

# SCARLEY THE HERO!

BUT FOR THE COMMODORE'S PROMPT ACTION CER-  
VERA WOULD HAVE ESCAPED.

## FLAGSHIP BROOKLYN FIRST IN PURSUIT.

Cervera, after being bottled up in Santiago harbor for six weeks, made a bold dash for liberty last Sunday morning. He steamed out of the harbor past the sunken collier, Merimac, and undertook to run out to sea but your Uncle Samuel's ships were waiting for him. Everyone of the Spanish vessels were destroyed. Cervera and about 1600 men are prisoners on the American ships. The Spanish loss in killed and wounded is very great, many drowned after their ships went down.

## SHAFTER DEMANDS THE SURRENDER OF SANTIAGO

### Linares Says he will Burn the City to the Ground First.

## THE SPANISH SOLDIERS FAVOR CAPITULATION

There are over eleven thousand Spanish troops in the city, but they are hungry and are willing to quit—Staple articles of food bring enormous prices—Foreigners see the hopelessness of continuing the struggle.

Our loss in the three days heavy fighting around Santiago has been enormous but not more than half as many as the Spaniards lost. In the sea fight we lost one man and two were wounded. 450 of the men from the Spanish ship "Maria Teresa" were placed on the Harvard. They concluded to take the vessel, and mutinied. The American officers fired into them, killing 6 and wounding a lot more. This quieted them and they will know better next time.

Admiral Camara, commanding the last Spanish squadron afloat, is between Dewey and Watson. If he goes to Manilla Dewey will sink him. If Watson meets him he is done for. But still the Spanish will fight as long as they have a single ship left.

Hurrah! for the good battle-ship, Texas. She has given a good account of herself every time she has been in action. We are glad to see her gallant commander, Capt. Philip, is to receive recognition for his bravery in the Santiago fight.

Mr. G. W. Brown of Ringgold, brother of Rev. Q. Brown is visiting his brother.

Miss Chloe Craig has gone home and Oh! how sad somebody is.

Miss Claudie Sanderson has gone home.

Bee Crawford says he might go to the north if his ma won't let him go north she is the only one of W. P. ...

Especially for women is Browns Iron Bitters. Backache vanishes, headache disappears, strength takes the place of weakness, and the glow of health comes to the pallid cheek when this wonderful remedy is taken. For sickly children or overworked men it has no equal. No home should be without Browns' Iron Bitters. For sale by all dealers.

The names of Misses Imogene Stephens and Linnie Cooper, by accident, were omitted from the list of those who are to take a part in the Reunion at Plainview

President McKinley has issued a proclamation calling on all citizens when they are assembling for divine worship to return thanks to Almighty God for the success of our troops on land and sea.

The resolution annexing the Hawaiian islands to the United States received the final vote July 6th.

**THE NEW WAY.**



WOMEN used to think "female diseases" could only be treated after "local examinations" by physicians. Dread of such treatment kept thousands of modest women silent about their suffering. The introduction of Wine of Cardui has now demonstrated that nine-tenths of all the cases of menstrual disorders do not require a physician's attention at all. The simple, pure

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### ADVERTISING RATES.

LOCAL NOTICES, TEN CENTS per line, first insertion, five cents for each subsequent insertion.

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### LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

The Baptist brethren decided not to protract their meeting this time because the church was not ready. They will probably protract their next regular meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Ware attended the barbecue and picnic Clarendon on the 4th. They had a magnificent time. Quantity of good beef and lots of other things. Mr. Ware is receiving flattering encouragement race for district attorney.

Crawford has received her position as teacher of intermediate grades in the school here. Mr. Oaks will fill the place the short time school continues.

### Dissolution Notice

Silverton, Texas,  
July, 8th, 1898

By mutual consent the firm of W. C. Smithee & Bro. is dissolved. W. C. Smithee assumes all liabilities and collects all debts.

W. C. Smithee,  
S. H. Smithee.

Referring to the above I wish to thank all for their patronage and solicit a continuance of the same favor.

Respectfully,  
W. C. Smithee.

Mrs. Enoch Boren has been seriously ill for about ten days. We are glad to state she is very much better now. We sincerely hope the worst has passed and she will rapidly regain her health and soon be restored to usefulness. She is one of God's evangelists who always finds some thing to do to make her fellow creatures happy.

The following young ladies have been selected to aid the veterans in their program at the reunion at Plainview:

Misses Emma Waller, Eva Stallbird, Sena Crawford, Eva Wright, Gertrude Braidfoot,

In this issue we present the name of Mr. W. E. Chambless as a candidate for Sheriff at the coming election. Mr. Chambless is a man of sterling integrity and worth and has been a citizen of the county since its organization. He has ever identified himself with the enforcement of the law and if elected he will reflect credit upon the office and upon the county. He is amply qualified for the position and is a man who has the confidence and esteem of all the people who come in contact with him.

### Notice to Non-Resident Land Owners.

State of Texas, )  
Briscoe County, )

We the undersigned jury of freeholders, citizens of said Briscoe county Texas, duly appointed by the commissioners' court of Briscoe county, Texas, at its May term, 1898 to view and establish a 2nd. class road from s w cor. of W. P. Ball's survey and terminating at N. line of Briscoe county and having been duly sworn as the law directs hereby gives notice that we will, on the 3rd day of August 1898, assemble at s w corner of W. P. Ball's survey and thence proceed to survey, locate, view, mark out and establish said road beginning at the south west corner of W. P. Ball's survey; thence north on the west line of section 22; thence north on the west line of section 16; thence north on the west line of section 64; thence north crossing Red River to the west line of section 29; thence north one mile the east line of section 92; thence north on the east line of section 93; thence north on the west line of section 122; thence north on the west line of section No. 14; thence northeast to intersect the Clarendon and Elmore road

And we do hereby notify any and all persons owning lands through which said road may run, that we will at the same time proceed to assess the damages incidental to the opening and establishment of said road, when they may, either in person or by agent or attorney, present to us a written statement of the amount of damages, if any, claimed by them.

Witness our hands this 2nd day of July A. D. 1898

N. J. Nelson.  
John Grady  
M E Bell  
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Chas Heisler  
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### A Talk to The Boy.

The Times is interested in the boys who are struggling in our public schools and colleges for an education, but would remind them that education means more than a head full of knowledge. A good grammarian may be a bad citizen. All boys and girls, too, should learn honesty. If some men had the right to sell water from the Gulf of Mexico by the quart they would cheat in the measure. "How can I sell more goods?" asked a merchant. "Fill up your measure," was the reply. A man who sent a four-gallon jug for molasses and discovered that the grocer had charged him for five gallons did not object to paying for the extra gallon, but he said he hated to strain the capacity of the jug. It is petty theiving to borrow small sums of money or make small debts and never pay them.

Boys who have nothing to do are more apt to become thieves and jailbirds than those who are employed. Doing nothing is the apprenticeship of doing wrong. The man who stands idly about in the morning with his hands in his pockets is liable to have them in someone else's pocket before night. A lazy man is of no more use to the world than a dead man and he takes up more room. Every idle man has to be supported by an industrious one. There are some men so stinging that they stop a clock at night to save wear and tear. There are some Christians, who, when Old Hundred is announced think they can save money by singing Ninety and Nine.

We live too fast. People in Europe think every American was born half an hour late and is forever trying to catch up. A very rich man said he had acquired his riches by learning first never to play until he had finished his work, and never to spend any money until he had earned it. It is a cowardly disposition that wishes to take life easy. Things slowly obtained are long retained. Young men should learn trades. Public schools should teach industrial pursuits. There should be more men in trades and fewer in jails. The teacher should try more to form character in the pupil than to crowd the memory. Hard work is the grand secret of success. Elbow grease is the only stuff to make gold with. Make as few changes as you can. It is damp in the valley it is cold on the hill. There is no meat without bones. God sends every bird its food, but does not throw it in the pot. Never destroy

drink. Gain badly got is everlasting loss. Never stretch your legs farther than the blanket will reach or you will soon be cold. Earn all you can. Give all you can. Giving is saving. Better give bread to the poor than tombstones to the dead.—Angleton Times.

Rev. Joe Munday took in the city and incidently the citizens last week. It is astonishing how many people will spend their money on these traveling frauds, every one that comes along finds ready and willing dupes.—Silverton Stayer.

Bear it with becoming fortitude, my brother; the same disease is prevalent in Amarillo. Bad economic laws, such as the protective tariff and private ownership of land that take from the masses and give to the classes, are not only making fake lecturers, preachers, editors, adulterated foods and shoddy clothing, but are actually breeding thieves and robbers. Say, are you doing anything to change these conditions? If not, then put up or shut up.

The above truly eloquent windy is from the Amarillo News. Being a woman, we could not be expected to "shut up" not at least until we had a say; therefore we proceed to "put up" In the first place we are getting out a small, and clean local paper, one that ever seeks to advance the cause of education and morality. We are not seeking to mould the opinions of the law makers who alone can change "economic laws" We are humbly striving to do as near right ourselves as we can and always advise our patrons to do the same thing. But say, brother, we are very much like the old darky preacher who upon being reprimanded by the elders of his flock for dull sermons responded thusly: "Now look a heah bruddern and sisters if youse niggers think I se gwine to bumfusticate myself an' pound de stuffin outen dis heah bible on corn, bread and buttermilk, youse mightily mistaken, feed me up an' I'll rar and tar and preach till you can't rest." That is our fix, If we were running a big paper in a city like Amarillo maybe so we could "rar and tar" about the tariff also.

The mail came in Sunday, being the first received from the east since Thursday.

Mr. Bruce Loring made us a pleasant call Monday.

Mess. Otus and Kellus and Reeves

### Baptist Association.

The Llano Estacado Baptist Association will begin on Thursday before the 5th. Sunday in July at 8 p. m. at Fairview, Randall county, Texas.

1. Introductory by C. R. Stewart, J. D. Cook, alternate.

2. What is essential to the existence of a gospel church? M. V. Henson and Rev. Mewburn.

3. Was each church an independent body, and what was their form of government? F. A. Crow and C. R. Stewart.

4. What is essential to a legal approach to the Lord's supper? R. C. Wright, J. D. Cook.

5. What are the duties of a church toward her members who absent themselves from her services and engage in worldly business on Sunday? Press Busset and B. T. Johnson.

6. Is the evidences of pardon external or internal; or in other words, is our knowledge based on what we have done or what we feel? C. L. Cameron and W. K. P. Upshaw.

7. Do the scriptures teach

the final salvation of all God's children? J. B. Cope, John Burkhalter and T. H. Rice.

8. How may we best glorify God? Rev. Tipton, E. Barnes and C. G. Haile.

Let every body come who can and we will entertain you the very best we can. The meeting is expected to protract from the 5th. Sunday.

J. B. Cope, in behalf of community.

Mr. E. R. Thomas' place is 3 miles southwest of Silverton.

He has 480 acres under fence, 40 acres in field crops, a nice young orchard of well selected trees, a good substantial house, two large tanks for stock and one for irrigating purposes.

Mr. Thomas, one of the nearest stockmen of the county has accumulated a nice lot of cattle. Mrs. Thomas is one of the best gardeners in the county and always has the earliest and best garden on the plains.

Their place is one of the best and prettiest near town.

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School out next week.

Hot, dry weather. Lots of it.

Mess. P. M. George and Jim Cross left for Amarillo this week.

Miss Alma Wright secured a class in music at Canyon City and will not return home for the present.

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Some of our boys have the war fever. Better get a doctor to examine you boys before you squander any cash going to a recruiting station. If you are not absolutely perfect in health your Uncle Sam don't want you.

We are sorry to learn Mrs W B Ware is quite ill

If you want a barber pole call on W A P Matthews

Miss Eva Wright has gone on a flying trip to Canyon City She will return Monday

Mess Huss and Poole went with Mr Bomar's family on their pleasure trip

Mr S P Huss made us a pleasant call this week

Rev Poole of Plainview and Rev Rattan of White flat were in the city Sunday, Monday and Tuesday

Miss Eva Wright has our thanks for favors this week

Harvey Riddel has our thanks for subscription favors

Mr J W Hancock ran his subscription up a notch or two this week

Mr A I Stephens is expecting a large party of friends from the east on a visit very soon

**ATTENTION! VETERANS!**

Capt D. H. Sweeney desires as many as possible of the Confederate and federal veterans to meet him at Silvertown, July the 16th at 1 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of arranging a program for the re union to be held at Plainview on 3rd. and 4th., and attending to such other business as may come up.

**ROLL OF HONOR.**

In Primary Grades, Miss Wright, Teacher.

- Irena Pinkston
- Jessie Farnham
- Tom "
- Emey Anderson
- Triccy "
- Lucy Stevenson
- Fannie Morgan
- Frank "
- Vera Porter
- May Hopson
- Willie Smithee
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**CANYON VIEW.**

Seeing nothing from Milo, will try and report a few items for your most valuable paper.

Miloites are not all dead, but only feel bad on account of dry weather.

Crop prospects are not at all good at present.

Stock are all doing fine and grass is good.

Uncle Jessie Bryant and family returned home Monday after paying us a short visit. Come again Uncle Jessie, you are a welcome visitor. None know you but to love you.

Miss Ota Thurston of Lockney is visiting in and around Milo.

Quite a number of Miloites have gone plum hunting this week.

Bible study every Sunday at ten o'clock, Prof. Hamp Burch leader.

Preaching every second and fourth Sundays.

Prof. Gilbert Bryant went to Lockney this week.

"Oh, for a wind mill fixer!" says R. F. Cope.

Irish potatoes, snap beans and chickens are ripe.


Come and see us Mr. Zditor and folks.

Arkansaw.

In our announcement column will be found the name of Mr. Ed Crawford as a candidate for district and county clerk. Mr. Crawford is running strictly on his merits. As a business man, he has no superior in the community; he is thoroughly up to date, suave, polite and obliging in manners. He is an excellent bookkeeper, and is thoroughly posted on all county affairs.

Ed is one of those progressive men who always reflect credit on any office they may be called

**FOR ALL WOMEN**



NINE-TENTHS of all the pain and sickness from which women suffer is caused by weakness or derangement in the organs of menstruation. Nearly always when a woman is not well these organs are affected. But when they are strong and healthy a woman is very seldom sick.

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