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since we began business in Haskell we have been gaining trade, and we wish to thank the people for their liberal patronage and assure you we are going to try to deserve it more in the future.

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NOMINEES OF ALL PARTIES

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list of the nominees for offices in peals, Eastace Ballinger. Texas by all the political parties that are attempting to place their principles before the voters

Socialist Labor Party—Governor, A. S. Dowler; Leutenaut Governor, Carl Schmidt; Controller of Public Accounts, Otto Schuettel; Attorney Genlist is officially certified by the sloner, O. W. Nelson. Secretary of State, as follows:

Democratic Party—Governor, Thos.
M. Campbell; Licutenant Governor, Jas. C. Gibbons.

A. B. Davidson; Controller of Public

Note—E. H. R. Green has filed Accounts, J. W. Stephens; State a written notice declining the Treasurer, Sam Sparks; Commission- nomination tendered him. er of the General Land Office, J. J. Terreli; Attorney General, R. V. Davidson; State Superintendent of Railroad Commissioner, L. J. Storey, man of Hurricane, Wis., says: "Your Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, cough medicine, Hart's Honey and Horehound, is a good seller and seems

rich Hofneins; Controller of Public is the best medicine in existence today Accounts, Wentworth Manning, State Treasurer, Geo. M. Booth; Commissloner of the General Land Office, ren. 25c, 50c and \$1.00 bottles sold at 7 Henry C. Harding; Attorney General, Terrell's drug store. Charles W. Ogden: State Superientendent of Public Instruction, F. Vandervort; Ratiroad Commissioner, W. F. visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Connor; Chief Justice of the Supreme S. Wilson and took their little son, Court, Frank B. Stanley; Judge of the Sammie, to the "home over yonder." Court of Criminal Appeals, Alexan- Sammie was a bright and beautiful

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Socialist Party-Governor, George Clifton Edwards; Lieutenant Governor, L. L. Rhodes; Controller of Public One five room house and two lots Accounts, G. W. M. Taylor; State Five unimproved resident lots, 70 x Treasurer, W. J. Bell; Commissioner 140 ft, choice business lots. Z. B. of the General Land Office, J. L. Swan; Thomas

Attorney General, M. A. Smith: State Superientendent of Public Instruction, As Certified to County Clerks by Sec. J. M. Crier; Railroad Commissioner, E. R. Meitzen; Chief Justice of the Su-Below we give a complete preme Court, William D. Simpson; Judge of the Court of Criminal Ap-

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Reorganized Republican Party-

S. W. Kerr, a prominent business to give excellent satisfaction." Harts' Criminal Appeals, J. N. Henderson, Republican Party—Governor, Carey to give excellent satisfaction." Harts' 'Honey and Horehound contains no A. Gray; Lieutenant Governor, Fried- opium or other stupefying drugs and for Croup and Whooping Cough, and

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THE WICHITA VALLEY To Be Completed and Regular Service Inangirated Oct. 15th.

connected with the Texas Central this week. We understand that Col. Morgan Jones has filed notice with the railroad commission that the railroad company will receive the road from the construction company on the 15th of this month and begin the operation of a regular train service on it by the 20th.

We understand also that the Abilene and Northern will soon be completed to a connection with the W. V. at Stamford. This will give a through service from Wichita Falls on the Fort Worth & Denver to Abilene on the T. & P. and be a great convenience to north and south travel in this part of the state.

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TO THE PUBLIC;

We wish to call attention through

the columns of the FREE PRESS to the fact that the West Texas Christian will make its appearance about the 22nd of this month. This paper will be published from the office of the Haskell FREE PRESS. That means that the mechanical work will be done in the very best style. As to the reading matter, we shall strive to the utmost of our ability to make it interesting and profitable to the last degree. Everything will be clean, brief and to the point. There will be a sermon in this first issue on "The Triumphs of the Bible" that everyone will want to read. The brief and newsy editorials will interest you. "To Broaden Your Vision," will be read with eager interest and profit. "Around The Fireside," will, please every member of the family. But we can't tell you about all the good things that will be in this first issue of the West Texas Christian. You had better send in your subscription at once and not miss a single issue.

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Haskell parties made up a train load of cattle and shipped from this place to Fort Worth over the W. V. yesterday. The shippers and number of cars shipped by each are, G. R. Couch 1 car, J. S. Boone 3 cars, F. M. Morton 2 cars, S. B. Pierson 2 cars, M. S. Pierson 1 car, W. T. Hudson 1 car, S. S. Cummings 1 car, A. D. En- to wounds, bruises, burns and like inglish 1 car.

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auditorium were thrown open to the untrammeled legislation. waiting throng and in a few minutes comparatively every seat of the 5,000 the debate is concerned, the general or more were taken and the S. R. O. concensus of opinion that it will have sign was hung out.

So far as numbers went, the crowd in the auditorium were about equally term. There will be opposition here divided half being pro-Bailey and half

On the left side of the stage sat the anti-Bailey committee, their badges ent precludes a "getting together" of reading "Crane Reception Committee," on the right the Balley supporters were installed and their emblems read, "Our Joe Bailey for Texas, Welcome."

As the two principals entered the

Mr. Crane came upon the stage at

Col. O. T. Holt, of Houston, who introduced Mr. Crane, first asked for Mr. come upon the platform. He did as recussion of a matter which has become quested after which Col. Holt introa potential political factor in this coun- duced General Crane to the audience

> Major Charles Hume introduced Senator Bailey, who was given such a

The speeches were of considerable

party conventions of all political par- and vice versa with the partizans ties, until such time as some some of Mr. Crane. After the smoke of batdefinition of the rights of a repre- tle had passed away, however, there sentatives is settled in a permanent has been much said that is of intensest interest to those whose sole concern in the matter is the good of Promptly at 7 o'clock the doors of the country through clean politics and

> So far as the immediate effect of but little effect on the re-election of Mr. Bailey to the Senate for this and there, but there will be no coherancy in this opposition and the lack of a prominent and acceptable opponthis opposition at any immediate future time. So, taken as a whole, the good result, if any, that will come from this debate will be at some time in the

future and not at this time.

In the midst of the altercation which followed a lieutenant of the militia strode up with an air of authority. "What the devil is all this row about?

soldiers rushed to the rescue.

Two or three privates, the worse for liquor, began a noisy explanation, but the superior officer stopped them. "Who are you and what is your busi ness here?"

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By OLIVIA B. STROHM

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CHAPTER L

It was an odd, weather-beaten craft-

a miniature ark which, on a December

morning in 1806, pushed its ungainly

way to shore and moored at a small

From it a dozen young men disem-

barked. They were armed with rifles,

but were civilian dress which, rough

and showing the stains of travel, was

out of keeping with their jaunty air and

gallant bearing. There was, too, an

air of suppressed excitement-almost

of stealth-in their movements as, the

boat safely tied, they fell into line, and,

skirting the briary tangle that surround-

ed the beach, went up through groves

Here the company paused. Through

But the inviting porch, the smoke

beckoning from the chimney, were the

only signs of welcome. For everywhere

about the place were marks of recent

see havoc in every quarter. Shrub, lat-

tice and fountain had been wrecked, it

seemed in sheer wantonness of spirit,

and through the open windows they

caught glimpses of the desecration and

pillage that had been wrought within

The cause of all this vandalism was

not far to seek. On every step, on every

garden seat, lounged a soldier, and this

by a noisy, brawling crowd of militia

The visitors had barely time to not

"Halt!" was the command of a sentry

on guard near, and a dozen or more

this, when they, too, were observed.

mansion seemed surrounded, possessed,

The newcomers stood aghast to

the vista of bare trees, a-sparkle with

frost, they could see the house. It was

island in the Ohio.

and fields to a garden.

hospitably outstretched.

ruin.

Goorg.

The man addressed was of medium but so spare of flesh that he seemed tall. Out of his long face, blazing eyes and white, prominent teeth

YOU WOULD DRAW UPON AN UN ARMED MAN BUT EVADE A FAIR HAND-TO-HAND FIGHT. COW-

shone conspicuously. He had not yet

spoken, but his undaunted behavior and calm air of superiority attracted the officer's attention. This latter repeated the question to-

solently. "Who are you and what is your busi-

ness here?" The other advanced slowly and sur-

veyed him in silence. Then:

"For the first, sir, we are American contlemen; for the second-you are right in speaking of it as our business." Before the furious lieutenant could

eply a militiaman burst through the crowd, exclaiming: "I know who they are, lieutenant: it's gang o' the same sort as gave us the slip last night. I'll warrant these cal-

c'late to jine the others," His superior officer smiled

"Ah, I see; then I have the honor,

perhaps, to address the future emperor of Mexico, or the president of our southwestern republic? For such, I tipsy salute. inderstand, are the schemes which-" "If you understand anything," the stranger interrupted, "you must real-

ize that your first duty is to clear the place of this rabble." To this the other retorted: first duty is to arrest you all-which I

ernment. Instantly there was an uproar as the oldiers took forcible possession of the newcomers, with no show of discipline.

The stranger who had been spokesman raised his voice in protest, but it was drowned in the general babel of remonstrance, mingled with the commands of the officer and the drunken shouts of his men.

But snother voice made itself heard-

above the din. There was a vision of flying draperies, and in the midst of the crowd stood a slight girl, her face pale, her eyes wide with excitement, Stooping beneath the palisade of bayonets, she raised her hands fearlessly Do you call this fair play, lieutenant? There was a short silence, then the

"Come away, Miss Creighton; this is no place for ladies." "But what is the matter?"

officer spoke:

"These men were resisting arrest." By what right do you arrest them? "By my authority as officer in charge. we came here to bring to justice Mr. Blennerhasset and his accomplices They fled last night; these men are

here evidently to join them. There is, therefore, as much reason for arresting them " She interrupted with a slight sneer. "You are quite right; there is quite as much reason." Here she looked at

appearance he had kept silent, but now stepped forward. "Have I the honor to address a friend of Mr. Blennerhasset?"

the leader of the strangers. Since her

The slim girl, in her quaint cap and morning frock, courtsied in the center sword and made a lunge at Winslow of this motley group of ruffian soldiery and dusty travelers.

"You have indeed, sir; and you?" "I, too, am his friend-Charles Winslow, at your service."

The lieutenant interposed with angry sarcasm: "A truce, a pretty triffing! I must insist upon an examination into the cause of your presence here. You are aware, better than I. what is your object in this attempt to join Aaron Burr and Harmon Biennerhasset in their unlawful plans."

Then as the other was about to speak: "Never mind your defense now; we'll hear it later. Burr and by an agile turn. Then, before the felthe owner of this estate-Harmon Blennerhasset, are charged with the project of establishing another covntry and another flag, where now waves faced his opponent. "Go!" he comthe stars and stripes. I arrest you with complicity in the same. If not sword to your superior officer. The guilty, you will doubtless be willing man who insults women is unfit to

"Anything that may bring this unsake, let us submit quietly."

The lady in question addressed the

men, her voice a trifle high and un-"I am sorry, gentlemen, for steady: this rude greeting, but—"
"Forward, march!" interrupted the officer, and struggling, straggling, all

in disorder, the crowd of soldiers and civilians disappeared within doors.

The man who had introduced himself as Winslow was the last to go. As he passed the girl he said:

"Will you present my compliments to Mrs. Blennerhasset, and arrange for an interview between us when this-this affair is over??" Before she could reply, the lieutenant swaggered up with insolent command. Winslow shrugged his shoulders. Then to

"Your servant, Miss Creighton, and

-au revoir." The girl courtesied again, as the officer and his quandam prisoner with-

CHAPTER II. woman realized the cold for the first from Marietta." time. She wore no wrap, and her head in its linen cap yet sparkled with a aunt?" diamond frost which, in her hasty run, ewcomers

She slipped around to the kitchen and peered in. "Good morning, America,

"Yaas, honey, but I 'spec dem po white trash in brass buttons 'll be hyar soon messin' 'roun'."

Where are the other servants?" "La, chile, don' ax me dat!" and the black cook's face grew blacker with arger. "Dem on'ry niggahs won't help none; dey jest loaf 'roun' de cabins like scairt woodchucks! Dar ain't de backbone ob a lizard in de whole pas-

sel ob 'em." "But you aren't afraid. America?" America brandished a skillet threat-"I'd like to see de sojer varmints dat could scare dis yer niggar!" and her head, its woolly topknot protruding from the gay turban, gave vici-

ous nods of emphasis. At last she said suddenly: "Do me favoryte, honey; go wid me to de spring house, and he'p me to fetch some buttah and aigs. I mus' fix some ob dem new-fangled sandwiches. Dey ain't no'hin but hunks o' bread wid meat-leavins in de middle, but missus savs it's a new style, an' I ain't neber behin' de times in my cookin'-dat's

no lie!" Together, peering cautiously about for fear of molestation, they proceeded to the spring house. Here they were confronted by a trio of militiamen. idling at the entrance. One reclined upon a statue which, dragged from its pedestal, stretched its broken length you come to join the expedition?" across the walk. Rising, he made a "Egad! here come Beauty

At the sight of the blear-eyed fellows, who made no effort to conceal their admiration, the girl would have fled: but America stood her ground. Folding both long, skinny arms over detention." her hollow chest she glared sternly at them.

and the Beast!"

"Ef y'all ain't de beatenes' white men eber I come acrost!'

"Mind your own business! what are you, anyway?" But America was not to be daunted.

"What I am, I'm dat-and dat's what I am," was her oracular response. Then she continued: "Ain' you had no raisin'? Don' you know a lady when yo sees one?"

"and does my duckie know her dearie when she sees him?" and suddenly reeling up to the girl, he chucked her under the chin.

With a movement swift and strong America sent him sprawling back, his body spanning the prostrate statue. His companions staggered to the res

cue as the ruffian arose juttering a volley of oatns.

"You black she-devil!" he roared. with clenened fist raised, "I'll teach you manners."

But just then a voice said: "Better learn them nrst, my man," and a slight, but muscular frame was interposed between the women and their assailants. The girl gave a screamhalf of fright, half of relief, as she recognized the gentleman who had led had introduced himself as Winslow.

At assistance from this unexpected quarter, the other soldiers retreated delay. Next day the militia descended leader alone to face the indignant res- mercy of these lawless administrators

Half sovered at the situation, but too angry for caution, the bully drew -a thrust unsteady and weak. Winslow easily parried it with his cane, but as he did so, the lace ruffles of his shirt fell over a wrist white as a woman's. At the sight of its delicacy his opponent laughed contemptuously:

"I never fight milksops; get home to your mother; ' and he turned to go. But, angered now, Winslow barred the way. "You would draw upon an unarmed man, but you sneak out of a fair, hand-to-hand fight; you are a coward!"

The man made a sudden dash for him, which, however, Winslow evaded low could rally his sodden senses Winslow knocked him down, and spatched up his sword. Thus armed he manded, "I, myself, will return this wear it."

Paralyzed less by fear than amazedignified scuffle to a close," was the ment and chagrin at being worsted in Then Winslow turned to his a bloodless encounter with one he companions: "Friends, for this lady's thought so mean a foe, the soldier slunk away muttering vengeance be lied by his hang-dog manner.

In the short silence that followed. America continued her way to the spring house, leaving her young mistress and the stranger together

She picked up his coat, and flecking the dust from it, said: "I am very much obliged to you, sir.

"The pleasure is mine; I was forcunate in being here." "The trial, then, is over?"

"As a farce it began; as a farce it ended. I can only regret the embarassment it caused you."

She laughed joyously. "Pray, sir, do not consider it. We have had so much to bear for the past two days that a trifle more does not matter."

Her voice was very near to tears. Then, quickly recovering: "All this time, Mr. Winslow, I have the advantage. You do not know my name; I am Lavender Creighton."

She extended her nand, adding: "You must forgive my not sooner summon-Left alone in the garden, the young | ing my aunt; she has but just returned

"Then Mrs. Blennerhasset is your

"I call her so: it is, however, the the trees and ivied trellis-work had privilege of friendship only. We are old mounting a chair, the elder man swings showered over her. She shivered and and dear friends. My mother and 1 the bride lightly to the table. Careturned to go. Fortunately progress to have been staying with her this winter. fully avoiding the displacing of a coin the house was free, the soldiers having gone above to witness the trial of the new territory, and were waiting for makes her way across the short silver good weather-for the spring-to continue the journey. It seems now." she added, with a little catch of breath, "that we are to go on regardless of the season. The law waits no man's pleasure-no, nor woman's, either.'

Here America, returning, interrupted.

'Scuse me, missy, but y' all better come on to de kitchen," and they followed her in silence. Then the cook placed chairs for them around the stove while she bustled about getting dinner, and this informal introduction into the family affairs delighted the

guest, but Lavender apologized. "I fear this is a poor sort of hospital only private part of the house. The soldiers bow to her will alone and so exclusion of all others, and also gave

give her a wide berth." Dusting a floury chair for him, she aggerated bow; then she left the room to call Mrs. Blennerhasset.

A few moments later the mistress of past the prime of life, but still attractive, her face beautified by eyes, large, dark and full of purpose.

The stranger rose. "My name is Winslow," he said simply, "and I have ams?"-Philadelphia Ledger. the honor to present credentials from our distinguished leader, Col. Burr." The name was open Sesame to the

heart of his listener. You need no higher right of entry to our hearth, sir. May I ask, then, if

"I do, madam, and a dozen stout hearts bear me company. He then briefly detailed the opposi-

tion they had met with. "But the comic affair was soon over

and we are again free to proce-d. There was no show of warrant for our "Can you imagine, sir, by what rea-

son we are submitted to such out-"It is, indeed, more than I can un-

derstand. Until our mock trial of today I had no knowledge of any suspicion against the character of our undertaking, its chief, or those engaged in it. As peaceful citizens under the flag we reached your island, intending to join in the settlement of new lands in the southwest. Call us pioneers-By St. Anthony, that I do, and no soldiers of fortune-what you will, but a woman's voice. High and clear it rose | mistake!" was the maudlin answer; | traitors-ah, it is too absurd!"

Then, more seriously, he added: am in the dark as to the specific charges. It appears, however, that Col. Burr and your husband are suspected of a design to overthrow the existing government and set up another in some vague part of the south. I cannot account for all this farrage of nonsense and quibbles, except on the score of political intrigue. And most of us are helpless to fight that."

"Then you are not a politician?" the lady asked, smiling at the warmth of his manner.

"No. madam. God save the mark! I am an emigrant-a homeseeker." There was a lull; she looked about

the desecrated room. "I deeply grieve, sir, that I have no hospitality to grant-no home. Mr. the strangers this morning-he who Blennerhasset went away two nights ago. He disliked the stealth, the secrecy, but would not wait for the law's through the shrubbery, leaving their upon us, and we have since been at the of the law."

"And what excuse do they offer for this outrage?"

"They tell us that the president's proclamation has reached Wood county, and they must carry out his orders to stop our 'treasonable designs.' Mr. Blennerhasset foresaw this, and we had arranged that I was to follow in our family boat to the mouth of the Cumberland. This is his meeting place with Col. Burr, and from there we were

all to go south together." "All!" Before Winslow's mind rusped a swift picture of the girl he had seen braving the bayonets and men. "All' must include her.

He inquired, tentatively: "And Miss Creighton?"

"She and her mother are my guests; my plans must include them. But, alas! for those plans, since I am cefused the boat. I pleaded, commanded -to no avail. The authorities at Marietta are frightened by Jefferson's vague proclamation, which tells little, and threatens much. They have refused me the use of my own boat I know not which way to turn." and a hunted, desperate look crept into ber

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tired face.

BOHEMIAN SILVER BRIDGES Rows of Coins Over Which Brides of That Country Pass to

Husbands. At Roumanian weddings it is the custom at the wedding feast for the groom to receive his bride over a bridge of sil-

Coins are placed in a double row across the table, and over this the bride daintily steps to her husband's wait-

ing arms. The ceremony of laying the bridge is one of the interesting events of the wedding feast following the religious ceremony. When the guests are brought to a proper spirit of festivity by the good cheer at the board a space at the head of the table is cleared and from a bag are drawn silver coins procured for the purpose, the proper provision being

the production of coins fresh from the mint. the table, and when all is ready the father of the groom makes a speech to his son, admonishing him to see that his bride's way through life is always paved

with silver. A proper response is made, and, pathway and leaps into the arms of her

spouse. At wedding feasts where ostentation is desired the bridge is built lengthwise of the table.

Annihilation.

In the medical department of Columbia university there was a professor who had a very high opinion of himself: he also disliked to assist the students in any personal way, and was noted for propounding difficult questions during examination. One day after a lengthy lecture, one of the students, with a perplexed air, walked up to the professor and asked him to exity, sir, but America's domain is the plain why his theory of a certain phenomenon should be accepted to the his reason for believing another theory to be the better. This question placed it before him with a little ex- was a little too difficult for the lecturer to answer off-hand, so, with a contemptuous look, he replied: "My dear sir, are you aware that fools often ask the house entered. She was a woman questions that wise men can't answer?" The undergraduate, with a semblance of a smile on his lips, replied: "Is that the reason, professor, why so many of us flunk at your ex-

> Congenia! Affection. Mme. Myriam Harry, the Parisian

novelist, who has traveled about the world a good deal, tells the public what evidences of affection are prized by men and women in different countries, In Jerusalem she once met a young Arab woman who had not a tooth left in her head. Mme. Harry's native servant said: "Lucky woman; her husband knocked all her teeth out. He does love her." In Cochin-China Mme. Harry was told that there a husband was not believed to love his wife properly until he had made a present to her of a coffin. In Galicia, among the sect of Masochists, a man values his wife's affection by the degree of suffering which she causes him to endure. Mme. Harry there once heard a betrothed youth say to his affianced bride: "If you really loved me you would consent to bind me and flog me with this whip." At Stockholm one of Mme. Harry's friends is now suing her husband for divorce on the groun

Upposing Giants. Houston, Texas, Oct. 8.-Probably large auditorium they were greeted by

the most enthusiastic political meet- loud cheers- the partizans of each ening ever held in Texas was the Crane- deavoring to make the best showing. Bailey debate held here Saturday At times the debate was acrimonious, night. There were representative citi- but at no time was there anything said zens from every corner of Texas. They in the dispute that was calcuated to came in, some of them, two or three offend the ear of a lady-hundreds days in advance. There were friends of whom were present. were those who bitterly denounced 7:40 and was given an ovation. Senahim and his course in the Senate. Tak- tor Balley appeared at 7:50 and for en as a whole, the crowd was very or- five minutess the noise was deafening, derly. Of course, in a crowd so large. His ovation was pronounced and the there were a few who had "gone to welcome was in no uncertain tones. and they were held in check by the intelligent preponderance of a crowd Lindsey and asked that gentleman to which had assembled to hear the distry, that of how far a representative in a few well chosen words. His reof the people may become the attorney marks received deafening applause. of concerns about which legislation may be necessary during the incumbency of the representative. It was vociferous reception that it was some not so much a question of Mr. Bailey, time before he could be heard. as it was a cardinal principle of economic government, and the men who length, and the matters discussed and had paid good money to go a long the manner of discussion cannot be distance to hear the matter discussed gone over here for lack of space, but were determined to hear the discuss the discussion was clean, manly and sion. It was more in the nature of a courteous from beginning to end. In a low, broad dwelling, its wide plazza school in politics than in the nature the eyes of Mr. Bailey's partizans, he extending from wing to wing, like arms of an ordinary political debate, and its "cleaned up the earth" with Mr. Crane, effect will be visible in the coming and vice versa.

being anti-Bailey.

GREEN OUT OF RACE. E. H. R. Green Turns Down Nomina-

tion of Reorganizers. Dallas, Oct. 5 .- E. H. R. Green, nom ince on the Reorganized Republican ticet, declined to serve as the party nominee in a letter sent yesterday to the State executive committee of that party, and acting upon this resignation, the State executive committee nominated Dr. Alex. W. Acheson, of Denison to head its ticket. As it is

now, Dr. Acheson and J. C. Gibbons head the ticket of the reorganizers. In the letter of Mr. Green, which follows, he declares his allegiance to

"To the State Chairman of the Reorganized Republican Party of Texas-Dear Sir: Your official notification of my nomination for Governor by the Reorganized party of Texas was received today. I note with appreciation the confidence and esteem in which your organization holds me, but I can not see my way clear to accept the nomination; not that I am out of harmony with the aims and purposes of

give all his time to the canvass and should personally present the claims of the party and organization to the voters. I find it absolutely impossible for me to do this. I think that the contentions which determined the Republican voters of Texas to reorganize the party are well founded and should appeal to every patriotic voter in the State. The nominees of your committee, as well as the State chairman selected to conduct this campaign, will have my earnest, sincere and best support. I think Dr. Alex, W. Acheson is an able, clean and aggressive leader, and I hope all of my political and personal friends can see their way clear to support him at the polls with support to the nominees of that party. their votes. Thanking you for the respect and confidence in which the

party holds me, I am, respectfully. E. H. R. GREEN."

Mrs. Allie McKinney died in Fort Worth Thursday morning from an

overdose of carbolic acid. The emigrant steamer Charter House, voyaging between Holhow and Hong Kong, foundered off Nainan your organization, but from the fact Head on Sept. 30. Captain Clifton that the nominee should be abe to and sixty passengers were lost.

J. S. Kendali Dead.

Denton: J. S. Kendall, president died at his home here Sunday morning, consumption being the primary cause of his death. Saturday he continued his school work throughout the day and was apparently as well as usual until 1 o'clock, when a hemmorrhage occurred, followed by death at untiring efforts at all times.

5:30 o'clock. Prof. Kendall was born in Georgia about 55 years ago. He was of the North Texas State Normal, for some time the superintendent of the public schools of Honey Grove and was later Superintendent of Public Instruction of Texas. He entered the North Texas Normal as president five years ago, when the school was established, and the success of the school is in a large measure due to his

Must Collect the Pay. Sherman: Some time since a nomince for a county office on the Republican ticket signified his willingness to serve without pay or agree to give his pay check to any charitable cause, if elected, provided he could do so and not be at variance with the law. The matter was referred to the Attorney General. His answer was in brief that a candidate making such pre-election agreement could not hold the office.

Negro Students to the Rescue.

Guthrie, Ok., Inman E. Page, president of the State Colored University at Langston, has adopted a new feature in the industrial and agricultural department of that institution, by granting students leave of absence that they may pick cotton in the fields in the vicinity of Langston. There is the cotton planters of the county have | had been removed for safe keeping, to had a difficult time getting help.

Looks Good for West Texas San Antonio: John Young of Ozona who is at the head of the company that proposes to distill denatured alcohol known at "sotol," is in this city and has shed some new light on the proposed enterprise. He says that sotol plant has somewhat the appearance of a cabbage and grows in great abundance all over West Texas. For many years the Mexicans have manufactured mescal from the plant, pro-

ducing a good grade of alcohol.

Two Bad Negroes Lynched. Mobile, Ala.: The crimes committed upon Edna May Fowler, Lilliam May! do-as conspirators against the gov-Savell, Ruth Sossaman and attempts on others, were revenged by a party of forty-five men Saturday afternoon when Richard Robinson and another negro named Thompson were lynched after being taken from the custody of Sheriff Powers, who was conveying a scarcity of pickers this autumn, and them from Birmingham, where they

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A two-cent show can come along and take more money out of a town than it citizens, would contribute to some enterprise

is six times as much money as will never see it. that town contributed toward Mr. Shaw must be hugging

speeches delivered this week he has made sweeping demals of most of the personal and polititure brought against him by the opposition. He said he would not spend more money in his own behalf than he contributed to either the Cleveland or Bryan national and state ownership. campaign, that he had not entered into any agreement or compact with the political bosses before or since his nomination. that he was not and had not emproprietors of New York if he down the wages of employes



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SHIP AND BRYAN

At Cincinnatti, O., a few days ago Mr. Lestie M. Shaw, Secretary of the United States Treasury, in reply to a question, said:

"No, we are in no danger whatever of losing the National House of Representatives. The Demoscrats have lost all hope of carrying it since Mr. Bryan made his 138, A. G. SEATHERY New York speech advocating Government ownership of railroads. That has destroyed all their chances of success for years onesto come, and they will have to look about for new issues and

"Bryan and Hearst are all the party has left in the Presidential line, and more's the pity, for 1 like to see strong men in the opposition. Senator Bailey and to the extent of thousands of John Sharp Williams are the .] E mosev w. b. only conspicuous figures in the South, and they are impossible. Recently a "Merry-Go-Round" I don't like to delve into a man's stopped in a certain town that motives in answer to your queswe know of for two or three tion, but I suppose Mr. Bryan weeks and claimed that it took believes in Government ownerin 8000 during that time. That ship and thinks it will win. He

getting up a fair that probably himself with the debision that would benefit some of its people the people do not read, else he a great deal and would probably would know that every blow he benefit every man in it and the aims at Mr. Bryan on the public county more or less in one way ownership question will strike or another. We think the dr. Roosevelt with equal or trouble is that people do not greater force. Because the peo- Mccoansulumite's w cor square stop and think and measure ple have read and know that, as these things one against the President of the United States. other, else more would go to the Mr. Roosevelt-said in a message good things and less to the use- to congress that if railroad regulation failed government ownership would inevitably come. Mr. Mr. Hearst has taken the Bryan as a private citizen put stomp in New York in support of the matter no stronger than that. his candidacy for governor. In He announced his belief in the S. w scorr, efficacy of government ownership. to solve the railroad problem and said he had but little faith Offers Large List of Destrable cal charges of a deregatory nathat much would be accomplished by regulation, but he was willing to try regulation first. meantime he wanted the people to be thinking on the problem of

Mr. Shaw might also be reminded-and he can not deny it -that the greater part of his party leader, Mr. Roosevelt's, popularity with the people ployed Chinese on his California springs from those acts in which property, that he would stand he has gone beyond his party better with other newspaper platform and advocated measures previously proposed by the DE. W. A. KIMBROUGH had not refused to enter into a Democratic party. Yet from Mr. trust with them to raise the Shaw's talk one must think, to rates to advertisers and keep grant him any degree of sincerity, that he thinks what has made Mr. Roosevelt great ought to destroy Mr. Bryan with the people. Mr. Shaw's attention might also be called to the fact that another Republican of high degree, to wit; Governor La Folette, is advocating government ownership of railroads more pointedly than either Mr. Roosevelt or Mr. Bryan has vet

If the railroads and the corporate interests do not want government ownership of railroads to come they can prevent it. And there is just one way ple of Haskell and surrounding for them to do it—submit to reasonable and fair regulation and jewelry store and repair shop in give the people a square deal, the Haskell Bakery and restaur. otherwise government owner- CONTRACTORS ant building next door to the ship will come when the people see that it is better for the gov-I will be located in this build- ernment to own and control the railroads than to allow the railroads to control the government I make a specialty of fine watch and treat the people in accordrepairing. Don't think that by ance with the promptings of

> The Reorganized Republican party of Texas must feel lonesome. It made only two nominations, E. H. R. Green for governor and Jas. C. Gibbons for lieutenant governor, and now comes Mr. Green and declines the nomination. The regulars will Architect and Superintendent. be still more lonesome after election day and, on the theory that misery loves company, the "reorganized" may then feel better.

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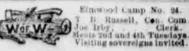
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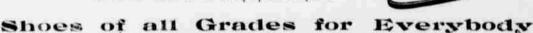


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For County Judge: For County and District Clerk:

J. W. MEADORS For Sheriff and Tax Collector:

M. E. PARK For Assessor of Taxes: S. E. CAROTHERS For County Treasurer:

ABEL JONES For County Attorney: J. E. WILFONG

For Public Weigher, Pre. 1: W. T. JONES For Justice of Peace, Pre. No. 1: G. W. LAMKIN

Constable of Pre. No. 1: T. J. LEMMON For Commissioner, Pre. No. 1:

JOHN F. GILLILAND For Commissioner Pre. No. 3: S J SHY

For Commissioner Pre. No. 4: W. F. WATTS

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HASKELL COUNTY TEXAS.

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ARE YOU A RENTER? Come to Haskell County where you get a farm of 80 to 160 acres on relinguishment of a few hundred dollars; a farm that will grow splendid corn, cotton, maize, kaffir corn, oats, wheat, alfalfa and all other products raised in East Texas, close to town, school and church.

ARE YOU A LAND OWNER? Come to Haskell County for an investment. Where the crops will more than pay for the land and a raise in value is certain. Our land is between the Wichita Valley and Orient railroads where water is plentiful of fine quality and is obtained from wells from 20 to 50 feet deep. New towns have sprung up with wide awake business men, schools, churches, telephones and all the conveniences of oldest settled communities. Below we give you a description of the famous ranch we have just bought and are offering in tracts to suit the buyer:

THE FAMOUS POST RANCH: This magnificent body of land was never before offered for sale in small tracts and the owner would never agree to have it cut into small farms. To make it to the interest of the homeseekers and also to the town of Haskell and community, we decided to buy the ranch, and are now offering it for sale in tracts of 80 acres, 160 acres and 320 acres to suit the purchasers, and never before in Haskell County was offered such liberal terms on land in small tracts as we are making on this property. Men of small means can soon pay for a good home on such easy terms.

Read the Following Particulars:

This ranch is located two miles, a little south of west, from the city of Haskell, the county seat of Haskell county, and extends five miles from the court house, between Haskell and Sagerton, a new town on the Orient Railroad, and in a thickly settled neighborhood. This land is rich valley land, not over 100 acres broken, out of the 2750 acres. Fine mesquite timber. There are 75 acres in cultivation; a 2 room house; 1 well and windmill; 16 miles of fencing. The nature of the soil is black, chocolate and red, with a clay subsoil.

Prices are from \$15 to \$20 an acre,

according to location and size of tracts. Terms, one-third cash balance in ten yearly payments "on or before" notes, with 8 per cent interest.

REMEMBER

That a "fortune knocks but once at every man's door,"

and now is the time to investigate this opportunity to get a home, close to our thriving and progressive county seat. The town of Haskell, has a large and handsome stone school building; cost \$16,000.00, teaches 11 grades; four churches; two good gins; two national banks; local and long distance telephone system; two weekly newspapers, and it is one of the fastest growing town in West Texas.

The Farmers' Union are now building a large warehouse to store their cotton for better prices. There are large stores in every line of business. When you come to Haskell you will be surprised to find such a thickly settled country and all the people satisfied.

Our aim is to treat all people right, and our motto is "TELL BOTH SIDES," good and bad.

We are here to stay, and our firm consist of

J. L. ROBERTSON, G. T. McCULLOH.

who have been in Haskell County several years.

J. J. STEIN,

formerly of Bell County, Texas, where he was manager of the Bell County Land Agency for several years; he was born and reared in Austin County, Texas.

H. O. SCHULZ,

a young attorney just from Brenham, Washington County

We own property here and believe in getting this country settled up by good, substantial men. We believe that the droughts are leaving us as a result of getting the land under cultivation, as has been the case in South and Central Texas Counties. We had too much rain this season, and expect to get sufficient every year to make better crop than in East Texas where they are often drowned out.

We call your special attention to Haskell County. Before you buy come and investigate our lands.

Besides our special proposition set forth above we have about sixty improved places of all sizes, to suit any buyer, and prices range from \$15.00 to \$25.00 an acre. These lands will advance in price continually.

This is a most healthful country for both man and livestock of all kinds. It has abundance of advantages over other western counties. When you come we will make it to your interest and assure you satisfaction.

We suggest that several prospectors come together and write us in advance so that we can have our traveling agent, J. J. STEIN to meet you and secure for you the homeseekers' rate on the railroad.

For any further information write us and we will take pleasure in supplying it to the best of our ability.

WEST TEXAS DEVELOPMENT COMPANY,

Haskell,

Texas

THE NEW STORE

is certainly the fashion center of this part of our grand state and we feel safe in saying:

If It Is The Correct Thing We Have It.

No doubt a lot of you have already planned your new winter dress, and in the way of the selection of it, this store can be of great assistance to you as we have the nicest line of new fall goods to be found anywhere.

All the New Fabrics in all the New Weaves

and New Fall Designs Can be Seen Here in the Greatest Variety.

Cotton Goods, Woolen Goods, Silks, Etc.,

go to make up the dress goods department in this mammoth new store.

Ladies Skirts and Jackets

Here is another place where we show our supremacy, as our line of these goods is exceptionally strong, and we would be pleased to show our line to every lady,

All the Latest Styles in Both the Goods and the Make-up

can be found here. If you are contemplating making a purchase along this line, we can please you.

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

We have in the greatest variety of assortment. This department is in charge of a competent sales lady.

GENTS

Whether you are old, middle-aged or a young gallant, we can take care of your every want, not only in the clothing line, but shoes, hats, shirts, underwear, hosiery, and all'the details necessary for a man's wear,

BELL SYSTEM CLOTHES

are all man tailored garments and are guaranteed to hold their shape as long as you wear them.

We want a share of your trade and we are after it with a strong line of good; seasonable merchandise at the lowest possible prices. YOURS FOR TRADE,

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-I. N. Furrh-C. T. Jones. For Constable Pre. No. 3 -R. A. Bradley. For Constable Pre. No. 4

-L. F. Burris. For Justice of the Peace Pre. No. 1 -G. W. Lamkin. For Justice of the Peace Pre. No. 2 -J. H. Cook.

For Justice of the Peace Pre. No. 4 -W. F. Watts. For Justice of the Peace Pre. No. 5 -T. D. Whitford.

For Public Weigher Pre. No. 1 -W. T. Jones. For Public Weigher Pre. No. 4 -A. F. Smith.

For Public Weigher Pre. No. 5 -J. D. Johnson. For Chairman Co. Executive Com.

-H. S. Wilson. THE STATE OF TEXAS,) County of Hackell

I. J. W. Meadors, Clerk of the County Court of Haskell County, Texas, do hereby certify that the above is a true list of the Democratic

this the 11th day of October 1906. J. W. MEADORS, Clerk County Court, Haskell Co. Tex.

A Young Mother at 70.

List of Democratic Nominees tivity she had in the prime of life," The Organ, Ring and Watch Contest, writes Mrs. W. L. Gilpatrick, of Dauforth, Me. Greatest restorative medicine on the globe. Sets Stomach, Liver and Kidneys right, purifies the blood, and cures Malaria, Billiousness and Weaknesses, Wonderful nerve Tonic. Price 50c. Guaranteed by Terrell's drug store.

For Constable Pre. No. 4.

Mr. T. E. Scharff of the Sagerton community has authorized the FREE Rochester Church precinct No. 4 that he is a candidate Rochester School..... for constable in that precinct. Mr Rule Baptist Church..... Scharff is a respected citizen in his Tanner School community and is too well known to Gray Mare Church...... the citizens of his precinct to require K. of P. Lodge 142 See O. E. Patterson and get the best any encomium or recommendation to their favor. He pledges himself to do his duty in accordance with the law if he is elected.

Danger From The Plague.

There's grave danger from the plague of Coughs and Colds that are o prevalent, unless you take Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. Mrs. Geo. Walls of Forest City, Me., writes: It's a Godsend to people living in climates where coughs and colds prevail. I find it quickly ends them. It prevents Pneumonia, cures LaGrippe, gives wonderful relief in Asthma and Hay Fevet, and makes weak lungs strong enough to ward off Consumption, Coughs and colds, 50c and \$1,00. Guaranteed by Terrell's drug store. Trial bottle free.

MARRIED.

Mr. John H. Ballew and Miss May Nominees for county and precinct of Choate, two of Haskell's worthy ficers for Haskell county, as the same young people, were united in marwas certified to me by the Democratic riage Wednesday night. They were Executive Committee of Haskeil accompanied to the Christian parsoncounty on the 6th day of August A.D. age by a number of friends, where the ceremony which made them one ess my hand and seal of office, was performed by Eld. J. H. Shepard. The FREE PRESS joins their many friends in congratulations and best

Blood Polsoning

results from chronic constipation, My mother has suddenly been which is quickly cured by Dr. King's suffering from dyspepsia had poisonous germs from the system imentirely disabled her, until sir months part vigor; cure sour stomach, nausia, on she began taking Electric headache, dizziness and colic, without or and restored the strength and ac- teed by C. L. Terrell, druggist.

VOTES FOR ORGAN

Haskell High School 5,554 Methodist Church, Haskell 68 Cook Spring Church.... Presbyterian Church, Haskell... 62 Baptist Church, Haskell 23 Baptist Church, Knox City Foster School Pleasant Valley School, No. 1... Press to announce to the voters of I. O. O. F. Haskell,............. 3920

> VOTES FOR DIAMOND RING AND GOLD WATCH. Miss Cutie Hughes 931 Mabel Wyman 3371 Addie Thompkins 1877 Ola Hollis.... Kate Lemmon...... 10,714 Jennie McCulioh..... 10 Jutie Carroll..... Ora Buchanan 11,219 Lola Wallis..... Beaulah Hill Mary Lee Emma Nicholson.... Loulie Mary Thorp..... Alice Williams..... Meda Clayton.... Bell Rupe..... Lettie Bishop Ora May Mildred Brook Della Courtney 5541

Slydell Wyche, 6101

Dulin Fields 11,407

GRANDPA SOWELL DEAD.

Cecil Hughes Sallie Olepant..... " Ruby Poole..... 46

On Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock Mr. W. H. Sowell died at the home of his son-in-law Mr. J. M. Cosstephens in this county. If any are prepared to answer the summons of the death O. E. Patterson. angel, Grandpa Sowell, as he has long been affectionately called by made young at 70. Twenty years of New Life Pills. They remove all nearly everyone, was so prepared. He synopsus of the great speeches of Senhad no fear of death, but rather a supreme confidence in a welcome home by the Master whom he had re, which have completely cured griping or discomfort. 25c. Guaran- served for more than half a century. He was in his eighty-fourth year.

List your farm with O. E. Patterson. He Turned His Back on a Good Thing. Rev. J. H. Shepard's family are

Ballew School House 29,762 jamin this week. town Thursday.

11 day and said that two of his cotton 40 pickers picked 785 lbs. the day before.

was doing business in town yesterday. the artist was "it." You must make Mr. A. H. Bryant of the Carney your success or failure against the neighborhood was in Haskell yester-

country or city property.

Street fair. The premiums will be about the same as they were last year. Get ready to show visitors to the

fair what Haskell county can do. See O. E. Patterson if you want

hate to see him leave.

On last Sunday Mr. Wyatt Lancas ter and Miss Della Hallmark, who re-Myrtle Hubbard 1993 side a few miles northeast of town, accompanied by a number of friends. drove to the Methodist parsonage and 10 were united in marriage by Rev. J. H. Chambliss: The FREE PRESS is pleased to join their many friends in congratulations on the happy event.

> Insure against fire and be safe. O. E. Patterson.

In this issue of the FRRE PRESS positions. The course in Telegraphy will be found the first chapters of a not only includes receiving and sendnew copywrighted serial story by ing of messages, but the correct Olivia B. Strom, which we think will handling of all railroad blanks of the the school will reopen Monday morninterest all readers of fiction. The various kinds, Western Union and scene is laid during the early doys of Postal telegraph blanks, records, etc. the Republic and the opening chapters Catalogue will be furnished free upon indicate a succession of stirring request.

If you have something to trade see

On our second page will be found a ator Bailey and Mr. Crane at Houston last Saturday, which will interest those who have not read a full report of the speeches in the daily papers.

Pattersot has it.

Many a man is today regretting

that he turned his back on the oppor-Mr. A. J. Landis was in town Thurs- crative positions that are now being filled by the fellows who embrace the opportunity. Young friend, you are living in a commercial age, the day is Mr Lee Whitman of the south side gone when the poet, the musician, ever known; you will be thrown with thoroughly trained practical business men, men who have studied commercialism from a scientific standpoint. Get your exhibits ready for the Your father or great grandfather perhaps has made a great success withlege, or perhaps any other kind of election. school, but the business world bas advanced since they made their start; See O. E. Patterson if you want land, it will pay you.

It is today just as essential for you to have a knowledge of accounts, of how to use the typewriter, draw up contracts are out announcing his today for Hutcheson county, where he has purchased land. Mr. Buford papers, how goods are bought and was a good citizen and his friends sold; shipped etc. as it is for you to the conditions have completely changed.

The Haskell friends of Mr. Barnett O'Bryan will be interested in learning that cards are out announcing his marriage to Miss Goldie Sharp of Waco, to take place in that city on Oct. 17 inst. The Free Press extends congratulations and best wishes. conditions have completely changed. know how to spell or to write. The great majority of commercial schools only teach the theory of bookkeeping, trip to Benjamin, Seymour, Goree and they give no business training or practical work, they prepare you only his paper, the West Texas Christian, great majority of commercial schools

lege of Tyler, Texas, goes far beyond cessful trip. this and gives a course of bookkeeping, commission, banking, business propercy. training, a course in shorthand, typewriting and English that enables its students to fill the very best paying

SLUGGISH.

Sas it aloud and slowls. Is it not disagreeable word? It aptly describes the clogged, slimy action of deranged digestive organs. Take a few liberal doses of Re-Go Tonic Laxative Syrus and Sluggishness will give way tles at Terrell's Drug Store.

The FREE PRESS reporter in company with Capt. J. S. Williams took Judge J. W. Evans was a visitor in young; he at one time had an opportunity to secure a practical business education that would enable him to accept many of the thousands of lucrative positions that are now being

For quick sales ses Patterson.

Mr. E. C. Wendeborn of Sagerton appounces this week as a caudidate for the office of Public Weigher in precinct No. 4, with headquarters at Sagerton. We are sure the voters of strongest competition the world has that precinct will find him fully qualified and compenent to haudle the business of the office. Mr. A. F. Smith, the regular nominee for the office in Pre. 4, having died, left the place vacant and as Mr. Windeborn stands welf in his community we out having attended a business col- take it there will be no doubt of his

List your property with O. E. Pat-

List your land with O. E. Patterson.

to accept the easy, cheap stenographic soon to be published from this office. positions, while the Tyler Com'l. Col-

See Patterson before you buy city

School to Reopen Monday.

Just before going to press yesterday afternoon Prof. F. L. Morrow called in and requested us to aunounce that ing. He stated that the physicians say that no new cases of diphtheria have developed and that the old cases are so far and so favorably advanced that they apprehend no further danger from them.

List your property with Patterson

Irregular bowel movements breed disease in the body. You should purify and regulate the bowels by us-ing Prickly Ash Bitters. It is mildly to Healthy activities in every part. cathartic and strengthens the stom-Re-Go is sold in 25c 50c and \$1.00 bot-Lob, liver and kidneys. C. E. Terrell,

Mr. Claude Dale has returned from A prospecting trip out west.

Circular molded stone for curbing wells, at Sherrill's stone yard. Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Montgomery

visited Stamford Wednesday. Mr. V. J. Josslett was on the mar-

ket with cotton Wednesday. Mr. W. G. Dorris of Crawford was a visitor in Haskell this week.

Have your saddles, narness and shoes repaired at Evers' new shopnorth side of square.

We have just received an up-to-date hearse or funeral car which will be hired out at a reasonable price.

CASON, COX & Co.

Mr. Dudley Boone visited the folks in town Wednesday. Mr. Henry Jones of the northeast

in Haskell Wednesday. Lyou need a storm house built, or a well dug or cleaned, call for N. J.

part of the county was doing business

Sandlin, phone No. 62. 35-13t MONEY TO LOAN ON FARMS and ranches by the W. C. Belcher

, and Mortagage Co. Fort Worth, Tex. Solid gold watches at Terrell's Mr. H Cousins of the east side

sold four vales of cotton on the Haskell market Monday. Mr. Bob Irby and Miss Ida May

Campbell of Munday spent Sunday with Haskell friends. Bring your butter, eggs and chick-

ens to me, S. V. Jones, south side

If your food does not digest well, a few doses of Prickly Ash Bitters will set matters right. It sweetens the breath, strengthens the stomach and digestion; creates appetite and cheerfulness. C. E. Terrell, special agent.

Manufactured stone for well curbing at Sherrill's stone yard.

Better take out an accident policy before you see the Dark Town Minstreis do the cake walk.

Mr. Jack Booth and Mr. Harland of Stamford were in Haskell prospecting last Sunday, and we are informed that they were highly impressed with the town, or at least with certain portions of it done up in muslin.

Mr. J. N. Ellis has purchased the H. P. Williams stock of groceries and will continue the business as a family grocery.

Put your stomach, liver and blood in healthy condition and you can defy disease. Prickly Ash Bitters is a successful system regulator. C. E. Terrell, special agent.

R. M. Craig, practical watchmaker, next to Postoffice.

Fancy chinaware at Racket Store. Mr. W. A. Earnest of Munday was in Haskell Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. A. C. Foster visited Rule Mon-

Butter, eggs and chickens will be bought at the highest market price by S. V. Jones, the south side grocer.

Mr. J. E. Solomon was in town Wednesday with cotton. He says the yield will run from one-half to three-fourths of a bale per acre in his neighbors think they will get a bale

The laxative effect of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets is so agreeable and so natural you can hardly realize that it is produced by a medicine. These tablets also cure indigestion and billousness. Price 25

If you want land come to Crosby county; we have a large tract of land that we are cutting up in small tracts on easy terms. You had better investigate this. Neal, Morgau & Carter, Emma, Crosby Co., Texas.

W. J. Evers who runs the new saddle shop at Haskell does all repairing an leather at reasonable prices and makes goods to order. All his work is guaranteed.

FOR SALE. One of the prettiest homes in Haskell. New up-to-date house, modern roof, east front; price \$2000. For terms call on R. H. Davis.

Mr. L. L. Barrow of the Pinkerton community had business in the county capital Monday.

The big stone hotel at Rule has been completed and Messrs. Foster & Jones, the owners received it from the contractors Monday. They have leased the building and it will be opened to the public. We understand that this is one of the best hotel build- ing. ings in the west, being constructed on modern principles and is supplied with steam and gas heating and

Mr. J. C. Bell returned last Satur-

lighting systems.

Messra B. E. Smith and S. J. Feuton of Rocheport, Mo., are visiting of the Campbell Bros. & Rosson Comtheir brther-in-law, Dr. J. D. Smith mission Co., Fort Worth, were in of this place. We understand these Haskell Friday looking after consigngentlemen are well pleased with our ments of cattle to their firm. town and county and probably will make some investments. Mr. Fenton has already purchased some land near Crowell, Texas.

Take your jewelry to Craig, the Haskell Real Estate Co. jeweler, for repairs.

we will sell you 160 acres, and have delayed the completion of the Farm-50,000 acres to pick from. Come. now ers' Union warehouse at this place. and get first pick. Neal, Morgan & The framework has been ready for Carter, Emma, Crosby Co., Texas.

Let the Haskell Real Estate Co. weeks. write your fire insurance. 41-4t

I want a family of cotton pickers, jeweler, for repairs. will furnish good three room house. John Therwhauger, 13 miles north of Haskell, Texas. Mrs. J. S. Rike and daughter, Mrs.

R. C. Montgomery, left yesterday to visit relatives at Graham and Farmersville, and they will also visit the state fair at Dalias.

land, close to town. Neal, Morgan & to me directed, commanding me to Carter, Emma, Crosby Co., Texas.

Have you seen those beautisul Japanese vases at the Racket Store? If you want your vendor's lien notes

aken up, see H. O. Schulz, Haskell.

W. J. Evers, the new saddler at Haskell, gives you a better buggy and known as the Schaefer place, but whip for 25 cts. than you have ever 34tf bought before.

The Wright House is about comtravelers seeking rest and comfort.

dens easy, and my charges are light. Dan Lewis, the Sewing-Machinist. Phone 132 at Mrs. R. H. Davis'.

Mr. W. B. Roberts was in town with cotton Wednesday. He has altereof as will satisfy a judgment ready sold nine bales. He remem-amounting to \$119.17 in fayor of Geo. for another year.

Have you heard of the Dark Town Minstrels? They are preparing to make you laugh on Thursday night, Nov. 1.

You can get a solid gold or a gold filled wach at Terrell's with his and the manufacturer's guarantee.

The Haskell Light, Ice and Water ter Co. will send men to Wire your house, and ask that subscribers for lights decide where they want the lights placed before the workmen

J. T. Strickland, Mg'r.

Bracelets are in style again and Terrell has some handsome pure gold and gold set goods.

Take your jewelry to Craig, the jeweler, for repairs.

Work on the electric light plant is progressing rapidly and the wires are neighborhood and that some of his being strung up ready for connection as soon as the plant is ready for oper-

President Morgan Jones and other officials of the W. V. and Fort Worth and Denver roads passed down the road yesterday in a special train on a tour of inspection. They took a brief look around Haskell and were well cents. Samples free at Terrells drug pleased with the appearance of business and improvements going on.

> You'll never be happy any more if you fail to see dem culind gals of the Dark Town Minetrels. Nov. 1st is their date.

Mr. P. D. Solomon, who was in his neighbors, Mr. Will Long on the Mr. Hester. Garner place, has twelve acres in cotton from which he has taken seven bales at one picking and thinks he will get about three bales more from it. This puts him pretty close to a bale per acre.

Pig lost- my black pig about two months old. If you see it or catch it ring No. 185 and I will pay for your Will Wells.

R. M. Craig, practical watchmaker,

next to Postoffice. Mr. M. A. Clifton's residence in the northeast part of town is nearing

completion. Dirt was broken Monday on the foundation for the new Masonic build-

Mr. S. R. Rike is building a neat residence in the eastern part of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Marr of Aspermont visited their sister Mrs. J. S. Keister the early part of the week. day from a visit to friends in East Mr. Marr left his wife here while he suring lots of property now. made a business trip to Dallas.

Mr. J. M. Blewett and Mr Rosson

Genuine solid gold rings at Terrell's

We write Fire, Tornado, Life, Accident, Health, Live Stock, in fact most any kind of a policy you want. The

A delay in the shipment of the We have what you are looking for; sheet iron for the sides and roof has the covering for ten days or two

Take your jewelry to Craig, the

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue and authority of an alias execution issued out of the honorable the Justice Court of Pre. No. 3 Travis County, Texas, on the 16th day of Sept. 1906, in favor of Geo. L. Hume as administrator of estate of H. P. 50,000 Acres in any size tract from Holdeman deceased and against 160 acres up. easy terms. All good Anton Schaefer in cause No. 6554, and make certain moneys in said writ mentioned, I have levied on and seized all the right, title and interest of the above named Anton Schaefer in and to the following described land situate, lying and being in the Do you want to sleep sweetly? Then county of Haskell, State of Texas, get your property insured in one of to wit: All of the west two-thirds of those old line companies represented the D. H. McFaddin 640 acre survey, by the Haskell Real Estate Co. 41-4t Abst. No. 331, Cert. No. 1007, survey No. 9, patent No. 57, Vol. 12, about there is excepted from levy the 200 acre homestead interest of Anton R. M. Craig, practical watchmaker, Schaefer in said 426; acres, being the west two-thirds of said McFaddin survey and only the excess over said pleted and gives Haskell one of the homestoad interest is levied on and handsomest hotel buildings in West hereby advertised to be sold. Taken Texas. Under the management of and levied on as the property of the Mrs. Theo. Wright it will be the glad above named defendant Anton home of the Knights of the Grip and Schaefer on Oct. 11th 1906 at 5 o'clock p. m. and I will on the first Tuesday in November 1906, the same being the Come unto me, all ye who labor, 6th day of said month, at the Court and are heavy laden with run down House door, in Haskell County, Texas, sewing machines, and I will give you between the hours of ten o'clock in rest. My work will make your bur- the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon of said day, offer for sale at public outery, to the highest and best bidder, for cash in hand, all of the above described property, or so much bered the FREE PRESS with a renewal L. Hume, as administrator of estate of H. P. Holdeman deceased, and costs of suit. J. W. COLLINS, 41-31 Sheriff Haskell County.

H. C. WYCHE

CONTRACTOR AND BUILDER.

All Work Done Up to Now!



EPWORTH LEAGUE PROGRAM.

Leader-Miss Fannie Cummings. Subject of lesson-"Who is my neighbor and what of him?"

Opening song. Scripture lesson, Eph. 4:1-3. Prayer. Song. Bible references.

Song. "Do we know our neighbors?"-Mr. Patterson.

"Do we sympathize with our neighbor?"-Miss Willie Chambliss. Trio-Misses McWhirter, Wallis and Hester.

"Has our life been such that we town yesterday, told us that one of can help our neighbor in his need?"-

"Have we put forth any adequate effort to bring our neighbor to Christ?" -Miss Lourens Graham. "Are there evidences in our neigh-

borhood of the coming of the kingdom of God?"-Mr. Jim Hibbetts. Duo-Vielin and Organ.

Question box. Announcements. Offering. Song. Benediction.

Program for Oct. 14.

JUNIOR LEAGUE

Leader, Lelia Sprowls. Hymn. Prayer. Roll call-answer with Scriptural reading. Topic-A good example for thy

neighbor, 1 Peter 2:11-12. Duet-Vivian McWhirter and Murphy Taylor. League benediction.

The Haskell Real Estate Co. is in-Have you seen about yours?

JUST ARRIVED

The Newest and Prettiest Creations in the

Novelty World COMBS. BELTS. BACS. ETC.

The Peter Pan Purses and Collars

Everything New and Snappy,

ALSO

Ladies Coats AND

CONTRACTOR CONTRACTOR

Tailored Suits.

HUNT & GRISSOM

A Visit Would be Appreciated

CHINA

AND

QUEENSWARE

Attention is called to our extensive assortment of plain and decorate china and queensware.

Our line of ALFRED MEKIM'S English china in handsome decorated patterns will please you.

JAPANESE GOODS

Our line of hand decorated Japanese vases and fancy ware is the prettiest ever brought to Haskell.

Haskell Racket Store.

OPERA HOUSE STABLE HASKELL, - - TEXAS.

Daily Hack Line to Stamford MEET ALL PASSENGER TRAINS.

DAILY HACK TO RULE-Leave Haskell 8:30 Meets northbound train at Rule at 10:58 a. m.

We will furnish good rigs to all surrounding points.

Charges Moderate. - - TRY US FOR PROMPT BUSINESS SIMMONS BROS.

Taking the Bull by the Horns



is often a dangerous game. It depends where the horns take you. Figuratively speaking, it is a bad practice when you are buying drugs or Medicines. You should be careful where you buy and what you get, and not rush, indiscriminately, to the first drug store that is handy. Let us tempt you to try our Drugs and Prescription Department once, and then you

will be getting acquainted with the best. COLLIER-ANDRUSS CO., NORTHEAST CORNER.

W. W. FIELDS & BRO. Haskell, Texas.

Dear Sirs: If you could get the exclusive sale of a sweeter sugar for five miles round-! Ib as sweet as a pound of usual sugar, and cost no moreyou'd jump at it, wouldn't you?

There wouldn't be 100 lb of any other sugar sold in a year in your town; you'd gobble the trade; and it wouldn't hart your whole business.

Devoe is like that among paints; it is twice as sweet as some; it is sweeter than any; not one exception; one gallon is two or one-and-a-half or one-and-three-quarters.

Better than that; paint has to be painted; that costs \$2 to \$4 a gallon. A gallon saved is \$2 to \$4 saved in lator, besides the paint.

Even that isn't all. A gallon Devoe put-on wears as long as two gallons put-on at a cost of \$2 to \$4 a gallen and two gallons more put-on at \$2 to \$4 a gailon. Count all that. The paint that wears double costs less by 3 gaions of paint and 3 gallons of painting; that's about \$15 a gallon for those soperfitmes gallons.

That's as good as a double-sweet sugar, isn't it? Yours truly,

F. W. DEVOE & Co., New York, P. S. McNeili & Smith sell our paint.

SIMMONS TRANSFER.

Our Wagonette transfers passengers and baggage to and from all trains arriving at or leaving Haskell. Phone No. 25 for prompt service.

We can save prospective purchasers f high grade pianos from \$50 to \$150 on an instrument.

Terrells Drug Store.

A Badly Burned Girl

or boy, man or woman, is quickly out of pain if Bucklen's Arnica Saive is applied promptly. G. J. Welch, of Tekonsha, Mich., says:"I use it in my family for cuts, sores and all skin in-Juries, and find it it perfect." Quickest Pile cure known. Best healing salve made. 25c at Terrell's drug store.

Kent County Lands.

See or address J. B. Jay, Claeremont, Texas.

Julius Caesar

was a man of nerve-but sickness left its mark and he became aged before his time. Sickness is often caused by a torpid liver. Herbine will regulate your liver and give you health. Mrs. Carrie Austin, Hollon, Kansas, writes: "I consider Herbine the best medicine I ever heard of. 1 am never without

FOR SALE-two extra good highgrade Durham bull calves, 9 and 10 months old. Frank Goff, Haskell, 3t

Revs. J. W. Harvey and M. M. Melton of Seymour spent a day or two in Haskell this weak.

A few hammocks left at the Racket store. Get one cheap.

When you come to the plains don't fail to see Neal, Morgan & Carter; they have a good list of unimproved and improved lands and want to sell. Messrs. C Boardner, Eugene May-

of Asperment were in Haskell several days this week looking after some cattle shipments on the W. V. road.

field, D. R. Couch and S. B. Pierson

For the best and cheapest lands ask O. E. Patterson. W. J. Evers is the name of Haskell's new saddle, harness and shoe

shop man. North side of square. 34tf Napoleon Bonaparte

showed at the battle of Austerlitz, he was the greatest leader in the world. Ballard's Snow Liniment has shown the public it is the best Liniment in the world. A quick cure for Rheumatism, Sprains, Burns, Cuts, etc. A. C. Pitts, Rodessa, La. says: "I use Ballard's Snow Liniment in my family and find it unexcelled for sore chest, headache, corns, in fact for anything that can be reached by a linament."

320 acres good black land 2½ miles west of Weinert Tex. Price \$20 per acre. O. E. Patterson.

A large lot of Alfred Mackin's English chinaware received at the Racket Store. See it, ladies.

When you want to go to the depot ring No. 25 for Simmons' Wagonette. Ask O. E. Patterson for prices before you buy real estate.

Get a good fire policy and be safe. O. E. Patterson. GRAIN DRILLS at COST by C. M.

Patillo Hardware Co., Stamford,

Texas. Mr. E. G. Stein of the Caudle-Stein Realty Co. of Sagerton was in Haskell Saturday and called on the FREE

The "old Hartford Fire Insurance Co," is paying her losses in San Franeisco without discount. Get a good fire tollag. . Patterson.

WHO SHE WAS

SKETCH OF THE LIFE OF LYDIA E. PINKHAM

And a True Story of How the Vegetable Compound Had Its Birth and How the "Panic of '73" Caused it to be Offered for Public Sale in Drug Stores.

This remarkable woman, whose restore the family fortune. They maiden name was Estes, was born in Lynn, Mass. February 9th, 1819, coming from a good old Quaker family, neighbors was equally good for the women of the whole world. became known as a woman of an alert



and investigating mind, an earnest all, possessed of a wonderfully sympa-thetic nature.

In 1843 she married Isaac Pinkham, n builder and a sile estate operator, and their early married life was marked by prosperity and happiness. They had four children, three sons and a

In those good old fashioned days it their own home medicines from roots nature's own remedies calling in a physician only in specially urgent cases. By tradition and ex-perience many of them gained a wonerful knowledge of the curative prop-rties of the various roots and herbs.

Mrs. Pinkham took a great interest

the style of the curative prop-and there were thousands received careful study, and the details, includderful knowledge of the curative prop-erties of the various roots and herbs.

in the study of roots and herbs, their characteristics and power over disease. She maintained that just as nature so bountifully provides in the harvestfields and orchards vegetable foods of find them, in the roots and herbs of the field there are remedies expressly designed to cure the various ills and weaknesses of the body, and it was her pleasure to search these out, and prepare simple and effective medi-cines for her own family and friends.

Chief of these was a rare combination of the choicest medicinal roots and herbs found best adapted for the cure of the ills and weaknesses pecu ham's friends and neighbors learned direction of the work when its originathat her compound relieved and cored tor passed away. For nearly twenty-and it became quite popular among five years she has continued it, and

All this so far was done freely, without money and with it price, as a labor of love.

But in 1873 the financial crisis struck Lynn Its langth and labor of love companies to the financial crisis struck lynn Its langth and labor of love companies to the financial crisis struck companies as large family, took it up. With women assistants, some as

n 1873 the financial crisis struck capable as herself, the present Mrs.

Its length and severity were too Pinkham continues this great work, and Lynn. Its iengta and severity were too much for the large real estate interests of the Pinkham family, as this class of business suffered most from fearful depression, so when the Centennent it is advice is "Yours for Health" mial year dawned it found their prop-erty swept away. Some other source of income had to be found.

ment this navice is "Yours for Health" freely given if you only write to ask for it.

f Income had to be found.

At this point Lydia E. Pinkham's legetable Compound as made known from simple roots and herbs: the one to the world.

the world.

The three sens and the daughter, and the fitting monument to the noble with their mother, combined forces to woman whose name it bears.

He Knows

Waterproof Oiled Clothing that stands the

hardest service

Do You Know

KOWER'S

FISH BRAND

ade for all kinds

of wet work or sport

SOLD EVERYWHERE

the kind of

The Pinkhams had no money, and

little credit. Their first laboratory was the kitchen, where roots and

herbs were steeped on the stove, gradually filling a gross of bottles.

Then came the question of selling it, for always before they had given

it away freely. They hired a job printer to run off some pamphlets setting forth the merits of the medi-

cine, now called Lydla E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and these were distributed by the Pinkham sons in Boston, New York, and Brooklyn.

The wonderful curative properties of

self-advertising, for whoever used it recommended it to others, and the de-

In 1877, by combined efforts the fam-

ly had saved enough money to com-

mence newspaper advertising and from that time the growth and success of

he enterprise were assured, until to-

day Lydia E. Pinkham and her Vege-

table Compound have become house-

hold words everywhere, and many tens of roots and herbs are used annu-

Lydia E. Pinkham herself did not

work. She passed to her reward years ago, but not till she had provided means for continuing her work as

effectively as she could have done it

During her long and eventful expe-

rience she was ever methodical in her work and she was always careful to pre-

serve a record of every case that came to her attention. The case of every sick

were recorded for future reference, and

to-day these records, together with hundreds of thousands made since, are

available to sick women the world over, and represent a vast collabora-

tion of information regarding the treatment of woman's ills, which for

authenticity and accuracy can hardly be equaled in any library in the

With Lydia E. Pinkham worked her

daughter-in-law, the present Mrs. Pinkham. She was carefully instructed in all her hard-won knowledge, and for years she assisted her in her vast

To her hands naturally fell the

nothing in the work shows when the

FREE INFORMATION COUPON

WRITE PLAINLY and only as ONE RIDGET THE PAPEL.
Address Manusce Address Department
The Michigan Stone Company, Detroit, Mich.

No attention can be given to some inter-unless this coupon, Fully filled not, in attached.

Also your Expert Stove Advice free of charge

Rich Crown Has Disappeared.

£20,000, has disappeared from the

church at Mont. St. Michael, Rouen.

One version is that it has been stolen

another that it has been hidden by

the priests to save it from confiscation

This is No Joke.

Hunt's Cure has saved more people

from the "Old Scratch" than any oth-

er known agent, simply because it

makes scratching entirely unneces-

form of itching skin disease that ever

afflicted mankind. One box guaran-

One application relieves any

by the government.

A richly jeweled crown, which cost

had may X the kind of store or range wanted.

Base Burners Heating Stoves Oak Stoves Gas Heaters

mand gradually increased,

ally in its manufacture.

herself.

world

How to Save DOLLARS in

It has cost many stove users HUNDREDS OF WASTED DOLLARS

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Cooking and Heating

you. You will get all this information FREE

correspondence.

medicine were, to a great extent,

ver Cleveland to the Democrats of New Jersey who are seeking a cardidate for United States senator. William Rice, an old Confederate

EVENTS OF EVERYWHERE

The World editorially suggests Gro-

Ala., killed himself He was familiarknown throughout the country as

clsive victory over Flynn of Philadelbla, knocking Flynn for three mintus in the fifteently round.

The deterioration in the Arkansas than 15 per cent.

The trial of Dr. Frank Brouwer, charged with the murder of his wife last September, begun Monday in Toms River, N. J., before Supreme Court Justice Hendrickson. The case has attracted much public attention.

Fire broke out in the rear of the

Mrs. Emma Chattles, wife of Louis Chattles, died at her home in Tuckaboe. New York, a few days since. She was said to have been the mother of the largest family in that state, having had nineteen children.

Charles R. Halliwell, first vice prespany, was married last Tuesday to was fatally hurt. Miss Ruth A Cole, a trained nurse who attended him through a long lilness a few months ago.

Five passengers were killed outright train and a military special on the Boston and Maine Rallroad, directly in front of the Lansingburg, N. Y., de-

The press copies of President Roosevelt's Harrisburg speech were printed in reformed spelling, but there were only six reformed words in the 3,000 composing the address.

The Denison fair closed Saturday after a most satisfactory season.

Bud O'Neal, a resident of Dallas, who was working on a grading gang at Caney, I. T., was killed by the accidental discharge of his pistol.

A car containing forty-eight bales of cotton burned on the track at Royse over 100 feet. City Friday morning.

Contracts were signed recently for \$85,000 worth of machinery by the Fulton Bag and Cotton Mills of Atlanta, Ga, for equipping their branch factory now in process of erection at Dalas. The new factory at Dallas will be equipped to turn out bagging twine and similar products.

Eight men were killed and nearly Market street subway at Sixth street, Philadelphia, High buildings were shaken by the force of the explosion and for a block on either side of the

The first snow of the season fell in Colorado Springs last Thursday Jack Bink, a pr soner, who was whipped in he Lamar County jail, has filed suit against the sheriff, failer, county attorney and two deputies and a justice of the peace for \$35,000.

Cotton seed products have very much strengthened in price as a result of the storm which swept Louislana, Alabama and Mississippt, and as the result of rains which have fallen heavily in those States and Arkansas.

It is estimated that the cost of intervention in Cuba is \$10,000 a day Taylor Malone, another negro, got for transports alone. This does not about fifty No. 4 shot in the back and include transportation to the point of is desperately wounded. Earl Allen, embarkation. The total cost will be a negro, gave himself up to the Sherabout \$50,000 a day.

After an existence of eighteen years the Tri-State Medical Society, representing prominent physicians in Tennessee, Alabama and Georgia, agreed to relinquish their charter and go out of existence for the purpose of forming the Southern Medical Association.

Louis Cucli, president of the People's dead. He served in the Confederate Army throughout the war. Dallas city council has under ad-

At the Red Cut, half a mile east of Silsbee, a man named Larry was shot and instantly killed.

J. M. Martin, living three miles west of Roxton, picked 704 pounds of cotton Wednesday, and 648 pounds the

The president has appointed Chas. H. Robb of Vermont, at present associate attorney general, to be Justice

CRESCENT CITY STORM SWEPT

Two Twistesr Visit That City Doing Great Damage.

New Orleans, La., October 6 .- This clonic disturbances, at least three of which were tornadoes and caused tho eteran at Schneck Sulphur Springs, loss of six lives, with nine persons fatally injured. About daylight heavy storms broke throughout the country for one hundred miles west, north and Tommy Burns, claim ant of the east of this city. Reports state that cavyweight championship, scored a crops and mills were destroyed. The damage, including that done in New Orleans, is placed at over \$1,000,000,

The worst of the tornadoes was north of New Orleans, where between 5:30 and 7 o'clock in the morning it ention crop since September 1 has devastated portions of three parishes. hose marked. It is reliably estimated New Orleans was visited by another that the crop has decreased not less tornado and a third passed northwarl of Biloxi on the Gulf coast.

Rouge Parish about 6 o'clock, killing the middle-class citizen of the days of Mrs. T. Foret and her daughter, Mrs. White. Mrs. Foret's body was found in a field near her demolished house, Two children in Mrs. Foret's house were fatally injured in the collapse of a sugar refinery on the St. Delphine Mill Creek, I. T., completely de was slightly damaged, in St. James stroying the store and contents; also Parish one woman, whose name has three other frame buildings, including not been learned, was killed, while Mrs. H. R. Weber and daughter and Mrs. John Meyer and also a negro were reported fatally injured. Fifteen build. ings were blown completely down in this parish.

At Pontchalorga, which the tornado reached about 7 o'clock, George Hawes and son were killed in the collapse of their house and a daughter ident of the American Tobacco Com- died of her injuries. Another child

> A negro was also fatally injured there, besides injuries to a dozen othor persons.

Another tornado struck New Orleans about 8 o'clock. While no lives were and a score were injured in a rear-end lost here, property damage reached collision between a regular passenger | \$500,000 and about fifty persons were hurt, one fatally. Fully 800 buildings were damaged, about seventy-five of which were blown flat. Most of the lemolished buildings were small negro cabins and it was here that nearly all the injuries occurred. The path of be tornado through the city was about eight miles long, entering from the Mississippi River at Audubon Park and traveling northwest to Marengo and Carondelet streets and then, after a circuitous course, to Gravier and Magnolia streets, it went northward out of the city.

> In places the storm's path was but hirty feet wide and on not more than at one place did it reach a width of

> > Sixty-five Lost in the Wreck

Hongkang: Further details have been received of the wreck of the immigrant steamer Charter House beigrant steamer Charter House between Holhow and Hongkong, which foundered off Hainan Head on Sept. 30 will the loss of more than 60 lives. The North German Lloyd steamer Hohschiang picked up a raft belongtwo-score persons were injured by the ing to the Charter House on which explosion of illuminating gas in the were Chief Engineer Dowse, twenty-They had been drifting for forty-eight hours.

In one of the closest municipal elecscene nearly every window was shat- tions ever hald in Shreveport Ernest R. Bernstein defeated Dr. S. A. Dickson for Mayor by a majority of 36 votes.. The total was Bernstein 687, Dickson

> Two batallions of the Seventeenth infantry, United States army, upwards of 700 men in command of Col, Vanorsdale, left Fort McPherson Thursday morning for Newport News, Va.

Negro Shoots Wildly.

Seguin: Mrs. Otto Arnold, wife of a city alderman, walking home with her husband, from the show, was wounded with a shot in the shoulder blade. A Mexican boy was shot in the calf of the leg; a negro woman was shot in the right shoulder and iff this morning.

Counties In For More Expense.

Sherman: Some time since the County Clerk had published a list of county nominees as required under the Terrell election law. The County Commissioners did not pay the bill because they were undecided as to whether it Bank, New Orleans, agen sixty-six, is was a public or party obligation. The matter was referred to the Attorney General, who has rendered an opinion that the wording of the law makes visement the imposition of a vehicle it clearly an obligation to be met by the county.

Fifteen Are Dead.

Raton, N. M.: An explosion occurred in the Dutchman Coal Mine at Blossbug, a small camp five miles from Raton, in which fifteen miners are supposed to have lost their lives. Three bodies have been recovered. The cause of the explosion is not known. The mine is operated by the St. Louis Rocky Mountain and Pacific Company

"A SMALL THING."

Do you believe in progress? Do you believe that all the wonderful achievements of the nineteenth century-the railroad, the telegraph, the telephone, region was yesterday the center of cy- electric light, kerosene, sewing machine, agricultural machinery, steam ships, trolley cars, etc.-have made life easier and better worth living? 1 do. I believe that a man who lives 40 years under modern conditions has experienced more life and better life than Methusalem, though he had lived 20 centuries of his time.

The triumphs of the nineteenth cen tury were triumphs of human service -the placing of knowledge and the fruits of knowledge within the reach of the common man. Every man's life is better, happier, more secure be cause of them. We live more comfortable, more sociable lives in better and more comfortable houses because of them. Even the hopeless dweller in the worst city slums is more com-The first tornado struck West Baton | fortable in his physical conditions than George Washington.

In little things as in great, comfort and convenience have been the legacy of the "Century of Improvement," Paint, in a certain sense, is a minor matter, yet it gives beauty, healthfulness and durability to our dweilings. society store of J. R. Duncan & Co. plantation. The city of Baton Rouge Fifty years ago painting was a serious proposition, a luxury for the owners of stately mansions who could afford the expense of frequent renewals. Today ready mixed paint is so cheap, so good, and so universal that no house owner has an excuse for not keeping his property well painted.

A small thing, indeed: yet several hundred large factories, employing thousands of chemists and skilled N. Y. workmen, are running every day in the year to keep our houses fresh, clean and wholesome.

A small thing, yet a can of good ready mixed paint, such as one may buy from any reputable dealer, embodles the study of generations of skilled chemists, the toil of a thousand workmen in mill, laboratory and factory, and the product of a long series of special machinery invented and designed just to make that can of paint and to furnish us an infinite variety of tints, colors and shades.

It was a wonderful century, that nineteenth of our era, and not the least of its wonderful gifts was that same commonplace can of paint.

ALASKAN CABLE IS BUSY.

Line to Be Duplexed and 200 More Miles Added.

Few people who have not been over teed. the ground have any conception of the wonderful development of Alaskan interests and trade. For instance, the commercial receipts from the Alaskan cable and telegraph lines for the month of July amounted to \$24,000. The rapid increase in the demands upon the system will be met by the government by duplexing the cable

The cable ship Burnside, which is to install the duplexing apparatus at the Alaskan end of the cable, will carry about 200 miles of new cable for the extension of the service to Ketchikan. This extension will be effected by tapping the lines from Sitka to Juneau at Cape Fanshaw. From that point a branch line will be extended down the Wrangel, then to Hadley on Prince of Wales island, and then to Ketchikan, which is only 60 miles from Fort Simpson, the English town which is to be the terminus of the Grand Trunk and Pacific railroads. It is believed that this additional 200 miles of cable will largely increase the cable receipts, as it taps a coun-

try rich in mines, fishery and canning industries and greatly in need of daily communication with States. It is expected that this new line will be completed by November 1. -Pilgrim.

Chandler's Joke on Conkling.

Roscoe Conkling was a capital boxer and quite proud of his skill. One evening after considerable banter he induced Senator Chandler to "put on the gloves" with him. He played with Chandler for a few rounds, much to the discomfiture of the downeaster. The latter bided his time and some time later quietly brought a professional pugilist to dinner where Conkling was a guest. In the course of the evening "Mr. Smith" was induced to engage in a boxing bout with Mr. Conkling. The professional danced around the senator, landing when and where he wished, playing with him as he would with a punching bag. The elegant New York senator was dazed. overwhelmed, humiliated, crushed. When he surrendered and called enough, as he did at last, Senator Chandler smiled blandly and presented the pugilist in his true colors.

Many Good-One Best.

"So many Oils and Liniments are advertised it is hard to decide which to buy. I tried a number before using Hunt's Lightning Oil. After using it once, however, I realized I had found the best there was, and it was use-less to look further. If it fails it's 'all off.' No other liniment will hit the spot if Hunt's Lightning Oil fails." C. G. Young.

Okeene, O. T.

The Alliance Israelite university has placed five Bialystok orphans in the Ahlem agricultural school, and has as a first installment applied the sum of 16,000 marks for their maintenance and education.

Report Seeing Pure White Rook. Haymakers at work on a farm at Little Burstead, Essex, England, have recently seen a pure white rook among a number of black ones.

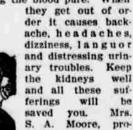
There is an altar society in Brook lyn composed of eight policemen. The members contribute a certain amount every month which pays for lights and flowers on an altar of perpetual adora-

White Diamond Found. A white diamond, weighing 1491/2 karats, has been found by a digger at Karreepan, near Kimberley, who sold it for \$14,465.

There was a time when the obese woman was the light of other days.

TIRED BACKS.

The kidneys have a great work to do in keeping the blood pure. When



prietor of a restaurant at Waterville, Mo., says: "Before using Doan's Kidney Pills I suffered everything from kidney troubles for a year and a half. I had pain in the back and head, and almost con tinous in the loins and felt weary all the time. A few doses of Doan's Kidney Pills brought great relief, and I kept on taking them until in a short time I was cured. I think Doan's Kidney Pills are wonderful."

For sale by all dealers. 50 cents a Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo

New Use for Gramophone.

Drilling native Malay levies by word of command emitted from a gramophone is the latest instance of modern ingenuity. Even the Zulu can now hear his own native songs and war dances from records made by a London company, who have sold more than 20 machines to swarthy warrior chiefs in South Africa. Folk-songs of the Pygmies were recently procured, and a machine has been dispatched to Lapland for the purpose, if possible, of procuring Eskimo folk-songs.

Ads. and Ads.

There's lots of advertising writers who make good copy on mighty poor subjects. When you've got the subject, it does not take fine language to

Moral-Cheatham's Chill Tonic cures all Lorts of Chills. Cures them quickly and thoroughly. It's guaran-

AT THE SUMMER HOTEL.

Experience of Winston Churchill Fa miliar to Many.

Winston Churchill in an address that he made in Concord recently praised the New Hampshire farmer.

"Ours," he said, "is a state fitted above all others for a summer resort. New Hampshire, with its superb climate, its mountains, its lakes and forests, will in a generation or two be one great pleasure ground-a vast park, dotted with beautiful villas, to which will come each summer familles from all parts of America.

"In anticipation of this many farmers are learning to conduct hotels. They are building cottages for summer visitors. Some of them, too, are taking boarders.

"And I am glad to say that the New Hampshire farmer is in a position to take boarders, because, unlike the farmers in other states that I could name, he does not send all his good things to the city. I once boarded at a fine big farm, but the fare was wretched—canned vegetables, con-

densed milk and so on. 'By Jove,' I said one morning at breakfast, as I pushed my egg cup from me, 'these eggs are really not as fresh as those I get in New York. My farmer host snorted.

That's rank prejudice on part, Mr. Churchill, he said. 'It's from New York that all our oggs

LOOSE TEETH

Made Sound by Eating Grape-Nuts.

Proper food nourishes every part of the body, because Nature selects the different materials from the food we eat, to build bone, nerve, brain, muscle, teeth, etc. All we need is to eat the right kind

of food slowly, chewing it well-our digestive organs take it up into the blood and the blood carries it all through the body, to every little nook and corner.

If some one would ask you, "Is Grape-Nuts good for loose teeth?" you'd probably say, "No, I don't see how it could be." But a woman in Ontario writes:

"For the past two years I have used Grape-Nuts Food with most excellent results. It seems to take the place of medicine in many ways, builds up the nerves and restores the health generally.

"A little Grape-Nuts taken before retiring soothes my nerves and gives sound sleep." (Because it relieve irritability of the stomach nerves, being predigested food.)

"Before I used Grape-Nuts my teeth were loose in the gums. They were so bad I was atraid they would some day all fall out. Since I have used Grape-Nuts I have not been bothered any

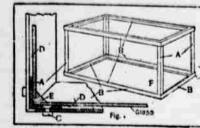
more with loose teeth. "All desire for pastry has disappear-ed and I have gained in health, weight and happiness since I began to use Grape-Nuts." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Get the famous little book, "The Road to Well-ville," in pkgs. "There's a reason."

teed to cure any one case. of the Distri ctof Columbia court of England's national debt originated specia, to succeed Judge Duel, re and is well equipped with all modern An honest man is not the worse \$25,000.00 FOR AGENTS. Pissaant in the reign of William III., frequent saist large commissions, and his prices for all Address large commissions, and his prices for all Address large commissions, and his prices. electrical appliances. because a dog barks at him.—From in the reign of William III., whose signed,

HOME-MADE AQUARIUM.

How an Attractive Home for Fish May Be Built by Boy.

In making an aquarium, the first thing to decide on is the size. It is not to attempt building a very large one, as the difficulties increase with



Details of Aquarium Frame.

the size. An aquarium about 12 inches by 12 inches by 20 inches is a very good size, and is inexpensive to

build. fourths inch by one-eighth inch angle fron for the frame, F. Fig. 1. This can be obtained at any steel shop, and should cost but 20 cents. All the horizontal pieces, B, should be beveled 45 degrees at the ends, and drilled for three-sixteenths inch stove The beveling may be done by roughening out with a hacksaw and finishing with a file. After all the pieces are cut and beveled they should be drilled at the ends for the three-sixteenth inch stove bolts, C. Drill all the horizontal pieces, B, first, and then mark the holes on the up right pieces. A, through the holes already drilled, thus making all the holes coincide. Mark the ends of each piece with a figure or letter, so that when they are assembled, the same ends will come together again. The upright pieces, A, should be countersunk as shown in the detail, and then the frame is ready to assemble. After the frame has been assembled, glazier and have a bottom made of the sides and ends should be made be placed on the centerpiece.

slightly shorter to allow the cement, E, to form a dovetail joint as shown. When the glass is put in the frame, a space, D, will be found between the glass and the horizontal pieces, B, of the frame. If this were allowed to remain the pressure of the water would spring the glass and cause a leak at E, so it is filled up with plaster of paris.

The cement, E, is made as follows: Take one gill of plaster of paris, one gill of litharge, one gill of white sand, and one-third of a gill of finely powdered rosin. Mix well and add boiled linseed oil and turpentine until as thick as putty. Let the cement dry three or four days before putting any water in the aquarium.

In choosing stock for the aquarium it should be remembered that a sufficient quantity of vegetable life is required to furnish oxygen for the fish. In a well balanced aquarium the water requires renewal only two or three times a year. It is well to have an excess of plants and a number of snails, es the snails will devour all the decaying vegetable matter which would otherwise poison the water and kill the fish.

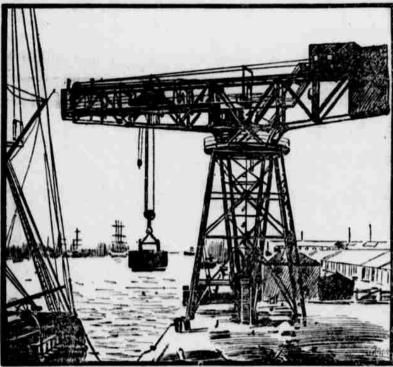
If desired, a centerpiece (A, Fig. 2) can be made of colored stones held together by cement, and an inverted far can be supported in the position shown at B. If the mouth of the jar



Aquarium Finished.

is below the surface of the water, it says Popular Mechanics, take it to a will stay filled and allow the fish to swim up inside as shown. Some skylight glass and sides and ends washed pebbles or gravel should be of double-thick window glass. The placed on the bottom, and if desired, a bottom glass should be a good fit, but few Chinese lilies or other plants may

One-Man Hoist and Automatic Dump



Details and General View of Hoist.

suitable prospector's device for excavating, I decided to make one, and constructed the apparatus to be described. This device enables one person to sink a shaft of practically any depth and hoist the dirt from the shaft and take it away and dump it at a distant pile, without having to come out of the shaft to operate it, as the windlass is located down the shaft. The device weighs but 15 pounds, and can be carried readily in the prospector's pack.

The trolley frame, A A, is made of flat iron or steel, ¼ inch thick by 1½ inches wide. When bent to shape as shown, the ends, A A, are about 20 inches apart.

Six holes are drilled in the frame; four to receive the grooved wheels, BBB; one for the ring, C, and one for the trigger, D. This trigger catches on the hook, E, and locks the trolley in place, until the pulley, H, strikes the trigger, thus releasing the trolley and allowing it to travel along the

steel wire cable, F. The rope, G, is connected to the windlass and moves in the direction indicated by the arrow when the windlass is being wound up. This movement of the rope, G, has a tendency to raise the bucket and move the trolley on the cable at the same time, but points," that they might be able to as the trolley is locked at E, it will not testify in a competent manuer. He move until the pulley. H, strikes the trigger. The bucket by that time baving left the shaft is ready for its trip a skilled surgeon to work with the

to the dumping pile. A second rope, J, is fastened to the the bucket on reaching the dumping at least 20 per cent. of the amount pile will be turned over, the rope have now spent annually in payment for ing traveled its entire length. The personal injuries and death claims."

to return to the shaft by gravity.

When ready to hoist, the overator starts the windlass at the bottom of the shaft, which causes the bucket to ascend until the pulley. H, strikes the trigger. The trigger is then released from the hook, E, and the traveler moves with the bucket to the dumping pile, where it is dumped by the rope, J, as stated above. The traveler then returns to the shaft, by gravity, and is locked in position by the hook, E. The bucket then descends the shaft ready for the next cargo.

I had this device in successful oper ation for many years in Australia, says the correspondent of Popular Mechanics, and am using it at present in the Klondike.

Would Cut Down Accident Losses.

Certain deficiencies in railroad practice which can be readily eliminated with great saving to the operating companies are pointed out by Dr. M. H. Thomas, of Huntington, Ind., state surgeon of the National First Aid astrainmen, motormen and shopmen in "first-aid methods" and "accident law also urges, as reported in the Western Electrician, "the employment of legal department of the railroad . . . Dr Thomas thinks that the prope bottom of the bucket at one ead, the instruction to the trainmen in first other end being secured to any fixed aid to the injured and on points of acobject in the bottom of the shaft. This cident law . . . would result in a rope is fastened at such a length that net saving to a railway company of

NO REST NIGHT OR DAY.

With Irritating Skin Humor-Halr Began to Fall Out-Wonderful Result from Cuticura Remedies.

"About the latter part of July my whole body began to itch. I did not take much notice of it at first, but it began to get worse all the time, and then I began to get uneasy and tried all kinds of baths and other remedies that were recommended for skin humors; but I became worse all the time. My hair began to fall out and my scalp itched all the time. Especially at night, just as soon as I would get in bed and get warm, my whole body would begin to itch and my finger nails would keep it irritated, and it was not long before I could not rest night or day. A friend asked me to try the Cuticura Remedies, and I did, and the first application helped me wonderfully. For about four weeks I would take a hot bath every night and then apply the Cuticura Ointment to my whole body; and I kept getting better, and by the time I used four boxes of Cuticura I was entirely cured, and my hair stopped falling out. D. E. Blankenship, 319 N. Del. St., Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 27, 1905

PENNIES FOR A COLLEGE.

One Hundred Thousand Workers Each Give a Penny to Ruskin College.

The British trade unions had not in their origin any direct concern with education, says the Fortnightly Review. But it is a fact of no ordinary significance that some of the leading unions should be taking very great interest in the higher education of the workman.

For the last three years some 100,-000 workingmen, members of the Amalgamated Society of Engineers, have made three levies of one penny each to help on the work of Ruskin college at Oxford. This levy produces over £300 a year, and by means of it six engineers are maintained for a year's course of study at the col-

Smaller but substantial sums have been contributed to the same institution by the London Society of Compositors, by the Lanarkshire Miners' County Union, by the Amalgamated Association of Beamers, Twisters and Drawers, by the Derbyshire miners and the Durham miners, while a large number of other societies appear among the donors and subscribers.

Hard-Working Chinese Official.

Everybody in China works hard, even those who have reached the highest positions. It is related of a member of the Chinese cabinet that he left home every morning at two o'clock, as he was on duty at the palace from three to six. As a member of the privy council he was engaged from six to nine. From nine until 11 he was at the war department, of which he was president. As the member of the board of punishment he was in attendance from 12 till two, and as a minister of the foreign office he spend every day from two till five or six there. In addition he frequently served on special boards or

THE HOUSE THAT BAKER BUILT. CHAPTER IL

During the last few years there has been an extraordinary increase in the use of the different food preparations made from cocoa and chocolate. In 1860 the amount of crude cocoa imported into this country for home consumption was only three-fifths of an ounce for each inhabitant. The amount imported at this time is nearly 16 ounces for each inhabitant. Five years ago the United States stood fifth among the nations in the amount used; it now stands first with a long lead. This is due largely to the high quality of the goods put out by the Walter Baker Company and Having had considerable experience; trolley cable being slightly elevated to the attractive literature dissemas a prospector, and not finding a at the dumping end causes the bucket inated by them all over the country, showing the food value of cocoa when properly made. Much depends upon the making. Good cocoa beans may be treated in a way to make the product unwholesome and unpalatable. The Walter Baker goods have behind them 126 years of successful manufacturing.

> Designs Patented by Women. Not a few designs—some of them cleverly contrived—of fire escapes are credited to inventive women. Others have planned motors for sewing machines and other domestic aids; a thermometer fire alarm, which gives its warning when the temperature reaches a certain figure, a balcony that may be carried from one house to another and adjusted, a thread cutter that is fastened to the thimble, a furnace that generates heat by means of chemicals instead of ordinary fuel, and a great many similar contrivances.

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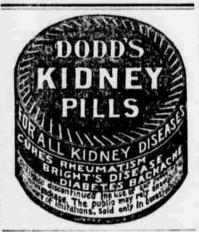
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Remarkable Double Wedding.

A remarkable couble wedding has been celebrated in a Viennese church. A manufacturer named Muller married a widow, while at the same time his son married the widow's daughter. Thus the father becomes the father in-law of his own son, and the mother also the mother-in-law of her daughter.

Uruguay's Financial Condition.

Uruguay reduced her national debt by \$1.579.450 during 1905. The total debt on January 1, 1996, was \$121,455,-747, of which about 80 per cent. was external. Uruguay is a prosperous country, and in her prosperity is a good customer of the United States Exports of merchandise from this country to Uruguay for the nine months ending March 31, 1906, amounted to \$2,172,276, against \$1,200,-542 in the same period of the previous year.



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BRAZOS TO BE BRIDGED.

A charter has been drawn by Judge H. G. McConnell for the "Brazos River Bridge Company," with Geo. LEADING LAND OFFICE IN S. Link, J. W. Kelley, J. L. Jones. W. F. George and Chas, Welch as in-

in Central and Southern Texas, that to build a toll bridge on the Double are bringing the buyers here all the Mountain Fork of the Brazos River time. If you want your land SOLD west of the town of Rule. This is a see as about it, two pasts your land commendable enterprise and will be where the buyers live." We loan of great benefit to the business intermoney on land and buy your land ests of Rule as well as to the people across the river in Stonewall county,

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THE JOE DIXON CASE.

The FREE PRESS has been requestchants in Mobile, Ala., says: "For ed by Dist: Att'y Higgins to notify troubled with winter coughs. We owe will be called in the district court of this to Ballard's Horehound Syrup. Stonewall county Oct. 22, 1906, and I know it has saved my children from that all persons heretofore summoused CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR PROGRAM as witnesses are expected to be present without further notice.

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forget-Baby is restless, can't sleep at night, won't eat, cries spasmodically. A bottle of White's Cream Vermifuge never fails to cure. Every mother should give her baby White's Cream Vermifuge. So many times when the baby is pale and fretful, the mother does not know what to do. A bottle of this medicine would bring color to his cheeks and laughter to his eyes. Give it a trial.

The West Texas Development Com- of coughing, just like one with the whooping cough and some thought pany of this place had an extra edi- she would not get well at all. We tion of 1000 copies of the FREE PRESS got a bottle of Chamberlain's cough printed last week which they are distributing over the state. Their enter- She stopped coughing and got stout prise will help our town and county and fat." writes Mrs. Ora Bussard, Solid gold engagement and wed- and we hope it will bring them good Brubsker, Ill. This remedy is

MRS. SARAH L. SCOTT

On last Saturday morning the news of the andden death of Mrs. Sarsh L. Scatz was quite a shock to her friends. No one was expecting that death was so near; but in the still hours of the night the summons came and ber spirit winged its flight to its eternal

She was a native of Alabama, was born, Jan. 31, 1833. Her maiden name was Jenkins. Her father was a preacher in the Methodist church. Being teared under Christian lufluences she joined the Methodist church in childhood, continuing a member of the same 'till her death.

She was married to Joseph Scott in Ark, out for some years she has been a widow, living with her son, who is a citizen of Haskeil. It was at his home she died on last Saturday morning, Oct. 6, at the mature age 73 years 8 months and 5 days, Sister Scott was a good woman, a faithful member of the church and a true Christian. Saturday afternoon we laid the body to rest in the city of the dead to

await the resurrection morn. The many triends attending the funeral services todicated that she was held in high esteem. Our kindest sympathy is extended to the be-J. H. CHAMBLISS.

Notice of Stockholders' Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the knockinders of the Wiehita Vailey Railroad Company has been called to convene at the general office of said Company in the town of Seymour, Baylor County, Texas, at 8:30 o'check p. m. on Monday, the 26th day of November, 1906, which meeting is called for the purpose of considering and authorizing the execution and delivery of the First Mortgage Bonds of said Company in an amount not exceeding \$30,-000 per mile of completed standard gauge railroad at any time owned by said Company, said bonds to be payable in gold coin at a time not exconding thirty years from their date, and to hear interest of 6 per cent per annum payable semi-annually; and for the purpose of authorizing the amking, execution and delivery of a First Mortgage on the corporate properry and franchises of said Company to secure the payment of the principal and interest of said bonds; and for the purpose of authorizing and sanctioning the issue and disposition of its First Mortgage Bonds aforesaid; and for the purpose of ratifying and approving the minutes of the proceedngs of a directors meeting of this Company held on June 26th, 1996, the minutes of an adjourned meeting of said Board held on the same date, and the minutes of the proceedings of a stockholders' meeting held on the

This, September 11th, 1906. W. E. KAUFMAN, Secretary, Wichita Valley Railroad Company.

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Mrs. E. F. Brown, residing at 318 Sonora St., El Paso, Texas, says: "The aching pains in my back which who though only a few miles distant are often prevented from crossing by the dangerous condition of the river, and the bearing down griping pains in the loins were so heavy and severe at times that I felt continually used up and played out. I was so lame and sore at times across my kidneys that I could not stir without suffering The intense itching characteristic twinges and could not straighten up at all if I bent over. I used different es is instantly sliayed by applying remedies until a friend advised me to had used for a similar trouble with glad I did, for they helped me from the first, and one box completely

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Paper-Mr. Adams. Music-Miss Fields and Mrs. Baker. Reading-Mrs. Watts and Mrs. Subject Analyzed.-Miss Boone.

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HASKELL, HASKELL COUNTY, TEXAS, SATURDAY MORNING OCTOBER 13, 1906.

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Santa Fe Surveyors Busy.

Anson, Texas, Oct. 13-The report seems to be incorrect. The surveyors busily at work moving dirt.

We have received a card announcing the marriage on Oct. 10th, at Siboney, Okia., of Miss Hallie Myere to Mr. Robt. Y: Patterson. Many Haskell people will remember Miss Hallie, whe spent the winter here two years ago while her slater Miss Mary Myers was a teacker in our school, and will be pleased to wish her every happiness commensurate with her new sa-

Mrs. T. F. Miller of the west side was in town shopping Wednesday. List your property with O. E. Pat-

Mr. Elmer Lee, son of Mr. Wheeler Lee of Carney, has accepted the posi-tion of bookkeeper for S. L. Robert-

Mr. J. J. Stein brought back with him from his trip to Bell county about a dozen prospectors and has succeeded in locating several of them.

Commissioner Watts Dead.

Mr. W. F. Watts died at his home has been out for several days that the in Sagerton last Sunday morning after Santa Fe proposition was off, but this an illness of a week or ten days with flow fever. Mr. Watts has been a are still at work here locating the line substantial and highly respected citiand say they have never received any zen of Haskell county for several years notice that the proposition is dead. and has served for the last three terms In regard to the Abliene & Northern as county commissioner, in which pothe graders both north and south are sition he was conscientious and fair in his dealings and held the confidence of all. His death is regretted by many fylends who also sympathise with his bereaved family in their great loss.

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Mr. Henry Free of the east side was in town Wednesday and told the reporter that he had seventeen bales of cotton picked and ginned and stacked up at home, and had not sold a bale. He said he thought he would get ers like Mr. Free, who raise their own meat and lard and keep their smokeuses at home instead of in a grocery store, and who raise pleaty of vegetables and feed stuff for home use, and often a surplus to sell, as he does, that can hold their cotton for the best market instead of having to sell as fast as it is picked in order to meet pressing obligations

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EPWORTH LEAGUE PROGRAM.

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Mothers need have no hesitancy in continuing to give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to their little ones, as it contains absolutely nothing injurious. This remedy is not only perfect-

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LETTER TO

J. L. BALDWIN. Haskell, Tex.

Dear Sir: There's twice as much horse in one horse-it may be a mare together.

So with paints too. If a painter can do your job with 10 gallons Devoe for \$50; it'll take 12, 15 or 20 of other \$5 agailon, whatever the paint may be.

There are paints adulterated threequarters-only one quart of paint in a gallou-he's got to paint four gallons of rubbish to get one gallon of paint. The worst horse you've got is as good as that paint, and be'll go as far.

The less-gallons paint is the paint, as the most-horse is the horse.

Yours truly, F. W. DEVOE & Co. New York.

feel some benefits from the cotton sea- the confidence of all classes safe to give small children, but is a medicine of great worth and merit. It has a world wide reputation for its cures of coughs, colds and croup and can always be relied upon. For sale at Terrell's drug store.

This we fully appreciate, and hope to continue to merit their patronage. It is generally conceded that the FREE in his unew field of labor.—Holland Progress. Pagas has not been merely a town Progre organ advocating only such things as would benefit the town, as many papers do, but has advocated everything that would tend to the general interest of the people of the county at large, and we have heard many expressions of appreciation of this fact. The success Mr. Stein has attred has been due to his integrand personal efforts. The Function of this fact, honest men to Haskell.

Haskell, Texas, where he is engaged in the real estate business. Haskell is to be congratulated that this enterprising, reliable gentleman has speen horse in one horse—it may be a mare added to the number of her citiens.

—as there is in two or three others Mr. Sein was born and reared in Alexander. tin county, Texas, on a farm. For some years he clerked in a store at New Ulm and later entered the Bol mian college at Praha in order to learn paints; and the cost of a job is about the Bohemian language. After leaving school he clerked some time in a store at Bartlett. Mr. Stein came to Holland March 15, 1901. He worked for Mr. P. S. Murrah and later for the Mewhinney Mercantile Co. In both places his knowledge of three langunges enabled him to draw a li trade. After leaving the Mewhin Mer. Co. his services were engaged by the Bell county Land Agency.

Mr. J. J. Stein is now locaed a

He finally bought out this which he enlarged and da The FREE PRESS is beginning to a really remarkable manner.

HEN you head for EGGER'S you are with the tide of wise buyers, we are adding new customers to this store each day by dispensing only goods of high class and ideal in style. The interesting features of this establishment are courteous treatment and price always right. There is not a store in this section of Texas where you will find so many lines of high class goods handled.

Our Dry Goods department contains many things of interest. We show you the best styles to be had in Dresss Goods at

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Silks in the very latest for waists, also for suits from 50c up. Our 36 inches wide Black Taffeta silk has no equal in this county. We can say of our silk department that you can find only fresh new silks, which means something to the buyer.

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In this line we are sure ours cannot be duplicated. We have goods made up just right. The quality of the goods and the inner make of the garments is the best money can buy. Come in and let us show you through.

Our line of Ladies Cloaks, Jacktime pass. Tailor made Suits and Skirts is strongest you have ever had the ef ure of inspecting.

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Here is where we are certainly strong as we have a line that will please any one and we can fit you.

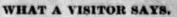
Ladies Shoes

We are showing the new styles and price and quality are just right.

We have all the lines necessary to make an up-to-date Dry Goods Store such as Dress Goods, Silks, Notions, Blankets, Comforts, Notions, Clothing, Hats, Caps, Trunks, Suit Cases, Underwear for Ladies', Men and Children, and all the other necessities of dress to keep out the cold.

Let us Show You Our Line

HASKELL,



Gives His Observations on Changing Conditions in West Texas.

On his return home Mr. Rosson of Campbell Bros. & Resson Commission Co. of Fort Worth, who was in Haskell last week, was interviewed by a Fort Worth paper and made the following statement of his observations in this part of the state:

In an interview with Jno. K. Rosson, who has just returned from quite an extensive trip through the western above described property, or so much part of the State, he advises that the range conditions could not be better. He also says that the cattle industry is fast ebbing out. The large land of H. P. Holdeman deceased, and owners and ranchers are cutting up their pastures in small farms or in tracts to suit the purchaser and the majority of the range country is selling from \$10 to \$20 per acre. Cattle have been selling for such unreasonably low prices during the past few years that the cattleman recognizes that he can no longer continue in the cattle business on land that is valued at these prices and he also recognizes that western Texas is becoming one of the greatest cotton producing sections of our state. In visiting Baylor, Knox, King, Haskell, Jones, Shackleford and Throckmorton countlef on this trip in each of the above counties I saw cotton on sod land that, if it matures, it will make at least a bale of cotton to the acre and both in Jones and Shackleford countles I heard reliable men say they had cotton that would make better than a bale and a half per acre and it was selling yesterday on the streets for 10.75c and is as pretty staple as I ever looked at. It requires an average of ten acres of this land to support a cow the year 'round which is worth on the market of cotton per acre, which is a very low estimate, means five bales of cotton, produced on the same land that it takes to carry one cow, which brings in a revenue of \$250.

I predict the range country is something of the past and of cones at or a the track is built to that point. period of five to eight years stock farming will then be an issue and out time, but it will take a. least that gang from Stamford is here. length of time for the farmer coming in the country at the present time to get his affairs shaped to handle cattle northern states at the present time, but when this is done the business will be on a much more satisfactory basis from every standpoint to those who are interested.

Yes, I find quite a good deal of interest being maifested in the raising of hogs and quite a few are agitating the culture of sheep, as both classes of this class of live stock have been exceptionally high for sometime and indications look favorable for strong prices to prevail for years to come and I take pleasure in recommending to the farming element throughout the country to diversify their crops and their students in half the usual time. raise a few sheep, hogs and cattle, a more thorough and practical trainget a good brood mare or two and ing for the business world than can raise a good mule or a good horse, either of which are worth from \$75 to tem, their business like discipline, \$125 at two years old, and it always their moral training, the special work pays to use the best blood you can given in literary subjects free of secure. It costs no more to raise a good mule or horse than a beef steer and either of them is worth three or four times as much.

A Young Mother at 70.

"My mother has suddenly been made young at 70. Twenty years of intense suffering from dyspepsia had entirely disabled her, until six months ago, when she began taking Electric Bitters, which have completely cured her and restored the strength and acwrites Mrs. W. L. Gilpatrick, of Danforth, Me. Greatest restorative medicine on the globe. Bets Stomach Liver and Kidneys right, purifies the blood, and cures Malaria, Billiousness and Weaknesses, Wonderful nerve Tonic. Price 50c. Guaranteed by Terrell's drug store.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue and authority of an aliae execution issued out of the honorable the Justice Court of Pre. No. 8 Travis County, Texas, on the 18th day of Sept. 1908, in favor of Geo. L. Hume as administrator of ee'abs. of H. P. Holdeman deceased and against Anton Schaefer in cause No. 6554, and to me directed, commanding me to make certain moneys in said writ mentioned, I have leviled on and seized all the right, title and interest of the above named Anton Schaefer in and to the following described land situate, lying and being in the county of Haskell, State of Texas, to wit: All of the west two-thirds of the D. H. McFaddin 640 acre survey, execution issued out of the honorable the D. H. McFaddin 640 acre survey, Abet. No. 881, Cart. No. 1007, survey No. 9, patent No. 57, Vol. 12, about 15 miles S. E. of the town of Haskell and known as the Schaefer place, but there is excepted from levy the 200 core homestend interest of Anton

west two-thirds of said McFaddin survey and only the excess over said nomestead interest is levied on and hereby advertised to be sold. Taken and levied on as the property of the above named defendant Auton Schnefer on Oct. 11th 1906 at 5 o'clock p. m. and I will on the first Tuesday in November 1906, the same being the 6th day of said month, at the Court House door, in Haskell County, Texas, between the fours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon of said day, offer for sale at public outery, to the highest and best bidder, for each in hand, all of the thereof as will satisfy a judgment amounting to \$119.17 in favor of Geo. L. Hume, as administrator of estate J. W. COLLINS, costs of suit. Sheriff Haskell County. 41-31

Danger From The Plague. There's grave danger from the plagee of Coughs and Colds that are so prevalent, unless you take Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, t'oughs and Colds. Mrs. Geo. Walls of Forest City, Me., writes: It's a Godsend to people living in climates where coughy and colds prevail. I find it quickly ends them. It prevents Pneumonia, cures LaGrippe, ives wonderful relief in Asthma and Hay Fever, and makes weak lungs strong enough to ward off Consumption, Coughs and colds. 50c and \$1 00. Guaranteed by Terrell's drug store.

Pushing Work on the Abilene and Northern.

Trial bottle free.

The Wichita Valley Ry. is to be in operation to Stamford within ten days, and the Nelson Construction outfit which built that road, has been trans-\$16 or \$17 net. Supposing this land ferred to the Abilene & Northern this will raise on an average of half a bale side of Stamford, and a crew is driving piles for the bridge over California creek, in Jones county, and when done there will come on to the Clear Fork of the Brazos, twelve miles north of Abilene, and will get the structure there ready for the steel by the time

Already three cars of steel have been unloaded at Avilene, and other there will be as many cattle raised in shipments will arrive constantly, unthat section as there are at the prestul all needed for meeting the track

The contract has been let for the making of the grade through town and to a track connection with the and other live stock as they do in the T. & P. from which point the material will be handled for steel laying north. This is the first time steel has been brought to build a new line, and it convinces the most skeptical that the Abilene & Northern is to be an actuality, and our people are accordingly pleased,-Abilene Reporter.

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The wonderful, modern Byrne Systems of Shorthand and Bookkeeping, be had elsewhere; their thorough syscharge, their excellent faculty of 15 experts, their completely equipped employment bureau, thru which positions are secured for their graduates free of charge, their reasonable charges for tuition, their excellent facilities for securing good board with private families at a low rate, etc., etc. If interested in a course of Book-keeping, Business Training, Shorthand, Typewriting or Telegraphy, write this famous institution for on of their large beautifully illustrated catalogues. When you have read it thru, you will understand why they enrolled more than 1000 students last year from 20 different states.

THE SEVEREST TEST

that any system of chorthand can be put to is court reporting. Note below the letter from Judge Perkins regarding Mr. Gibson, who writes the fa-mous Byrne Simplified Shorthand taught by the Tyler Com'l. College.

Rusk, Tex., June 4, 1906. Pres. Tyler Com'l. College,

Tyler, Texas. Dear Sir: I take pleasure in stating that Mr. G. W. Gibson, presen ing that Mr. G. W. Gibson, present official court steuographer of this the 2nd Judicial District, of which I am Judge, and who has served in said capacity of such court stenographer capacity of such court stenographer for the past year, and who, I am informed, is a graduate of your school, is the most capable and competent stenographer and typewriter I have ever known, and I have reason to believe this opinion is chared with me by the attorneys of all the eix counties of my District. He is both necurate and rapid and his work has been so uniformaly satisfactory to both Bench and Bar that it has been oth Beach and Bar that it has be the subject of much favorable res throughout the District.

Very truly yours,
JAMES I. PERKINS, Judge 2nd Judicial District.

WAS A GOOD THING.

San Angelo's fail fair has been a success in every particular. None can dispute this fact. This has undoubtedly been due to the able man agenient of President George Hagelsteto and his associates. Every man connected with the fair and carnival started out with the intention of making it a success and pulled off their coats at the proper time and sailed in with that intention in view. They all worked for the best interests of the town and the success of the carnival. They made a success and showed to the world that the San Angelo fall fair and carnival was a success, as it should have been. It should be a matter of congratalation to all concerned. The only reward for the men who shouldered the responsibility and did the work is in the satisfaction they have in seeing that their efforts have been appreciated .- San Angelo Star.

It is a anti-faction o every man who has nided in eres ing a successful fair to realize the pleasure of winning in an enterprise which he knows sea ters benefits to every class of citizens and all luterests in a county. It is an added glow of pleasure when to that can be added a knowledge that his fellow-citizens recognize and appreciate the work he has done. As the Star says, the successful fair at that place brought credit to all connected with it, and the outcome should be a matter of general congra ulation -Ft. Worth Record.

Blood Poisoning

results from chronic constipation, which is quickly cured by Dr. King's New Life Fills. They remove all poisonous germa from the system impart vigor; cure sour stomach, nausia, headache, dizziness and colle, without griping or discomfort. 25c. Guaranteed by C. L. Terrell, druggist.

The Organ, Ring and Watch Contest.

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W. O. W., Hankell	18,741
Ballew School House	86.222
Haskell High School	5.554
Methodist Church, Haskell	. 68
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Baptist Church, Knox City	. 23
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SLUGGISH.

Sas it aloud and slowls. Is it not a disagreeable word? It aptly describes the clugged, filmy action of deranged digestive organs. Take a few liberal doses of Re-Go Tonic Laxative Syrus and Singgishaes will give way to Healthy activities in every part. Re-Go is sold in 250 50c and \$1.00 bot-ties at Terrail's Drug Store.

Mr. J. E. Clendennen of the southwest part of the county was in town Thursday and called and set his subeription date abend. Mr. Clende has been a regular subscriber to the FREE PRESS for twelve years or more. He says that a good deal of wh up and making a vice growth in his eighborhood and he thinks m mers who have not yet sown w will take advantage of the ther ood acreage. Mr. Cloudennes ex-ects to move out to Crosby county in a few weeks. We regret to le good citizen but wish him succe-

Irregular howel movements bre disease in the body. You show purify and regulate the bowels by a ing Prickly Ash Bitters. It is mild cathartic and strengthens the sto liver and kidneys. C. E. Ter

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COTTON BLANKETS-any color, Price per pair....\$1.00 Any blanket in our hand sells for

P. O. Order and Stamps 5 less than the same quality can be Total Cost\$1.05 bought from S. R. & CO.

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Men's Seal Kip Lace. Cut from high grade Seal Kip and at the same price. sides and Slaughter hemlock

Price per pair\$1.49 P. O. Order5

Total Cost\$2.02 No. 15E 97, Pg. 926 retailer can furnish it for less Stylish last, a snappy Shoe Soft Vici, Kid Vamp. A teed to equal the one just andsome Blucher.

Price per pair \$1.43 P. O. Order5 Total Cost\$1.74

S. R. & CO. Calicoes We refer you to Pg. 844. Prices on Calicoes, 5c per yd.

We have this exact shoe Bought from the same house

Price per pair\$1.50 We challenge comparison Postage48 of quality and price on any Shoe in our line.

We have a Ladies Solid Ladies Kid Bluchers-No Leather Shoe, Blucher Cut and good wearer. Guaran-

Any piece of Calico in the

Price per pair\$1.73

house, including all Standard brands at 5c per yard.

S. R. & CO. IRON BEDS.

No. 1E 2418, Pg. 470 This iron bed has continuous piliars hifth at head and 41 in. at foot. Finished in best quality, White Enamel,

Ornamented with fancy gold chills.

Total Cost \$5.56

S. R. & CO. Kitchen Cabinets. No. 1E 735, Pg. 436.

This cabinet is made of thoroughly seasoned hard wood, golden finish. Top of base made of white base wood. Size 47x25. Entire cabinet is 62 mches

Total Cost\$11.68

H. & G. IRON BEDS.

FURNITURE

We have numbers of beds, every made of 1 1-16 iron tubes. It is 60 in. one of which we guarantee to equal the bed described. Any color or combination of colors. Iron pillars 1 1-8 Price......\$3.87 inches, heighth of head 56 to 60 in., foot 38 to 42 in. Weight 130 lbs.

Our Price......\$5.50

Our Cabinet same as described except the base is 47x28 in. and the total height is 68 in.

OUR PRICE \$12,00 Cheaper Ones, \$4.50 & up.



We invite your comparison of prices on any goods found in S. R. & Co's. catalogue which we have in stock. Bring your catalogue along and let us compare values. We will sell you any thing just as cheap and, on some things, save you money. Then why not patronize us and keep your money at home.

THE STORE HUNT & GRISSOM,

Locals and Personals.

Screen wire at McNeill & Smith's. Street Fair Premiums.

We are requested by the Street Fair Committee to state that it was impossible to get the premium list out to understand that the premiums will ilton were in our city this week and that they will know about what to McFatter. Mr. Oliver is county clerk prepare for exhibition. The list will of Hamilton county. be gotten out next week.

Our chief printer got sick Friday, causing delay in getting this issue of the paper out and mailed.

In fitting pourself out for winter see those extra quality woolen undersuits at Henderson Bros.

They say that some of the Dark Town Minstrels' songs are very fetchstill more so. You can see for yourself on the night of Nov. 1.

We havn't seen them en costume, but they say the Dark Town, Minstrels are a good looking and a funny lot of coops.

Mr. G. S. Forrester of the northwest part of the county was doing business in Haskell Thursday and

For warmth and comfort you should have some of those fine, soft woolen overshirts at Heuderson Bros.

Haskell is paying the top price, and sometimes a little over, for cotton.

Mr. W. H. Guinn was in town with cotton Thursday.

Have your saddles, narness and shoes repaired at Evers' new shop-34tf north side of square.

Mr. T. A. Williams whose farm is about four miles north of town says Carter, Emma, Crosby Co., Texas. his cotton will turn out three-fourths of a bale per acre.

If you need a storm house built, or a well dug or cleaned, call for N. J. 35-13t Sandlin, phone No. 62.

Very heavy rains fell over this section Saturday evening and night and Sunday, last. The precipitation at Haskell measured 5.25 inches. It caused a delay of several days in the work on the new stone bull angs and in the country damaged some recently out feed stuff and retarded the opening and picking of cottan.

I have opened up a nice stock of lamily groceries on the southeast corner of the square and invite the publie to come and see me. I will carry the best goods in staple and fancy as any other house. Respectfully, J. N. Ellis.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Oliver of Hamut the same as last year, so were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. N.

It will pay you to see O. E. Patterson before you either buy or sell real

Dr. J. R. Alford of Hico spent several days here this week with the family of his daughter, Mrs. J. N. McFatter.

Do you want to sleep sweetly? Then get your property insured in one of those old line companies represented

For cheapest and best farms or city property see O. E. Patterson. If you want to buy, sell or trade

real estate see O. E. Patterson. W. J. Evers, the new saddler at Haskell, gives you a better buggy whip for 25 cts. than you have ever

bought before. 3416 Mr. W. H. Parsons has sold his farm added his name to our subscription of 185 acres, just east af town, through the West Texas Development Co., to

Mr. Clay May of Bell county. Take your jewelry to Craig, the jeweler, for repairs.

Mr. Jim Logan of the west side was doing business in town Wednesday.

Judge O. E. Oates and son John left

We have what you are looking for; we will sell you 160 acres, and have 50,000 acres to pick from. Come now and get first pick. Neal, Morgan &

Masters Lennis and Chester Jones the Dallas fair.

If you have anything to trade see

Public School.

We are requested to announce that the public term of the Haskell school will begin next Thursday, the 25th

Circular molded stone for curbing | wells, at Sherrill's stone yard.

Apple Delivery.

at Haskell on Monday, Oct. 29 and he will preach tomorrow. groceries and make you as good prices following days. Come promptly to the car, and get your Howard County Mo., Ben Davis apples. John F. Le-

Our former townsman, Mr. C. C. Riddle of Asperment, was here Wednesday, shaking hauds with old

If you have any thing to trade see O. E. Patterson.

Mr. Jno. A. Howard of the south side was in town Tuesday. He says they had regular trash floating rains Saturday night and Sunday.

ing and that their clog dancing is by the Haskell Real Estate Co. 41-4t community was doing business in tism, Sprains, Burns, Cuts, etc. A. C. town Tuesday.

Tennessee, arrived on last Thursday, and find it unexcelled for sore chest, to visit her sister Mrs. John L. Rob- headache, corns, in fact for anything

Mr. C. W. Wilson of the east side was in town Tuesday and told the reporter that his cotton was good for half a bale or more per acre. He renewed for the FREE PRESS.

Pig lost my black pig about two months old. It you see it or catch it ring No. 185 and I will pay for your trouble. Will Wells.

Mr. Martin Jones, who lives on Miss Lizzie Mason's farm, was in town the early part of the week with his Wednesday on a visit to the Dallas eighth bale. He said he thought he would make sixteen bales, which will be pretty good for a single handed

> If you can't call, write O. E. Patterson. List your property with him.

Rev. R. L. Ford of Asperment accompanied by his wife, was in Hasleft Wednesday to see the sights at kell Wednesday long enough to shake hands with a few old friends. They were returning home from the Stonewall Baptist association in Jones county. Bro. Ford is a regular reader of the FREE PRESS and cashed up for an day and rolled a silver wheel into the advance supply.

> R. M. Craig, practical watchmaker, next to Postoffice.

part of the county was doing business nished. Inquire at the FREE PRESS tf in the capital Wednesday.

Rev. J. C. Drake, who has accepted the pastorate of the Presbyterian I will deliver the apples sold by me church at this place, was due to arat Haskell and surrounding country rive last night and it is expected that

Messrs S. R. Rike, Jno. E. Robertson and Warren Fitzgerald are taking in the State fair this week.

Mr. J. S. Boone returned thurtday For good town lots, cheap, see O. E. from Fort Worth, where he went with a shipment of cattle last week.

Kent County Lands.

See or address J. B. Jay, Claere mont, Texas.

Napoleon Bonaparte

showed at the battle of Austerlitz, he was the greatest leader in the world. Ballard's Snow Liniment has shown the public it is the best Liniment in Mr. Will Thornton of the Howard the world. A quick cure for Rheuma-Pitts, Rodessa, La. says: "I use Bai-Mrs. Lee F. Catron, of Somerville lard's Snow Liniment in my family that can be reached by a linament.'

We understand that several fiddlers are practicing up their best pieces for the contest during the Street Fair.

List your property with O. E. Pat-

They say the Dark Town Minstrels are going to astonish the natives.

A party who was admitted to a rehersal by the Dark Town Minstrels the other night says, if you see them perform and don't laugh, you are only fit for a grave yard post.

Take a fire policy in the "Hartford" and be safe. O. E. Patterson, agent.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Neal of Emma visited the family of Mr. J. L. Odell the early part of the week and have gone on to see the Dallas fair.

Mr. W. H. Parsons has moved into his handsome new residence in the north part of town.

Take your jewelry to Craig, the jeweler, for repairs.

FREE PRESS' till. Next! Let the Haskell Real Estate Co.

Mr. W. L. Cox was in town Tues-

write your fire insurance. Mr. W. D. Garren of the southwest . Room for rent-furnished or unfur-

QUEENSWARE

Attention is called to our extensive assortment of plain and decorate china and

Our line of ALFRED MEKIM'S English china in handsome decorated patterns will please you.

JAPANESE GOODS

Our line of hand decorated Japanese vases and fancy ware is the prettiest ever brought to Haskell.

Haskell Racket Store.

Taking the Bull by the Horns



is often a dangerous game. It depends where the horns take you. Figuratively you. Figuratively speaking, it is a bad practice when you are buying drugs or idedicines. You should be careful where you buy and what you get, and not rush, indiscriminately, to the first drug store that is handy. store that is Let us tempt you to try our Drugs and Pre-scription Department once, and then you

COLLIER-ANDRUSS CO., NORTH CORNER, TEXAS.

Another International Exhibition.

An international exhibition of fine arts and horticulture will be opened at Mannheim, Germany, on May 1. 1907, on the occasion of the third centenary of the foundation of that

Japanese Companies Make Money.

Shipping companies are profitable in Japan. For the past year ending March 31 last the Nippon Yusen Kalsha wrote off \$401,500 for depreciation, \$169,000 for insurance. \$200,000 for re- The Making of a Combination Telepairs, carried \$56,000 to reserve, paid \$36,000 for directors' and auditors' fees, gave the managing director a bonus of \$30,000, gave employes gen- a system which I recently installed in erally \$200,000 in bonuses, paid \$825. Kansas for simultaneous telegraphy

KING OF SAFE-BREAKERS.

Marvelous Delicacy of Hearing Possessed by Milner James.

Milner James was the most artistic safe-breaker in the business," said Lecocq the detective: "He is dead now. He opened in his time over 700 safes without tools or gunpowder solely by working out the combination with his delicate and patient fingers.

"It took me a year,' be once said, to learn the trick of picking combinations. I studied all the locks there were and I had three safes of different makes to practice on. The ear is the most important factor in my method and it must be held tight against the safe door on a line with the tumblers. When the knob of the lock is turned slowly and one of the tumblers reaches the notch corresponding to the first number of the combination the tumbler will fall with a little click. Care must be taken not to displace this tumbler. You keep on trying the knob. back and forth gently till each of the tumbiers drops. Then the door opens. Hardly one man in a thousand has an car delicate enough for this work and to be a success at it you've got to give up tobacco and alcohol."

INTERCOTING CUNTEST.

Heavy Cost of Unpaid Postage.

One of the most curious contests ever before the public was conducted by many thousand persons under the offer of the Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., of Battle Creek, Mich., for prizes of 31 boxes of gold and 300 greenbacks to those making the most words out of the letters Y-I-O-Grape-Nuts.

The contest was started in February, 1906, and it was arranged to have the prizes awarded on Apr. 30, 1904.

When the public announcement appeared many persons began to form the words from these letters, sometimes the whole family being occupied evenings, a combination of amuse-

After a while the lists began to come in to the Postum Office and before long the volume grew until it required wagons to carry the mail Many of the contestants were thoughtless enough to send their lists with insufficient postage and for a period it cost the Company from twenty-five to fifty-eight and sixty dollars a day

Young ladies, generally those who had graduated from the high school were employed to examine these lists and count the correct words. ster's Dictionary was the standard and each list was very parrected except those which fell below wery carefully and accurately but the Company had no idea, at the time the offer was made, that the people would respond so generally and they were compelled to fill every available space in the others with these young lady examiners, and notwithstanding they worked steadily, it was impossible to complete the examination until Sept. 29, over six months after the

prizes should have been awarded. This delay caused a great many inquiries and naturally created some dissatisfaction. It has been thought best to make this report in practically all of the newspapers in the United order to make clear to the people the conditions of the contest.

three times to insure accuracy.

D. Reese, 1227-15th St., Denver,

A complete list of the 331 winners postal card

thousand dollars, and probably has not been a profitable advertisement. nevertheless perhaps some who had have been interested in the contest, and from trial of the food have been shown its wonderful rebuilding pow-

grates, which nature will use for se univer of Grape-Nuts.

"There's a reason."

ment and education.

to pay the unpaid postage.

8000 for it soon became clear that ated by electricity and dealing with form at the junction of the crane post Abbey church which date back to 1200. nothing below that could win. Some normal working loads of 100 tons. and the truss, says the Electrical Re. The Minster Abbey is in a good state young lady for a solid week on each tical crane post resting on a cylin- 15 british horsepower motor. On an will repay the close and loving inspecindividual list. The work was done dried bearing and supporting a hori- upper platform above the slewing tion of the student of architecture or trestle, surrounding the crane post.
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lie sure and give name and address

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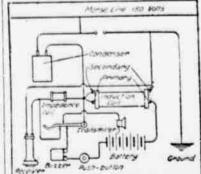
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A DOUBLE SERVICE LINE.

graph and Telephone Line.

The accompanying diagram shows



Wiring for Combination Telegraph and Telephone Line.

entirely separate, says a Kansas correspondent of Popular Mechanics. On account of its simplicity it can be made by anyone for less than the cost of any standard telephone made.

A word explaining its operation may prove useful. When receiver is on the hook in its normal position, the pushing of the button completes the of the induction coll which passes cealed.

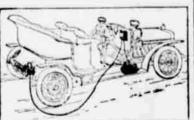
out over the line, actuating the diaphragms of all receivers and vibrating them in unison with the buzzer of the ringing telephone. Receivers in this way act as "howlers" in addition to their usual function.

The condenser of course prevents the Morse current from reaching or working through the telephone ground. The impedence, or retarding coil, may be made by using one of the colls out of an ordinary Morse relay (150 ohms), as its resistance is 75 ohms. Where Mouse sets come between telephones on the line, both key and relay of the set should be completely bridged across with a condenser of small capacity. Where it land, there has come as a logical reis possible to use two telegraph wires suit the discovery of many new places 000 in 15 per cent, dividends, and left and telephony and which is giving as and make a metallic circuit, a one of natural beauty and charm where \$492,000 at credit of profit and loss good results as could be had were they microfarad condenser on each side of one can rusticate for a season and re-

REAR LIGHT TELL-TALE.

New Device Used in England by Motorists Proves Successful.

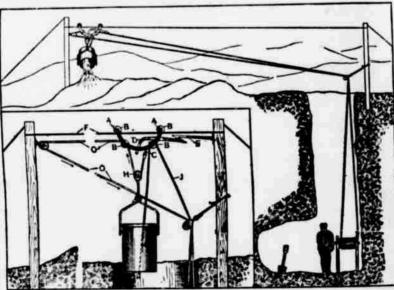
reports the failure of either of the full complement of lights are heavy.



Tells When Light Goes Out.

circuit of six cells through an ordin- with electric lamps, and the instant a

Huge Electric Rotating Tower Crane



The Rotating Tower Crane.

For loading such heavy articles as | are of 60 and 40 british horsepower | buildings as the famous Minster Abbey. lin port and docks board has installed of 30 british horseport

truss are located the counterweight of the crane above the quay wall is 70 and the machine room, the latter feet; hoisting height, 100 feet; radius housing the machinery for hoisting for 20 tons, 80 feet; for 160 tons, 75 and for traversing the holsting crab, which which runs on the long arm of the truss between the two side girders and is provided with auxiliary noisting 39 tons maximum carrying capacity, eight minutes are required for a com-The motors for operating the hoists plete rotation.

New Use for Electricity.

The latest, and, it will be thought Many lists contained enormous by many, one of the best uses to which numbers of words which, under the electricity has been put is the destructinitiations moves the Western Elecrules, had to be eliminated "Pesger" tion of the mosquito. Maurice Chau- trician to condemn such proceedings would count "Peggers" would not lin of Paris, is the man who has unreservedly It says editorially: "Ap-Some lists contained over 50,000 thought of electrocuting this most ob- plied electricity has many uses, and words, the great majority of which noxolus disturber of summer peace, were cut out. The largest lists were says The Reader. He has devised and to using the electric current as a checked over two and in some cases patented an apparatus with a cylin- means of hazing or as an initiatory drical lantern with two rings, sus-The \$100.00 gold prize was won by pended one above the other, and ing, a foolish step has been taken, and joined by parallel and vertical chains. it is not improbable that serious re Colo., with 9941 correct words. The These are connected with the source sults may ensue. Among some of the highest \$10.00 gold prize went to S. of electricity, which may be provided more unrestrained students belong-K. Fraser, Lincoln, Pa., with 9921 cor- by a small accumulator in such a fash- ing to the upper class of one of our ion that each of these little chains is technical institutions recently it was always alive. In the center is some with their home addresses well be sort of a lamp that attracts those hazing were bardly adequate to the sent to any contestant enquiring on a ardent lovers of luminosity, the mos- occasion, so neveral under-classmen quitoes and gnats. They touch the chains, and that instant is fatal to rents until they became exhausted them. They are neatly "short-circuited," and they buzz no more. They should be suppressed." even forget what they meant by all their buzzing, or what occult reason they had for seeking the lummary. They are dead and done for. This apparatus can be placed in a room, and the proper owner of the chamber is insured a comfortable night.

Portland Grounding Wires. begin on tearing up the streets to look down into the wonderful gorge, put electric light and power, tele- the deepest in the Rockies. The floor graph and telephone wires underaround. The corporations interested half above sea-level. An electric railwill spend \$500,000 carrying out the

"Riding the Goat" Electrically.

The published report of the use of electric appliances in certain college they are important, but when it comes performance at a secret society meet felt that the old and tried methods of were subjected to strong electric cur Such hazardous temfoolery ar

A Glass Bridge.

Colorado is about to astonish the world with a glass bridge. Across the gorge of the wonderful Grand Canyon of the Arkansas river, near Canyon City, a suspension bridge has been built more than 2 '00 feet above the surface of the river. Its floor is In Portland, Ore., work is about to of plate glass, so that tourists may of the bridge is about a mile and a way from Canyon City will carry travelers to the edge of the gorge.

MINSTER-ON-SEA

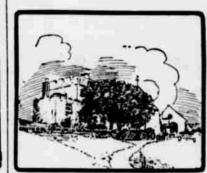
BEAUTIFUL SPOT WHICH LONDON IS JUST DISCOVERING.

So Near to the Great City and So Easy of Access That It Has Been Overlooked by Those Seeking Rest and Health.

With the growth of the summer imsulse to get away for an outing, notaly in this country as well as in Engtelephone will serve the purpose of cuperate the tired body and mind. the two micro-farad condenser shown Each year finds some new spot claiming attention and offering its hospi tality to those who have the price.

London is just beginning to discover the charm of her nearest health resort. Minster-on-Sea. Old London town is considered the most conservative spot in the British sles. Proofs English users of motor cars are of this can be seen daily and are adopting a new device which instantly abundant. Long before the electric tram and the motor omnibus invaded rear signal lamps. The penalties in London they were common objects in that country for running without the the streets of Dublin and Glasgow, and another instance of London's habit of The device is for use in connection clinging to a fixed idea is to be found in its slowness to adopt new holiday or health resorts. The idea gets fixed in the public mind that the old seaside haunts, however overcrowded they may be, are the only spots on the shore where health and happiness can be found; and though some of these may be distant, and, in some cases, not readily accessible, the habit of repairing to them clings, notwithstanding the irksomeness of the journey and the possibility of not finding a suitable resting place when reached. But happily Londoners are gradually ary buzzer, primary of induction coil lamp fails the fact is announced by being educated into the belief that back to the battery, thus giving an in- the ringing of an electric bell. For the there are many beautiful places withterrupted direct current through this purpose of illustrating the apparatus, in easy reach of the great metropolis circuit and generating an induced the connecting wire is shown exposed which have hitherto not received the alternating current in the secondary in the cut. In use the wire is con- attention they deserve. One o, these is Minster-on-Sea, which seems to have been designed by nature as a hol-

blay haunt for dwellers in or near the capital. The island is rapidly becoming popdar as a seaside resort, but is as yet unknown to the tripper or ordinary excursionist who lounges about and leaves taces of his meanderings in broken bottles and sandwiches that fester in the sun. Those who visit Minster-on-Sea do so on account of its health-giving capabilities, and on account of its being an ideal spot for an idle holiday, or in some cases in an antiquarian spirit to inspect the re



The Old Abbey at Minster-on-Sea.

guns, bollers, machines, etc. the Dub- and the one for traveling the crab is lin port and docks board has installed of 30 british horsepower. The slewa powerful rotating tower crane, oper- ing mechanism is located on a plat- earlier date. There are brasses in the zontal braced truss. The upper hori- gear is placed the driver a house, con- of sepulture. But for those who take zontal thrust is borne by means of taining the controllers and having a a delight in inland scenery the island rollers on a ring bearing fixed to the good view of the working field of the is not without its attractions, although the noble forests have been cut down to make firewood, and the island has been denuded of its finest timber without any attempt being made to reafforest it. The coast-line, which extends three-quarters round the island, feet. When holsting 150 tons the is formed of sandy cliffs, in many working speed is three feet per mincases far above the level of the sea, ute, and when hoisting 20 tons, 20 feet and forming a beautiful little bay, gear of 20 tons working capacity and per minute; speed of traveler, 28 feet; which is an ideal spot for bathers and boaters, and the sandy dunes on the cliffs covered with melancholy seagrasses through which the winds whistle and sing, make, with their long uneven stretches, a golfing ground which has no rival in the British Isles. There are also long lanes bounded by hedgerows, the prodigal homes of unmarketable beauty; lanes which rival the far-famed Chantry Lane of Bexhillon-Sea. And this is Minster-on-Sea. a new place on the summer map of

Ants Hard to Kill.

Ants are really very long lived con sidering their minuteness. Janet had two queens under observation for ten years, and one of Sir John Lubbock's ant pets lived into her fifteenth year

Ants are very tenacious of life after severe injury. Following loss of the entire abdomen they sometimes live two weeks, and in one case a headless ant, carefully decapitated by aseptic surgery, lived for forty-one days. carpenter ant after being submerged eight days in distilled water came to life upon being dried, so that they are practically proof against drowning They can live for long periods with out food; in one case the fast lasted nearly nine months before the ant starved to death.-Scientific Amerlean.

Who Treated? "Gee, ain't that woman ugly!" "Not so ugly as the one standing by

"Oh, I don't know-who is she?" "My wife."

"The other one's mine."-Cleveland

THE HOUSE THAT BAKER BUILT. CHAPTER III.

The nutritive value of pure cocoa is coming to be more and more widely recognized by leading physicians and teachers of dietetics. Baron von Liebig has described it as "a perfect food, as wholesome as it is delicious, a beneficent restorer of exhausted power . . . fitted to repair wasted strength, preserve health and prolong "But," he says, "its quality must be good and it must be carefully prepared." Those requirements are fully met in the Breakfast Cocoa put out by Walter Baker & Co., Ltd. is a perfect food made by a scientific blending of the best cocoa beans grown in different parts of the world -the result of 126 years of successful endeavor. There are many imitations on the market, but the genuine goods can be readily identified by the trade-mark of the Chocolate Girl (which is borne on every wrapper) and by the place of manufacture -Dorchester, Mass.

COPPER SAFE FROM LIGHTNING. Bellef Firmly Held in Many Parts of the Country.

"This matter of superstitions is a queer thing," said the man as he care fully avoided walking under a ladder "for even those of us who are skeptics have at least one superstitious failing, and mine is walking under ladders.

"In the country this summer I met a new one, which was firmly believed in by several farmers, and that was that a thunder storm never passed over a copper mine or copper vein The old fellow who told me about it pointed out again and again that although black clouds might roll up and lightning flash, the storm always went around a certain spot in his farm.

"Such actions on the part of a thun der storm could mean but one thing, he said-that there was a copper vein there. So sure was he of it, that he was putting by a little each year to have the spot investigated to see if there was copper enough in it to work."

One Bottle or Less.

Malaria is easy to contract in some localities, and hard to get rid ofthat is, if the proper remedy is not used. Cheatham's Chili Tonic frees one from it promptly and thoroughly. It is guaranteed to cure any kind of Chills. One bottle or less will do it.

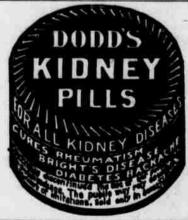
Another Enemy of Sleep.

All sufferers from insomnia will sympathize with their fellow victim whose sad case is reported in the Hog Wallow Kentuckian: "Jefferson Potlocks has been complaining to the mains of former times visible in such deputy constable on account of his being kept awake at night by the lightSheep-Killing Parrot.

The kea is a greenish-brown parrot of New Zealand, which is as dangerous to the sheep of that country as wolves would be. These carnivorous birds fasten themselves on the backs, of grazing sheep, tear through wool and skin to the kidney fat, which they devour, leaving the unfortunate animal to perish in agony.

Latest Fad in "Society."

The latest fad in certain eastern soclety circles is to be glum and cross. One phase of this more than usually absurd affectation takes the form of ignoring letters of introduction and this lack of consideration has roused family feuds in several cases. One wealthy young Italian, who is a member of one of the best Roman families, went to Newport this summer with many letters from prominent persons. But he has found it impossible to present them. "It is foolish to expect anything from social leaders these days and the stranger who asks to be received by letter has a hard time of it," said a young man whose letter to a society matron was ignored.





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Postura Coreal Co. Ltd., Fattle Creek, Mich.

Treasures for the Louvre.

Attention is called by the Travelers' Gazette to recent acquisitions by the Louvre, notably of a life size bust in chalk, primitively colored, of the hermit king of the eighteenth dynasty, Akhoumalon, or Amenophis IV., one of the strangest figures in the long line of the Pharaohs. The bust is a remarkably fine specimen of the art of the period, and is well preserved. Besides this, there are four sepulchral urns in blue porcelain from the tomb of Rameses II. In these urns was found, besides funeral linen, certain organic matter, which is being chemically examined.

Lower Animals in Sickness.

Man might often take from the low er animals a lesson as to the care of himself when ill. All sorts of animals suffering from fever eat little; lie quiet in dark, airy places, and drink quantities of water. When a dog loses his appetite he knows where to find dog grass, which acts as a purgative and emetic. Sheep and cows, when ill, seek certain heros. Any animal suffering from chronic rheumatism keeps as far as possible from the sun. If a chimpanzee be wounded he has been seen to stop the bleeding by a plaster of chewed-up leaves and Erass.

A TERRIBLE EXPERIENCE.

How a Veteran Was Saved the Amputation of a Limb.

B. Frank Doremus, veteran, of Roosevelt Ave., Indianapolis, Ind., says: "I had been showing symptoms of

kidney trouble from the time I was mustered out of the army, but in all my life I never suffered as in 1897. Headaches, dizziness and sleeplessness, first. and then dropsy. I was weak and help-

less, having run down from 180 to 125 pounds. I was having terrible pain in the kidneys, and the secretions passed almost involuntarily. My left leg swelled until it was 34 inches around, and the doctor tapped it night and morning until I could no longer stand it, and then he advised amputation. I refused, and began using Doan's Kid-ney Pills. The swelling subsided gradually, the urine became natural, and all my pains and aches disappeared. I have been well now for nine years since using Doan's Kidney Pills. For sale by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

LITTLE THINGS AND BIG.

Differentiate Between the Essential and the Non-Essential.

Little things are often of great importance, but when they are so they are not little. The pinion of a watch wheel, for example, in one sense is little, in another sense it is not so at all; for when it is not perfectly ad-justed, the watch is worthless for timekeeping. It is not size that makes a thing little or great, but its relation to the end for which a number of things are combined. If a thing is essential it is important. Because so many of the people who are always preaching the importance of little things fail to discriminate between the little and the non-essential, they often make a wretched mess of the management of their own and other people's affairs. Theoretically, if every factor that consult will be perfect; but practically, for want of time, strength and opportunity, the efficient man is compelled to neglect some things for the sake of others; and, in order to do this and yet secure the main end, he has to discriminate between the essential and the non-essential. The one who is thoroughly imbued with the false doctrine of the importance of little things, spends his strength without discrimination, and usually succeeds in miss ing the main chance.-The Watchman

RUN DOWN FROM CRIP

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Have Cured This Form of Debility In Hundreds of Cases.

"Four years ago," says Mrs. F. Mor-rison, of No. 1922 Carson street, South Side, Pittsburg, Pa., "I took a cold which turned into the grip. This trouble left me all run down. I was thin, had backache much of the time, had no appetite, my stomach was out of order and I felt nervous and unstrung.

"While I had the grip I had a doctor, but I really suffered more from the con-

dition in which the influenza left me than I did from the disease itself. I felt generally wretched and miserable and the least exposure to cold would make me worse. I couldn't seem to get any better until I began to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I very quickly noticed a benefit after I began taking them and

benefit after I began taking them and they restored me to good health and strength. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are a wonderfully good medicine. Thanks to them I am now in fine health and have had no return of my former trouble. I recommend the pills to everyone who is ailing and take every opportunity to let people know how good they are."

Dr. Williams Pink Pills cured Mrs. Morrison because they actually make good, red blood. When the blood is red and healthy there can be no debility. The relation between the blood and nervous system is such that the pills have a very decided action upon the nerves and they have cured many severo nervous disorders, such as partial paralysis, locomotor ataxia and St. Vitus' dance, that have not yielded to ordinary treatment. Their double action, on the blood and on the nerves, makes them an ideal tonic.

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Pills, or they will be sent by mail postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per
box, six boxes for \$3.50, by the Dr. Williams, Medicine Co., Schangettady, N.Y.

FOR THE INVALID.

APPETIZING AND EASILY PRE-PARED DISHES.

Beef Tea, Chicken Broth, and the Like, Are No Longer Considered the Only Proper Food for a Sick Person.

Upon the subject of invalid cookery there seems to be a woeful amount of ignorance, and the lack of interest n getting up a variety of nourishing things daintily served is from the habit of thinking that beef tea and chicken broth and milk, perhaps, are all an invalid should care for, writes Jeanette Young, in the New York World. Far be it from truth, for there is no appetite so difficult to cater to as that of the convalescent. Here are a few simple recipes for the use of the home nurse:

One pound of solid beef, one ounce of butter, one onion, one quart water and one teaspoon of salt. Cut the beef into dice and place it with the other ingredients in a stew pan, and stir until all melts together and forms a thin gravy, then add the water and simmer three-quaretrs of an hour strain and cool, then remove grease. If beef tea be needed in haste, scrape the beef into fibers, cover it with boiling water and salt, cover closely, boil ten minutes and set in a bowl of ice water to cool; skim, warm again and serve. Extract of beef, if not too strong, and made with boiling water, is at times acceptable and convenient.

One calf's foot, three pints of water, one lump of sugar, yolk of one egg, teaspoon of butter, nutmeg and salt to taste. Stew the foot in the water with rind of half a lemon until the quantity is about half, skim carefully and set away to cool. Remove all fat and warm about half a pint, adding the butter, sugar and the nutmeg. Remove from the fire and stir in the beaten yolk, keep stirring, place back on the fire and let it thicken, but not boil, as that would curdle it. Serve in a covered cup with soda wafers.

One fresh fowl, one quart of water, one blade of mace, half an onion, a small bunch of sweet herbs, ten pep percorns and salt to taste. Joint the fowl, place it with the other ingredients in a clean saucepan and simmer gently one and a half hours, caretully skimming. Strain, cool and re move the grease, and warm as needed. If desired a spoonful of rice bolled in water may be added, also a little scalded, and finely chopped parsley. This is convalescent broth; for the very sick avoid all seasoning but salt.

One pound of scrag end of the neck of mutton, one onion, one-half a turnip, one bunch of herbs, three pints of water, pepper and salt to taste. Put all the ingredients in a stew pan; when it boils skim it carefully, cover and cook one hour; strain and cool. If desired, pearl barley boiled in water may be added, or scalded parsley. For "simple broth" leave out all seasoning but salt, and add a jointed fowl.

Clam broth may be purchased in bottles or easily made at home, the latter is more desirable. Wash 50 clams (small round variety), put in a kettle with a cup of cold water, cover and let steam until all are wide open, strain and cool the juice and it is ready for use. The clams may be placed in a rich cream dressing and served on toast for luncheon for the well ones of the family."

Oyster broth is best made by washing the shells and placing in a white glazed dripping pan, with half a cup of water, in a hot oven, and when all shells are open wide strain the juice over a dainty slice of buttered toast with a dash of pepper and serve. The oysters may be also used as suggested for the clams.

Apple Souffle.

Boil a pint of milk with the pared rind of a lemon in it. Strain off the lemon-rind and put in three ounces of rice. Cook this slowly till the milk is absorbed. Add two ounces of castor sugar. Beat it well with a spoon to crush it, and next press the rice on the bottom and sides of a caketin, and let it dry in a cool oven. Have ready some nicely stewed apples which have been rubbed through a sieve; add to them the beaten yolks of two eggs and one ounce of butter. Stir over the fire to cook the eggs, but do not boil it. Beat the whites of three eggs to a stiff froth and add lightly to the apples. Put it into the rice boiler, and bake in a quick oven about half an hour. It must be served immediately.—Montreal Herald.

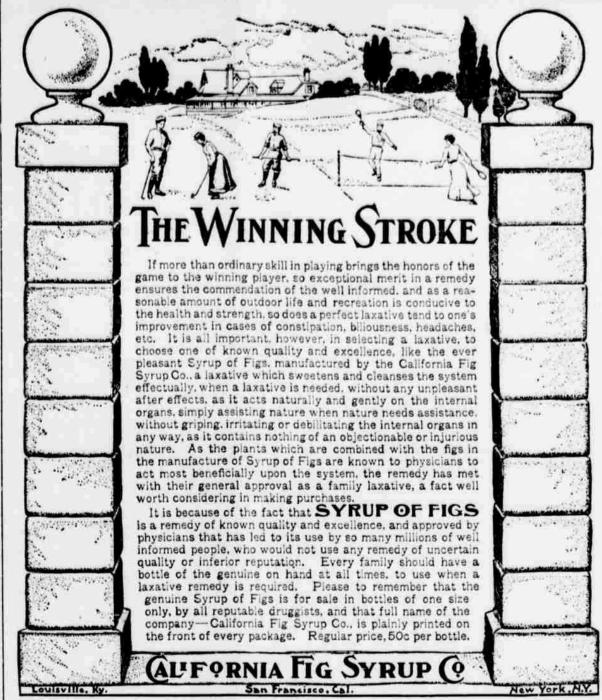
To Make Raw Eggs Palatable. If you have to take raw eggs to build up your strength (and there's nothing much better) take them without beating them up-without breaking the yolk.

A dash of rich grape juice over the egg, a quick swallow and, although you feel that a glove stretcher has been applied to your throat, the egg is down, and all you taste is a deliclous bit of grape juice.

Try taking it another time with a squeeze of lemon juice on it, or beaten up with lemon and sugar and water—egg lemonade, in fact. And beating it up with milk is another

To Clean Fur Robe.

Ordinary cornmeal well rubbed in and then shaken out vigorously will clean the white fur carriage robe, unless there are spots of some foreign substance on it. In that event pow-dered French chalk, if left on over night, will probably effect a cure.



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Respectfully.

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WARNING TO BOYS AND THEIR PARENTS.

She late wreck on the railroad was caused by small boys throwing a in Wednesday. Mr. Johnson was for switch, and there were two citizens several years a resident and engaged who saw them do it. These same in business in Haskell. boys are running around the railroad hose and otherwise tampering with gold rings at Terrell's, the railroad property. If the parents of these boys do not do something renewal of his subscription the other with them, you are going to find day them in jail some fine morning.

Solid gold engagement and wedding rings at Terrell's.

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Lest We

forget-Baby is restless, can't sleep touch of pneumonia, which left ber at night, won't eat, cries spasmodical- with an awful cough. She had spells ly. A bottle of White's Cream Ver- of coughing, just like one with the 50,000 Acres in any size tract from mifuge never fails to cure. Every whooping cough and some thought 160 acres up, easy terms. All good mother should give her baby White's she would not get well at all. We land, close to town. Neal, Morgan & Cream Vermifuge. So many times got a bottle of Chamberlain's cough when the baby is pale and fretful, the Remedy, which acted like a charm. mother does not know what to do. A She stopped coughing and got stout Solid gold watches at Terrell's bottle of this medicine would bring and fat." writes Mrs. Ora Bussard, Take your jewelry to Craig, the color to his cheeks and laughter to his Brubaker, Ill. This remedy is for eyes. Give it a trial.

HASKELL BUYING COTTON.

The following item was prepared for publication last week but got crowded out at the last. It was in tended as merely representative of a day's transactions in Haskell and, as it could be suplicated almost any day, we use it this week and save the labor of getting up a new list:

The following list of farmers who brought cotton to Haskell Thursday -and the list is probably not complete, as it is not certain that we saw all who came in-will serve to indicate the rank Haskell is taking as a cotton starket and trading point. It is one that is justified, too, by the prices our imyers are paying, which are frequently several points over the market quotations, as also, by the fact that the stocks of goods are large in all lines, so that one rarely fails to find in the town any article wanted. The list as observed is as follows:

W. J. Murray, residing northwest of town; J. T. Hallmark of east side; G. F. Atchison east side; R. L. Jackson west side; A. J. Brown on Paint creek; E. Bivins north side; W. E. Lemmon-: H. E. Melton south side; J. D. Sandlin west side; H. R. Dean, J. S. Forrester, W. L. Curd north east; C. W. Wilson northeast; E. R. Messer north side; W. J. Medford southeast; R. A. Lackey south side; Jno. A. Wade west side; J. K. Ashton southwest; Whit Williams southeast; B. F. Lancaster north side; H. E. Bland south side; J. M. Westbrook, T. L. Booth, W. F. Lancaster, E. O. Hawkins, R. L. Burnham south side; J. J. Proctor north side; H. M. Bishop north side; Jas. H. Cunningham; A. J. Rhodes south side; J. F. Robison, G. H. Smythee, J. J. Denton south side. Thirty-four in all, and a pretty good string of cotton for one

Notice of Stockholders' Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of the Wiehita Valley Railroad Company Slight disorders in the kidneys or uri- has been called to convene at the gennary organs are more serious than most eral office of said Company in the people think. The first warning symp- town of Seymour, Baylor County, toms should receive prompt medical Texas, at \$:30 o'clock p. m. on Monor some other dangerous malady. When which meeting is called for the purthe kidneys are ailing and the symptoms pose of considering and authorizing become sufficiently pronounced to be the execution and delivery of the for prompt measures to stay the progress | pany in an amount not exceeding \$30,and to bear interest of 6/per cent per for the purpose of authorizing the making, execution and delivery of a First Mortgage on the corporate property and franchises of said Company to secure the payment of the principal and interest of said bonds; and for the purpose of authorizing and sanctioning the issue and disposition of its First Mortgage Bonds aforesaid; and for the purpose of ratifying and approving the minutes of the proceedings of a directors meeting of this Company held on June 26th, 1906, the minutes of an adjourned meeting of said Board held on the same date, and the minutes of the proceedings of a stockholders' meeting held on the

This, September 11th, 1906. W. E. KAUFMAN, Secretary, Wichita Valley Railroad Company.

WEAK, WEARY WOMEN.

Learn the Cause of Daily Woes and End Them.

When the back aches and throbs, When housework is torture. When night brings no rest nor sleep. When urinary disorders set in

Women's lot is a weary one. There is a way to escape these woes Doan's Kidney Pills cure such ills.

Mrs. E. F. Brown, residing at 318 Sonora St., El Paso, Texas, says: "The aching pains in my back which were brought on by kidney troubles, and the bearing down griping pains in the loins were so heavy and severe at times that I felt continually used up and played out. I was so lame and sore at times across my kidneys When you want to go to the depot that I could not stir without suffering ring No. 25 for Simmons' Wagonette. twinges and could not straighten up We can save prospective purchasers at all if I bent over. I used different of high grade pianos from \$50 to \$150 remedies until a friend advised me to try Doan's Kidney Pills, which she had used for a similar trouble with marked benefit, so I got a box. I am glad I did, for they helped me from the first, and one box completely

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