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Court convenes the first Monday after

February, May, August and November, seem to think can alone bring rest Court in session the second Mondays's

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in each month

tay in each month. John A. Davis, J. P. Precinct No. 6, Porter Springs, 1st

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March, June and September.

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That Settles It

beer or whisky can be sold over the You will there find much that will bar of the house restaurant. That help you, and be both pleasant and settles it. The members will have profitable. Orators and statesmen

The Baptists are to build a university in Chicago to cost a million dollars. John D. Rockefeller, the president of the Standard Oil mopresident of the Standard Oil mopresident of the Standard Oil mopropoly, subscribes \$600,000 and the to earth, would be the great numnopoly, subscribes \$600,000 and the to earth, would be the great numnopoly, subscribes \$600,000 and the to earth, would be the great numnopoly, subscribes \$600,000 and the to earth, would be the great numnopoly, subscribes \$600,000 and the to earth, would be the great numnopoly, subscribes \$600,000 and the to earth, would be the great numnopoly, subscribes \$600,000 and the to earth, would be the great numnopoly, subscribes \$600,000 and the to earth, would be the great numnopoly, subscribes \$600,000 and the to earth, would be the great numnopoly, subscribes \$600,000 and the to earth, would be the great numnopoly, subscribes \$600,000 and the to earth, would be the great numnopoly, subscribes \$600,000 and the to earth, would be the great numnopoly, subscribes \$600,000 and the to earth, would be the great numnopoly, subscribes \$600,000 and the to earth, would be the great numnopoly, subscribes \$600,000 and the to earth, would be the great numnopoly, subscribes \$600,000 and the to earth, would be the great numnopoly the first thing that would the west want the old-fashioned two-wheeled gig,

the old-fashioned two denomination makes up the balance ber who try to answer his name at between the stalwart oak one guished a guest. Senator Crawford Crawford cast his eye, and beheld ginia steeple-chase more than fifty in the face of sharp competition ply and demand.—Frederick of the amount.

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EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT

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VACATION. When this reaches the readers of

the Courier, many teachers will be fairly entered upon their summer vacation. While this is a season of meeting evey Wednesday night. Fourth rest, and justly so to the teacher who has worked closely and faith-PRESBYTERIAN. -S. F. Tenney, Pastor, fully in the session, it is by no ent century there lived in Char-

Monday after fourth Monday in Septem- some time each day during the va- Crawford, of Georgia-all men recation to reading something beside markable for learning, genius and Court convenes the first Monday's in the light literature which so many intellect.

so to speak, during vacation,

to accomplish the desired end.

the limits of this article.

to the mind and body? Why not 1773, in Prince George county in February, May, August and Novem- take with you some first-class peri- Virginia—at the junction of the odical, some book of poems, or, bet- Appomattox river with the James ter still, some professional literature like the Chateuquian, and his maternal grandfather, Col when tired of other employments Theodrict Bland, Sr. Inheriting Precinct No. 2, Augusta, 3d Saturday and pleasures, devote a while to the large landed estates and many nequiet reading and consideration found something from the Journe

> of Education bearing upon this point, and which we commend to Having said thus much of what ing that every teacher owes it to himself or herself, to prepare dur-

> work, to do something which will Found him sick in the bed with chills fit them better than ever before. for the great duties they undertake.

> stances, but it should be done nev-

no doubt the best agency available Here the teacher reviews and advances at the same time that he the little by the little by then continued his visit to k." This, of course, led to the which he did, after great effort, the she studies ways and means best New Prospect.—J, N. Parker, President; Ed. W. Davis, Secretary, Grape- adapted to school organization, dis. his friend Bryan, near Savannah, cebrated duel between Mr. Ran- stallion neighing, panting, pawing some half-dozen pack of hounds cipline, and school management and spent the winter, returning to the and Mr. Clay—the former re- and rearing, but the negroes held that had joined the Christmas parthroughout. Here it is, in short, one has the opportunity of profiting by the knowledge and experi- spent his time chiefly inchesking Mr. Randolph represented the the saddle, well in the stirrups, and satisfaction and great consideraence of others-of making their after his large estates; but in the Carlotte district in Congress for the reins well in hand. Mr. R. tion. The old-fashion Virginia gen-"wants and wishes known," and receiving aid from others best calculated to help. More might be said of the benefits derived along this gress of the United States. He fson, Mr. Randolph said after. dressed in full livery, with cocked mansion, after the usual salutaings of literary circles, societies, etc., but enough has been said for

> In so doing they lose much. Their school should be a feature in the

Determine to read three or four Houston County Central Co-Operative Association, P. of H., meets annually first Thesday in September—T. B. Henderson, president; J. B. Choose books worth reading twice. TEXAS. woman, whose life was worth living. ted to enter that cellar.

> Get a copy of Plutarch's Lives Texas Journal of Education.

ected his final resting place.

THE STEEPLE-CHASE WHICH JOHN RANDOLPH LED W. H. CRAWFORD. Reminiscence of Virginia Hospitality in 1810-The Georgia Senator's Christmas Dinner and How we Earned it --- An Interesting Sketch.

In the first quarter of the presbears with it the knowledge of some ly learned. For eloquence unsur- lished or supposed celebrity. As in the morning." District Judge, Hon. F. A. Williams.
District Attorney, Hon. W. H. Gill.
District Clerk, Hon. W. A. Champion.

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District Clerk, Hon. W. A. Champion. Mr. Randolph permitted but tew nine and diminutive in statue. He ington city to Charlotte county, he was swimming in water. it is necessary that our physical men to enjoy his intimate friend- was five feet eight inches high, per- slept soundly. About 3:30 o'clock. County Attorney, Hon. S. A. Denny. nature be built up by freedom from ship, and of that very few we may feetly formed and very erect; his however, Senator C. says he was pack of hounds had caught the iff, F. H. Bayne. Treasurer, M. M. Ba- the confinement of the school-room mention the names of the follow- step quick and elastic; weight nev- aroused from his slumbers by Mr.

Mr. Randolph was born June 2

-at Crawsons, the family seat of groes in Charlottee and Prince Edmoderation abronced with wind to his bed with typhoid fever.

is dependent somewhat on circum- It undoubtedly cured his shakes, another. The Summer Normal is ng.

The H. G. Phillips family will rive a picnic or family reunion of Mr. Clay was a "combination be- C. saw that no excuse would do, saplings, and chafed no little gain this year. It will be held on tween the Puritan and the black- and he finally consented to mount, the stirrup leathers. Virginia in the spring. From that fing to shoot at the latter. They him securely till the ponderous ty on the route. These distinguishtime until the spring of 1790 ne mained friends forever afterward. Georgian got farely and squarely in ed guests were received with much spring of 1799-being only twenty nny terms, and was never defeat- then mounted a large bay stallion try were present in full force. six years of age-he was elected to ebut once, and that was by John of high mettle, and then came forth The first thing that greeted the visthe Charlotte district in the Con- | Eppes, a son-in-law of Mr. Jef- Juba, the trusty body servant, itors on their entrance into the

and their work entirely out of sight. moved to the Roanoke estate. and felt. This will depend entirely med, uncared for; in fact, just as y, 1772, but emigrated to Geor- Mr. C. last, on the impetuous and the morning ride.

Then read and re-read them until with the most choice wines anske. Then read and re-read them until you have really assimulated their brandies ran the full length of the But before leaving Washington great muscular power, made sever- ing was done, as the phantom of loam, the stiff black-sandy, the be, five years hence, 1 to 30, for best features. Be sure to study cabin. Juda and Johnny, hhe learned that his friend Craw- al efforts to stop the headlong ca- the black stud constantly aroused gray, the sandy, the red the choc- aught we know, or 1 to 12. In anbest features. Be sure to study cabin. Juda and Johnny, the learned that his friend Crawthus the biography of some man or the control of th

In no other way can you get so much that will be helpful.

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In mo other way can you get so ing to the bed-post. About 11 o'clock on the next day Mr. R. by settled and in a high state of 8; Herodotus states it as 1 to 13; in fifty yards, bullt of the same margia Senator had to travel, he made it," but to all of his entreaties Mr. went to the room of his friend, and cultivation: Nevel's, Saline, Mus- the time of Plato and Xenophon, in rial as the first, the same in si him agree that he would call at R. turned a deaf ear, and the only said: "Crawford, if you go to Geor- tang. Tyler, Nogales, Pine, East. in Greece, it was 1 to 10; this was Speaker Reed says that no more and read as much as possible in it. but unchink Roanoke and eat his Christmas response he could get would be the good-bye, old fellow." No allusion cabin Mr. Randolph spent the su dinner. To this Senator Crawford bugle blast of Juba, far in the van, was made to the ride. mer, and in the chink cabin agreed, and true to his promise mounted on the mare Trifle, who Senator Crawford did not get ture of any and everything for times I to 11 to 1 to 12. In the colder months. About half I reached Roanoke, the home of Mr. flew the air like an arrow. Every away from Judge Leigh's for sev- which wood is used can be had in Eighteenth century it became about to get their cold tea in the original packages.—Philadelphia Times.

The members will have to get their cold tea in the original packages.—Philadelphia Times.

The members will have the members will have to get their cold tea in the original treasure house for anecdotes to highest elevation within this!

The members will have the members will have profitable. Urators and statesment of all ages have drawn upon this between the cabins, and on the members will have the members will inclosure or yard, stood an oaf The usual custom of those days until the corpulent Georgian felt answered: "That morning ride

great size; facing the east, il with gentlemen traveling, was in that all was lost. But on they sped with Jack Randolph, it sprained Houston county, at the Fort Worth These facts, show the absolute East and lofty pine on the st, says he found Mr. R. greatly im- an immense pack streaming around years ago.

In person Mr. Randolph was femi- fatigued from his ride from Wash first plunge the black stud made and south. There are also three other blooded stock. ker. Tax Assessor, Charles Stokes. and by open air exercise, it is by ing gentlemen: Dr. John Brock- er exceeded ninety pounds; com- R. and a servant, who informed him no means a necessary consequence enbrough, of Richmond; Francis plexion dark, with very large black that he must "be up, as it was time that this be done to the neglect of S. Dey, of Maryland (the author eyes-and such eyes mortal man to start on the ride to dinner. the mental powers, any more than of Star Spangled Banner): Judge never had before nor since. His Mr. R. approached the bed with that the mind is to be made subser- Roane and Littleton Waller Taze- hair was a lustrous black, and part- large bowl of strong coffee and vient to the body at other times. well, of Virginia; Nathaniel Macon, ed in the middle, over a low fore- brandy, and said to his friend: Why can not the teacher devote of North Carolina, and William H. head which resembled a white band "Drink this, Crawtord; it will open around a black hat. The rest of your eyes, brace you for the ride. the features were in perfect accord and give you an appetite for din- ride for the balance of their trip with the whole face, and while ner." While the Senator was dres. would be at their leisure. Hence portation conveniences the county Crockett, and on the L& G. N. young be was regarded not only as sing and sipping the coffee and it was that Mr. C. watched again, is well supplied, and when the railroad. It has a population of handsom, but almost beautiful. brandy, Johnny approached and with no little anxiety, Juba and other roads in contemplation are graded schools seldom fails to take He hal not a sprig of beard, and adjusted a huge pair of old Eng- the mare, still nearing the opposite constructed as they will be before and keep rank with the fore-

as age and disease wore on his fragile lish spurs of the purest metal, of bank, when to his horror, as the a great while, no county in the 400 to 500. They have a most exframe, is whole appearance was great age and artistic design. The mare ascended the bank, Juba again state will surpass Houston in facil-cellent High School at this place much hanged. He suffered from spurs on, the Senator was admon- brought a blast or two on his trum- ities for easy and rapid transpor- and the best school building promanhod to his death with gout in | ished that the horses were ready at | pet; the mare switched the water | tation to and from market. its nost excruciating form. In the door by the pawing and champ- from her flaxen tail and on she fact his physical infirmities, the ing of the bits, and at the same went-Mr. Randolph second, and The climate is mild and healthcoptant gnawing of disease, made time Mr. R. in that peculiar voice Mr. Crawford and the black stud ful. An abundance of the best railroad, is 12 miles north of Crockhim a confirmed misanthrope, and like the notes of a silver trumpet, third. The hounds having an even water can be had in any part of ett, population 300. Good society doubtless had much to do with that said: "Crawford, all is ready; let's start from the south side of the riv- the county. Running, through if churches and are preparing to erect Hon. Norman G. Kittrell was in eccentricity which was so notable a ride." The distinguished Georgian er, now kept up with the Christ- in every direction are ever-flowing at once a splendid High school he city last Friday and addressed feature of his character. When a approached the door, and, by the mas party, and in full cry, as streams of water of the purest kind building. he citizens at the court house. Mr. candidate for the Virginia State light of numerous pine torches he though they were on the warmest and of such volume and power as to There are hamlets all through Cittrell is a good talker and enter- convention of 1829-30 he never went saw three horses in readiness. Mr. trail. Soon a second pack joined be very valuable for any kind of man- the county, located in thriving and ained the convention while the among the crowd shaking hands, R., pointing to an immense black the first pack, and so on for every ufacturing purposes. No county cultivated neighborhoods. The committees were ont. He left a as is the usual custom of election- stallion, even champing, pawing few miles a new pack would join in the state can boast of as many following are some of them and would go a step further yet in say good impression with the people eering, but it was his habit to take and snorting, held by two stalwart the chorus, and on they went. Fi- streams. Ie is a candidate for congress from a stand, and only converse with negro fellows, said: "Crawford nally Juba and the mare quit the those who approached him. With mount that horse." Mr. C. being a road and struck out through the The Methodist, Baptist, Presby- ta, Weeches, Tadmor, Ratcliff, Coling vacation, for the next session's The flowers that bloom in the Spring such he was very cordial and communicative, never looking to the "Mr. R. I can't ride that horse." and Mr. Crawford, across gullies have church organizations through- Weldon, Holly, Pennington, Beright or left during the conversa- "Mount him, Crawford, mount him," ditches, over fences, through briars, out the county. But Cheatham's Chill Tonic got him up tion, but steadily at the man he was the reply. Mr. C. remonstrat. ponds, creeks, and everything that Just how this can be best done And he now daily sings, while walking was addressing. His first speech ed by saying that he was not ac obstructed a straight line. At last was against Patrick Henry; his last customed to horseback exercise, relief came, for the party reached in the United States Senate, if we and he dobted his ability to ride Judge Leigh's about 1 o'clock. ertheless, if not in one way then in Sold by French & Chamberlain, DeBer- mistake not, against Henry Clay, that animal-pointing to the rest. Crawford was much exhausted, and Clark, N. E. Allbright. J. G. Har- in which he charged that the elec- less black stallion. Mr. Randolph his pants having slipped above his tion of John Quincy Adams to the seemed irritated, and repued sharp. knees, his legs were scratched presidency through the treachery ly: "Mount, sir; mount him?" Mr. briars, bruised by fence rails

CHRISTMAS RIDE. Mr. Randolph at an early day se- proved in health since he parted the hills toward the Christmas with him in Washington city, and riders. On came the hounds, and is situated in Eastern Texas in lat-In close proximity to the resi- in fine flow of spirits. They sat on went the horsemen. Soon the itude 314 degrees north; 100 miles dence was an immense park filled up till a late hour, discussing the Staunton river came in full view north of Houston and 140 miles production of all kinds of fruits with deer, and hard by was his political news of the day, and men which for the moment, promised north of Galveston. The Trinity and vegetables. Apples, peaches, kennel and stud. He owned many as statesmen, warriors, poets phil- great relief to Mr. Crawford, of river is the county's boundary line hounds, black-tans and beagles, as osophers. On retiring to ped, Mr. Georgia. Consequently he watch- on the west and the Neches on the well as pointers, all of the most R. remarked to his distinguished ed Juba and the mare, considerably east. The county is one of the grown, with ease and profit. The choice breeds, the pedigree of each friend that he had been invited to in advance, as they neared the tur- oldest and in area one of the larbeing as familiar to Mr. Randolph take Christmas dinner with an old bid and foaming river. But as gest in the state. It embraces in as that of his thoroughbred horses. and esteemed friend, and that, in- Juba and the mare struck the tur- area 622640 acres of land. The fruit farming is becoming very pro-While Mr. Randolph rarely, if asmuch as he did not know wheth- bid river bank, to the great mortifi- population of the county by offiday school every sunday. Prayer meet- means necessary, or even best, that lotte county, Va., John Randolph, ever, bet on racing, yet he was a er he, Crawford, would come or not, cation and disgust of Mr. Crawford, cial returns reaches nearly 23,000. our vacations bring with them noth- of Roanoke, the most remarkable great admirer of the sports of the he had promised to attend, and ad- in they went; then followed Mr. ing more than rest and pleasure man of his day and generation. turf, as it was his custom to attend ded that if he, Crawford, would Randolph on the mettled bay stalseeking. True pleasure, indeed, He was universally and protound- all races between horses of estab. consent to go, they would ride over lion; and finally Mr. Crawford felt largely white, is between that all hope was now gone, and good accomplished, something at- passed; for withering sarcasm un- a pistol shot, or on the wing with Senator Crawford, thinking Mr. with a secret reservation to make tained for our own advancement, rivaled, and for eccentricity un- a double barrel gun, he was un- R.'s friend lived only in the neigh- one more desperate effort to check and to the benefit of those around equaled, he was and will ever be a equalled As a horseman and hun- borhood, consented at once. At the wild career of his mighty chargus. With the teacher in vacation study; for he was the peer of any ter he was no less celebrated. He this, Mr. R. bade him good-night; er, he pulled with all the power of a

By this time Mr. Randolph's full party and were swimming and veloing as though they were within fifty yards of a wounded stag or red fox. The current of the river was rapid and the water intensely cold, and while swimming and ford that when safely across, the

poised in midair, and then, with a allusion to it. Dinner being an- aggregate nearly \$30,000. Overlooking the Roanoke estate His friend, William H. Crawford, tremendous plunge, they started. | nounced, Mr. Crawford found much was an elevation covered with a Georgia, was born in Amherst Juba led the way, followed next difficulty in getting to the table; community. It should be known dense forest of native oaks, untrim- unty, Va., on the 24th of Febru- by Mr. R. and the bay stallion, then still there was no allusion made to and felt. This will depend entirely med, uncared for; in fact, just as y, 1772, but emigrated to Geornton, on the teacher. The newspapers nature made them. In the midst a at an early day, soon became hard mouthed black stud. The bales of cotton annually, 300,000 to shows that there cannot be, for any on the teacher. The newspapers nature made them. In the midst a at an early day, soon became are always more than willing to of this wild forest of his own native nowned as a lawyer and states—weather being cold and dry, and table for several hours, and after doubt a shows that there cannot be, for any considerably length of time, a consid SUBORDINATE GRANGES.

are always more than wining to of this wild forest of this wild Nollie Webb, secretary; meets first Saturday.

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Lovelady—D. C. F. Snell, master; W. H. Hart graves, secretary; meets first Saturday.

The roads hard-frozen, the morning having eat and drank through a lates Senate in 1806 and again in air smote the face as with a shower truly Christmas course, and understant the roads hard-frozen, the morning having eat and drank through a lates Senate in 1806 and again in lates secretary; meets first Saturday. can not be expected to keep a force ing home of the great Virginian— 11. While members of Congress of needles; and the clattering of going the excitements of the rich willer and solver. The Nevil's Prairie-J. W. Bartee, master; Emmett of reporters at work hunting up simple double-log cabin with stick e intimacy commenced between hoofs of those thoroughbreds upon food and viands, discussions and and dirt chimneys. The cabinshese distinguished politicans. In the hard frozen ground, in the still- speech-making, in addition to his were chinked from the inside andhe month of December 1810, Mr. ness of the winter morn, soon re- corporeal suffering from the ride, good books during the vacation. daubed on the outside with come and olph had an attack of periodi- sounded through those old Virgin- suddenly the distinguished Geor- greater variety of rich soils than gold dollar. The real ratio of their daubed on the outside with com-tandolph had an attack of periodi-mon clay mud. a cellar well stored gout, and went home to Roan-ia hills like the roar of a cavalry formed Judge Leigh that he would have the black waxy, the black about 1 to 23 at this time, and may

HOUSTON COUNTY. POPULATION. The population of the count

and 25,000.

RAILROADS. The Great Northern

other railroad lines already chartered and being surveyed and partly constructed, projecting in the cated on the L & G. N. railroad direction of Houston county, two and has a population of 1800. of them by charter calling for the There are two fine schools for county. The Texas and Sabine whites, open ten months in the railroad runs east and west near year. Two weekly newspapers, the south boundary line, and the THE COURIER and Economist. Kansas and Gulf short line but a Nearly all denominations have drifting toward the other bank the short distance from the eastern church organizations here. Sothought and hope struck Mr. Craw- boundary, both furnishing means ciety first-class. of shipping easily accessible to Lovelady is the next town in those sections. In respect of trans- size. It lies twelve miles south of

CLIMATE AND WATER.

No county in Texas is better

supplied with first-class schools The reputation of some of these institutions have become state-wide. Besides a most efficient and exceling six months every year, there Dr. J. B. Smith, E. Broxson. are several Academies and High schools of high grade and firstclass standing that are open all the year and are largely attended. It has been very justly remarked of Mur the Crockett Academies that few, Furle if any schools in the state, have Holl sent out from their halls as many G. highly cultivated and accomplish- Mared young men as they have.

SCHOOL FUND.

Ratliff, Ratliff, R. R. Harvin, Tadline from attendance on monthly remained in congress until 1813, and trumpet. Juba mounted tions, and introductions, was an nent county school fund amount- mor when he was defeated by John W. I son-in-law to the Charlotte dis- the thoroughbred mare Trifle. Mr. immense silver bowl, full to over- ing to \$70,000, which brings in an-Epps, his competitor, in the spring to to defeat him because he (Ran- R. then said in a clear shill flowing, with hot apple toddy. nually from four to five thousand Estate Association, Crockett, Texof 1815. The spring of 1815 Epps | dph) had beaten him at a game voice: "All ready." At that the While Mr. Crawford enjoyed the dollars to be used in running the as. was a candidate for re-election, but chess. John Tyler, afterwards negroes unloosened the grip on the warm toddy, yet he was suffering public schools of the county. This he was defeated by Mr. Randolph esident of the United States, de- black stallion. Juba brought one greatly from the terrible morning added to state and local tax makes Some teachers have a great knack by a handsome majority. In the sted Mr. Randolph by one vote long loud blast on his trumpet, and ride: still, neither Mr. Randolph the sum of money spent annually in of keeping themselves, their school spring of 1810 Mr. Randolph ly in a re-election to the United the horses for a moment stood as if nor any of the party made any Houston county on public schools LAND IN CULTIVATION.

millet, sorgum, etc.

GOLD MEDAL.

BOOTS, SHOES

STAPLE GROCERIES AND GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

SHOES A SPECIALTY

This county yields to none in the adaptability of its soils to the pears, figs, plums, apricots, grapes

We have in almost exhaustless supplies rich iron ore of the brown ematite and laminated varietiessides other kinds. Clays for aking brick, tiling, pottery, etc.

FINE STOCK. ch of This county is especially adapthe International and Great North- ted to the raising of fine stock and ern railroad runs through the cen- quite a number of persons have ter in a direction almost due north made a success in Jersey cattle and

Crockett, the county seat, is lo-

bably in East Texas. Several churches and excellent society.

have from one to three stores, churches, school, and post office: Auguslott, Daniel and Dodson.

Hounton county invites capital and immigration. Lands are cheap.

CROCKETT POST OFFICE. lent system of public schools, last- ters, S. C. Arledge, B. F. Duren,

> urchison, N. J. Mainer ngs, Weldon, Ross ter Springs, Robert IcLemore, Coltharp son, Weeches, Wm. rgusta, J. E. Hollings-Grapeland, Jas. A. Hill. Daly, I. A. Daniel, Daniel, J. H.

And the Houston county Real

The Ratio of Gold to Silver.

We have two distinct bases for our currency of different intrinsic value. The gold dollar and the silver dollars are declared by statute to be equally the unit of value, There are about 80,000 acres of and to be equally valuable; yet land in cultivation. The county everybody knows that this is a ficstatutory ratio is 1 to 16/ that is to say, the law fixes the weight of a Houston county can show a silver dollar at 16 times that of a ing the Christmas holidays on immore he pulled the faster he ran; ing 'Whoa—whoa, sir!" and holdthe prairies, all of which are thickcentury it varied from 1 to 6 to 1 to about the ratio in Europe in the Timber, adapted to the manufac- Sixteenth century, though it was at

Sawver in The Forum.

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FRIDAY, JUNE 27, 1890. Houston county the gold

medal county.

Houston county leads all counties in variety of soils. Houston county leads all counties in soil adapted to the

growth of fruits and vegetables. Houston county invites capital and immigration.

Houson county leads all counties in native woods adapted to manufacturing purposes.

Houston county leads all counties in the number and volums of flowing streams.

say that we would like to see Hall and Wheeler get a county or two. Gustave Cooke is a political knight errant; he is dashing and

A Spirit of charity prompts us to

chivalrous, and when that is said, all employing him may be served. is said Those cities and towns are most Hogg; he hasn't the courage to prosperous which have assumed come out openly and say that Genthe management of their own eral Hogg was guilty of black-mail

schools. WANTED!-Some one to tell us what has become of Dick Hall's do directly with authentic docboom? Perhaps the sorrowful umentary evidence. The fact

whang-doodle may answer Clark and Matlock and Barry bar him from making an effort to continue to scheme and plot to de-sell property that belongs either to feat Hogg, and the people with a himself or to his family. Neither unanimity, that is phenominal, con- our institutions nor laws contemtinue to get together in convention plate that, when a citizen becomes and instruct for him.

It is of the highest importance that a senate and house of representatives should be elected who are in accord and sympathy with the governor on all leading questions: otherwise the victory will be incomplete and fruitless.

True this is a political year: true but let us not forget that Houston getting a good showing of her sources before the Dallas Fair she is in the election of any man.

spectacle to see a professional loby- the State-toward the capital syndi- ton Graphic. ist and a hired agent of corpora- cate-of which Col. Taylor was the tions and syndicates, like A. S. Matlock, pleading that a man afford toseriously consider his scand- Madison, Houston, Bowie, Hardeshould be elected governor who is alous reflections. No one will dare to man, and, Bee counties instructed without reproach, and without spot impute such dereliction, for all re- for Hogg for governor-Jefferson or blemish

Houston county has a right to expect, and demands that there shall be a full and fair enumeration of every person, white and black, male and female, man, woman and child, in the county, and the enumerators should that such a result is

If you want to see Croe the town in three years will be three to conclude that Mr. Matlock and times as large.

The friends of Gustave Cooke demand that the proof of such have been declaring that Hogg charges shall eminate from a higher We presume they are publican congressman. satisfied now. They locked horns down at Bellville the other day and Chairman Folk The papers of lows: Hogg in his rejoinder made it so hot for Cooke that he left the court gressional Con- have been criti- 1; Baylor, 1; Bee, 2; Bell, 15; Bos-

Better schools, a larger attendance Folk, because some time back, the 16; Fisher, 1; Gregg, 2; Hardeman, S. C. Cabiness, Arch. Adams, G. M. of scholars, better school buildings, impression got out that he was 1; Harrison, 14; Henderson, 4; Thompson, and are entitled to two from a challenged voter, uns the vote cast at said primary elecbetter furnished school buildings going to call the congressional con- Houston, 6; Knox, 1; Lamar, 13; better teachers, more of them, vention to meet on the 12th of Au- Lee, 4; Leon, 5; Midland, 1; Palo better society, better business gust. Not until within the last week Pinto, 3; Reeves, 1; Runnels, 1; and more of it, a more general or two did we understand that such Sommervell, 1; Stonewall, 1; Van diffusion of the spirit of enterprise, an idea originated from what the Zandt. 7; Willbarger, 1; Wise, 8; greater thrift and prosperity will be COURIER said on the subject. In Wood, 6; Young, 2. Total 136. found in those towns and cities, justice to Folk, we will say that he Uninstructed-Bastrop, 7; Buchel which have taken charge of their never told the editor of this paper 1; Collin, I8; Crosby, 1; Dallam, 1; own schools and have levied a tax that he thought he would call the Donley, 1; Foley, 1; Galveston, 13 vote. to support them. There is a lesson convention on the 12th of August, Total, 43. in this for the public spirited citi- nor can any such declaration be zens of Crockett to study. found in the columns of The Cou-

If Attorney General Hogg is the in this county last, he remarked 7; Red River, 9; Stephens, 1; Triniman that lobbyist Matlock is trying that he hadn't decided on the date ty, 3; Upshur, 5. Total 42. to make him out, then he is just of calling the convention, but he the kind of a man for governor that had been considering the propriety lobbyist Matlock would like to have; of calling it on the 5th of Augustand the fact that lobbyist Matlock believing that there would be plenis now profoundly occupied in his ty of time between that day and efforts to convince the people of the day of the San Antonio conven-Texas that Attorney General Hogg tion-to get through with the busiis unfit for governor because he ness. These are the facts, and the could probably be influenced by papers in the district, have been lobbyist Matlock and others to do doing that gentleman an injustices structed counties, 23. Total, 200. improper and unworthy things, is if the basis of their censure is taken structed counties, 23. Total, 200. titled to one vote. proof strong and incontestable that from what was said by this paper Attorney General Hogg is the very at the time. We take pleasure in man that lobbyist Matlock don't setting chairman Folk right. want for governor and the very man the people do want. On with the pro- If you want the best paper take of the entire vote, so far as report- The committee on permanent or-The Courier.

Complaint seems to be well nigh and Attorney A. S. Matlock universal that the census enumera- Hogg. As soon as Trinity' Chero-General Hogg. of the Pan- tors are not doing their work as it handle, the agent and attorney of should be done. In some cities the of the Palestine Advocate, Grove- organization, beg leave to report as to be appointed by the managers land and cattle syndicates, the at- enumerators have been arrested and ton Graphic, New Birmingham follows: torney of the capital contractors, at held for trial: It is to be hoped Times and the Nacogdoches Star For permanent chairman, J. W. one time a state senator, and seeks that the enumerators of this county News.-Crockett Courier. to make the impression that have gotten all, though we hear of General J. S. Hogg attempt- some complaints in our own county. ed to black-mail Col. Abner All persons, who have not been Taylor, of Chicago, into buying a enumerated or who know of any large tract of land located in Smith | who have not been enumerated, will county and belonging to his, Hogg's confer a favor by reporting such now?-Palestine Advocate. father-in-law. Mr. Matlock is facts to The Courier office. We careful not to charge General Hogg want to see a full and complete censpecifically with such intent, but sus of this county and we must relates the circumstances of time have it, if application for more time and place under which the trans- has to be made. action occurred, hoping that the

A contest between hostile armies rary chairman. effect will be to establish the charge of gross official misconduct. Every in battle array is a grand and in- A. A. Aldrich was elected tem spiring spectacle. The present po- porary secretary. one who has been a member of litical contest in this State might | On motion of Earl Adams that either branch of the legislature for approximate such a scene in gran- the chair appoint a committee on the past eight years will easily redeur, if the contending forces were credentials, on basis of representacall the fact that A. S. Matlock has anything like evenly matched. It tion, and permanent organization, never failed to be on hand in the is all one way as it is. On one side the members to consist of one from capacity of lobbyist for some measure, whereby the capital syndicate are the countless throngs of the peo- each precinct, to be elected by the or some other combination of cap- ple profoundly stirred and infused delegates from each precinct, was with an enthusiasm · never before carried, and the following selected: tal expected to reap great advanfelt; on the other are the schemers FIRST-CREDENTIALS AND BASIS OF Mr. Matlock is a professional lobbyist, or go-between, for cor- and intriguers, the agents of corporations and syndicates and a handporations; he is their hired agent for that business and is recognized ful of honest and patriotic Demoall over the State as a man who crats; the one is a multitude, the will not scruple to employ his other a mere contingent. The conflict is uninteresting because untime or talents to the end that the selfish and sordid purposes of those equal.

The resources of those opposing He tries now by inuendo to be-Hogg are without limit. They smirch the character of General but he undertakes to do, by implication or slur, what he knows he can't or money purchase, has been em- Boykin. is a state official shouldn't ployed to help the conspirators to thwart the will of the people. We refer to those managing the canvass of the opposition. They are desperate and reckless; ripe and ready for the adoption of any and every an official he should cease to be a means however unclean, however To Chairman and Convention of citizen, and should divest himself sinister or sinuous that will embarof his rights as a citizen. If Mr. rass or impede the onward march Hogg's father-in-law, or Mr. Hogg of the gathering multitudes who are himself, had land to sell, and shouting for Hogg and are deterif Col. Taylor of the capital syndimined that he shall be nominated. dicate was in the land buying bus-

iness and chose to buy land of Anderson county, instructed for General Hogg or any one else, we Hogg. As soon as Trinity, Cherotake it, that it was a business kee and Nacogdoches do the same transaction, pure and simple, and we are going to have some fun out to make, if he saw proper to do so. just as any other citizen. If Mr. Crockett Courses.

Matlock can prove that there was Dont hit us hard Bro. Page, our official dereliction of duty on the man had to drop out on the account part of the Attorney General in of his bad health, and now we are It is such a pleasing and edifying his relations as chief law officer of going whole Hogg or none.—Grove-

representative, then the public can Young, Reeves, Bell, Palo Pinto, member with what vigor the At- county, casting two votes only, intorney General enforced the law structs for Cooke. Jefferson is the applying to the capitol contract. first and only county to go for Unless Senator Matlock and those Cooke.

engaged with him in this conspiracy, for conspiracy it is, can prove Crockett COURIER and The conclusively that General Hogg's Nacogdoches Chronicle hold their proposition to sell land to Col. Tay- own as the best newspapers in the lor did involve and was followed Second congresional district. by gross neglect of his official du- They are ably edited and neatly ties as Attorney General, or that a printed.-Cherokee Herald.

consideration of such sale, if con-If the Attorney-General is elected summated, would be a failure on the part of the Attorney General to the Crockett Courses will be or d enforce the law governing the cap- record as a Page in history.-Palese, and ital contract, the public are bound tine Advocate.

Eighty-Three Per Cent of All, his associates are the real black-Fifty-three counties have been mailers. The people of Texas will reported as having indicated their preference in the gubanatorial conwouldn't meet Cooke in joint dis- source than that of a Chicago Rep- test, either through county or pris mary conventions. The result in the county conventions was as fol-

Hogg-Anderson, 5; Armstrong ticising quite que, 6; Carson,1; Childress, 1; Colseverely Mr. lingsworth, 1; DeWitt, 4; Fannin,

PRIMARY EXPRESSION. Hogg-Coleman, 3 Commanche RIER. When chairman Folk was 4; Lavacca, 8; Marion, 2; Montague

> Cook-Jefferson, 2. Wheeler-Eastland, 4. Uninstructed-Cooke, 11. UNINSTRUCTED SO FAR AS KNOWN, Hogg-Bastrop, 3; Collin, 6; Galveston, 13. Total, 32.

HOGG'S VOTE TO DATE. The total vote of the counties that have spoken in county and primary meeting is 241 of which Hogg's vote is 200, or 83 per cent.

kee and Nacogdoches do the same we are going to have some fun out

Times are so horrid dull since the convention in this county that we are itching for the fun to begin What's the use of keeping a poor fellow in suspense, why not fire in

Proceedings of the County Convention June 20th, 1890.

The meeting was called to order by Col. D. A. Nunn.

J. B. Smith was elected tempo

E. Adams, J. A. Hughes, J. D. Elledge, D. L. Jordan, J. H. Ratcliff, C. F. Threadgill, C. W. Waddell, W. J. Garner, S. C. Cabiness, S. G. Hester, H. L. Burton, A. M. Rencher, J. K. Chandler, I. A. Dan-1el, W. L. Driskill, S. M. Hallmark

means to achieve their dirty and J. H. Wootters, J. F. Garrett, S. foul ends. They are resolved to C. Hirams, D. C. Webb, C. M. Ezell, defeat him, fairly if they can, foully J. V. Bradley, J. L. Gilder, B. F. if they must. No recourse is too Smith, Arch. Adams, Jas. Crawford, ow-down, or black, or dishonorable W. H. Threadgill, W. P. Kyle, J. to be resorted to. Every device or K. Chandler, E. E. Barlow, H. L. agency that ingenuity can contrive Brannen, S. M. Hallmark and G. F.

The committees retired, and on motion, Hon. Norman G. Kittrell was invited to address the convention, which he did accordingly,

ported as follows: Houston County:

We, your committee, appointed on credentials and basis of representation, beg to report.

We recommend that the basis of representation be one vote in this convention for every fifty Democratic votes, or fractions over twenty-five, cast in the last election one that General Hogg had a right of the Palestine Advocate, Groveton and we find that the following are Graphic, New Birmingham Times the elected and accredited delegates and the Nacogdoches Star News. - to this convention from precinct

> S. C. Arledge, Earl Adams, Henry Rice, I. W. Murchison, W. B. Page, Dr. J. B. Smith, S. Roberts, Sam. E. Howard, M. K. Murchison Jno. E. Monk, S. F. Wall, N. E. Allbright, Richard Douglas, J. W. Hail, R. W. Vince, Dr. W. H. Denny, A. A. Aldrich, J. H. Wootters. R. S. Willis, Jno. F. Rains, and that said beat No. 1, 1s entitled to

From Pleasant Grove, the del gates are: D. L. Jordan, D. C. Webb, and are entitled to two votes. From Grapeland, the delegates are: G. W. Whitley, J. F. Garret, J. A. Hughes, and J. F. Martin.

and are entitled to four votes. From Augusta, the delegates are John Kennedy, S. C. Hirams, Geo. Hughes, J. D. Elledge, John Long, and are entitled to five votes.

The delegates from Coltharp are: J. H. Ratcliff, A. J. McLemore and C. M. Ezell, and are entitled to

The delegates from Dodson are C. F. Threadgill, J. V. Bradley, and are entitled to one vote.

The delegates from Freeman are: C. W. Waddell and J. L. Gilder, and are entitled to one vote. The delegates from Lovelady are:

Aaron Speer, W. J. Garner, B. F. Smith, J. R. Hairston and W. Murchison, and are entitled to five

The delegates from Weldon, are:

Springs, are: H. L. Burton, W. H. of the party. Threadgill, W. G. Brazeale, J. M. Porter and Ross Murchison, and are entitled to one vote.

The delegates from Boggs', are:

The delegates from Daly, are: W. P. Kyle, A. M. Rencher, J. H. Beazley, and entitled to one vote. The delegates from Shiloh, are: S. G. Hester, T. J. Crawford, and chairman of the executive comm its own manager: entitled to one vote.

entitled to two votes. From Daniel, the delegates are: second primary election held

entitled to one vote.

Respectfully submitted S. G. HESTER, On motion, said report was received and adopted ganization reported as follows:

Anderson county instructs for To J. B. Smith, Temporary Chair- vote conducted as near as practica-

For secretary, A. A. Aldrich, Jr. J. H. WOOTTERS,

The report was received and On motion of Jno. H. Wootters, a

Chm. Com.

committee composed of one mar from each precinct, to be selected by the delegates from such precinct, be appointed to recommend twenty delegates to each of the State, Congressional, Senatorial, and Judicial Conventions-carried, and the following committee appointed

W. B. Page, J. A. Hughes, Jno. Kennedy, D. L. Jordan, C. M. Ezell, J. V. Bradley, J. L. Gilder, J. R Hairston, S. C. Cabiness, S. G. Hester, W. G. Brazeale, W. P. Kyle, J. K. Chandler, E. E. Barlow, W. L. Driskill, S. M. Hallmark, G. F

tirement, on motion Hon. N. G Kittrell was allowed to address the

owing resolution, which carried: Resolved, That our delegates to he Senatorial Convention, be, and are hereby instructed to cast the vote of Houston county, as a unit, for Hon. W. B. Page, for State Sen- to use all honorable means and ator, and to support him first, last, vote as a unit to secure the nomin-

PRIMARY RLECTIONS. Rule 1st. -All Democrats in good standing with our party, shall have the right to vate, including those who have immigrated into our county since the last general election, and who openly declare The committee on credentials re- their intention to affiliate with the Democratic party and vote straight Democratic ticket and also those who have become of are since the last general election, and those declare their intention to afliate with the Democratic party and nell, Dock Wootters, vote the Democratic ticket, and feet of lumber per day and emwhose declarations in both cases, ing, when running full, about are believed to be sincere by the hands. It is indeed a sight to judges of the primary elections, that has never visited a large shall have the right to vote, pro like this. The planing ma-

> allowed to vote in said primary. RULE 2D .- It is the absolute and . This mill has been closed unqualified sense of this convention, that every man who votes at our primary election, is morally in full force. This company ma and justly bound to submit to the large tracts of the finest pine choice made at such election, and to support the nominees of the as good if not better facilities party whoever they may be.

RULE 3D .- It is especially enjoined that the managers of the elec- J. Holley, formerly of this strictly enforced at the cominghouse and is doing a very fair primary election, and the Demo ness. He gets up good meals cratic party pledges itself to sup his rates are reasonable. port them in their action.

receives a majority of the cast at said election, then a send tween the two candidates received the largest number of votes toetermine which shall be the ndi- will of the people. Therefore

RULE 5TH .- At each voting po required to keep a poll list shove such voter shall sign a wrin tion. Resolution lost. pledge to abide the result of e

RULE 6TH .- The first print election shall be held on the 2 the 9th day of August, 1890.

boxes, tally sheets, and poll lists tee of the county by the 30th di For Crockett ... John H. Wootters The delegates from Weches, are: of July, 1890, who shall count the Jacob Gregg, G. T. Boykin, and are vote and declare the result on sai day, and if necessary, order t I. A. Daniel, E. E. Barlow, entitled provided in the foregoing rules.

RULE STH .- The managers, judg. From Creek, the delegates are: es and clerks of election shall cer-John Strozzie, S. M. Hallmark, and tify to the result of such election and send such returns duly signed by all of them with the ballot boxes as provided in rule 7. RULE 9TH .- Two sets of clerks shall be appointed by the mana- Holley.

ger and judges, and two sets of ballot boxes shall be provided at such voting places as may be deemed necessary, and the count of the A. Aldrich, Sec'y.

ble, in accordance with the statues Your committee upon permanent of this State, said judges and clerks

RULE 10TH .- There shall be appointed one manager at each voting place, who in turn, shall appoint two judges the judges to decide all questions arising under these rules and the manager shall, in case of divison between the judges, cast the deciding vote, and the manager shall superintend the election, and see

that these rules are observed. RULE 11TH .- The clerks shall keep an account of the votes cast at such election in writing, and tab- Give me a call before making purchases. ulate the same at the earliest moment practicable thereafter, and the same shall be duly certified by the clerks and the manager and

RULE 12TH.-In case of a tie, another election shall be ordered for that office only.

RULE 13TH .- The count of votes shall be openly conducted in presence of the public, by the chairman of the county executive committee, and the manager and judges at Crockett, and all candidates are especially entitled to be present For further information address and witness the opening and count

lowing resolution:

Resolved. That the delegates to the State Convention be instructed scruple not at using money or other Second-Permanent Organization and all the time, and to use all hon- ation of D. J. Cater for State treasorable means to secure his nomin- urer. W. J. MURCHISON.

Motion by J. H. Wootters, that The following rules for the gov- this convention express confidence ernment of primaries was adopted: in W. H. Gill, and commend his RULES FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF course as district attorney; carried.

The committee on delegates reported; their report was adopted and the following delegates various conventions selected STATE CONVENTION.

Earle Adams, F. A. Williams, J. F. Garrett, W. W. Davis, D. A. Nunn, Jr., M. C. Dupuy, B. F. Smith, W. F. Murchison, G. M. Thompson, W. J. Murchison, J. B. Smith, S. F. Wall, J. E. Downes. R. H. Hutchings, J. L. Gilder, W. who will arrive of age by the next L. Driskill, W. B. Page, N. J. Maireneral election, and who likwise ner, A. A. Aldrich, H. E. Hager, J. W. Hail, J. Adams, Bob. McCon-

vided, that no one who voted a es turning out lumber of all mi mixed ticket, part Republican and s, the fath machines, the cirpart Democratic in 1888, shall be saws, in fact machinery of

for some time making extenrepairs, but will start up short- gre s in the state, and have, we are urning out lumber than other as in the State.

tion shall see that these rules are ty, is the proprietor of the Hol-

county and precinct officers, sall Aldrich, Wm. McLean, O. D. Kirkbe nominated by ballot at prinry patrick, T. M. Sherman, Jno. I. election, and the candidate recv. Moore, W. D. Gimon, G. W. Hacking a majority of the votes casat ney, J. K. Chandler, J. M. Porter, I Will go to any art of the County to Work on Engines, Boilers, Etc. said primary election, shall bde- W. G. Breazeale, W. P. Kyle, R. P. clared the nominee of the part or Robbins, Albert Holley, W. D. such office, and in all cases wire Phipps, David Webb, Sr., M. M. there are more than two candides Baker, S. A. Denney, Ches. Haile. offering for an office, and neier G. W. Whitley offered the follow-

WHEREAS, There are candidates primary election shall be helde- for various State and other offices

ticket for primary election and voted for, and that our delegates to the names, of all voters at such e- the State and other conventions. tion, and no vote shall be receid consider themselves instructed by Dr. J. B. Smith offered the fol-

election, and support the nomie lowing resolution, which was car-

Resolved, That the Democracy of Houston county in convention assembled, do hereby endorse J. S. day of July, 1890, and the seco Hogg for governor, and that the Jno. K. Chandler, entitled to one primary election shall be held delegates to the State convention RULE 77H.—The managers governor first, last and all the than ever before that the lack of election shall return the bal

The following managers of election were appointed, the delegation the first primary election to from each voting precinct selecting T10

> Augusta John Long Prices Pleasant Grove. . G. W. Smith Coltharp. . . . A. J. McLemore Dodson. C. F. Threadgil Freeman H. W. O'Neill dy W. J. Garner Weldon G. M. Thompson Shiloh S. G. Hester Porter's Springs, G. R. Murchi-T. B. Hender

> > ...J. C. Alexander

... M. B. Vaughan.

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For Representative W F Murchison. For County Judge W A Davis. W. B. Wall

T. T. Beazeley

J. F. Martin.

Mode Barbee

I. W. Smith.

F H Bayne.

B F Holcomb

J. M. Jordan

W. H. Kent.

M. M. Baker.

S. B. Hallmark.

Charles Long

J. R. Sheridan

Charles Stokes.

W. J. Harkins

R T Payne, Precinct No 3

G W Broxson, Precinct No 2

B. S. Hearn, Precinct No. 1.

M M Brasher, Precinct No. 7

J. K. Chandler, precinct No. 2,

J. T. Cunningham, Beat No. 1.

Archie Adams, precinct No. 3

W. D. Pritchard, Pecinct No. 1

N. B. Barbee, Beat No. 1.

R. B. Snell, precinct No.4.

Richard Blake, precinct No.

J. C. Sheffield, precinct No. 4

J. A. Strozzie, precinct No.

R. C. Hancock, precinct No.

W. L. Hill, precinct No. 1.

T. S. Brown, Presinct No. 1

George Waller, Beat No. 1

John H. Hague, precinct No. 1.

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trict conference.

school building.

J H Young, Beat No. 1

J. J. Brooks, precinct No. 1

J N Tver. Beat No 1.

For Justice of the Peace.

C. C. O. Nelson, Precinct No. 2.

For District Clerk,

For Sheriff.

For Treasurer.

For Tax Collector.

J W Madden For County Attorney. Chester Haile John I. Moore O D East

> Atkinson left this week for Neta- home. waka Kansas, on a visit to the To the Farmers,

Mrs. R. C. Spinks, Mrs. J. C. new restaurant for your dinner un-

Misses Ethel Woetters, Birdie eral wells,

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McElree's WINE OF CARDUI for female diseases. Cheatham's Chill Tonic contains neith Mrs. Gilmer was a pleasant visinine or Mercury, and does not produce Pic-nic on July 4 at Elkhart. buzzing in ears or deafness. Cure guar-Sold by French & Chamberlain, De-

Cook and her little children were Now is Your Chance.

Webster's leather bound dictiona-Austin Hall, of wharton, was ry 1281 pages of words and definivisiting his mother's family this tions, The Fort Worth Weekly Gazette from now until December, and The Crockett Courier one give a picnic or family reunion Rev. J. T. Smith left for Jackson-

ville Tuesday night to attend dis If you are debilitated from overwork and sedentary habits, relin J. M. Torrence, house and sign painter and paper hanger. Work solicited. Satisfaction guaranteed.

McELREE'S WINE OF CARDUI for Weak Nerves. Hon. T. T. Gammage addresse Don't forget that Crockett needs the citizens of Houston county for and must have that \$10,000 brick an hour or so last Friday. M Gammage is a candidate for con gress from this district and is G. Harris, of Guyy's store Leon very fair orator. He discussed the county, was in the city Tuesday and

J. B. Ellis has the thanks of The COURIER force for a fine waterabout town for several days looking melon left at our office last Saturvery sad and forlorn and upon inquiry we learned that his wife had gone to Madison county and he was having a terrible time with the fam-Sold by French & Chamberlain, De- ily of little ones, which consists of a Berry & Clark. N. E. Allbright J. G. pet dog, cat and squirrel-during ed with provisions to feed the im-

from weevil. Also meal kept constantly on hand, fresh from the mills. All cheap for cash by to spill about ten gallons of acid sash. Everybody turn out and in me, I hereby call a Judicial Dis-We are presenting each cash who tore his clothes from his percustomer who purchases \$10 worth son, would have been most severeof goods at one time with a pres- ly if not fatally burned. Persons too careful in handling it.

Prof. E. A. Pace, Mrs. Lucy Colline, Miss Mollie Moore and Miss man and Levithan cross, will be purpose of nominating a democrat-Emma Thompson are attending the at home June 10 and can be found ic candidate for State Senator. State Teachers' Association at Galveston this week. Mestree's wine of Carbui for Weak Nerves. farmer, race and draft horse com- Crockett, June 23, 1890.

Any person buying goods of us for bined. Terms' \$10 by the insur-

DEBERRY & CLARK.

cash amounting to \$1 will be ance. M. C. Dupuy, presented with a ticket entitling Coltharp, Texas. them to a chance at a \$35 gold watch to be given away Sept. 1st. DEBERRY & CLARK.

ent worthf rom 75 to \$1,50.

Five convicts escaped from the other counties that he has had but Centralia road, in quantities to suit vim, and sustains an enviable repfarm near Huntsville and the little time to devote to editorial purchasers. Also one A1. sawmill utation as a young man of high city of Groveton last Saturday and has made grants to Mission Churguards caught two at Clapp's ferry. work. He attended the Madison outfit and planer situated on above character. He is well qualified for while there visited the mercantile ches, Sabbath Schools, Hospitals, Two went on up the river, and a county convention last Saturday, described land. For further par- the duties of the post he seeks to establishments of several of the and Asylums in all parts of the negro named Ben Ford, is thought returning on Sunday; he left again ticulars apply to or address my son, fill, and if elected, will labor to disto be making his way to Coltharp, on Monday night for Lufkin where Tony Gossett, at Crockett, Texas. charge them with an eye single to met our friend T. H. Stout, the thousands of volumes to immithis county, where he originally there was a large gathering and 23.

We cure Sweeny on your horse for \$1.50. French & Chamberlain.

Miss Mary Winfree is visiting in Lovelady this week. Jim Pridgen, of Wharton, is vis-

Capt. W. E. Mayes, who has been in the Panhandle country for sev- to send to the Dallas State Fair. eral weeks, is at home.

Don't forget the mass meeting at the court house Friday for the pur-

ville, spent Saturday and Sunday cy goods from now until September in Crockett, the guests of their 1st at actual cost. brother, Jno. T. Bever.

parents of Mrs. Nunn.

Wootters, Mrs. Dr. Smith and Mrs. less you want a first-class meal. S. C. Arledge went to Elkhart last

Murchison, Hattie Bell Arledge, Grace Smith and Hallie Murchison will raise goad crops this year notspent several days at Elkhart min- withstanding the gloomy prospects your views on the feasibility of

Crockett is getting awakened to morning. week and we hope much good may ed to his bed with typhoid fever.

Berry & Clark, N. E. Allbright, J. G. W. C. Cook and Mrs. Mollie Haring.

quish all care, go to the Elkhart mineral wells and recuperate. Good hotel, good bath houses, vari-C. L. Vicker, and his two little ous amusements, good camping daughters were pleasant callers at grounds. Use of water fifty cents

leading questions af the day and seemed to please his audience.

One car of choice white corn free MoElres's WINE OF CARDUI for female disease

upon his clothes one day last week enjoy yourself. and had it not been for by-standers having to use this article can't be

at my ranch until the fall season opens. This is the horse for the

LAMPS. School Books, Slates Pencils and

FRENCH & CHAMBERLAIN'S. The first primary will be on

Monday July 28. The canvass is waxing warm and now. candidates are as thick as bees. Save some of your finest products the jail.

Arthur Collins, of Palestine, was in the city the first of the week

Found-a store key-the owner pose of discussing the graded school can get same by calling at this office and paying for this notice. F. B. Bever and sister, of Hunts- Spinks will sell many of his fan-

Master Burt Clark, of Bowie, ac-Mrs. G. J. Nunn and Mrs. Bertha companied Capt. W. E. Mayes finest ribbon cane for the exhibit at

Don't go to Aldrich & Foster's

Don't forget that Houston coun-Saturday and returned Wednesday. tv must be represented at the Dallas State Fair this fall.

> The farmers of Houston county a while back

In full Blast. ice cold on a nickle a glass. ALDRICH & FOSTER.

The Madison county convention.

Mrs. John A. McConnell left Sam Thompson called on The Court it is rapidly increasing.

the importance of a first class Jesse Duren, son of our towns Next week will appear a large N. E. Allbright, Scribe; C. O. Webb,

at work and we are sorry that they committees were ont. He left a of Groesbeck. good impression with the people. He is a candidate for congress from er Quinine, Cinchonia, Arsenic, Strych- The flowers that bloom in the Spring

pooh bah. But Cheatham's Chill Tonic got him un on his feetlets,' And he now daily sings, while walking the streetlets. It undoubtedly cured his shakes, ha,

Sold by French & Chamberlain, DeBer- Miss Dora Hollingsworth spent an line n chambray, nun's veiling all mill in the State. ry & Clark, N. E. Allbright, J. G. Har-The H. G. Phillips family will

again this year. It will be held on the little Elkhart, 9 miles north of A negro, whose name we did not exford ties. The big reduction on and his rates are reasonable. Crockett, on July 4. Last year learn, was arrested and jailed at our whate goods make them go rap- We would like to give a more are invited to come out on that iff Day, of Anderson county, came pine apples, peaches, okra and bids us doing so at this time. day. No speculation allowed on down Wednesday morning and tomatoes, bak ing powder, jellies, the grounds. All fruits and re- carried the prisoner back to that candies, lard, hams and syrup.

J. L. Duren brought to our of- Hear The Phonograph. fice last Saturday two stalks of I have leased at heavy expense cotton that were hanging full of one of the latest improved phonobolls, some of which were nearly graphs and will keep it on exhibifull grown. He informed us that tion constantly either at Aldrich & it was raised on poor sandy hill Foster's ice cream parlor or S. C. land, and we must say it is supe- Arledge's store. As I shall keep rior to any we have ever seen at it only for a limited time now is It is our painful duty this wee. to travel over the county and this season of the year. The stalks the time to hear this most wonder- to record the death of an old and upply the people with the semp- PHYSICIAN'S PRESCRIPTIONS PREPARED AT ALL HOURS

dates are expected to be on hand. Charges merely nominal. Everybody bring a basket well filland ar. T. S. Crofford the officer

Call for Senatorial Convention. chairman of the Democratic Exeatorial District, I hereby call a con-My horse, HENRY NORMAN, Nor- Navasota, August 20, 1890, for the

J. C. WOOTTERS,

The editor of this paper has been 1145 acres of good pine land situa- munity's most esteemed and worthy lence. so much occupied the past week ted 7 miles southeast from the town citizens. He is a young man of with convention politics in this and of Crockett, on the Crockett and fine intelligence, full of energy and M. M. Gossett,

Exc. of A. E. Gossett estate/

TOILET SOAP, FINE PERFUMERY.

Our circulation this week is 1155. Fishing parties are all the

At French & Chamberlain's.

New sewers are being put in There will be a good time at Shi-

loh on the 4th of July. The candidates are the busiest men in the county these days. Watermelons are now on the

The colored Baptist Association meets at Dallas, July 7. Rev. P. Holmes goes from this county. Lay aside a quanity of your

the State Fair. Houston county will not raise much corn but present prospects for cotton was never better.

reasonable rates. Be at the court house Friday body.

graded schools for Crockett. Are you in favor of graded Our soda fountain; finest flavors, schools? If so go to the court house Friday morning and let it be

morning at ten o'clock and give

W. A. Hester and G. D. Macomheld at Madisonville last Saturday, ber, of Creek was in town Wednesinstructed for W. B. Page, for the day and called at The Courter of-

Misses Susie Craddock, of this The Courier has the largest bona should have a good system of grad-possible to keep a stock on hand. rity, and Mary Bell Murchison, of fide circulation of any paper ever ed schools and we believe a major-Lovelady, accompanied by Mr. published in Houston county, and ity of citizens would be in favor of J. R. Collins & Bro. These young

The colored folks had a grand getting the same. she will spend a week with her Willie Downes, son of our towns- time in Crockett last Thursday. Officers Elected. brother and sister and will go from man J. E. Downes, who has been A large crowd assembled near the Trinity chapter, No. 4, elected and are doing a good business and there to Winona, Mississippi, to attending school at Binghampton, depot and speeches were made by the following officers for the ensu-N. C., arrived home Saturday several. Everything passed off ing masonic year, viz. J. C. Woot-

school building with an efficient man, Mr. Frank Duren, who has double column advertisement for treasure; J. L. Williams, secretary; ity Lumber Co.'s mill to see what corps of teachers and the trustees been attending the university at T. R. Garrott, of Groveton. Mr. J. C. Zimmerman, guard. have had several meetings this Austin, is now at home and confin- Garrott knows the value of prin- pointed—J. L. Lipscomb, Capt. extensive plant, the largest in Trin-

Misses Lillie Webb and Minnie the city last Friday and addressed Bluff, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Simpson, G. M. 2d Vail; John 300 hands. It is indeed a sight to Leather goods at wholesale pri- Caverhill were callers at The Court house. Mr. J. S. Fluker; on her return home Murchison, G. M. 1st. Vail. E. A. one that has never visited a large IER office Monday evening. The Kittrell is a good talker and enter- from a visit to her brother, E. J. Pace, W. C. Lipscomb and N. E. mill like this. The planing ma-The Courses and Detroit Weekly young ladies came to see our press tained the convention while the Sullivan, and her sister Mrs. Carr, Allbright, finance committee. In-If you think of buying a sewing of June at 4 p. m.

machine be sure and see those at Spinks' that sews two seams at Bill McConnell Says work. This mill has been closed once, works button holes and does "Found him sick in the bed with chills, all fancy rick-rack stitching. He is also carrying the White and the celebrated New Home.

Mrs. W. V. Berry, Mrs. W. H. 'o scorn the whisper of fear or fail. told, as good if not better facilities Kent, Mrs. L. A. Stubblefield and Re ceived this week-Black lawns, for turning out lumber than other hour with us last Thursday watch- colors, white flowered lawns, Side- P. J. Holley, formerly of this ing our steam press rolling out The band striting, challie, Fayal Batise, county, is the proprietor of the Hol-COURIER at the rate of one thousand black and all colors of surah silk, ley house and is doing a very fair

there was 103 members in the this place Monday last for break- idly. A fresh line of flour, rice, extensive write up of this growing family. All friends of the family ing into a store at Palestine. Sher- oatmeal, sa vidines, oysters, salmon, little town but time and space forcounty for trial.

Judicial District.

T. J. Foster had the misfortune of the day; his ensign will be a red | By virtue of the authority vested | wenty-three years of age she con-By authority vested in me as for the purpose of nominating a cutive Committee of the eighth Sen- of District Attorney for the 3d Juvention of delegates to meet at of the counties of Henderson, Hous- her sufferings like all good christian ton and Anderson.

> JNO. YOUNG GOOCH. Palestine, Texas June 19, 1890.

THECOURIER. Pure and Fresh Drugs Guaranteed at the corner brick Drug Store of French & Chamberlain, crocket t, Houston county, Te xas. BRUSHES, COMBS, 19 LBS. STRICTLY PURE Magnetic Oil—Try it! That Diarrhoea Remedy More Espetally are We Prepare SODA FOR \$1.

C. P. BRAND: TRY IT FRENCH & CHAMBERLAIN

N. Fisher, of New York, has acepted a situation with M. Brom-

Miss Minnie Craddock, who has been visiting her brother, H. F. Craddock at Burnett, Texas, returned home Sunday morning.

very good day for honey either. School Meeting.

All the citizens of Crockett schoo Community are requested to meet at the court house Friday morning We are prepared to do all kinds 27th inst., to consider the question of job work on short notice and at of a graded school, free for nine months in the year. Come every-

A. A. DEBERRY, S. C. ARLEDGE, J. H. WOOTTERS, Y

ed schools, and incorporating the that his freights for the month of incorporating for the purpose of

ters, High Priest; E. A. Pace, King;

that masters all things, and laugh lands in the state, and have, we are ladies' fine French kid shoes and business. He gets up good meals Flat plug, smoki 'ug and navy tobaco MR. EDITOR: I would like to call 25 cents per poun d. Coffee 5 and the attention of your many readers have a chance to show Mr. Cooke Office over DeBerry & Clark's store,

week's special corrected - a our Downes in Crockett.

Jno. T. Bever has been going measured over four feet in height. ful of human inventions. I have highly respected old lady in the a fine assortment of band, music, person of Mrs. J. A. Warren which The biggist thing on the carpet banjo songs, piano and cornet music occurred Sunday last. Mrs. Warren New 1 ork cost. The cheapest Tesfor July 4, is the grand picnic and and my friends from the country was past seventy years of age and had many warm friends that will cheapest hinding. greatly miss her. She had lived a R. L. Aldrich. | consistent christian life for upwards are higher priced, but all very Notions, ase crowd that will be there. CALL FOR JUDICIAL CONVENTION, of fifty years, having joined the Mr. W.T. High will be in charge To the Democratic Party of the Third Presbyterian church when but eleven years old. When about trict Convention, to convene at church and was a member of that Palestine, Texas, on July 8th, 1890, church at the time of her death. She leaves three children and five democratic candidate for the office grandchildren to mourn for her. Mrs. Warren had been in bad dicial District of Texas, composed health for several years, and bore beleaving that when it was all over persons desiring to aid the great that there was peace, happiness and Chm. Dem. Ex. Com. 3d Jud. Dist. life everlasting. Funeral servises were conducted by Rev.J. T. Smith something of the Society's work. and Dr. Archer after which her Chm. of the 8th Sen. Dist. C. R. Brannen announces in this remains were followed to their last issue as a candidate for assessor. resting place by a large concourse Mr. Brannen hves at Holly, in the of sorrowing friends and relatives. I will sell at private sale the fol- southern part of the county, and The Counter extends to the belowing described property to-wit: ranks as one of that thrifty com-

A Trip to Groveton.

Pooket Knives and Bird Cages, At FRENCH & CHAMBERLAIN'S.

their trade was good and rapidly otherwise be supplied."

We next called on T. R. Garrott Tom Craddock informs us that successor to The Trinity Lumber he robbed a bee gum this week that Company. Mr. Garrott runs two contained 52 pounds of honey, stores, oue at the mill for the bene And out of three others he obtained fit of the employees, and one up in 78 pounds, making a total of 130 the city. Mr. Garrott told us that pounds and he says it wasn't a he sold goods strictly for cash and found that it was not only the safest but most satisfactory way of doing business and that his trade extended into several counties and that he was desirous of getting some from Houston county and to do so he though it best to advertise for it as he was a believer in a liberal use of printers' ink and we contracted with him for a column vertisement for one year. He has a large two story building at mill that is filled to its utmost At a conference last Wednesday pacity with all kinds of goods, bemorning at the court house of six sides having a large warehouse it will be some time hefore some of have one of the most desirable delegates representing both schools full. His store in the city proper it was decided to call a mass meet- is also well stocked and another ing of the estizens for the purpose good sized store house filled to overof discussing the feasibility of grad- flowing. Mr. Garrott informed us be opened about July 1st. town. We hope the citizens will May amounted to over six hundred turn out. Crockett needs and dollars, and that it was almost im-

men are sons of Dr. S. J. Collins of Nevill's Prairie and are genial enterprising, pushing business men think, as do others that we talked to, that Groveton is an A 1. town.

Having a little spare time on our yes, it is significant to show what hands we strolled over to the Trin-Ap- it looked like. Here we found an Host; S. C. Arledge, Prin. Sojour- ity county, with a capacity of 120,ner; John McConnell, R. A. Capt; 000 feet of lumber per day and em-Hon. Norman G. Kittrell was in Miss Pearl Sullivan, of Sullivan's J. L. Hall, G. M. 3d Vail; E. L. ploying, when running full, about stallation Monday after the 24th kinds, the 1ath machines, the circular saws, in fact machinery of every description to do all kind of this country. And I hope that but you must arm yourself with ly in full force. This company that invincible, inflexible resolution owns large tracts of the finest pine

-with a boot or shoe, we can satis- Society. It has a stock of Bibles and Testaments of various styles on our last hand at the store of Mr. J. E. toilet soap, they are still on the lope. In addition, the Society has appointed my son, Samuel M. Ten-

of larger print, and finest binding,

may d'esire large print family Bibles, or large print Tes taments or small Bibles or Testamen 's for presents t. ? their children. all who des fre them. He is also authorized to receive co btributions of any amount from b mevolent

The following extract sh "The Society is thoroughly unsectarion. Its entire work is es-

work of the Bilble Society.

In seventy-three years it has issued 51,270,018 volumes of the Holy Scriptures, in more than eighty languages or dialects so that every quarter of the globe has been the interests of those who honored efficient county and district clerk grants as they reached our shores, of Trinity county, on the train, to and hundreds of thousands more

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FRENCH & CHAMBERLAIN.

whom we are under obligations for to the freedmen, and it has paid ous assaults on the working people courtisies extended us while in the special attention to the wants of of this country, and to relegate city. We first called on our young the North American Indians. It him to the shades of political for friend E. E. Smith, who is manag- has prepared at great expense the getfulness. Will you have the Earle Adams, Esq., went to ing the large dry good and general entire Bible in raised letters for the courage and manhood to do it. Groveton this week on legal busi- merchandise house of J. E. Smith. blind. It is now conducting an Say, you man at Lone Oak, if you This house does an extensive trade extensive system of colportage in can hear of any more annual pasand all the clerks seemed to be the United States, thus reaching ses, please let us know. I think busy. Mr. Smith informed us that multitudes whose wants could not you have made Mr. Hogg at least

COCHINO.

S. F. TENNEY.

if it does not rain soon. We had a wedding a few Sundays ago. Mr G. W. Smitherman and Mrs. Sarah Elkins were joined in the holy bonds of matrimony and there are many others that

them will get a chance.

the day to go to the polls. FIRST TIME.

WELDON.

MR. EDITOR .- I see in one of Gus-

some railroad company has suspended work on one or two lines in the State, which fact the writer thinks is significant. Significant. methods these railroad men will resort to, to manufacture campaign idiot can see that this move is intended only to operate against Mr. Hogg, and to defeat the railroad thousands of Texas, will not be slow to appreciate the fact that Attorney-General Hogg is the only man filling the position he does that has ever had the manhood to champion their cause in the courts LOST, STRAYED, OR STOLEN the laboring masses of the country have not forgotten that when the To success there is a certain way, sive repairs, but will start up shortmanagers of the Gould system and One small light-bay mule, three years old the employees, that Mr. Gustave a bar across the stem. One two year old light Cooke stood up in the city of Hous- sorrel mule, no brand. Any information lead

> be allowed those laborers. frontery to come before these same 1889, a sor to gubernatorial honors. Will the Knights of Labor, and the Farmers DENTISTRY Alliance vote to place Mr. Cooke L into the executive chair of State? J. N. GOOLSBEE, D. D. S. No, for God's sake, no. You now Crockett. -

as a lot of troiters and anarchists,

Physicians Prescribe It. Fill Prescriptions.

a thousand votes by the one you dug up; you have satisfied us beyond a doubt, that Gen. Hogg is an honest man. He rides on a free EDITOR COURIER .- As I have seen pass, and still he discharges his nothing from our vicinity thought official duties without fear or favor. But pray, writer, please tell us how The creeks are all down and the many passes Mr. Cooke has, and hunters have all hung up their tell us what role they play in his guns and have taken up their hoes candidacy for governor. No, genand are pulling grass and burs to tlemen, your railroad hoax, nor your free pass, don't work down Crops all look fine on the creek, here. We are going to elect Hogg and I think we will all get ready for governor, and Page to the sento go to the fish fry on the fourth ate, and we firmly believe that we laboring people will be relieved of some of our burdens.

We are getting anxious Mr. Page

When we get the Trinity opened would like to marry if they could up to navigation, and a suitable get a chance, but I am fearful that school building at Crockett, we will counties in the State, and I would We are happy to state that our appeal to the Alliance of the State. new post office at Dodsonville will in behalf of home improvements. Build up your home industries, We are all Page and Hogg men manufacture your own farming imdown here and are all longing for plements, work up your raw material at home. Surely the expense of shipping, and the salvage you pay on goods manufactured else where, would make a handsome saving for our people. Cut loose tave Cooke's campaign organs, that from New England; work your ma-

ch & Chamberlair

punishment. Mr. Cooke held that on left shoulder, mane short and heavy. Also arbitration, was more than oughf to

sugar 15 pounds for \$100. Special to the work of the American Bible that you don't appreciate slander- South side of Public square

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EVERY DAY.

Clara Rush. We are each one older growing, Every day; Down life's river swift are rowing, Every day; Steered for temples ever standing We are borne, at God's commanding, Nearer-closer to the landing,

O'er their dead ones some are weeping Every day In the churchyard mounds are heaping Every day These but give a pensive token-Ties of love must yet be broken.

Every day.

Every day; We can see the sad and dreary; Every day;

And the last farewell be spoken,

Meet the burdened ones and weary. Every day; Hear the sound of sorrow quaking, Wrung from hearts with anguish aching For the hearts of some are breaking,

Let our kindly aid be given, Every day, To those who are tempest driven, Every day; Words of hope for the despairing, And their troubles gladly sharing,

Every day.

Give our souls a higher bearing, Every day. Let us strive to be forgiving, Every day;

Let our words be kind and loving, Every day; Let us seeds of God be sowing That for Heaven may be growing Fruits to pay the debt we are owing, Fvery day.

Though we see so much of sadness, Every day Still is heard the voice of gladness, Every day The winds are tones of joy bringing-Sweet child laughter glad is ringing-

Happy birds their lays are singing-Every day. May we all grow wiser, purer, Every day

And our sacred trust be surer

Every day If our heart but faithful prove us, Heaven's King will better love us. And wish angels watch above us,

Every by May the grace of God attend us. Every day:

And His loving hand befriend us, Every day; Let our souls renewed hope borrow. We shall, on some happy morrow, Leave this land, where cometh sorrow Every day

-Courier Journal POMPEH BY THE SEA.

An American Correspondent at Na

ples, Italy. ing tumultuously, here on smoother gaze out on the blue ocean and the Good manners are sure to prospaces with a less hurried flow. white sails which wing the calm cure respect. Shapes, some half human, some scene. I leave Naples to-morrow like huge sea serpents, others like for Rome, whence I may write you demons and monsters imaginary, another letter. I do not promise. writhe and twist in all manner of "Almighty Rome!" But let me tell positions expressive of agony. In you, the greatest thing an Amerifact it appears to be a battle field can comes to Europe to see is Amerof the devils where not one of the ica! You can not see it at home; shows that during the twelfth and miscreants has escaped, but in scrip- you want to get off a distance; it is thirteenth year of existence the tural language have been torn hip too big. But when you have bedeath rate of girls stands only and thigh. Draw on your imagina- come acquainted with life in Europe slightly higher than that of boys of tion for the proper scenery. Take you return with the proper appreciabout the same age. From the Pliny's pine, which was no mean ation. Well, for the present goodcomparison; but get a tree of the bye. right dimensions, one of Californian growth were a sprout here. Now conceive its trunk to be sixty feet in diameter at the base and 600 feet to the first branches, which rise 400 remark that another had blown in which consumption is an imporfeet higher, while the mighty black foliage blazes with starry clusters and the stem streams a column of fire. Below the earth rocks like a stormy sea, and the thunder hath a colossal roll. Above clouds raining red and the flood beneath in billowy flame. But behold where 7,000,000 of fiends stand militant. bestriding dragons and leviathans. One draws a mountain on another, who in his turn a cannon draws, Washington Star: "You're very compared with the largest naval industrious," said a visitor going gun in America were but a pistol. into the office of a corresponde

his own domain he arose equal to trious."

the emergency and overwhelmed them with a fiery deluge, at the same time, too, disclosing unwittingly, in his haste somewhat of the reality of the sinner's future reception. Very much to the contrary of the lace-curtained parlor provided with sumptuous divans, ENTERED AT THE POST-OFFICE IN CROCK- which the unwary have been led by himself and Bob Ingersoll to expect, together with ices and sherberts in an adjoining room, on days which may be a little warm. When gorge and feel the heat against your cheek and almost stifle with the sulphurous smell, somehow, whether it be the majesty and power of a superior being expresed in nature about you I know not, but the verity of a hell does not look impossi-

> While we stood on the summit it was threatening rain, and twice or thrice the lightening gleamed forth and thunder shook the mountains. Imagine Mr. American what a day of terror it must have been for the inhabitants of Pompeii and Herculaneum. The latter was washed over by that burning sea; the former was buried in ashes, excavations from which give you a frightful idea of the sufferings of those who perished there. Most seemed to have escaped. What were caught died in excruciating pain. Seme of the bodies, or casts rather, are thrown forward on their faces, as if, in their flight overcome by the noxious gasses and out of breath. they had prostrated themselves thus to exclude the bad air and to protect their countenances from lips and brow writhe and he gasps for breath; another lies on his breast, and arm under his head his features in repose. The posture is that of sleep, but could a man sleep itself. so sound in such an hour? Again his lineaments are partrician; how could the Roman philosophy tri-

ment and even after death? stifled he became insensible

again. Orchards and vineyards departed day, how he must try to Naples, May 29.—You see I am hand, as the ascent is begun. What on the other side of the bed-when in Naples, that is, if you have good is it mortality will not risk and as- the only victory he can think of is eyes. Have been up Vesuvius, sociation not overcome? From the some mean victory, in which he looked down in the crater and heard lower station, where you quit your has wronged a neighbor. No it mutter. The volcano is no small carriage and ascend by the incline, wonder he always sneers when he thing, sure. Whatever may be the view of the bay and of Naples is tries to smile. How pure and fair your impression from pictures in a at once grand and beautiful. Up and good all the rest of the world geography, when you have climbed to this point you are escorted by must look to him and how careless to its top over miles of lava and beggars. O. Naples is damned and dreary must his own path apthink of the two buried cities at its with them, and that of a kind the pear? Why, even one insolated foot you need not feign a feeling of most unfortunate. You never feel act of meanness is enough to scatsublimity. For three leagues or so important as when you are fol- ter cracker crumbs in the bed of more the molten waste stretches lowed by this gallant throng. Some the average man, and what must around you and seems an ocean sing, some make music, some stand be the feeling of a man whose whole current cooled, while yet in motion. on their heads, some smile, and all life is given up to mean acts? Think of a fiery torrent of iron ten together in a chorus cry for money, When there is so much suffering feet deep, red hot and rushing down money, money. At each bend in and headache and misery in the that precipitous slope, with a front the road a new committee on re- world, anyhow, why should any of ten miles. But fancy is feeble ception comes forth to meet you, all one add a pound of wickedness or until you gaze upon it. The waves in uniform, i. e., rags and tatters. sadness to the general burden? are not like those of water, but like The descent is more pleasant, Don't be mean, boys. Suffer inmelted lead pouring down a rugged since you come at a rattling pace, justice a thousand times rather

Imposing on Innocence. three fingers off.

WM. IVERSON VARNER.

"How did it happen?" asked the ishes. scribe, producing pencil and note-

cents .- Oil City Blizzard.

Industry. But I grow Miltonic, I fear, and on the Newspaper row late last You see, all this while, to continue 'I have to be. And I might as interior of the male population to farm. I'll take you out this with a less daring flight, Satan was well remark now that if I had been of life which the married state pres- you one I've got to sell."—Texas A billious man hunting for someand nights in vain to corrupt a cer- have to be so industrious I would ents exercises a decided beneficial Siftings. asleep, after laboring seven days more industrious when I did not tain Presbyterian. But when he not have to be so blamed industribecame apprised of insurrection in ous now when I have to be indus- A few vices will eften obscure world without agitation? We can Help yourselves and the county

THE KEELY. MOTOR.

Machinery for Generating Steam by Electricity.

strictly guarded, but a reporter managed to get into the room in which the plant is locked and ill." guarded, and this is what he found. To a battery of two twenty-horse ply. tubular boilers a ten-horse engine you peer down into that flaming and boiler is temporarily connected to heat and water them. Steam is first raised in the small boiler and a dynamo used to produce electricity. The flues in the large can do for you we shall be glad boiler are filled with asbestos. The ends are connected with the dynamo and the passage of the electricity through the asbestos heats it to an intense degree, causing a rapid raising of steam. When the required pressure in the large boilers has been attained the engine driving the dynamo is attached to the large boiler and the work goes on as before. In this way it is claimed that but 25 per cent. of the power of the large boilers will be required to furnish fortyhorse power, leaving three-fourths of the power to be applied to other purposes. It is claimed that power can be supplied in this manner to any required extent. The fortyhorse power could be used after starting to start up a 160-horse power and keep it moving without any cost wharever outside of keeping up the machinery. This is the they were heaped and roasted. One and demanded that a stronger until 1t's kicked into me, and I'm outstretched upon his back, has the should work the weaker, as the ready to be booted the whole length fingers of his left hand spread and forty-horse power to drive the ten, drawn in the fiercest agnony. His and if this proves a success, as is claimed, the company have the biggest discovery ever made in America and one that will rank

The Mean Man and his Thoughts.

Somtimes I wonder what a mean umph over such torture or a man's man thinks about when he goes to mind exert control in the last mo- bed. When he turns down the light and lies down alone he is You are also shown the skeleton then compelled to be honest with of one who was evidently in prison; himself. Not a bright thought, consequently smothered. There not a generous impulse, not a word was no time to undo his chains, of blessing, not a grateful look even if they cared. When he felt comes back to him! not a penny the earth tremble and heard that dropped into the palm of poverty. tremendous thunder peal unceas- Nor the balm of a loving word ingly and no one came to his cries, dropped into an aching heart ! no and he perceived he was forgot, sunbeam of encouragement cast what must have been the horror of upon a struggling life! no strong the situation, before oppressed and right hand fellowship reached out to help some fallen man to his feet And yet on this very mountain, when none of those things come to half way up, people have built him as the "God bless you" of the and flowers greet you on either roll away from himself and sleep declivity. Here over ridges break- besides you have ample time to than commit it once.-Burdette.

Marriage and Health. A noted Norwegian statistian has recently been making a very interesting study in relation to the married. The result of his inquiry sixteenth year on the death rate of can trust, and convenient, somemales increases, until at the age of times, to have friends who are not 19 or 25 it is more than double afraid to trust you. "What's that you're saying?" that of the five previous years. asked a reporter who heard a man This marked rise of the death rate, tant factor, continues until the "I said he blew off three fingers." | twenty-third year, when it dimin-

the cause of this variation of the health, was asked by the genial "What has been your experience?" "Why, he'd call for a glass of death rate of men among various clerk of the hotel: beer and blow off three fingers of nations, he finds that it occurs at a "Stranger, what might your buperiod when gradually they enter siness be?"

And the reporter blowed in 10 in mereasing numbers the married state. The death rate of married men at the period referred to is married. Although the death rate can buy as good farming lands in of casting bread upon the water exof married and unmarried males is this neighborhood as you can find pect it to come back pound-cake. constantly advancing, there is no in Texas. You have struck the

A Lost Opportunity.

He looked so glum and down in the mouth that the half-dozen of us concluded that he had lost his Chattanooga, June 14.-The wife or met with some other dis-Keely motor has arrived. The tressing calamity, and so, after machinery for generating steam by leaving Elmira, one of the boys electricity has been set up here and slid into half of his seat and began:

"No, not exactly ill," was the re-

"My friend, you appear to be

"Never had one." "Heard any bad news?"

"If there's anything our crowd the opportunity." "Will you?"

"Of course." "Well, then I wish you'd begin on me and kick until the last man can't swing his leg for another lift.

for of all the born fools in America

I'm the biggest!" "Why, what's the matter?" "We had an accident on this road about three weeks ago, and a lot o us lost our baggage. We were told to file our claims, and I've just been

down to get my money."

"Well, wasn't that all right?" "All right! Why, jab my eyes, if I wasn't fool enough to hand in a true list of about \$6 worth of old duds, while a neighbor of our'n who lost two pair of socks and a box of paper collars stood up and bluffed the railroad out of \$74.25, and they even asked him to take a drink after he got his money. That's me first instance on record where to a dot. I hain't got no brains in power could be increased. Nature my head. I can't see through a has always worked the other way fishnet. I'll never know anything of York state and give my only pair of suspenders to the last man who lifts me!"-New York Sun.

Some Stingy.

Forks Prairie. The Kansas people changed. are very liberal and free-handed.

"It makes his mouth pucker just to see a copper cent," added his neighbor, Mrs. Higgins, one day, when she had given voice to this

"Why, it's a fact," she went on "that once I went over to borrow cup of yeast of Mrs. Springer, and out comes the old squire into the kitchen to see what I wanted, just as she was pouring out the yeast.' "Hops cost money, Mrs. Higgins," said he. "Hops cost mo-

"Well, I was so mad at that, that I just pulled out my pocketbook I'm able and willing to pay for the

"It'd cost full two cents to buy it of folks in the yeast trade." "Poor Mrs. Springer got awful

red in the face, but that old skinflint actually took my two cent at Chicago will be a success?" et. Then he took it out and look- financially. There will be im-Finally he handed it to his wife."

"And poor Mrs. Springer had to United States."-Texas Siftings. take it right before me." Fine gold fears not fire, nor solid

stone the water. Real glory springs from the si lent conquest of purselves. Suspicion and distrust are the

greatest enemies to friendship. There is no fault in poverty, but the minds that thinks so are faulty. Only what we have wrought in our character during life can we

take away with us. Nurture your mind with great thoughts. To believe in the heroic

Do with trials as men do with new hats-put them on and wear demonetised the silver dollar and them until they become easy. It is sweet to have friends you of hundreds of millions.

ment; the greatest luxury is health; the greatest comfort is sleep; and the best medicine is a true friend, on it.—St. Paul Pioncer-Press.

Important to Druggists. Upon a careful examination into the winter in a Texas town for his "I don't know," replied Cynicus.

"I am a pharmacist."

"A what did you say?" "A pharmacist."

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WHITE ROCK.

EDITOR COURIER. - Early corn is a failure to the extent of fifty per cent., and if

that "General Green" has the enemy routed and disorganized, The General osseses an element of success to a remarkable degree—tenacity of purpose. Oats mostly cut, with fine prospects of being lost.

A. M. Langston spent several days on the creek, since our last, looking after his agricultural interests.

Were honored recently with a visit from Mrs. H. W. Beeson, accompanied by her daughters and Miss Woodson. Miss Nettie Langston home from Crockett academy, and will spend the vacation

Mr. S. W. Nelms' race track, threefourths of a mile in circumference, will be ready for use as soon as it is fenced. Rev. J. F. James, of Pennington preached to a crowded house at Pine Grove, last Lord's-day.

Mr. Wm. Broxson, late of Cleburn Johnson Co., nephew of our G. W. Brox-CROSS CUT.

SHILOH.

EDITOR COURIER -I will try to give you a few dots from this part store of the county. We are having rain CROCKETT, by the wholesale and crab grass plenty. Corn crop sorry. Health U of the community good.

We have preaching second Sun-

day in each month. There is a petition in circulation Public Square, to beat us out of our voting box at Shiloh, by a Mr. I won't say who. FNOCH BROXSON He wants to move our box to Creek and thinks by so doing will have the Court house moved down there AND REAL ESTATE AGENT so be can run the affairs of the county to suit his own notion. There must be a screw loose in his head so we will overlook all that if he will let us alone in the future. Our box has been here too long to be taken away in any such manner.

The camp meeting is set for the. third Sunday in July. This does not suit the people as the cotton Squire Springer was reputed to will not be laid by before the first next the discovery of steam power be the only stingy man on all Great of August and the time should be

Hurrah for The Courier, the but Squire Springer had the name best county paper in the state. We of being "as tight as the skin on a want a post office here so we can get the paper regular.

> FARMER BOY. Didn't Follow the Example.

"When I was a b-b-boy," old stuttering, lyibd John Stulty used to say, "I read the st-st-story of G-G-George Washington and the l-l-little h-hatchet, and I l-I-liked it so well that I th-thought I'd p-play it on my f-f-father. So I w-went out and ch-chopped d-down an apple tree t-t-tree th-that he'd taken lots of p-pains with. And when he c-c-came home and asked about it I said: 'I c-c-canuot t-tell a l-I-lie, father: I d-d-did it w-with my ax,' and he gave me such a DAISY SALOON, h-h-h.-- of a l-lammin' that

h-h-havent told the t-truth since." -Cincinnati Times. Almost Everybody will be There.

Q .- "Do you think that the fair

mense crowds there." "But the Chicago people are not going to make much of an effort.' "Here, Maria," said he, "You They do not need to make any ing money to buy a few needles cago is regarded as the wickedest with, and that'll buy you quite a city in the country will draw immense crowds from all over these

> ----A Swindled Landlord Tenant-I don't think I ought to pay any rent for this month

Landlord-Why not? "Because the roof leaks so that the water runs down the wall." "What! Is there running water to pay \$5. I wonder how long you have been enjoying water privileges

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