acres. No finer
lands can be found anywhere in lands can be found anywhere in
Texas than those under consideration in this project. With
this body of land under cultiva tion and irrigation in La Salle County it will increase the production of wealth ond values in
the county. It will also creat an immense amount of business for San Antonio. I feel sanguine over the prospests at this time. hte double affection of hot weather and bowel disorders, the remedy needed is McGEE'S
BABY ELIXIR. It reduces the BABY ELIXIR. It reduces the
feverish conditions, corrects the stomach and checks looseness of the bowels, Price 25 c and 50 c per Windrow.

There was a few hours of ex treme heat Tuesday evening | e | which was broken by a thunder- |
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| atorm from the North. Rain fell |  | as

storm from the North. Rain fell
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## C E. MANLY, Editior and Proprietor.



## Announcements. as a candidate for re-election the office of County Judge of Salle county, subject to the a ion of the Democratic primaries G. H. Knaggs announces as candidate for re-election candidate for re-election to the office of District and County Clerk o: Li Salle county, subjeet to the action of the Democrati primaries. <br> We are authorized to announce R. L. Henrichson as a candidat R. Le. Henrichson as a candidat Tax Assessor of La Salle county subject to the action of the Democratic primaries. T. He Poole as a a candidate fo re-election to the office of Sherif and Tax Collector of La Salle county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries. We are authorized to announc D. L. Neeley as a candidate fo the of fice of Treasurer of La Salle county, subject to the Dem Salle county, subj ocratic primaries. <br> We are authorized to announce F. D. MeMahon as a candid to for the of fice of Treasurer La Salle County, subje <br> We are authorized to announce a candidate for the of fice county Commissioner of precinc county Commissioner of precinct No. 1 of La Salle County, subjec to the actio primaries. <br> authorized to announc <br> dham as a a candidat <br> fice of Justice of the recinct, No. one, La- <br> recinct, No. one, subet the action veratic primaries,

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Good roads lead to good towns
There are also some mighty bad roads that lead to good towns.

There will have to be a mignty big turn in the tide to keep
Wilson from being elected in November.

The candidates have just one more week to tell the people that the country will go to the ted.

The weather is warm, but then the election is getting close and its summertime. Wouldn't ex circumstances, would you?

When you go to the polls nex Saturday don't let the Ramsey
Colquitt and Sheppard-Wolter fight attract all your interest Remember that La Salle county tive, and he should have the solid vote of the county. Of three men in the race Judge Earnest is the ablest man for the position. He is qualified by experience and has the brains to make the 80th district a valuable representative

James T. Robinson is
candidate for re-election to the office of Commissioner of the General Land Office. Mr. Robinson has held this office wo terms, but is not satisfied,
and wants to break in for a third term. Mr. Robinson has probably been a good officer, but that is no reason why he should hold the office always. His opponent is Colonel Charley
Geers, a life-long democrat, Geers, a life-ong democrat, an
ex-confederate of Morgan's command, is honest, deserving the third term vote for Geers

Tillage and Care of Fig Orchards By W. A. DAUGHERTY

Tillage of soils began by pull- three or four years. At first the ng up virgin growth to make lumps are so large there is $n$ oom for seed. The next seds to interstices freely, promotin give chosen plants more room. excessive airiness, while the Today we think of it as a custom, clods are impenetrable to roots but the art is primitive with in search of food. If new soil is many, and only since yesterday plowed deep, as I contend all have scientific principles begun
to be understood. Pioneers have soils should be, and fined
noroughly with a disc or harrow, to be understood. Pioneers have
always been adventurers; after
thoughly with a disc or harrow,
or both, one after the otheralways been adventurers; after or both, one after the other-
them have come stockmen, then
even with this cultivation many grain farmers, and lastly truck- young trees and plants of al ers and horticulturists with in-
linds planted therein are ver tensive work. Stoekmen farm likely to die out very rapidly, for on horseback, and ridicule scien- as a rule do the best one can in tific work: men who study soils, new ground.
drainage, plant food, tree selec- The coarse lumps giving inad tion and fruit markets are very equate humus to roots, and th different individuals. Fifty years complete loss of an enormou
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 Nor has it been long since ditions do not often take place in "Daniel Webster"" added ma- 

dis section. There is too much
\end{tabular} erially to the art by inventing sand in the soil to produce clod improved plow.

Tillage of fig orchards differs rom ordinary cultural methods only in detail.
There is a widespread impres cultivation; that cuttingat nee put in the ground and left to grow a couple of years, until th owner returns for a harvest They produce abundant crops without any care or attention, trote an official in a recent buietln. That so many entertain his belief illustrates the lack of nowledge of the subject. As a farther from the facts. True farther from the facts. True,
here and there one may now and then find a soil that will grow and produce from very little at$\left\lvert\, \begin{aligned} & \text { te } \\ & \text { ti }\end{aligned} \quad{ }^{n}\right.$ but such soils are away ven in wet weather; and if our oil is plowed good and deep t begin with, and then properly harrowed, we will have very lit tle trouble. But fig cuttings hould be set out in prepare ed with some of the soil on their roots, and with sufficient moisure one can confidently expect good results from figs in Southwest Texas.

We presume that La Salle county will go for Colquitt and Wolters in next Saturday's primaries but the candidates of the quor interests will not get a figure we cut in a meate election don't amount to a very big drop anyway
,und more quickly to out treatment than almost any other fruit trees, but become son's neglect. With congenial surroundings, they often make six feet in growth a year, and I know of them doing better than that right here in La Salle county, Texas. Considering that every pound of wood requires about five hundred pounds of moisture to carry vitality and leaves, some idea can be formed of what trees need as to
water and deth of soil Roots water and depth of soil. Root
often grow ten feet the first sea son, soon forming a closely interaced mesh in everydirection from the trunk. So that in a country so hot as this one is, special tillage and preparation should be made before setting the trees od on the surface an inch or two ed on the surface an inch or two
deep, the trees soon suffer-pale foliage indicating insufficient nourishment. It is just as unreasonable to expect a fig tree to
grow well in improper soil as to believe a child will develop if denied sustaining food. In one case vitality is derived from the assimilation of organic matter,
containing traces of metalic containing traces of metalic comes by digesting organic and mineral solutions.
The student of tillage neve forgets, if he has been taught ightly, that the better the soi is pulverized the more abundant y it gives up plant food. It is which ordinarily measure one tenth to five one-thousandths o a milimeter in diameter. When raw turi is plowed, the furrow slices form lumps or clods, which require repeated harrowing to
wear down into anything like wear down into anything like plants. Farm imple cultivated by frost, rain and sunshine, work land into friable condit!ons in

Will H. Mayes, andidate for Leutenant Governor opposes making a vigorous campaign and
spending thousands of dollars to be landed in the place that is egarded as a position of honor. e says that to engage in such
scramble is entirely at variance with his idea of statesmanship. We believe Mr. Mayes is correct. here is very little salary attach office, and is simply one of honor

The Lorimer fight in the Senate is ended and Lorimer has been of almost two to one. To be exact -55 to 28 . For many year Lorimer has been without honor in his home and was evidently out for the spoils, and the result of this long trial is a fitting end for such a man. That he was
elected by fraud there appeared elected by fraud there appeared
to be conclusive evidence, and to be conclusive evidence, and
notwithstanding his masterful plea of three days duration, the senators registered a verdict o as Senator, voted for Lorimer in both trials, but nobody ex-
pected Bailey to vote any other way.

Next Saturday the Democrats will hold primaries over the State of Texas, to select nominees for the November election. In Texas a nomination is equiv-
alent to an election consequently the big fight is pulled off in There is a great struggle on for Colquitt Gevernorship, betwee part of the state has been in vaded by orators from both camps, and the finish is expected to be close. The race for sen from the looks of things Randell will be in about the positio Davidson was left in the las primaries. The liquor interes have lined up solid to put Wolter over, and the proh
backing Sheppard

Compensation of Employees for Casualties Occur ing in Course of Employment.


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PER ANNUM.
Thene is no responsibility resting more heavily upon divilisa ear of those injured while turning the wheels of villed in the pursuit of industry. There are killea during a yoar 56 people and 8.650 injured while in the employ of business and
ur indlustries bear a personal injury burden of a half million uollars per annum and it is reliably estimated that one-hadf of this mount goes to the damage-suit lawyers.
The Texas Welfare Commission will conslder the subject of compention to employees for casualties occurring in course of
employ fhent and Tom Finty, Jr., of Dallas, is chairman of the mplov pent and Tom Finty, Jr., of Dallas, is chai
commiteajaving the subject under consideration.

## AllPrices Sut!

(II Prices on Straw and Panama Hats, Summer Styles in Shoes and Clothing have peen reduced greatly. A long stretch of Summer weather is yet ahead of us, and you can get much wear out of anytring you buy.

## Refrigerators

II You are depriving yourself of much if you have not a Refrigerator in your home. Our Hardware Department sells the Best made.

## Cotulla Mercantile Company.



This Dancing Savage is $\mathrm{No}_{0}$ Weakling


## ELECTRIC banno BITTERS


WILL GIVE YOU

PRICE 500 AND 51.00 PER BOTTLE
Horger \& Windrow Cotulla, Texas.

## Notice, Sherif's Sale.

The State of Texas, County of By virtue of an execution is sued out of the Honorable Justice Court of precinct No. 1, of
Bexar county, Texas, on the 4th Bexar county, Texas, on the 4th day of June 1912, by the Justice
of the Peace thereof, in the case of the Peace thereof, in the case
of Mrs. Hattie Wilbur versus W. of Mrs. Hattie Wilbur versus W.
S. Cooper, No. 7468 , and to me S. Cooper, No ${ }^{7468 \text {, and to me }}$ as sheriff directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell for cash within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales, on the first Tuesday in Aug. 1912 it being the sixth day of said month. before the Court House door of
said La Salle county, in the of Cotulla, the following describ ed properiy, towit: Being lot No. 1167 in Block. No subdivision No Thewnsite, and No. 25, of the Altito Ranch lands. aid property being located in La Salle county, Texas. Levied on as the property of
W. S. Cooper to W. S. Cooper, to satisfy a judg(\$100) Dollars, in favor of Mrs. Hattie Wilbur and all costs of suit.
12th day of my hand this the T. H. POOLE Sheriff of La Salle county, Texas
By B. Wildenthal, Jr. Deputy.

For sale-My residence adjoining school house for sale cheap, new house, well, barn etc
Will sale for $\$ 900$.-J. W. Gal Wreath, Wharton, Texas. Masonic Lodge - Cotulla Lodg No 892 A. F. \& A. M. meet Thursday night before full moon in each month. Visiting brethern invited. - W. J. Colem.
M. W. Hamilton, Sec.

For Sale. - 2 sections schoo land in Duval county, price $\$ 5$ Small cash payment. - Apply thi office.


The best Fire Insurance writ
ten by C. E. MANLY, Cotulla.

## TIRED RUN-HOWN PEOPLE

A North Carolina time 1 was so run down and debilitated that I could hardly drag around
My appetite was poor and $\mathbf{d}$ could not

leep nights. I had tried diford | $\begin{array}{l}\text { sleep nights. I had tried different so- } \\ \text { called tonics without benefit. } \\ \text { advised to try yas } \\ \text { and cod liver and }\end{array}$ |
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 taon commenced to sleep soundly,
and Ifeel strong, well and more ac-
tive than I have for years. Every runUve than have for years. Every run-
down or debilitated persan should
just give Vinol a trial." K. Allsbrook. It wint din for every wor Mr. . Allabbrook
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slow blow our faith we will furnish the
medichne free if it does not do as we
claim. Come in and get a bottle on claim. Come in and get a bottle" on
these terms. For sale by Horger \& Windro Cotulla, Texas.

Otto Zirkel makes Monuments to Order from $\$ 10$ to $\$ 10.000$
Designs shown by C. E. Manly Ctulla, Texas.



mRS. WILL TARVER, hostess |the guest of honor: all were glad To compliment the visiting to give Miss Fannie Mae the young ladies, Mrs. Will Tarver pretty lace collar, it being opened her beautiful home for
the occasion on Friday evening the 9th inst. All of the society set, with a few married friends, received cards to the social function. This home needed little decoration, as it is noted for its artistic arrangement. How flower for the touch of color in terspersed with evergreens. This bevy of young ladies formed a charming border as they stood to
welcome the incoming guests. Mrs. Tarver and daughter, Miss Alma, received the guests afterward, conducting them to th honorees. All formality was
soon dispensed with and guest vied with the and each who would have the best time. Home-baked cake and some of the delicious ices were served in most dainty manner. Mrs. Tarver is a charming hostess. and an invitation to her home always brings with it delightful antici pation.

## Thirty young people were en- tertained at the home of Mrs tertained at the home of Mrs.

 Henry Fullerton Monday evening the 15th. in hoFullerton taking turns at the
piano, and Miss Roberts singing several solos.
Quite a number enjoyed sing ing in unison.
Much laughter was ack out of paper while blindided. The contest on remembering articles which were placed on the table for one minute, was won by Miss Fannie Mae Simpson and Mr. Orville Curr. to the young lady as she was
mRS. dunham hostess.
Pursuant to appointment Puesday afternoon found the B. Uesday afternoon ound ine ho S. assembling in the hos-
table home of Mrs. M. T. Dun am, who opened her doors for ham, who opened her doors for
he entertainment with her ever ree cordiality. Owing to the ickness among the meas some ckness among the members, ously a number were conspicu
absent to their regret Those present however, were sufficient to make the meeting both pleasant and profitable. present conducted who is ever xercises anducted the devotional read the Bible lesson.

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During the social hour the ostess passed cooling hour the ments, a joy and pleasure, which

PRESBYTERIAN UNION The ladies of the Presbyterian Union were charmingly enterained at the home of Mrs. T. H. being on Thursday, the occasion coming our pleasing in welDaugherty, who has been away on a visit. After a brief businass meeting, the social hour was nade delightful vith music, etc.


Ballot for Primary Election, July 27.
Por Elector-a-t-large
Harry P. Lawther
of Dallas county

George D. Armintead
H. G. of Bexar county
H. G. Wagner
of Bell county
Felix J. MeCord of Gregg county
First District Elector
J. M. Henderson
Second Distriet Elector
W. T. Norman
of Cherokee coun

Third District Elector
M. D. Cariock
Fourth District Elector
W. L. Hay
Fifth Distri
Fifth District Elector
John D.
John D. McRea
of Ellis count
Sixth District Elector
J. K. Freeman J. K. Freeman
of Milam county
Seventh District Elector
I. A. Daniel of Houston coun
of Houston
Eighth District Elector
Thomas H, Stone
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of Harris county
Ninth District Elector
Ninth District Elector
John W. Gaines
Tenth District Elector
J. M. Mathis
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of Washington count
Eleventh District Elector

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C. W. Taylor
Twelfth of District Elector
T. H. Hiner
Thirteenth of Hood county
Thict Elector
J. W. Sulilivan of Denton county
Fourteenth District Elector
M. D. Slater
of Llano county
Fifteenth Distriet Elector

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John T. Briscoe
Sixteenth Distriet Elector
Walter S. Pope
of Jones county
$r$ Uated Stateon Senator
Jake Wolters
c. B. Randerris county
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Morris Shepparan county Morris Sheppard
of Bowie county Of Bowie county
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Wiley M. Imboden
Will H. Mays
of Brown county
Bob Barker
W. P. Lane oxar county
B. F. Looney
of Hunt coun
M. B, Harris
of Tarrant county
James D. Walthall of Bexar county
Por Treasurer
W. N. Adams
of Brow

| W. N. Adams of Brown county <br> J. M. Edwards <br> of Runnels county <br> Frank B. McCammon <br> of Tarrant county <br> J. L. Aston of Grayson county <br> For Commisatcner General Land Omce | of La Salle county <br> For District Judge Forty-ninth Judictal Distrio <br> R. W. Hudson of Frio county For District Attorney Forty-niath Judictal Dte <br> S. T. Phelpg of Frio county |
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| James T. Robison Charley Geers of Morris county of Tarrant county <br> For Commissioner of Agriculture | For County Judze <br> C. C. Thomas For District and County Clert <br> G. H. Knaggs For Sherift and Taz Collector |
| Ed R. Kone <br> H. A. Halbert of Hayes county <br> of Coleman county <br> Eugene Irion <br> of Callahan county <br> H. E. Singleton | T. H. Poole For Tax Assesaor <br> R. L. Henrichson For Treasurer <br> D. L. Neeley <br> F. D. McMahan |
| For Superintendent Public Inatruction <br> F. M. Bralley <br> of Fannin county | For County Attorney <br> J. Albert Strawn Por Justice of the Peace Precinct No. 1 <br> H. B. Stedham |
| For Raurroad Com | Presinet No, William Glaves |
| Place 1-Full term W. D. Williams of Tarrant county | For County Commissioner Precinet No. 1 |
| Plane 2-Unexpired term Raile B. Mayfield | W. A. Ker Prectnet No. 2 |
| of Bell coun Thomas | J. Jordan |
| of Harris county | Preolnet No. 3 |
| J.C. Mason of Lamar county | J. W. Baylor |
| John I. Wortham <br> of Hastia county |  |

