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THE FREE PRESS DID IT: Mr. J. L. Sandford, who came nd located a few miles east
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POOLE \& MARTIN, Editors.

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fight and lost. The supreme court of the state has sustained the constitutionality of both the gross income tax law, which wil add a considerable sum to th state's revenues annuall A news item states that th tural department have perfected a machine for cleaning cotton
seed of the furze left on them in ginning that will save the cotto planters millions of dollars every

A bill providing a stamp tax on deeds, mortgages, ete., or ing to amount inuolved, has ture. We believe such a la would be vesatious and a hin
drance to business and that it should not pass.
The State of Nevada has mad it a crimefor any legislator or
state official to ride on a railroad pass or to accept a reduced law does not attempt to prohibit newspapers from accepting rail skins or'posstm tracks for thei advertising space.
A hotel company in San Anto-
nio whose property adjoins the Alamo is endeavoring to secure the right to tear away a part o that historic structure and convert the grounds into a parkior selfish reasons, of course, as an attraction to their hotel. It believe that the people of Texa will suffier the sacred structure to be tampered with in the least,
save to protect and preserve it save to protect and pre
While we of the United States are fighting the trust octopus,

| e track gambling, speculating futures and railroad frenzied ance, the Mexicans havestarta little reform of their own ainst bull fights. The movent was inaugurated by a mass eting in the City of Mexico, d now the petition signing age of the agitation has reachthe rural districts. That a xican could conceive of the a of abolishidg buli fighting arks an advance in the civilition of the sons of Montezuma. |
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| The public pays the bills. Recently the Eastern railroads increased the wages of their employes ten per cent. and were landed for the act, but now they are talking of raising freight rates in order to recoup themselves for the extra expense. The public pays the freight. Recently also John D. Rockefeller announced a gift of $\$ 32.000,000$ to educational institutions. Following in a few days, an advance of half a cent a gallon on the price of coal oil was announced. The public pays for the coal oil and makes good the memiticent |



pirit of revenge and anded byget even" with the a desire togecause they have advocatedlaw against free passes to sucan extent that it created a public sentiment which forced thepassage of such a law. And amajority of the papers opposedand defeated the constitutionaamendment submitted by a
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lative pay. This paper did nolative pay. This paper did nothe legislators but it did objectto that sort of trading.REGIMENTAL MEETING.The 2nd Regiment, 5thBrigade, United Confederath Veterans.
By virtue of authority vestedme under the Constitutionand By-laws adopted by the 2ndregiment, Sth Brigade of UnitedConfederate Veterans, composedof the V. C. V. Camps of Jones
Fisher, Scurry, KentFisher, Scurry, Kent, Dickenskellkell counties, I hereby call
meeting of the 2 nd Regiment
meeting of the 2nd Regiment to
take place at the City of Stam
ford in the City Hall on Thurs
day the 21st day of Mareh at
P. M.
The Camps composing the
Regiment are hereby instructed
to send two delegates and two
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to be found outaide the big daily newspapers.

## PLANTERS

The season for the use of planters is approaching and the time is here for farmers to determine what make of this important implement they will use.

We have two candidates for your consideration, to-wit:

## Mr. Bill P1anters. John Deere Planters

These stand at the head of the list for convenience of adjustment and the scope of the work they will do.

Come and investigate their good points.
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## SILK JUMPER SUITS

Our first shipment of Silk Jumper Suits is here. If you haven't seen them yet and appreciate seeing beautiful clothes it will be time well spent to come down and give them a look. They are made of beautiful silks and
according to the latest fashion styles. In fact these suits according to the latest fashion styles. In fact these suits
will be the stylish dresses of the season and the lady who will be the stylish dresses of the season and t
wears one of them will be among the Elect.

Prices range from . . . . . . . $\$ 12.50$ to 20.00

## SKIRTS

Every season brings newer and prettier things, especially is this so with our new spring skirts. The first shipment is already here and the others will arrive in due and we believe they will be the prettiest you will see had and we believe they will be the prettiest you will see this
season. They are the kind that combine service with style and they offer many good selections. But remember style and they offer many good selections. But remember
that the early buyer carries off the prettiest goods. So you had better be among the early buyers this spring for already they are being picked over
$\$ 3.50$ to $\$ 10.00$

## Lace Curtains

If you intend buying New Lace Curtains this spring you surely can not afford to miss seeing ours. We have but this spring we are especially strong along this line. Our stock is larger and the patterns prettier than heretofore. We will appreciate showing them to you at any time.

Prices range per pair from
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Locals and Personals
Palat at cost, Collier-Andruss Co's. Take your jewelr
Corn, Oats, Chops, Hay and MeAl See Joat Melton \& Crews. Bee Jobnson \&
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If you are anzious to sell we have a buyer.
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Burris "Upper Crust" flour sold by
made from the best in Haskell, is
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If you need a good hair brush
French Bros. is the place to get it.
"Girl In Blue" gives us a neway thle week and promisee more anon. Mr. Dick Pogue, for seversl yeara eitizens ot Haskeli, but who now resides out on the plaing, came in
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Sour stomach, fullness after eating, atatence are all caused by imperfoc igestion. Prickly Ash Bitters cor
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Corn planting is over and we are going after more buyers. List you $10 \cdot \mathrm{tf}$ West Texas D
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three more are in course of erection. We still have plenty of money to loan at 8 per cent on land and to buy Vendor's Lien notes. (tf) Sanders \& Wilson See our line of tooth brush rench Bro
Miss Eva Guthrie of the eastern part of the county spent the week in
town visiting wite Misa Annie Ellis. Mrs J. H. Wilkerson of Sweet wate at thisplace.
Bargains: Go to Foster \& Nea1's Gargain counter for anything from $\overline{5}$

cis. to a dollar. Bargaine! If you want a choice three acre vilding lot in southeast part of Has. out lot No. 30, B. \& R. addition. | 3 t |
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We keep a nice line of post cardy.
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Mr. H. M. Stanies of Quanah, State
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headquarters at Haskell. Judge H. R. Jones, J. W. Meadors,
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flatulence or water brash, fatulence or water brash, may be
quickly corrected through the use Prickly Ash Bltters. It strengthens
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Pinkerton addition on the north aide Evers, the new harness man at
Haskell, bas the largeat atock of horae allars in the county.
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county from Comanche county to town Monday.
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"When a peraon calls for the best Harts' Honey and Horehound,
Hes gives universal satisfaction for cre of coughe, colde and croup. It is
my best seller," writes Chas. E. EdWards, Linden, Wris. $25 \mathrm{Cb}, 50 \mathrm{c}$ and $\$ 1$ bottles sold at Terrells drug store. Mr. W. H. Suith of the Rule community was in Monday and went on our subseription list.
Mr. J. R. Johnson, on old subseriber
o the Free Press was dong othe Free Press was dolug busi-
ness in the eapital city Saturday and had his address changed to Rule.
Mr. W. J. Clay of Erath county,
Cormerly state Commissioner of In-
urance, was in Haskell Monday.
Mr. T. A. Grove of the northwest
part of the county was doing business in Haskell Monday.
Haskell Monday.
Mr. J. Y. Atchison of Comanche
visiting his sons in this county
M. W. W. Coin this county.

Mr. J. W. Collins made a business
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## the week.

Mr. W. B. Roberts was among rowd in town Monday.
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