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HASKELL, HASKELL COUNTY. TEXAS, SATURDAY MORNING MAR. 7, 1908.

To the People of Haskell County:

After making a slight preliminary canvass of the situation, I have decided to offer as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of Sheriff and Tax Collector of Haskell, county. In doing so I desire to state tax collector, and I promise, if ress. nominated and elected, that I will to the best of my ability discharge the duties of the office and will at all times be dilligent and co-operate with the judicial officers in the enforcement of all the criminal laws, and, in this connection, I will state that I believe in enforcing the laws against all violators without fear or favor, for only by such action can the policy of "equal rights to all and special privileges to none" ed valuation of \$24,000. prevail.

I respectfully solicit the support of the people as a candidate to California. and, if elected, the co-operation of all men in the discharge of J. W. HESTER. my duties.

TO SPEAK

state prohibition.

to be present.

A NEICHBOR OF YOURS

as well as yourself is liable at any time to have rheumatism. We're all liable to have cuts or burns, bruises or sealds, cricks in the back, neck or side-some kind of an ache or pain. Then heed this advice and 'tell your neighbor-Ballard's Snow Liniment relieves all anthe "Terrell's Drug Htore.

Mrs. J. F. Posey of Munday of visited her sister. Mrs. J. T. Lawley, this week, Mr. W. K. Miller of Rule was

Haskell

over Thursday on business with the Fraternal Bankers.

If you need any dry goods, clothes, shoes, etc., there's monthat I have had extensive exper- ey for you in the bankrupt sale ience both as deputy sheriff and of the Egger stock now in prog-

> You can get tornado insurance from the Haskell Real Estate Co.

A real estate deal of considerable proportions was accomplished this week when Mr. J. J. Stein traded the interest of Mr. I. D. Killingsworth in the big. new brick building on the northeast corner of the square to Mr. J. O. Chitwood for his 530 acre farm southeast of town at an estimat-

Mr. W. H. Parsons returned Tuesday from a prospecting trip

For quick sales list your property with the Haskell Real Estate Co.

Mr. Max Stern, the optician who has visited this place annally for a number of years. Arthur W. Jones of Dallas, has located in Haskell perman-Texas, will deliver an address at ently and has an office up stairs the court house on Friday night, in the Sherrill building. We March 13th, in the interest of never have heard of any dissatisfaction with his work as an Everybody is cordially invited optician or the eye glasses fitted by him.

> Fine line of jewelry-counts 5 to 1 in purchases in the piano contest at the Racket Store.

\$5.00 buys a ton of cheap coal at the Davidson Grain and Coal Company.

to the lodge.

Go to the Haskell Real Estate Do. for f'

Information for Homeseekers.

For the purpose of furnishing

reliable information in regard to

desired information to persons

seeking locations for

any industrial or manu.

facturing enterprise, the towns

throughout a group of counties-

cluded-have organized the Cen-

tral West Texas Association of

Commercial Clubs with officers

and agents whose business it is

to gather and furnish such au-

A letter of inquiry addressed

to the secretary or any of the

officers, or a member of the ex-

ecutive committee will receive

Their names and addresses

Pres. T. E. Powell, Baird, Tex.

Vice-Pres. Jas. Stinson, Anson,

Treas. R. B. Wofford, Hamlin,

Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup

thentic information.

prompt attention.

Officers:

French Bros.

follow:

≁TERRELL ↔ DRUGGIST, JEWELER AND OPTICIAN. Drugs, Medicines, Jewelry, Sundries,

Free

TO THE FIRE BOYS.

tant business to transact.

Joe Mc Crary.

Mr. B. F. Ash of the Rule

neighborhood was in Wednesday

and made himself safe on the

new postal ruling. Speaking of

the farming outlook and the large

amount of moisture in the ground

Mr. Ash said that in digging

some post holes a few days ago

he found the soil thoroughly

moist down two feet, which was

vuainted with wertern farming,

he thinks this condition of the

a small amount of rain, especial-

time to produce a prompt germi-

GOOD FOR EVERYBODY.

Mr. Norman R. Culter, a prominent

architect, in the Delbert Building

all that is said of the Electric Bit-

ters as a tonic medicine. It is good for

everybody, it corrects stomach. liver

and kidney disorders promptly and efficiently and build up the system."

Electric Bitters is the best spring

counter; as a blood purifier it is un-

equaled, 50c, at Terrell's Drug Store.

FOR TAX ASSESSOR

FOR SALE.

Mr. J. P. Moeller who was here

some time since and purchased

and preparing to put in crops.

He favored us with a subscrip-

It is the chance of your life to

get something you need at a very

small price-at the sale of the

Biggest line of up-to-date

Messrs. Sanders & Wilson in-

Special one-fourth off sale of

stationery to arrive this week at

tion to the FREE PRESS.

Colliers' Drug Store.

Chief.

well.

NOTIONS AND OPTICAL GOODS. Strictly retail, one price to all. We buy for cash and Sell for Cash. Meet all competition and save you money on everthing in our line. We LIVE AND LET LIVE at

TERRELLS DRUG STORE 1] ASKELL, - -TEXAS.

THE HASKELL NATIONAL BANK

HASKELL, TEXAS

Affords Protection and Safety For its Depositors. With

CAPITAL. \$90.000.00 SURPLUS

and Profits and a wealth of over a Half Million Dollars of its directors, it is - C 1 3 : .

SAFE, SOUND AND SOLVENT

Call and see us and we will treat you right : : + : : :

FOR CONSTABLE

We are authorized to announce community appears in our an- for a fairly good cotton crop last stated to us that he had acted in Mr. Stamps came from Mc. have an abundance of grain and

nation of seeds.

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Tells About Crops and Crop Prospects.

A meeting of companies Nos. 1 and 2 of the Haskell Fire De-Mr. J. T. Therwhanger, one partment will be held Tuesday of the FREE PRESS' old standnight, 10th inst., up stairs in the bys, was in the city Tuesday Solomon Implement Co's buildand dropped in and put himself ing. Every member is requeston the good side of our ledger ed to attend as there is imporand had the name of a friend entered for a year's subscription.

Press.

We asked him about crops and things out in his neck o' the woods --- he lives two or three miles northwest from Weinertand he said that there was a considerable acreage of wheat in and north of his neighborhood and that it is growing and looking very fine now and will continue to grow for two or three weeks longer without rain. Oats, especially the volunteer

crops, he said, was also looking

as deep as he dug. Being ac-He said as a general proposition farmers are better advanced with their work than he has ever soil insures good crops with even before seen them at this time of the year in this country-and he ly if we have rain at planting has been here since 1891. He said he thought no year since he has been in Haskell county ever opened with a better promise of good crops, for the reasons that farm work is better ad-San Francisco, says: "I fully endorse vanced and there is a good "bottom season" in the ground from the fall rains, which, according to his experience and observation here, insures good crops with a small amount of medicine ever sold over a druggist's rain during the growing season. He said that should there be,

however, an extry dry year and short "crops our farmers are in excellent condition to stand it. Mr. A. D. Stamps of the Cliff as they got pretty good prices

Bro. Farmer.

I have a car load of choic new seeds raised in Nebrask and Missouri, clean of Johnson grass. Call and get what you want. G. J. Miller.

JACK FOR SALE.

Klondike, my fine black Spanish Jack is for sale. He is six years old, fourteen and one half hands high, standard measure. His colts are very fine and can be seen here.

This Jack is registered in the American Jack Stock Stud Book ditions, etc., of this portion of as No. 1108 and I have a certificate of his registration and pedigree, which interested parties may examine.

Will sell cheap for cash, or will give part time with good in which Haskell county is innotes. See me for further information at farm two miles northeast of Haskell. J. M. Woodson.)9-4t)

RACE SUICIDE.

as President Roosevelt calls it, is not nearly the menace to increase in population that deaths among infants are. And eight out of ten of these deaths are directly or indirectly by boweltroubles. McGees Baby Elixir cures diarrhoea, dysentery, sour stomach and all infant ailments of this uature Just the thing for babies. Price 20 and 50c. sod by Terrell's Drug Stsr.

Judge H. R. Jones' announcement for the office of County Texas. Judge appears in our columns this week. Our space was Texas. about taken up when his announcement was handed in so Texas. that we have to defer any extended mention until next week.

Mr. F. L. Graham returned Sunday from a trip in the Panhandle country.

Mr. W. D. Koonce left Sunday night on a visit to his mother at Mount Vernon, Texas.

See W. M. Gardener for stove wood.

The drill team of the. Haskell maintains its reputation for fur-Lodge of Fraternal Bankers went over to Rule Monday even-

walke

ing and assisted the lodge there Roast & Barbecued in initiating several candidate.

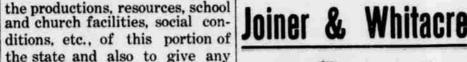
City Meat

meats. These ready cooked Judge W. C. Jackson, counselor and general attorney of the meats are a great help to the order, also went over with the ladies-especially is preparing party and delivered an address Sunday dinner.

> The beeves we slaughter are selected with a view to getting

the fattest and tenderest.

We solicit your patronage,





THE TRANSMISSION OF MONEY

to distant points is best accomplished-easiest and safest-by checking against your current account with this bank. You may have a cashier's check in exchange if you prefer. Every reason why you should open an account with us. Know of any why you shouldn't?

Sec. O. P. Thomas, Abilene, FARMERS NATIONAL BANK. R. C. MONTGOMERY. Cashier.

Haskell,

acts gently yet promptly on the bowels and allays inflammation at the same "When a person calls for the best time. It is pleasant to take. Sold by sough medicine I laway recommend Harts' Honey and Horehonnd, it gives Help the Little Racket Store universal satisfaction for the cures of to give that beautiful piano to

some Sunday school, lodge or Linden, Wis. 25c,50c and \$1.00 bottles church. It's a beauty. Come in sold by Terrell's Drug Store. and try its tone and action.

the capacity of a peace officer without waiting for citizens to tion there. His candidacy is winter.

go before the magistrate and subject to the Democratic priswear to complaints and secure mary of July 25th. warrants.

He says that he understands it to be the duty of all executive Two good milch cows withofficers to enforce the criminal laws without partiality and that young calves J. M. Woodson two that would be his policy if miles northeast of Haskell. (9-2) elected.

CHAMBERLIN'S COLIC, CHOLERA AND DIARRHOE HEMEDY

a tract of 716 acres of land of This remedy has been in use for over thirty years and has proved it- Mr. J. J. Stein, has moved to his self to be the most successful remedy new home from Coryell county yet discovered for bowel camplaints. and is putting in impaovements It never fails. Sold by Terreli's Drug Store.

Announcement to Lutherans.

Lutheran services shall be conducted on March 8th, at 2:30 p. m., at the Presbyterian church Egger bankrupt stock. in Haskell. The German speaking public is especially invited to attend. REV. F. A. BRACHER. Lutheran Pastor, Stamford.

LOVERS

formed us the other day that of good health should prevent sick they had just completed 45 abness instead of letting themselves get sick and and try to cure it So long as stracts of land titles of 96 pages you keep your liver, bowels and stom- each, for Judge Weinert of Seach in a healthy and active condition guine and B. E. Sparks of Stamyou won't get sick. Ballard's Herbine ford. This is probably the largrelieves constipation, inactive liver est order for abstracts ever filled and stomache aud bowei tronbles. by a Haskell firm. sold by Terrell's Drug Store-

WOOD.

I am putting in an up-to-date white enameled ware, this and wood yard in Haskell and will be next week at the Little Racket Store. prepared to furnish cord wood cut to uniform lengths for cook Mr. Chris Zerwer of Ennis is and heating stoves. Will de- here putting improvements on

liver anywhere in town or sell at the farm he purchased southeast sour stomach and belching of gas. W. M. Gardener. of town not long since.

Mr. Stamps came from Mc- have an abundance of grain and for a number of years and that Lennan county to this county, feed stuffs to carry them over. nishing the tenderest and juciest he believed that his experience this being his third year in Has- He also said that a great many qualifies him for a proper dis- kell county and his sixteenth farmers have raised their own charge of the duties of the con- year in Texas. While our ac- meat and are getting to do so stable's office. He said it had quaintence with Mr. Stamps is more and more every year, thus been his practice, and would be limited, we can state that he keeping theip smoke-houses at

if elected, to file complaints on stands well in his community home instead of in the grocery "information and belief" where and are informed by persons store. As an instance of this he information was given him by who knew him in McLennan himself killed and put up 1300 reliable and credible citizens that he bore an excellent reputa- pounds of pork and lard this

> He said he thought there would be less acreage put in cotton and more in grain and other feed crops this year than usual.

... **Estray Notice**

THE STATE OF TEXAS. County of Haskell.

Taken up by A. A. Gauntt and estrayed before G. W. Lamkin Justice of the Peace Precinct No. 1 Haskell county. One red steer yearling, about 18 months old, no mark nor brand, appraised at twelve dollars.

The owner of said stock is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take the same away. or it will be

dealt with as the law directs. Given under my hand and seal seal) of office, this the 15th day of February, 1908. J. W. MEADORS, Clerk

County Court Haskell, Co. ...

NO USE TO DIE

"I have found out that there is no use to die offlung trouble as long as you can get Dr/ King's new discovery. saysMrs. J. P. whit, of Rushboro, Pa. "I would not be alive to-day only for this wonderful medicine. It leasens up a cough quicker than anything else, and cures lung disease even after the case is pronounced hopeless." This most reliable remedy for coughs and colds, lagrippe, asthma, bronchitis and hoarseness, is sold under guarantee at Terrell's Drug Store. Trial bottle free.

Kodol is today the best known remedy for all disorders of the stomach, such as dyspepsia, heart burn, Sold here by French Bros.

yard.

Texas.

coughs, colds and cramps. It is my best seller," writes Chas, E. Edwards



Gambling in Cube.

American influence has brought about some important changes in Cuban customs and notably in the abolition of the bull ring and the cock pit, which used to be the chief Sunday atever. High and low wager immoderately on this game and many stories of ruined reputations and wrecked businesses are connected with it. Every race has its prevailing vice and its comparative freedom from others. The Cubans are incurable gamblers, but drunkenness is virtually unknown among them, writes C. H. Forbes-Lindsay in the World To-Day. Both sexes in Havana spend a great deal of time in the numerous open air cafes, but they drink, for the most part, nonalcoholic, fruity beverages, of which there are an extensive variety peculiar to the country.

For Immense Harbor.

Governor Campbell Not in Scramble. Austin: Governor Campbell says:

"I am not a candidate for delegate at large to the National Convention, and est in State affairs and in making good

occurred just inside the city limits. Seven cars were off and five badly smashed; two cars containing, containing fifty dead cattle and a fiftyfoot bridge are broken up and will divert traffic for a couple of days. The train was known as the Fast Denver, in the breeze.

by unknown parties. No noise was

made, and nothing was known of the lynching save by those taking part until the morning sun revealed the burned. gruesome sight of his dead body dangling and waving pendulum fashion

ng white citizen, who was known by

ersville was sweeping in front of her fireplace Wednesday her dress caught fire and she was probably fatally

A census of Rule, the new Panhandle wonder, shows a population tractions of the populace. Not a few has intraveston harbor'th'or it shall there duties, together with my inter- caused the wreck. two years old.

throughout the city. Besides these, thousands of men will be out of work

on account of the burning of the factories.

Washington, Feb. 29. - Mr. Gregg

home had previously been.

The Attractiveness of Cuba.

capital. All the principal cities are above and four below middling. picturesque and interesting, and each has distinctly individual characteristics. The hotel accommodations are seldom as good as they should be, but and a fourth mortally wounded in a were seriously injured and seven cars comfort anywhere, says C. H. Forbes-Lindsay in the World To-Day. In every place one encounters Americans. with an occasional Spaniard, Canadian or Britisher, who are spying out this land of promise and quietly picking up desirable tracts of it.

Prohibition surely seems to be marching on. A conference has been held in London, participated in by men of both hemispheres, and including a good representation from America, the object of which is to inaugurate a world-wide movement, supported by a confederation composed of workers in the globe. The progress made in the United States of late has been rethe drinking habit is far more of an established institution, is still more extraordinary.

Manila is the best-governed city in the Orient. We understand all about the theory of government in this country, but sometimes we hate to apply it on ourselves. it is well that we bought a bunch of foreigners on whom to experiment and thus prove our capacity.

There appears to be a difference of opinion as to whether or not crepe de

become one of the greatest harbors of the country. Its purpose is to univeston bay and make one grand project of one large and two small interests. Instead of treating Galveston channel, Bolivar channel and Texas City channel as independent and rival expression to genuine Democrat prinenterprises, the resolution would merge them into one great engineering project.

To Establish Cotton Grades.

Three Are Killed: Four Hurt.

Evelyn, Ky .: Three men were killed Hamilton.

Pat Garrett Dies in His Bocts.

El Paso: Pat garrett, famous over

Four Boys Drowned at Mart.

Mart: By the overturning of a out in which six small boys were fishcaed almost an hour later. The dead: Broughton and Robert Johnson.

the pledges upon which I was elected fy all the navigation interest of Gal- Governor, demands my whole time and requires the employment of all my energies. I am interested in securing a solid and loyal Bryan delegation selected and a platform that will give ciples along reform lines.

Bishop Duncan Dead.

Nashville, Tenn.: Bishop W. W. Washington: The agricultural ap. Duncan of the Methodist Episcopal propriation bill which will be report. Church, South, died at his home at ed in a week or two, has a provision Spartanburg. S. C., Monday morning. directing the fixing of a standard of Bishop Duncan had been in ill health cotton classification, in accordance for some months. He was born at With the recent extension of rail. with a bill introduced by Mr. Burle- Randolph-Macon College, in Virgin A. road facilities, tourists in general have son of Texas. The provision calls on December 27, 1839 He succeeded lent duplicates by means of photobegun to extend their travel beyond for the employment of three expert his brother as President of Randolphthe neighborhood of Havana, and they classifiers. They are to fix a standard Macon College, and it was from that are learning that the provinces offer of middling cotton, and, using this an position that he was elected a Bishop even greater attractions than the a basis, fix a standard for four grades by the General Conference of his church.

Killed in a Wreck.

battle with revolvers following a quar- were ditched in a wreck of a train on rel in the lumber camp of Congleton the Denver Road two miles south of John Hamilton, James Bowles, Rich- Stevens, a' mechanic of Alvord, was liams and three minor children against ard Spicer and George Frazier had killed, John Cunningham of Ballinger the Katy for the death of husband and been working with about seventy oth- wah perhaps fatally injured. Otto Leqer men hauling lumber and staves. The man of Cincinnati, Ohio, was seriously children of Bowles and Frazier had hurt, and John Wootson of New York Hams, \$10,000; eldest daughter, \$4000; fallen out with those of Spicer and sustained slight injuries. The men were riding in a freight car.

Engineer and Fireman Injured.

Denison: Engineer Nathan Steelthe continent as the slayer of "Billy man and Fireman W. C. Stallings were the Kid," was shot and killed Satur- injured by Frisco engine No. 713 turn- Henry E. Everding, a patent attorney day near Las Cruces in a dispute over ing over while pulling a work train the prohibition cause in all parts of a ranch lease. J. Wayne Brazel, a near Francis, Ok., Monday morning. young ranchman, has surrendered to Both men were taken to the hospital Sheriff Lucero, and is held at Las at Sherman on a special train. The markable, but the success attained in Cruces. He claims self-defense. The injuries of Engineer Steelman are bemany parts of the old world, where Coroner's jury at Las Cruces returned lieved to be fatal. His skull is a verdict that Garrett died from crushed and he has internal injuries. wounds inflicted by a revolver in the Stallings' injuries are more painful than serious.

Bubonic Plague at Guayquil.

Quayquil, Ecuador: Although the existence of the bubonic plague here ing on a small lake near this place has not yet been officially announced. Saturday afternoon, four of them were the disease continues to spread on all drowned, and the other two, clinging sides of the city. There have been to the bottom of the boat, were res- twenty-seven cases and twelve deaths since the frat appearance of the Bailey Yancey, aged twelve; Harvey plague in this neighborhood. A speare leaving the city.

In the Dark and Bloody Ground. Hopkinsville, Ky .: Night riders set

in which Mr. Gregory and his wife and baby were sleeping. Mrs. Gregory was shot at as she telephoned into town, but not wounded. The residence was burned. A detail of militia under guard here hastened to the scene, but the night riders had disappeared.

Ingenious Bank Swindle.

Paris, France: The Paris police are investigating a most ingenious bank swindle. An individual in New York obtained a letter of credit from a large graphs, which he forwarded to accomplices in London, Paris, Rome, Vienna, Marseilles, Genoa, Hamburg and Munich, who cashed them simultaneously, netting \$100,000.

Verdict for \$25,000.

Sherman: The largest amount of damages ever awarded by a Grayson County jury in a personal injury damfather. The judgment aggregates \$25. second daughter, \$5000; infant son, \$6000.

Sensational Arrests. Washington: Ned W. Barton, an as-

of Philadelphia, and John A. Heany of York, Pa., an inventor, were indicta charge of destroying public records. Ball was fixed at \$10,000. The indict amendments.

Two Orient Divisions Will Open. Hamlin: E. A. Stilwell, President, and several other officials of the Ori-

ent, accompanied by about 100 North-Hamlin looking over the town and inspecting the new terminals. Mr. Stilwell says steel bought for the comple-

the negro to be away from home, scream before daylight Thursday fire to the residence of Broussais morning. He rushed over in time to Gregory, one mile west of Hopkins. catch Scott emerging from the house. ville, and fired guns into the bedroom The negro could give no explanation day last week. of his presence.

> Mississippi After Lumber Trust. Jackson, Miss .: Chancellor Garland Lyell has rendered a decree deciar ing that the Mississippi and Louisiana Retail Lumber Dealers' Association is a trust and combine, and or-

ders that the said organization be ousted from business in Mississippi The association has been operating under what is known as the "Mississippi plan," which provides for the boycotting of wholesalers or manufacturers who sell direct to consumers.

The Pullman Palace Car Company the buffet supplies, and already the and back so that he died in a few, new rule is in force on many roads.

Santa Fe Construction Continues.

Santa Fe officials that President Rip- field, Mo., went out and shot the womley has rescinded his orders stopping an twice, only slightly wounding her, and Williams Brothers, near here. Alvord at 10:30 Monday night. Bailey of a jury in the case of Mrs. Ellen Wil- the Arizona and California railroad a pistol and knife. new railroad construction insofar as and attempted to kill himself with is affected. The building of the bridge

across the Colorado River at Parker will be resumed as well as the construction of the remainder of the line

Mexican Merger Signed.

City of Mexico: The papers in the merger of the Mexican Central and National Lines have been signed, after a conference between B. W. Palmer, representing New York financial intered by the Grand Jury and arrested, on ests, and Minister Limantour for the Mexican Government. This culminated the long-drawn-out negotiations readiness for the service of the Texment charges that the three carried and causes the greater part of the as Traction Company. With fair away from the Patent Office and de- railway mileage of the country to pass stroyed letters, specifications and into the control of the Federal Government.

Cave-in Kills Judson Thomas.

Sherman: Judson Thomas, twentyeight years of age, having a wife and ern and English capitalists, were in two small children, met almost instant death at Calf Creek bridge, on the Bonham road, two miles east of here, Friday afternoon. He was in the em-Vinson, aged thirteen; Willie Riley, cial advisory board, which includes and Red River will begin to arrive at work in a trench when the weight kogee Cotton Seed Oil Company's chine is silk. Why not call on the aged twelve; Rupert Gossett, aged physicians of the highest class, is to in April. The gap now separating the of the old structure caved the dirt Texas division from that of Oklahoma into the trench. He was smothered union stonemason's card made out to and crushed by tons of material.

Miss Mollie Sellers died at the Thomas Dennis place, about two miles north of Dodd City, where she was visiting, after being horribly burned one

An El Paso special from Barstow, Texas, states that four buildings in the business section were destroyed by fire. The loss is \$10,000, with insurance of half that amount.

While Mose Wimbly, a negro living four miles west of West, was in town, two of his boys, both small, took a rifle to the barn to shoot rats. One of the boys accidentally shot and killed the other.

While driving a team hitched to a wagon containing 4,500 pounds of sacked chops, J. J. Broadwell of Roscoe fell in front of the wheel and it has decided to cut out liquors from passed over him, crushing his chest hours.

After buying a coffin for his wife Phoenix, Ariz .: It is announced by and himself, Thomas R. Ray of Spring-

A mold for counterfeiting silver dollars and one of the spurious coins have been received at San Angelo by Unitacross the Mojave Desert to its con- ing been forwarded to him by Sheriff nection with the Santa Fe near Bag- Spiller of Menard County. Both show age and long disuse.

> With sixty-eight divorce cases on the docket, fifty-two were dismissed by District Judge Hawkins of Ellis County. Two applications were denied and seven decrees annulling the marital ties were granted.

> More than thirty miles of the sixty between Dallas and Sherman are in weather, it is stated that the rest of the trackage will be ready between April 1 and 15.

With the arrival of an engine, work is going forward at a great rate ou the Henrietta and Southwestern. It is announced that the road expects to have its track ready for operation by this summer into Mineral Wells.

The decomposed body of a white man was found a few days since in plant. In the man's pocket was a William Elkins, Fort Smith, Ark.

PRESIDENT ENDORSED

FOR DEPOSIT GUARANIY.

SENATE COMMITTEE ON BROWNS-VILLE AFFAIR REPORTS.

THE REPUBLICANS ARE SPLIT

p.A. Foraker, Buckley, Scott, Hemenway, and Dupont Would Vindicate the Negroes in the Affair.

Washington, Feb. 26. - President Roosevelt's action in dismissing a alyzed the banking conditions last fall, battalion of negro soldiers of the and drew the inference that the crisis Twenty-fifth Infantry because of the Brownsville, Texas, raid was indorsed West. by the Senate Committee on Military Affairs yesterday by a vote of 8 to 5.

Five of the eight Republican members of the Senate Committee on Military Affairs voted for Senator For- he declared, loaned on call or demand aker's resolution declaring that the notes, a kind of loan, he said, that is soldiers discharged by the President only made on stocks, and is not availwere not guilty of having shot up able for business men. Brownsville. That the President escaped the implied censure of this resolution was due to the fact that the of gold during the panic, he undertook five Democratic members of the com- to show that the \$100,000,000 of gold mittee joined Senators Warren, Warner and Lodge in opposition.

The Republican Senators who declared for the innocence of the negroes were Foraker, Scott, Buckly, served no credit in that connection. Hemenway and Dupont.

Senator Foraker offered a sequence of resolutions each one less positive ers are on the lowest level." than its predecessor, but in every instance the eight held together and the necessities by protecting deposit finally, by the same vote of eight to ors, stop the runs on banks and pre five, the guilt was fastened upon the | vent the big banks in the reserve cit negroes by the adoption of Senator les from tying up the funds of local Lodge's resolution.

This report establishes the verdict of the committee. The reports to the Senate are et to be made, and it may be ten days or two weeks before these fused the application for a writ or erare filed. It is thought there will be for of the Waters-Pierce Oil Company at least four of these, as some of the Senators desire to soften as much as they may their action of yesterday

to mollify the White House, which he State courts are concerned. This is fears may add him to the list of undesirable citizens if his vote of yes- ney General Davidson and his assistterday is left to stand as the naked ants. criterion.

Senator Foraker is to speak on the subject and his speech is to extend through three days. This will be the longest speech made in several years, which is a circumstance indicative of the feeling that agitates Senator Foraker.

Democrats Open Headquarters. Denver, Colo: Headquarters have peen opened in Denver at the Albany

Neison of Minnesota Speaks for His Amendment. Washington, Feb. 27 .- Senator Nelson (Republican) of Minnesota spoke

in support of his amendment to the Aldrich currency bill providing for the guarantee of deposits in National banks, and he took occasion to sharply criticize the present banking methods.

Declairing that the trouble with the country during the recent currency exigency was not caused by a lack of money, but by the difficulty in keeping it in circulation, Mr. Nelson anoriginated in the East and not in the

He spoke of "loafers" in New York who live on stock manipulation. Thirty-eight per cent of the money in New oYrk was, at the time of the panic,

Saying that the banks had taken a great deal of credit for the importation imported was sent here upon bills of lading to pay for wheat and cotton that had been sent abroad and contended that, therefore, the banks de "Great God!" he exclaimed, "The panic demonstrated that the big bank-

In conclusion he said: "Let us meet funds."

Davidson Is Sustained.

Austin: The Supreme Court has re in both the receivership and ouster suits of the defendant company, thus ending the litigation of the State Senator Scott, for example, wants against this corporation so far as the considered a great victory for Attor-

> St. Louis, Mo.: Judge H. S. Priest, attorney in St. Louis for the Waters Pierce Oil Company, says that the action of the State Supreme Court of Texas in denying the writ of error to the Waters-Pierce Oil Company in the ouster and receivership suits against it merely meant that the case was

THE WEEK'S EPITOME

A RESUME OF THE MOST IMPOR-TANT NEWS AT HOME AND ABROAD.

NEWS FROM EVERYWHERE

A Carefully Digested and Condensed Compliation of Current News Domestic and Foreign.

One woman and three children were burned to death in a fire at Pittsburg, Pa., early Saturday morning.

The Paris Board of Trade is in correspondence with a party from Colo- The murerderer then fled. rado, who contemplates establishing a creamery there.

Local nimrods have shipped over 1200 rabbits from Windom, Fannin County, this season, receiving an average price of 10 cents.

The program for the Baptist Encampment at Lampasas, July 14-23, is nearly completed, and several men of note are booked for the occasion. By an explosion in the La Rosita mine near San Juan de Sabinas Wednesday seventy-six men were killed. Most of the laborers were Japanese. Col. William G. Sterrett made formal announcement of his candidacy for Congress from the Fifth District in last Sunday's papers.

Philadelphia was chosen as the meeting place of the 1909 annual convention of the United States League of Local Building and Loan Associations.

Frances, the fourteen-months old child of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard, Denison, was drowned by pitching headforemost into a lard can filled with water.

Frank A. Munsey, the New York publisher, has bought the Baltimore News, which will be conducted in the future as in the past-an independent newspaper.

John Vilck, a successful Bohemian farmer living near Granger, was run years of age, who resided on the Wehover by a Katy train Sunday and in. demeyer place, near Grapevine, in stantly killed while returning home Washington County, was found dead from Granger.

A warehouse belonging to the Wax. home Thursday morning. ahachie Planing Mill Company was destroyed by fire Sunday morning. About mittee has decided to change the date three car loads of lumber were burned. of their celebration from September Total loss is about \$5000, with some 18 to September 25, 1909. The object insurance.

C. V. Topping, Secretary of the Mil- ability of good weather, ended in Texas and would now go to lers' Association of Oklahoma, is in Ausdyramite, bomb was thrown compa_ will have fifteen days in tions on the condition of the wheat. Alcorte of Brazil was driving , a few days will have fifteen days in the second rates have placed the crop days since but failed to explode.

The Federal Grand Jury will make inquiry into an alleged cotton-controlling combine of buyers at Little Rock. Rock Island officials have agreed with the Oklahoma Railroad Commission to build a depot at Goodwell, Texas County. Mrs. Gotier, an old resident of Red River County, died last week at Bo-

ceived several weeks ago. the ball to rolling in your Union. Hon. H. B. Terrell, representative from McLennan County, will make the race for the State Senate from the disfor some more good material for the trict composed of McLennan, Falls Union. and Milam Counties,

gota from the effects of burns re-

Frenzied with jealousy, Andrew make the Union a little better than it Kalinoski murdered his wife, Katle, was last year. and Jacob Schmelsor, a boarder, in his wife's home at Cleveland, Ohlo.

for the good of the Union and the peo-Defending his mother from assaults, ple it is intended for. Edward Twist, a twelve-year-old Indian boy at Talequah, Ok., shot a man, almost tearing his head from his body. roads is the mark of a stirring com-Twist was placed in jail, munity,

Fire last Friday morning destroyed a large warehouse belonging to the Waxahachie Planing Mill Company. men who have not set out some trees this season, even if they have had to Two or three cars of lumber were hunt a place to set them. burned. The loss is about \$5000.

The Rose bill providing for county Have you taken time yet to get acquainted with your teachers? That is, local option throughout the State of your children's teachers? If you have Ohio passed the House Wednesday not, it is high time you were doing afternoon by a vote of 79 to 36. The this bill had already passed the Senate.

James O'Neal, fifty-seven years of Good nature doesn't cost anything. age, was found dead in his room in but it fetches an interest that would Fort Worth Wednesday afternoon. He soon transfer this world from the devil's books to a paradise if all would had evidently been dead several hours.

the City Hotel at Barstow were destroyed by fire Thursday morning. The total loss will foot up something near \$75,000, with not to exceed \$1200 insurance. tend to raise-your own or someone

denly aboard the gasoline launch at nobody's cotton but your own. If you Arthur City Friday morning. Deceased and Allen Parham of Roxton were on a hunting expedition. Heart failure was the cause.

in a tank about a half mile from his

The Hudson-Fulton celebration comof the change is to insure the prob-

That Land Problem Grows,

Many of those coming here now are, speculators." These "investors and speculators.

THE MAN BEHIND THE PLOW.

Could - Experiently

FARMERS' EDUCATIONAL

AND

CO-OPERATIVE UNION

----- OF AMERICA

A little more enthusiasm will set

This is the day for you to look out

Fall in with your neighbors and

Get the habit of thinking and talking

Get busy and form you a neighbor-

There are mighty few real Union

He is the Prime, Essential Man the World Needs.

There are but few things in this world that are so attractive, so supstantially needed, so universally derended upon, so unreservedly discriminated against, as "the man behind the blow?

"The man behind the plow" has for several years in the past played but a small part in the affairs of State, politically, financially or scientifically, so far as his laying plans and carrying them out are concerned.

We have reached the day, however. when "the man behind the plow" 's going to have something to say. He is going to be heard, and he had better be heeded. The people who will continue their efforts to press him will no doubt be wiped off the face of the earth, for he is in no condition or temper to be trifled with any longer. He is not unreasonable in his demands. He is not over-exacting in his obligahood good roads association. Good tions, but he is determined and unflinching when he is once aroused to the point where he will battle for his rights, and to that point he has been aroused in the last three years.

"The man behind the plow" is, has been, and will ever be "the staff of our nation's life." Without him our country would be weak, insignificant, poor and unrespected, but with him we are powerful, we are rich, we are honored, we are strong. Then why should not "the man behind the plow" have a voice? Why should he not command and be obeyed? Why should he not say Go, and the balance of our people go? Why should he not say Come, and the classes of our nation come? Again we ask why, and we call on the world to answer why the farmers should not be the most respected, the most intelligent and the most commanding people of our nation?

We do not want to pat the farmer on the back, or boost him, but we simply want to express facts, and just here we want to say that if the farmer does not occupy the place to which he is entitled, he has nobody to blame but himself. If he is willing to sit idly by and see others usurp the authority and powers that belong to him, and grind the very life blood out of his wife and children, certainly he can look upon himself as nothing else but a sorry knave.-Union News.

It's a Tarnal Shame!

And there's our boys our there in the cold of winter, who have raised enough cotton this season to clothe a hundred people comfortably--yet they have not decent clothes to wear, their feet are on the ground, and our old, broken-down school house is too uncomfortable for them to sit in in the winter, and the roads are so bad, too! Did you say, What about the summer? Well, our boys will have to help us girls ought not to have any sentencel;

He was a veteran railway trackman. adopt its use. Three frame business houses and Plant Your Own Crop. When you determine on your cotton acreage this year, you who have not yet done so, ask yourself the question whose crop you are pitching and in-

Dr. J. L. Wright of Roxton died sud-

Valentine Stelglitz, about eighty There is never a day in the year that corn and oats will not sell and fetch good prices. Every day you can sell

sweet and Irish potatoes, onions, cabbages, pumpkins, peas and poultry, eggs and butter, so see to it that you raise enough of these things for home consumption and to sell. The non-

producer must eat, and you ought to make your living off him, and his name is legion. Your cotton will be all cash then.-Co-Operator.

Martin of the Democratic National Committee and the members of the subcommittee on arrangements which John F. Osborne of Wyoming is in charge of the headquarters of the sub- pointed Judge T. J. Freeman receiver committee on arrangements of the for the International and Great Northnational committee.

Lowden and Steffens Lose.

New Orleans: The United States court of appeals has affirmed the decision of the lower court in the case of John G. Lowden and Otto W. Stef- road to the appointment of a receiver. fins, plaintiffs in error, vs. the United States, from the Northern district of Texas. The decision carries with it confirmation of the lower court's decree sentencing the men to five years' imprisonment for embegzlement bank at Abilene, Texas.

Plot to Kill Victor Emanuel. Muskogee Ok .: That a plot to kill King Victor Emanuel of Italy was planned in this city by a band of Italians several weeks ago became known lately. The Italians then left killing W. T. Owin on August 18, to carry out their plans. Henry Gromanie, a member of the party, weakened and wrote a letter to a representative of the Italian government. G. Fassino, agent of the Italian consul, of Denver, is in McAlester trying to gather information.

Take Leg Ball from Corsicana. Corsicana: Seven prisoners escaped from the county jail Monday night. According to one of the prisoners who was recaptured at his home in this city Tuesday morning, the escape was trunks were put off after these figmade at 9:30 o'clock. The failor, however, says he was not aware of it rollment 288. More students will probuntil 12 o'clock, when Policeman ably come in right along. It is now Ricker and Hedrick came to the jail probable that the re-enrolled students and told him that one of the men had will number 450, less than 100 below certain part of town.

Became Tired of the Struggle.

El Paso: The body of Mrs. Katherine Kingsbury of Tuscon, Ariz., was found here Tuesday stretched across the bed of her room in a local hotel, probably four hours or more after Christian Science prayer, "God Is My death. A letter by the side of the Life," on his lips, the son of the couple body asked that her husband, who died at their home here Sunday with secured a divorce about two months ago, be notified, and that her watch who is at school in Los Angeles.

hotel by Sergeant at Arms John I. ing to Judge Priest, this will be done.

I. & G. N. in Hands of Receiver. Dallas: Acting on a bill filed in behave charge of the plans for the half of the Mercantile Trust Company be held here July 7. Former Governor P. McCormick, United States Circuit tional Acsociation Tuesday. Judge for the Fifth District, has apern Rallroad, the bill as filed alleging default in payment of interest on certain bonds, and the railroad's lawyer, Judge N. A. Stedman, filing ap-

pearance for the company and there being also filed the consent of the International and Great Northern Rail-

President D. J. Neill of the Farmers' Union has so far recovered from his recent illness that he has decided not to take his intended vacation, and announces that in a few days he will of a national bank's funds from a begin a tour of the State which will the corresponding month last year, or saying, "You will never see me again last until August.

T. J. Robertson Found Guilty.

Galveston: After Seventeen hours deliberation a jury in the Criminal District Court Wednesday morning brought in a verdict of guilty in the case of T. J. Robertson charged with 1907, and assessed punishment at fifteen years' confinement in the State penitentiary. Notice of appeal was immediately given, and it is understood that a motion for a new trial will be filed Friday. The case went on trial Monday morning.

A. and M. College Running Smoothly. College Station: According to the records of the Commandant's office there were 378 cadets connected with the A. and M. College Wednesday. Ten ures were made, making the total enago.

Only Prayer Falls to Cure.

Brazil, Iowa: The Coroner's jury has brought in a verdict blaming Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Palmer for the death of their ten-year-old boy. With the pneumonia. This is the second child of Mr. and Mrs. Palmer to have been Christian Scientists to aid it.

The recent rains have placed the crop days since, but failed to explode. in excellent shape.

More than two thousand educators from all parts of the country gathered in Washington to attend the convention of the department of su-Democratic National Convention to of New York, at Fort Worth, Judge A. perintendents of the National Educa-

> The seed corn for the fifty demon- creamery in this part of Texas. stration farms to be established in Denton's trade territory has arrived and was distributed among the farmers, who will conduct the demonstrations.

Squire Haggard, an aged farmer who lived near Ardmore, Ok., while charged he had sufficient evidence to sawing down a burning tree Sunday convict. afternoon that threatened his barn, received injuries from the tree falling Crosby was found in the San Bernard

on him and died Monday morning. The total receipts of the Dallas was to have been married at Crosby, postoffice from all sources for the had secured his license and engaged month of February, 1908, were \$40, 367.75, against a total of \$39,377.11 for peared, leaving a note to his mother, a gain of \$990.64 in February this year. alive." Mrs. J. C. Spires, wife of a farmer

living three miles west of Basil, Ohio, Creek, near Dallas, in company with Friday killed three of her children. a number of others of his own age, fatally wounded a fourth and then John Steirman, a negro, aged sevencommitted suicide.

Saturday being "tag day," enough ernoon. He was some distance from tags were sold in Greenville at 10 the rest of the boys when they heard cents each to raise \$203.30 for the him call for help. benefit of the public school library. ican, was shot and killed on the a charge of arson. The boy admits streets of Laredo Sunday. Alex Trem- the charge, but declares that he was ble, a custom house inspector, was ar- induced to do the deed by a man who rested.

The Senate Committee has reported favorably Mr. Cooper's bill to make Stable, owned by Everston & King, Port Arthur a port of immigration delivery.

Railway was completed to Olney Sat- dies and nine vehicles. The loss is urday. Olney will now have daily estimated at \$5500, with \$900 insurtrain service. ance.

M. A. Johnson, a tie and stave maker, was struck and killed by the north- a porch of a Dallas residence Tuesbound passerger train on the Summer- day morning, and was placed in a ville branch tof the Santa Fe Satur- home in a few hours afterward. been reported to have been seen in a the number who walked out two weeks day night at Cleveland, near the Trinity River bridge.

> Wu Ting Fang, the new Chinese Friday.

An attempt was made in the city of Teheran, Persia, Friday to assassinate the Shah of Persia by a bomb. His charged. majesty was not hurt. Three outriders who accompanied him at the time were killed.

Charles M. Daniels of the New York Athletic Club has broken the world's record for an eighty-yard swim, covbe given to her daughter, Margaret, fatally sick, with only the prayers of ering the distance with three turns in tight little island can put up, the bouts forty-three seconds flat.

Four people were arrested, charged with conspiracy in the plot. The new creamery plant at Gaines-

ville started Monday and began buying cream. A large number of farmers who had that product to sell visited the plant. This is the largest

Petitioning Governor Hughes to remove District Attorney Jerome, the Metropolitan Street Railway Company of New York has filed twenty-two separate charges against him for failure

The dead body of Albert Reese of the priest, when he suddenly disap-

While swimming in White Rock teen years, was drowned Saturday aft-

A seventeen-year-old boy was arwas seeking revenge.

Fire destroyed the Eclipse Livery including three horses and thirty tons of hay, seventy-five bushels of corn. The Wichita Falls and Southern twenty-four sets of harness, five sad-

> An abandoned infant was found on Dallas is having a seige of chicken thieves.

Jessen Melton, a farmer near Canminister arrived in San Francisco ton, accidentally shot and killed himself Monday morning. He was crawl-

ing under a fence when his gun became caught on a wire and was dis-

Tommy Burns, the American heavyweight champion, is in London, and has offered to meet two Britishers is one night if they will put up the necessary money, and, to make good, he will meet any three fighters the to be six rounds each.

men, many of them, have made it their it gets that fool idea into their heads business for years to find out what the that they are as good as the boys and farmers want in the way of land. From Firls of the towns. They are better

else's? Make up your mind to raise

cannot put in land enough for more

than five bales of cotton for yourself,

put just that much in and no more,

and put the balance of your land in

corn and oats and something to eat.

have become excellent judges of a on cotton raising and corn suying country and its possibilities. They They say that since the Union startknow a good thing when they see it, ed to making us folks get that fool noand, having found it, get in on the tion that we were somebody, that we ground floor. This is just what has have gone like a set of howling apes been done on the Texas plains. Today and brought on a panic, and that we these people own the bulk of our vast should be ashamed of ourselves for fertile prairies .-- Canyon City News. this. Several poor speculators who And still the local papers continue have been accustomed to the very best to tell an anxious public what a fine of everything had to go to the wall bething it is to buy contiguous lands "as cause we sat still and wouldn't sell our an investment," knowing that lands cotton; but we notice that notwithto prosecute cases in which it is must pay taxes and the money invest- standing they say they lost everything. ed in them demands interest, and that their children are still going to the the absentee landlord does nothing on best schools, they still hang to their earth for the community in which he organizations and keep supporting holds lands. Columns on columns of their papers. You see, it's all right for space is used begging men to rush in them to do this, for they know how; mottom near East Bernard. Reese and take advantage of their brothers and then it's wrong to even think of and compel those who come later to any of them ever disgracing thempay heavy tribute to "the wise invest- selves with a little work. The skin or." Humanity demands a change in would rub off their pretty, delicate the system that allows one man to hands, and their friends would no force the homeseeker to pay an un- longer be friends to them .- F. U. earned tribute.

The Farmer Is on Top.

It seems to us that the cotton planter has about won the fight he has been making for better prices for his cotton. What he needs to do is to sit steady in the boat; arrange his obligations, but sit on the lid which holds his cotton

off the market at the present prices. In the last few days the price has ad-Lucio Gonzales, a prominent Mex- rested in Fort Worth last week on vanced about a cent a pound; the crop is short and the demand greater than it ever has been. The manufacturer has sold cloth on the basis of 15 cent cotton. What is there to keep the price from going up? Those who have been forced to sell to meet their obli-

gations have about all sold, and the tarmer who has held, up to this time, is, in most cases, in a position to hold a little longer .- People's Paper.

It would be rather a surprise to see a man who never had a brush in hi hand take up the colors and lay a picture that equaled the work of the lon: practiced artist. It is just as reasable to expect us to make a perfec working organization that will undo years to build up against us.

F. U. GUIDELETA.

Farmers' Union Guide.

Be sure to work for better schools and better roads.

Good roads should not be lost sight of in our anxiety for otu 'r things. Too many people think of benefits to be derived right now, Let everybody pull together for a harmonious, prosperous year.

Everybody get in training for the campaign to put the rural children in

a long experience in such matters they off here working to help keep in debt

Guide.

When one takes into consideration the vast values produced by the farmers, and realizes that all this is marketed and sold without the semblance of a system, and at a loss in many ways reaching into a large percentage of the value of the products, then it tegins to dawn upon him why the Farmets' Union is in existence. Great as these losses are, they are no greater than the losses from unsystematic farming, slipshod planning and lack of concert in planting, raising and harvesting. There are plenty of things for the Union to do.

Don't let your elections pass without your exercising your privileges as an American citizen. Then, if you get licked, take your medicine like a man, and if you win, conduct yourself like one who has assumed a responsibility, rather than one who has come into a heritage.

There is no certain way of eradicating the boll weevil, but the birds will help you, and the sooner your crop natures the better for you. Between those organizations that have required the birds and yourself ync ought to be chle to keep the weevil within bounds.

It is part of the business of the Union to help men to grow and broaden 'out. If your Union is not helping Diversity is a fine cure for adversity. to make better men of its members, it is falling down on an opportunity, and you are partly responsible for this sin of omissior.

> Don't forget that the great God of all creation never gave to any man the right to take and appropriate to his own gratification anything that he really has no use for. This is as applicable to the dirt as it is to the water and the air.

Newest Creations in Millinery

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the following persons as candi- Terrell, Neathery, Houston, subject to the action of the Messrs. Hammock, Robinson, Democratic party:

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Entered at the Post Office at Hashell, Texas as for her friend, Miss Nell Symes of SECONB-CLASS-WATTER Waves - Electron Law And Street were the winners of the highest

In serving the dainty refresh-The following rates will be charged ten and sandwiches, the hostess Miss Houston, At a late hour the guests re-

^{2,50} luctantly bade the hostess and honoree good night.

Those present were: Misses We are authorized to announce Lucile and Annie Lida Hughes, Long, Brewer, Bryant, Gilliam, Roasberry, Smith, Slaughter fair dealing and courteous treat-

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EXPERIENCE.

For Representative 104 District: and Fields. last week but was left out of the ask for credit and thereby save of Throckmorton County

Mrs. McGregor Entertains. riment Thursday evening, 27(b), Marsh & English I wish POOLE & MARTIN, Editors, when Mrs. McGregor in a most to announce to the charming manner entertained public that the buiness in the future will be conducted as Waco. Forty-two was the feat. in the past, on strictly business use of the evening, in which Miss principles. On account of pres-Meadors and Mr. Hammock ent conditions and on account of the fact that all feed stuff must be paid for before it is unloaded from the car, I have decided to ments, consisting of chocolate run the business on strictly cash basis after March 1st. By this for announcing candidates for office, was assisted by the anniable plan it is my intention to furnish my customers with the very best of feed and coal at a less price DR. W. A. KIMPROUGH than it can be-sold at on time. Physician and Surgeon For under these conditions every man pays for his feed alone and doesn't have to pay that per cent that one necessarily has to add dates for the officies specified, Graham, Winn and Meadors and to the price when selling on time. I wish to to thank you all for your past patronage and hope by

ment to merit a continuation of

Yours for business.

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Thanking you, I am.

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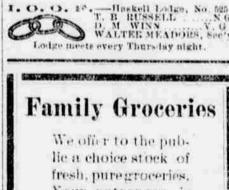
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The .Prohibition Meeting at Fort Worth. Messrs, J. T. Nicholson, Bruce

Bryant and S. W. Scott returned a few days age from the state prohibition meeting at Fort Worth, which they attended as delegates from this county.

The convention decided to enter upon a campaign for state prohibition by means of a constitutional amendment and will petition the State Democratic Executive Committee to submit to the Democratic primary election in July the issue as to whether or not the Democratic party shall incorporate in its platform a demand for the submission of a prohibition amendment to the Constitution of lexus.

A state campaign committee was appointed, also a state executive committee composed of one member in each senatorial district.

Mr. Scott served on the commute which selected the above committees.

R. M. REED

of Stonewall County.

For County Judge:

A. H. NORRIS

H. R. JONES

For County Attorney: BRUCE W. BRYANT W. C. JACKSON

For Assessor of Taxes:

J. W. TARBETT.

R. H. SPROWLS

E. W. MOSER.

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For Sheriff and Tax Collector M. E. PARK

For Public Weigher Prec. No. 1: P. J. POLLARD THEODORE BOWMAN W. A. MARSH.

For Constable Pre No 1 T W CARLTON

For Constable Pre 4

T E SCHARFF

For City Marshal

W K WHITMAN

Call To Prohibitionists.

We are requested to state that aries. the State Prohibition Excutive committee has issued a call for a m: 3 meeting of the prohibitionistr n each county in the state to be held on Mar. 14th to discu : methods and take such actics as may then be deemed ad- 1902 for a bad cold and la grippe. I vir ble. It is requested by the found it an excellent medicine, which lee | committee that all prohibit onists in Haskell county readers are invited to call on the most at the court house at 1 ocieck p. m., Saturday, March icine free, 25c, 50c \$1.00 bottle sold by 14, 1908, Terrell's Drug Store.

The first warm days of spring bring P. S. A car rf choice seed is bewith them a desire to get out and ening shipped and will be here for joy the exhibitating air and sunshine. Spring planting. Haskell Texas. Children that have been housed up all winter are brought out and wonder where they all came from. The CHAMBERLIN'S COUGH REMEDY IS EOTH AGREEABLE AND heavy winter clothing is thrown aside EFFECTIVE. and many shed their flannels. Then a cold wave comes and people say that Chamberlin's Cough Remedy has grip is epidemic. Colds at this season no superior for coughs, colds and are more dangerous than in mid-wincroup, and the fact that it is pleasent ter, as there is mutch more danger of to take and contains nothing inpneumonia, Take Chamberlin's Cough jurious, has made it a favorite with Remedy, however, and you will have

mothers. Mr. W. S. Pelham, a merno fear. It always cures, and we have chant of Kirksville, Iowa, says: "For never known a cold to result in pneumore than twenty years Chammonia when it was used. It is pleasberlin's Cough Remedy has been my ant, safe to take. Children like it. For leading remedy for all throat trouble. It is especially successful in case of croup. Children like it and my cur-Another for Tax Assesso, tomers who have used it will not

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I am offering myself as a can-Mr. B. S. Long and Miss didate for Tax Assessor of Has. Rosalee Joslett of the Howard kell County because I want the school community were in the office and need the money. If city last Saturday and paid the defeated, in the primaries, I shall FREE PRESS a call. Miss Rosado as I have always done, vote lee told us that Miss Hunphreys the democratic ticket from cons- had 45 or 50 pupils and was table to president. My many getting on nicely with the school. opponents, so far as I know, are She said that the Washington's honorable gentlemen, and we dif- Birthday entertainment was only on who should be Tax As- quite a success and that Mr. sessor. I am not running against Tom Chitwood delivered quite them, but for the office. If you an instructive address on that have not made up your mind as occasion. Mr. Long said that to your vote for Assessor, don't that section was in a prosperdecide against me until I see you. ous condition, with farm work I will be around before the primwell advanced, etc., and he favored hs with a renewal of his sub-J. N. MCFATTER. scription.

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Mr. Albert Eldrege. representing Chambarlin's pain balm relieves rheuthe Edga Printing Co., Paris, Ill. matic pains and makes sleep aud rest says: 'I used Harts' Honey and Horepossible, which is alone worth many hounud during the winter of 1901 and times its cost. B. F. Crocker, Esq. now 84 years of age, and for twenty years Justice of the Peace at Martins effected a cure in a short time." Our burg, Iowa, says: I am terrible afflicted with sciatic rheumatism in my druggist named below and secure a ieft frm and right hip. I have used large sample bottle of excellent medthree bottles of Chamberlin's Pain Balm and it done me lots of good. For sale by Terrell's Drug Store.

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Mrs. E. Z. Goforth, 2119 Holly Street, Kansas City, writes: "After using a sample botthe and two 25c bottles of Hunt's Lightning It appears that the lock had been Oil, I am almost well of Cattarrh. It stops my headaches. It is the best medicine I ever saw and I just can't keep house without it.'s Heis right.

VETERINARY NOTICE.

Dr. N. Blevins, veterinary surgeon, will be at Weinert March 16th and and at Haskell on 17th. All parties desiring my services will meet meat the above places and dates; as I can not stay but one day at each place.

country for their patronage in the past, I am still yours for honesty and right. Respectfully. (9-3t) Dr. N. B. Blevins.

A SWOLLEN JAW

is not pretty nor pleasant, whether it's caused by neuralgia, toothance or accident, Ballard's Snow Liniment will reduce the swelling and relieve the pain. The great and sure cure for rheumatism, cuts, burns, bruises, scalds-any and all aches and pains. sold by Terrell's Drug store.

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN.

Mrs. C. B. Mason-Draper of Strout, Ill., in a latter dated Feb. 2, 1904, says: "For several years I have suffered ill health from stomach trouble, have taken many treatments with no satisfactory results until I began taking Re-Go Tonic Laxative Syrup. Have taken several bottles of this medicine, which has helped me more than anything I have ever used." Re-Go is a medicine of rare excellence for Constipation, Indigestion, Billiousness and Dyspepsia. 25, 50c and \$1.00 bottle. Sold by Terrell's Drug Store.

A Jail Delivery

On last Saturday night two young men, Travis Key and Boyd Smith, who were in the Haskell county jail on minor charges. made their escape and have not so far been located. These prisoners, with Virgil Grissom, who is serving out a jail sentence, were placed in the cell for the night by Deputies Edwards and Faukner. damaged and they did not depend upon it to hold the door but passed some heavy wires around the frame and twisted them together outside out of reach of the hands of the prisoners, not suspecting that the prisoners had any tools. But Grissom, who came out but didn't leave town, informed the officers that young Smith and Key had a small chisel and saw with which reached and cut the wires by tying them to the end of a broom So thanking the people of this handle. After getting out of the cage into the run around they picked a hole through the brick wall and were free.

Deputy Edwards say that he has several times found pieces of iron and iron pipe that had been pitched into the jail through the windows, and has seen a number of parties about the jail who had no apparent business there He suggests that besides furnishing the cell with a secure lock there ought to be a high fence or wall put around the building.



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Chicago, Ill., Feb. 27.-Authoritative aunouncement has been made that while the finaacial depression has caused delay in the carrying out of the Gould plans for building and extension of the Weatherford, Mineral Wells and Northwestern division of the system from Mineral Wells, Texas, northwest to conuection with the Denver and Rio Grand at Trinidad, Colo., the project by no means has been abandoned, Preliminary work in connection with the survey is in progress. More than 400 miles of the route has been decided on. The extension is to be almost an air line, of lower grade than the Fort Worth and Denver or the Colorado and Southern, both of which it will parallel for a considerable portion of the distance.

The distance from Mineral Wells to Trinidad is about 700 miles. This at present is the largest railroad enterprise on hand in the Southwest. The ly and expeditiously, the local traffic to be obtained from the 5-tf State Bank, Haskell, Tex. full development of a vast region of Texas territory to which the GAINS in the country, and are building of the extension will con tribute immensely, is deemed the buyers before they ever reach of enough importance to justify of itself the prosecution of the us the "first shot." See us at enterprise.

See H. W. Gebhard for bar-



Are you, Mr. Resident of This Community, feading to the mail offe hes the deliars of this community? Are you pouring the money that an stay in the home town into the trough from which the gluttenous hos the city feed? If so you are doing not only the town, but yourself, I parable injury, and one that you should stop at ence.

A "42" PARTY.

The most enjoyable affair or people was the "42 party" given by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Alexander on Tuesday evening in honor of Pecos, Texas.

> It was a coming together of old-time friends and each one 'full of mirth and youthful (?) jollity," felt the spirit of the oc- third class, issued to Peter Maas for casion as they entered that lovely home.

> Eleven games were played. after which a delicious twocourse luncheon was served. During refreshments the scores East line of Survey No. 168 1900 vrs. were counted and it was found a stake, the S. E. cor. of said survey that our host had excelled us all and had won nine games of the eleven-and the prize, a book, mesquite brs. N. 17 E. 10 vrs. corner;

CITATION. THE STATE OF TEXAS. TO THE SHERIFF OR ANY CON-

STABLE OF HASKELL COUN-TY-GREETING: You are hereby commanded to sum mon the unknown heirs of Peter

Maas, deceased; by making publication of this Citation once in each week for 8 auccessive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County. if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the thirtyninth Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said thirtyntath Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Haskell County to be holden at the Court House thereof in the town of Haskell, on the fourth Monday in May A. D. 1908, the same being the 25th day of May A. D. 1908, then and there to answer a petition aled in said Court on the 17th day of February A. D. 1908 in a suit, numbered ru the docket of said Court No. 488, wherein Chas. S. Fisher is Plaintiff and the unknown heirs of Peter Maas, deceased, are defendants, and said petition alleging that heretofore to wit, on the first day of November, 1907 plaintiff was lawfully seized and possessed of the tract of land hereinafter described, situated in the said County of Haskell, holding the same in fee simple; that on the day and year last aforesaid, the defendants entered upon premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom and uniswfully withholds from plaintiff the possession thereof. the week for the young married to his damage in the sum of \$500 00; that the premises so entered upon and unlawfully withhed by defendant from plaintiff are bounded and described as follows, to-wit: 640 acres of laud, situated in Haskell Connty, Texas, and being abst. No. 321, Patent No. 318, Vol. 25, third class, patented to the heirs of Peter Maas on the 20th day of December, 1859 by virtue of certificate No. 854, 940 acres of land on the 7th day of April 1845. Beginning at the S. E. cor. of suavey No. 169, a stake on the bank of a branch from which an elm brs. S. 58 W. 13 vrs., another

GIVING AWAY PIANO

We have made an arrangement by which we will give to some one of our customers during this year a \$325 Upright Grand Piano.

Each customer will be furnished with a card on which his or her purchases will be stamped and the one having cards showing the largest amount of purchases, on next Christmas day, will get the piano absolutely free of cost, for the reason that all goods will be sold at the same price as if the piano proposition did not exist. We simply do this expecting to make back the cost of the plano on the increased volume of business it will bring 118.

We have many things in our stock that you need from time to time.

Get in the race and win this piano. Get your friends to trade with us and get the benefit of their purchases. Call at the store and get full particulars.

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Consult some one who has a Woodmanse Windmill before buying, and if possible go and see it at work. There is nothing produced that can equal one of our steei mills.

When you sell your land here and want to go "out West" be particular object in view is to sure to call on us before you leave, join up by the most direct route and let us tell you about our great possible the Gould system of bargains in our famous "Cabra roads in Colorado with that in Springs Ranch"' in New Mexico, the Southwest in order to gain where we can sell you as fine an outlet for Colorado traffic land as ever a crow flew over, at of Mr. Walter Tandy and bride through (falveston, In addition \$10.00 to \$15.00 per acre on good to this through traffic, which it terms and low interest. Ask for is desired to handle economical. printed matter describing it. West Texas Development Co.

> We want to list all REAL BARin position to place them before Haskell county, which will give our new office in the State Bank. West Texas Development Co.

DeWitt'ss Little Early Risers, gains in farm land and city mail, onto, sure little liver pills. Sold

Baggage transferred to all for Rupe & Pearsey.

The Lucky Quarter.

Is the one you pay out for a box of than jewels. Try them for headache, billiousness, constipation and malaria. If they disspoint the price will be cheerfully refunded at Terrell's Drag and forward the lists to me. Store.

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We can give you better service better satisfaction with pure Mc-Alester coal, but as there seems to be a demand for cheap coal, we have added a supply of it to our stock. It is only \$5.00 a ton. L. P. Davidson Grain & Coal Co

I make abstracts, examine tities, write contracts, do collecting, etc. See me, Clyde F. Elkins, office over Collier-Andruss drug store.

RSMERELDA.

The following is the cast of characters for a home talent play which will be given by the Haskell Athletic association in the near future: L O Cunningham Mr Rogers Mrs Rogers Eula Poole Esmerelda Rogers L C Ellis Dave Bardy Bruce W Bryant Estabrook H D McKary George Drew Nora Desmond Louise Goodlet Kate Desmond Mamie Meadors Jack Desmond, Carey Touchston Marquis D Montessin, G B Smith

Mr. John Ribs, of Vining Is., says ney and bladder Pills for about a year and they give better satisfaction than any pills I over sold. I have used them myself with fine resuls." Hold by French Bros.

It is to your interest to pay, parts of the city, ring No. 114 Cash for feed-no per cent is ad-for Rune & Pearsey. ded to the price to ballence bad ac counts. Try it at Booth English's feed store.

I have customers for farm Dr. King's New Lite Pills. They bring lands in Haskell and Jones Counyte the health that's more precious ty, and have arranged with Mr. Oscar Martin of Haskell, Texas, to list farms and ranch property

I am arranging to bring a party of prospectors to Haskell and At Ever's harness shop you Jones county right away, so turn will find the largest assortment in your lists and make the prices of saddles and harness ever car- and terms reasonable if you want me to show your land. Commi-

sion 5 per cent. W. J. Cather. Brenham, Tex.

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Jno. B. Lamkin,

The Blacksmith.

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To have a cough you can't leave off-even when you go to bed? Put it away for good by using Simmons' Cough Syrup. It heals infla-mution of the lungs and throat—gives you rest and peaceful sleep.

I have seven good work horses for sale. See me for a good deal. Booth English.

Remember that T. E. Bowman is still taking orders for tombstones and monuments and can Lucile Hughes furnish you with anything you want in that line.

> Fine White Plymouth Rock roosters for sale or to trade for hens or eggs. Inquire at the FREE PRESS office.

All plow gear from a hamestrap to the best collar can be Sophie (a maid) Louise Lamar had at reasonable prices of Evers, the saddler at Haskell.

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> Get DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve-It is good for piles. Seld by French Bros.

"Ikey's Letters to his Father." Thence west 1900 vrs. to the place of beginning. he most graciously presented to

the guest of honor, Mrs. Tandy. The consolation, a box of candy, her candy to the other guest of honor. Mr. Tandy.

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BEST HEALER IN THE WORLD.

Rev. F. Starbird, of East Raymond, Maine, says:" I have used Bucklen's Arnica Salve for several years, on my old army wounds, and other obstinate sores,and find it the best healer in world. Iuse it too with great success in my veterinary busines" Price 25c,

WANTED at once \$50,000 in vendors' lien notes.

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Rowdon cotton seed for sale. This seed is the kind to plant. J. K. Aston.

A good Eagle baler and racker, good as new, for sale or trade damages and costs of suit, as profor stock. J. K. Aston.

You had better let the Haskell Real Estate Co. insure your cow or horse. It don't cost much to insure and be safe against loss.

Yesterday Deputy sheriff Edwards informed us that by a liberal use of wires and correspondence with peace officers he located Key at WichitsFalls and had him arrested by the sherriff at that place and sheriff Park left that morning for the Falls to bring the fugitive back to Haskell.

Just a little Cascasweet is all that s necessary to give your baby when it is cross and peeviah. Cascasweet contains no opiates nor harmful drugs and is highly recommend by mothers everywhere. Bold by French Bros.

That the tract of land hereinbefore described was patented by the State of Texas to the heirs of Peter Maas, fell to Mrs. Montgomery and, deceased, by Pat. No. 318, Vol. No. not to be outdone by Mr. Alex- 25, dated December 20th, 1859, by ander, she very graciously gave virtue of Cer. No. 854, third class, issued to Peter Maas for 640 acres of

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land on the 7th day of April, 1845. That prior to the issuance of said Patent as aforesaid, the said certificate had been sold and transferred to John R. Baylor of Fayette Texas, and had become and was the proyerty of the said John R. Baylor; that the plaintiff has title to the said land by virtue of valid deeds and transfers from the said John R. Baylor and his vendees.

That plaintiff and those under whom he claims, had and held peaceable and adverse possession by an actual enclosure of the land above described, using and enjoying the same for a period of more than ten years after any cause of action accrued to the defendants; and that said peaceable, continuous and adverse possession was taken and held a regular memorandum of title specifying the boundaries of said tract of land and duly recorded in the office of the County Clerk of Haskell County, Texas. That the nature of the

defendant's claim is unknown to the plaintiff. Wherefore plaintiff prays that the defendants, the unknown heirs of Peter Maas, deceased, be cited to ap-

pear and answer this petition, and that he have judgment for the title, restitution, and possession of the above described premises, and for his vided by law, and for such other and further relief as he may be entitlad

Herein fail not, but have before said Court, at its aferesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon showing how you have exe-Wittness, J. W. Meadors, Clerk of

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Haskell Tex-as, this the 17.h day of February, A.

District Court, Haskell Co

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We also have the 3 and 4 post steel towers--and we want to sell them.

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Having purchased the entire stock of D. Egger & Son we have decided to close it out here in-stead of removing it and will offer it for sale,

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Commencing Friday, March 6th and Ending March 16th

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OUR CEMETERY.

A Few Notes About the Work.

dition of our cemetery since the ficiently convincing to convert also. Haskell Cemetery Association the most skeptical Doubting It is with bright hopes for the took charge of it has been noted Thomas among our Eastern future that we welcome the new by everyone who has felt an in- friends to the fact that Haskell officers, believing they have terest in the work.

For a long time we were en- Being aware, however, that abled to pay our sexton by the there are some mighty hard cases fund received from a per cent of among the Doubting Thomases the entertainments given at the of Eastern Texas, who have had court house. For some months it ground into them for so many we have been deprived of this years that this country is too fund and the work has been kept dry for successful farming that up only by a great effort made it has become a settled mental by certain members. Part of condition with them which is the time we have had to draw hard to eradicate, we have preupon a small fund, derived from pared another dose for them the sale of lots, that we had set which we think will clear the apart to buy a new fence and last remaining cobweb of prej purchase trees, shrubbery, etc., udice from their minds. Here with when needed. Our wind- it is: mill also needs repair quite fre- Mr. J. S. Sharp's farming

operations having been mentioned to us by a friend, we corral-

All of this takes money.

quently.

The majority of our citizens led that gentleman when in have not had to feel any respon- town Monday and secured from sibility for the care of the City him a detailed statement of his of the Dead.

At the last meeting of the As- resides seven miles northwest of sociation we decided that the town and his working force cononly plan by which we could keep sists of himself and three sons up the work, as it should be, from 12 to 18 years of age, and would be to asses everyone who he said that he and the boys did was made manager. Commithas a lot in the cemetery a cer- the entire work of planting and tees were appointed to see about tain amount. We were desirous cultivating the crops and did not getting a play ground. They of making this assessment as spend a cent for help, the only will endeavor to secure /a place easy upon each one as we pos- wages paid being \$375.00 for close in so that it will be convensibly could. Of course there picking cotton.

'ere a number of people who had | His crops were: noved away and been lost sight Corn. 25 acres, yield 625 bushels. is the purpose to have none but f that we could not count upon. Cotton, 150 acres, yield 75% bales. Haskell boys in the team and t was found that it would be Oats, 11 acres, yield 440 bushels, that they will get their team in

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bushels.

crops last year. Mr. Sharp

ANOTHER FARMER'S EXPERIENCE an official good-bye to the society. It is with regret we see Mrs. Tells What He Produced from Has- Sanders retire from the leadership of the society. She has proved herself to be a wise Last week we published a counselor and a zealous leader. statement in regard to the crop remembering always that her produced by Mr. Gannt of the work was not only for the northeast part of the county, material welfare of the society, Doubtless the improved con- which we thought would be suf- but for its spiritual uplifting

county is a farming country. been wisely chosen.

REPORTER.

FOR CITY MARSHAL

Mr. W. K. Whitman comes beore the voters of the city of Haskell this week as a candidate for the office of city marshal. Everybody here knows Will, he having grown from boyhood to manhood in our midst, and know him for a pretty straight piece of goods, so we'll not try to write an eulogy of him. Suffice it to say that he knows the ways of the boys and generally goes around with his eyes open and is likely to catch 'em if they get off the track or get to running with a hot box.

Base Bail Team Organized

A number of the young men of the city met together Tuesday night and organized a base ball team, of which W. C. Robertson ient for the public to attend the games. We understand that it scessary to assess each lot hold- Milo Maize, 14 acres, yield 560 good playing trim before playing any public games.

AN ORDINANCE

Estimating the value of these TO PREVENT THE THROWING OR SLINGING STONE OR ANY HARD SUBSTANCE IN WHAT IS COM-MONLY KNOWN AS A SLING Neathery took her seat at the SHOT.



Better crops are certain with J. I. C. planters. There is no doubt about this -- no uncertainty. Actual tests in the field prove it. The J. I. C. Planter is unequal-

ed in accuracy of drop-- and "half the crop is in the drop." It excells in covering qualities. It is superior in compactness- nothing complicated; no machine shop needed for repairs. Steel parts make breakages almost impossible. J. I. C. Planters work right

and plant right in hard ground or soft, even or uneven. Rear shovels are carried on springs independent of sweep and opening shovels. They can be carried free or locked down, and be depressed by the foot to cover in low places. When shovels are locked

down the drawing of the main lever which lifts the standard also sweep unlocks and raises

the covering shovels and the furrow shovel.

From Every Field

Getting the biggest possible yield from every field is partly a matter of **right implements**, and partly a matter of knowledge. The J. I. Case catalogue will show you the right implements, for besides fully describing the exclusive features of J. I. C. Planters, it tells all about the J. I. C. line-- plows and harrows, cultivators etc. You should know about them A postal will bring it. To supplement our catalogue we have had compiled for us one of the most valuable volumes ever prepared for the farmer.

Farmer's Encyclopedia FREE 146 pages, bound in cloth, you have not already received a copy of this book you should send for it at once. Simply tell us what implements you need the con

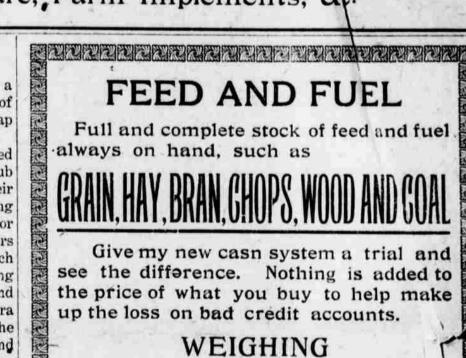
enclose ten cents fo season, enclose ten cents i packing and postage, with ie name and address of Case Plow Works ept. Racine, Wis.

FOR SALE BY Sherrill Bros 20. **DEALERS IN** Hardware, Farm Implements, St.

I.C. AND CORN PLANTER

A LEAP YEAR BALL.

On last Saturday night quite a number of the young ladies of Haskell joined in giving a leap year ball at the skating rink. The young men were notified to meet at the Twenty-five Club room at 8:30 and await their escorts. At 9 o'clock the young ladies called at the club room for them and selecting partners escorted them to the rink, which they found prepared for dancing and supplied with tables and chairs for games. Miss Vera piano and struck up a grand



ven credit for what they have except cotton) we get the folready paid on this year's work. lowing result.

A numbr of peoplie have not 73% bales cotton at 10% cts \$3,955.87 aid for their lots. They are 10.00 each, and upon payment 625 bushels corn at 65 cts deed will be furnished by the ssociation without extra charge. We have many new citizens 560 bushels milo maize

at 50 ets v that we feel sure will be help keep up this work. 350 bushels Kaffir corn at 60 cts we extend a cordial invio join us and if you can- Estimated value of maize and Kaffir fodder . . nd regularly, at least the it you are interested 371/2 tons cotton seed at \$13.00 o join will be an iespira-

487.50. encouragement to the Butter, eggs and chickens sold 175.00

cept up this work, and the TOTAL \$5,794.52 er year in dues which you The above does not take into us will be greatly apaccount the family vegatable garden, melons, butter, eggs, et us urge that you chickens, pork, etc., raised and ur assessment promptused at home, the value of which Secretary, as we want every farmer who reads a sexton and have no and Treas. H. C. A

living in Haskell county is unnecessary.

· Home Mission Society.

on of land eight miles As usual there was a large attown. He also sold tendance at the Home Mission al a house and lot in Society meeting Friday after-C. R. Peters 100 acre vn was also sold to noon. Bro. Meadors made a iel of Oklahoma. The short talk which lead to much precinct No. 4 is called to the amounted to \$10,293. discussion as to the future work announcement of Mr. T. E. 270 acres southwest of the society, but no definite Scharff, which appears in the Don Moore, Wallace Alexander, to Clay May of Bell plans were made.

Some time during the week didate for constable in that preceding Easter Sunday, a precinct.

Tandy and wife of bazaar will be held by the Mr. Scharff is one of our high- Walter Hicks, Peterson, Birdwere here several society and contributions will be ly respected German-American fault, Ludoc, Jack Simmons, part of the week expected from every member of citizens who has resided in the Frank Robertson, Werther Long, andy's sister, Mrs. the society and all ladies of the Sagerton community for several Smith, Slaughter, Jack Bullock,

Mrs. Tandy was Methodist Church. By individ- years, and, being well known to Fred Paris, Chas. Irby, Ham-Cunningham, ual effort, alone, can this under- the people of that community, it mock, Jack Russell, Baldwin, iss on. J. F. Cunning- taking be made successful, so is hardly necessary for us to at- Jim Fields. ae, and was mar- it is hoped that all will help in tempt any special recommendaw weeks since to the work.

Mr. Tandy grew This meeting closed the year's nouncement is subject to the Stamford Marble Works spent good interest and is doing excel- Young and Harris it would not 1, where his par- work and at the first meeting in July primary. until a few years March the new officers will take

many friends here their places. In a few well The great slaughter sale of T. E. Bowman, the local agent, whanger and Whitford, are in best of school houses and other ased to see and con- chosen words, the retiring pres- the Egger bankrupt stock is now im on this ocassion. ident, Mrs. P. D. Sanders, bade on.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Haskell,

Texas;, If any person shall throw or sling in the City limits of the City of Haskell, Texas, any stone 406.25 440 bushels oats at 50 cts 220.00 or other hard substance in what Nicholson struck up the dance is commonly known as a sling 280.00 shot or sling or nigger shooter, toe," several of them, indeed, 210.00

fined any sum not less than (1.00) One Dollar or more than (10,00) the young ladies escorted their Ten Dollars. 60.00

Introduced March 2nd. SEAL 1908. Passed March 2nd, 1908.

Signed, A. J. Smith, Mayor. Attest. O. E. Patterson, City Secretary.

Buying Cotton Seed.

We are paying \$14 cash per ton for Cotton seed and we also make a liberal exchange of meal this will be able to estimate for and hulls for seed. As the mill himself. Further comment as will run but a short time any one to whether a farmer can make a disiring to sell us their seed should deliver them before March 20th.

We have meal and hulls for sale. RULE OIL MILL CO. Rule, Texas.

For Constable of Pre. 4

The attention of the voters of FREE PRESS this week as a -can-

tion of him to them. His an-

march and, led by Dr. Roasbery and Miss Frankie Terrell, all took a turn around the rink. After the march several games

were started at the tables and Messrs. Joe McCrary and H. M. music and the "light fantastic he shall on conviction thereof be began their evolutions. This continued until 11 o'clock, when partners over to the Crescent Cafe, where a lunch had been prepared for the party. After the lunch had been properly discussed the gentlemen saw the ladies to their homes, and thus ended an evening of gayety and pleasure for many of Haskell's young people. Those present:

MISSES

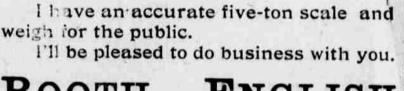
Frankie Terrell, Vera and Fay Neathery, Jessie Wright, Simms, Houston, Allen, Erma Deane, eccencencencencence by lending their hearty co-Sallie Hughes, Docia Winn, Elma McNeill, Julia Winn, Annie Lyda Hughes, Pearl Grissom, Cootie Hughes, Mamie Meadors, Annis Gregor, Mrs. Brazeal, Mrs. Jen- doing good work. kins, Mrs. Wright.

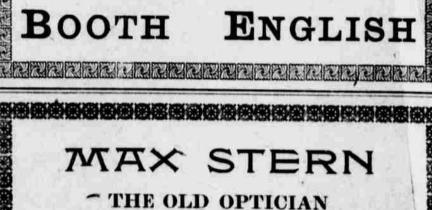
MESSRS.

Guy Reavis, Harry Brewer, Mc-Kery, Joe Taylor, Byron Wright, Craig, Roasbery, Louis Fields,

two or three days in Haskell this lent work. week and in connection with Mr.

in the cemetery.





Is now permanently located in the Sherrill building, up stairs. If you are in need of GLASSES what is right, call on him.

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operation.

Cliff school in Dist. No. 10.

OUR COUNTRY SCHOOLS, ******* *******

Meyers school in Dist. No. 38, located in the northern part of Fields, Dollie Wheeler, Feral 8 miles north of Haskell, is mov- the county, is one of the oldest Helton, Edyth Jenkins, Eva ing along nicely under the settlements in th county. Mr. Fields, Sibyl Collins, Ruby Lyles, management of Miss Sibyl Col- Philips and Miss Jones have a Mr. and Mrs. Henry Alexander, lins. It is here we find a com- large school and are doing good Mr. and Mrs. Tom Griffin, Mr. fortable little school house, with work. Messrs. Park, Reese and and Mrs. Curran Hunt, Mrs. Mc- pupils quiet and interested in Tankersly, as trustees, are doing

all they can to give the people a The trustees, Mr. Meyers and good school. Lone Star school in Dist. No.

Mr. Barnes, are interested in the school and have provided a com- 13. has the largest enrollment of fortable house, but have not the any other one teacher school in money to run the school as long the county, having enrolled 87 pupils. Mr. Cockrell has his

in the country which have no special tax and we are anxious to see the trustees and patrons a quiet and harmonious, crowded fall in line with the other districts and vote a special tax.

Miss Ethel Black is teaching If every set of trustees had

Mr. J. K. Shipman of the 37. She has good attendance, heart as much as Messrs. Elam,

dence existing between teacher and pupils. the Dennis school in Dist. No. the interest of the school at

be long until every-district in The trustees, Messrs. Ther- the county would have the very put several monuments in place sympathy with the work and are conveniences which make the always ready to help the teacher success of the school possible.

This is one of the two districts pupils under good control and is doing good work. It is here that our attention is attracted to school with evidences of confi-

AMERICAN BEAUTY CORSETS

With each purchase of this famous corset during Ladies Day we will give free an elegant souvenir panel of the

AMERICAN BEAUTY ROSE Painted by Paul De Longpree, the World's greatest painter of flowers



THE STORE WITH THE GOODS

AMERICAN BEAUTY ROSES

Paul De Longpree's paintings of the American Beauty Rose is the most natural and beautiful of its kind known. We have a good number of these paintings which we give free with each purchase of an

AMERICAN BEAUTY CORSET

CORDIALLY INVITE YOU TO ATTEND THEIR

"Third Annual Ladies Day" TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, March 10-11 and 12

This is an occasion on which we have on display our complete lines of New, Stylish Spring Goods. It is an occasion on which we show goods which reflect authoratively the newest, accepted styles of the season. and it has become so recognized by our many customers and friends.

OUR EXTENSIVE SHOWING OF NEW SPRING MILLINERY

is one of the main attractions of this annual event. We will show a large variety of the most approved and accepted styles of the season which will furnish quite a bit of pleasure as well as information to all who visit this department. Our assortments of the famous

Gage and Gold Medal Hats

is more complete than ever before and as usual will meet with the approval of all.

Net Waists, Skirts, Fancy Silks, Dress Goods, Silk Mulls, Etc.

will be the most authoritative showing of this class of goods ever shown to the people of Haskell. We will show nothing but goods up to the Highest Standard in every respect, not a single last season style will be shown, and only the most approved and accepted styles will be on display.

VALENCINE LACE BARGAINS

As usual we offer some exceptionally good bargains on Ladies Day. This year, we offer Valencine Laces worth, 10c, 15c and 20c per yard. Your choice for 4c per yard.

Ladies Vests Priced Low

Our assortment of Ladies Summer Vests is very complete. We offer for Ladies Day ONLY, a choice selection

Worth 15c Each at 8 for 80c

GRANATE WARE SPECIALS

Our granateware bargains are always exceptional. For Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday we offer values in Stew Pans, Coffee Pots, Teakettles, Milk Pans, Etc., worth 20c, 35-50 and up to \$1.00 assorted in three lots at 10c 20c and 35 cts.

Ladies Hosiery Bargains

We had quite a number of regular 25c hose packed three in a box at the special price for Ladies Day only---50c box.

Figured Lawn Reductions

We offer for Ladies Day a beautiful selection of figured Lawn. The values are exceptioned at the original price but to encourage early buying we offer your choice of 25c Quality for - - 15 cts 15c " " - 10 cts 10c " " - 71-2 cts

Ladies Home Journal Patterns We announce the arrival of the famous Ladies Home

Journal Patterns, and have for sale the largest and newest assortment to be found in Haskell.

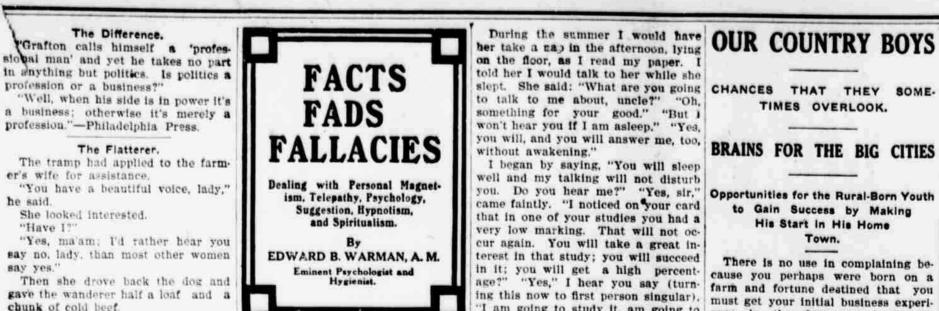
Silk Gingham Specials

We offer our entire stock of Silk Ginghams which include a good assortment of patterns worth 35c per yard

For Ladies Day-25c

The Store With the Goods

C. D. GRISSOM & SON



Hog Cholera,

he said.

say yes.

"Have I?"

The greatest drawback to the hog industry which breeders in this country have to contend with is what is known as "hog cholera" and "swine plague."

Hog cholera is a highly contagious disease and unless checked is liable to carry off a great number of hogs in a very short time

Mr. A. P. Williams, of Burnetts Creek, Ind., tells of an experience it into proper channels. Through the which he had with some hogs that had the cholera. "Five years ago," says Mr. Williams, "I was in the em- tention to studies, etc., etc. ploy of Mr. J. D. Richardson, Lafayette, Ind., as his barn foreman. Some fine hogs that I was feeding took the cholera, I gave them Sloan's Liniment and did not lose a hog. Some were so bad they would not drink sweet milk and I was compelled to fact that the subjective mind never drench them. I have tried it at every opportunity since and always find it O. K.'

Write for Dr. Sloan's free book on the treatment of Horses, Cattle, Hogs, and Poultry. Address: Dr. Earl S. Sloan, 615 Albany Street, Boston, Mass.



Mrs. Goodsole-My boy it makes me sick at heart to see you smoking. Kid-Dat's funny. It seems to ketch me right in the stummick.



Mrs. Intheswim Intended to Draw So. cial Line in Heaven.

I am going to study it, am going to like it, am going to succeed in it and I'm going to surprise and please my lishment in the home town. The aver-SUGGESTIONS TO AND FOR teacher."

I repeated these "suggestions" over Children are wonderfully amenable and over again, not only each time climb to the front. Some, however, to "suggestion," good or bad. I have that the treatment was given, but for long contended and often proved that many days in succession. She slept "suggestion" used intelligently by the well. mother is a most potent factor for recollection of what had been said. The impressions had been made and the kindergarten of success, and if good as, thereby, the most willful child may be made submissive; not by the subjective mind received them you don't make a winning there you destroying the will, but by directing without any conscious effort of the might as well make up your mind to objective mind; hence no objective go back to the plow. same agency, children may be cured recollection. Then, you may ask, of bad habits, undesirable traits, inatwhat becomes of the "suggestions"

made to the subjective mind? During the waking hours they rise above the threshold of consciousness, road to success. Business principles but not as thoughts suggested by another, but as an inspiration, a desire, little country store affords the gaining son asleep is, for the time being, dead from the subject.

In the case of my niece the thought found lodgment in very congenial soil in the country store. The greatest sloops should make one careful of and brought forth good results. At what he says in the presence of a the close of the next school year she following the plow. Then the country came home in great glee, saying, as boy should not be sorry that he is not she handed me the card: "See here, in the big city. The one with brains insensibility to external impressions, uncle! Here is my marking on that and ability in these days will win but rather a condition of inattention. study I did not like, but I like it now. out. The country is the fertile field The sleeper hears, but he does not See! I have a very high per cent. on for the growing of brains for city heed at the time the suggestion is it. Ain't it queer?" Of course, I use. Therein is held in reserve the made. It is not difficult to introduce thought it was,

ideas to one's consciousness which shall make a permanent and deep imand again, "If the subjective mind is great men of to-day, and you will pression through the subjective mind intuitive, and if it is ever ready and find three-fourths of the most sucupon the objective, or waking, mind. willing to assist, and if it has such cessful ones the product of the farm power over the human machinery, and the country town. Then, if you Much depends upon the age and the why do you have to tell it what you are a country-store clerk, be thankdisposition of the child. No one can want (when it already knows), and ful, and if you use honest endeavor in understand this better than the after you tell it once, why do you time you will find that instead of you repeat and repeat and repeat (when seeking the city, the city will be seek-As a rule the best way to approach the memory of the subjective mind is ing you. Merit always finds its rethe child is to say (as it is about to perfect)?"

retire): "Mamma is going to talk to To all those who believe in prayer you to-night while you are asleep, and you will hear and understand it all, Some children will, of course, be

BRAINS FOR THE BIG CITIES

to Gain Success by Making

cause you perhaps were born on a farm and fortune destined that you must get your initial business experience in the four-corners' grocery store, or some other business estabage country boy has a kind of hankering for city life, and for a chance to never stop to think that if they are built of the proper material they will When she awakened she had no drift there without realizing the change. Yes, the country town is

Business men, much like poets, are born, not made, and if one has not the talents requisite for success in mercantile life, he will have a hard are the same the world over, and the a determination emanating wholly of knowledge that is necessary to the winner. The most successful merchants in the world gained their start statesmen found their ambitions while energy that goes to move the world of The question has been asked time business. Study into the lives of the ward.

What you learn, learn well. Be would, in answer, ask this question: thorough in everything you do. Better If God is, as all believers will admit, be a good grocery clerk than a poor omniscient (all knowing), and if, as lawyer. Better be a good plow boy we are told. He is even more ready than a poor clerk. Brains backed up quite curious to know why you are than are our parents to give good by industry and honesty of purpose going to talk to them, what you are gifts unto His children, why does He. are essential to success. Hours spent going to talk about and why you don't who knows our desires without utter- in study of whatever business you may ing them, why does He not grant enter are hours well spent. You can In some instances the mother may them without telling Him what we never learn too much, if you only sit by the side of the bed and talk in want; or, having told him once, why learn rightly. Ambition is one of a general way to the child ere it is it necessary to repeat and repeat the things that assists in working wonders. Have an aim in life, and All the doubts and fears and dis let that aim be your loftlest ideal. couragements lie in the objective Once you decide upon a worthy accommind. If you can get rid of them by plishment never rest until you sucawaken. You will sleep quietly. You second. You did not get them all at ness place gives splendid opportunity are now very quiet and restful. You once; you loaded up with them by de- to study. It has advantages that the can speak to me without awakening. gres. Even when these things that city store never affords. There are have been are no more, you still have spare moments that can be profitably need to keep in touch-the finite with utilized. Make the best of them, I touch your lips with my fingers and the Infinite-to prevent recurrences. and remember that a well-stored mind Therefore, every time the sugges- is great capital in business, and the tion is made it is for the purposes of talent that enables you to make the strengthening your objective mind best of what you know is an important and thus to not interfere with the sub- factor. Study, improve every minjective, or soul mind, in carrying out ute; don't grumble; keep at work, and your chance will come. D. M. CARR.

PLEASURES OF FARM LIFE.

Science and Invention Revolutionize Methods in Agricultural Districts.

Old-fashioned life on the farm is fast disappearing. Things have quickened some and science has wrought changes for the better. Drudgery has been obliterated through improved machinery and there is no reason why the farmer of to-day should not lead a life of comparative gentle ease. Instead of following the plow he rides the plow. The sowing of the crops and all this cultivation is done by machinery. It is no uncommon thing to find the farm house equipped with all modern conveniences known to the city folks, gas or electric lights, hot and cold water and every sanitary innovation. The telephone and the rural delivery bring the farm close to the town, and no longer need the average farmer be behind the times as to passing events. He has sufficient leisure at his home fireside to acquire a greater fund of information from the daily papers and other good literature which he receives than has the busy merchant or professional man who resides in the city.

This closer communion with the world at large has revolutionized farm life and has robbed it of many undesirable phases. No longer does the farmer feel abashed when among townspeople on account of his lack of information; rather he is proud of the fact that he is quite as up-to-date and well informed as any intelligent citizen, it matters not where he may reside. This feeling on the part of the farmer has changed his attitude towards the home town. He has come to a realization that the distance between the farm and the town has been annihilated and that his work on the farm is an important thing in the maintenance of the near-by town. He is interested in good roads, he is interested in all local improvements. These are matters of importance to him just as well as things directly relating to his farm. The farmer is beginning to realize, even more than the merchant, the relationship of the agricultural district to the home town.

It is now up to the residents of the vilages and the small cities to study into conditions and to place the proper. estimate upon the importance of the farmers' work in town maintenance.

HOME NEWSPAPERS.

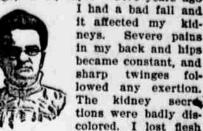
They Bring Many Benefits to the Town and to Their Patrons.

If the average merchant would calmly study over the matter of benefits that can be brought around by the home paper, the editor would receive a more liberal advertising patronage. The country-town paper fills a peculiar field. There is no substitute for it. It is the purveyor of local news, the criterion of the degree of prosperity of the town. week after week the editor talks to a thousand or more people of the community. He is the molder of public opinion, and his paper is not alone his own mouthplece, but the megaphone of the whole surrounding country. People read daily papers that are published in the large cities for the large amount of current general news; the local paper is read for the little doings in the local field. Rarely does the subscription list represent dollars enough to pay running expenses. The paper must have advertising to be a success Let it be announced a single time that there will be an auction sale of John Jones' live stock, agricultural implements and other wares, and see how many will be at the auction. This proves its value as an advertising medium. Note the most successful storekeeper in any town, and you will find he is the most liberal patron of the home paper. Power of Advertising. In the progress of the mail-order system is given a wonderful illustration of the power of advertising. It is the means that all who have succeeded have employed. It is an old saying "that the hair of the dog is good for the bite." One of the surest ways for the merchants to combat the competition of these concerns which catch trade by advertising is to advertise rightly. People who buy from mail order houses would hardly pay the same prices for the goods if exposed on the counters of the home store. If the big houses sold goods at the low prices which they claim, their profits would not run up into the millions yearly. The rural delivery can be made to serve the local dealer as well as the far-off catalogue house. The merchant should not be afraid to do a little advertising; yes, a good lot of advertising, for if it is done rightly it will bring a greater percentage of profit than money invested in any other way in business. Perhaps there are 400 or 500 farmers in the territory of a certain town. For a few dollars the home printer will print sufficient circulars to reach them all. It will cost one cent each to mail them. Place an advertisement in your home paper. Merchants in different lines in the same town can get up a joint circular, and thus save some on printing and postage. This plan can be nicely carried out if merchants all pull together.

HER GOOD FORTUNE.

After Years Spent in Vain Effort.

Mrs. Mary E. H. Rouse, of Cambridge, N. Y., says: "Five years ago



it affected my kidneys. Severe pains in my back and hips became constant, and sharp twinges followed any exertion. The kidney secret. tions were badly discolored. I lost flesh

and grew too weak to work. Though constantly using medicine I despaired of being cured until I began taking Doan's Kidney Pills. Then relief came quickly, and in a short time I was completely cured. I am now in excellent health."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

WEDDED BLISS.



Salesman-You ought to have talking machine

Mr. Grouch-I have. I married it.

Never Disappoints

"Many extensively advertised remodies are failures when put to the test. Hunt's Lightning Oil is an exception. Confidence in it is never misplaceddisappointment never follows its use. It is surely the grandest emergency remedy now obtainable. For cuts, burns, sprains, aches and pains, I know no equal."

> GEORGE E. PADDOCK. Doniphan, Mo.

All Beach.

Wilfred was sitting upon his father's knee watching his mother arranging her hair.

"Papa hasn't any Marcel waves like that," said the father laughingly.

Wilfred, looking up at his father's bald pate, replied, "Nope; no waves; tt's all beach."-Harper's Weekly.

In a Pinch, Use ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE. A powder. It cures painful, smarting, nervous feet and ingrowing nails. It's the greatest comfort discovery of

the age. Makes new shoes easy. certain cure for sweating feet. Sold by all Druggists, 25c. Accept no substitute. Trial package, FREE. Address A. S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

Gone, Anyhow.

Mr. Jawback-That boy gets his brains from me.

Mrs. Jawback-Somebody got 'em from you, if you ever had any-that's a cinch.-Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The minister had dropped in to tea, and the conversation had drifted through various channels to the queseach other in heaven. Presuming that our physical beings would be perpetuated, and that recognition would be assured, the minister had asked various ones at the table among whom the Biblical characters they would be most interested in recognizing.

Some mentioned one prophet and some another, but one lady, noted for her social exclusiveness, had not spoken. Turning to her the minister said: "And who would you like to meet in heaven, Mrs. Intheswim?"

Mrs. Intheswim pursed her lips. is one thing I do know, and that is that I shouldn't care to meet Eve. In to her if I did!"

OLD SURGEON

Found Coffee Caused Hands to Tremble.

The surgeon's duties require clear judgment and a steady hand. A slip or an unnecessary incision may do ir-

reparable damage to the patient. When he found that coffee drinking caused his hands to tremble, an Ills. surgeon conscientiously gave it up and this is his story.

"For years I was a coffee drinker until my nervous system was nearly broken down, my hands trembled so I could hardly write, and insomnia tortured me at night.

"Besides, how could I safely perform operations with unsteady hands, using knives and instruments of precision? When I saw plainly the bad effects of coffee, I decided to stop it, and three years ago I prepared some Postum, of which I had received a sample.

"The first cupful surprised me. It was mild, soothing, delicious. At this time I gave some Postum to a friend who was in a similar condition to mine, from the use of coffee.

"A few days after, I met him and he was full of praise for Postum, declaring he would never return to coffee but stick to Postum. We then ordered a full supply and within a short time my nervousness and consequent trembling, as well as insomnia, disappeared, blood circulation became normal, no dizziness nor heat flashes.

'My friend became a Postum enthusiast, his whole family using it exclusively.

"It would be the fault of the one who brewed the Postum, if it did not taste good when served.

"The best food may be spoiled if not properly made. Postum should be boiled according to directions on the pkg. Then it is all right, anyone can rely on it. It ought to become the national drink." "There's a Reason." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

leeps. Thus talking, in a quiet man ner, the child, as a rule, soon becomes drowsy, and as it drops asleep the mother says: "This is mother (or tion of whether or not we should know mamma) talking to you. You will not one petition, you will never need a ceed. The small country store or busi-Say 'Yes.' You will not awaken. Now you can speak. Say 'Yes, mamma, I

but you will not awaken."

talk to them when they are awake.

MOTHERS.

The time to shape a character when

it is most susceptible to maternal in-

fluences is during the natural-not

The general opinion is that a per-

to the world; but a knowledge of the

Natural sleep is not a condition of

The Method to Pursue.

hypnotic-sleep of the child.

sleeper.

mother.

hear you." You should not expect the child to awaken, but should it stir uneasily and open its eyes, the mother should not relinquish her attempt, but gently close the eyelids, at the same time "I suggesting again: "Nothing will disreally don't know," she said, "but there turb you; you will sleep quietly now, and hear what mamma says, because it is all for your good and you will be

> gests.' It is well if you stroke the child's relieves the over-burdened soul and forchead gently, as this will have a strengthens you. quieting effect and accustom the sleeper to your presence. You should those things that you desire to elimi-

ness, untruthfulness, nail biting, lack of application to studies, music, etc., etc .-- whatever you feel the child most needs. Speak plainly, but quietly, yet with sufficient positiveness to be impressive.

If you wish to exact a promise from promise you, mamma, that I never eral times.

ive to use the first person, singular, points and to speak of them is to en- latest methods of doing business. If thus having the affirmative made by courage him and make him forget the the child instead of the mother say- less desirable ones. The law of suging, you will do this or you will do gestion is absolute. that. To illustrate: I'll do as mamma

ote

These suggestions need not be con- fire, nor put beans in your nose, nor fined entirely to bad habits, but to turn on the hose," etc. When she rephysical aliments and various bodily turned she found that they had all conditions.

girl (a very small child) of enuresis, a bean up its nose. This was easily accomplished, even after guaranteed remedies and the family physician had utterly failed. Another mother cured her 14-year-

old boy of a very bad case of stammering; cured him while he slept, and the boy does not know to this day how the cure was effected.

There are cases covering almost every phase of mental and physical condition. I shall give one more and the means employed.

me her card at the close of the school year, and I noticed that her "marking" was very low on one particular study. She informed me that she took no interest in the subject; hence made so effort in its preparation.

and repeat?

your desire.

In the same manner when you pray audibly (by yourself, not to be heard by others), your faith is increased because of the spoken words acting as an auto-suggestion. When in great Energy and Progressiveness Demandfact, I don't know that I would speak so pleased to do what mamma sug- distress, you "cry aloud" (not loudly), because the spoken heartfelt petition

Remember, God is ever ready to help, but He helps only those who your mind to join the ranks of the then proceed with your suggestions of help themselves; the subjective mind (the mind of the soul) is ever ready, is a strenuous age, and a time when to nate-disobedience, untidiness, idle but it depends upon the attitude of the objective. We are, indeed, free telligent work, and a lot of it. System moral agents.

Caution to Mothers.

Do not speak disparagingly to a child, especially in the presence of another. To speak of a child's faults little equipped for it. These days, upon such an occasion is to impress to succeed, it is necessary that every the child you should say: "I want you them the more deeply upon the child. phase of the business you are in be To tell him he is stupid is to make understood. What rules to-day may _____ again. Say, 'I him the more so; to tell him he is a undergo a change to-morrow. The coward is to exaggerate the condition man in business must be up-to-date or will." You should repeat this sev- of fear within him; to tell him he is very likely he will soon be the loser.

You may remember the story of the wants me to; I'll not do anything to mother who, upon leaving home, and family. hurt mamma; I'll make everybody allowing her children to care for happy by being good to them, etc., themselves during her absence, said to them: "Now, don't play with the

played with the fire, had turned on One of my pupils cured her little the hose, and each of the children had the better. Good old Step-Lively is al-

This was the result of suggestion thrown out by the mother; the contrariness of human nature asserting the enemy and has by far the best

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Rioting in Color.

One has only to go to a fancy dress ball to see how eagerly the men folk from a point outside his view. If you escape from their eternal black and want to succeed in life, don't get in white; how they revel in uniforms and the rear. bureouses, in robes and petticoats, in

sandals and turbans. For one golden My niece, 13 years of age, brought hour they live in a fantastic world, in which they are not all garbed like crows, but can taste the innocent vanKEEP TO THE FRONT.

ed by Present Strenuous Times.

Do you hear the rumble? The noise of the wheels of the car of progress?

If you are deaf to it just make up is the watchword, and work, work steady and directed by brain, is what brings success. There are so many who are engaged in trade that are idle and good-for-nothing is to make Keep posted on the markets, the con-I have always found it most effect- him so; but to pick out the good ditions of trade in general, on the you do not-well, just put your name on the back-number list and drop out. The sooner the better for your own pocketbook and the welfare of your

Don't keep in the rear of the procession. There is plenty of room up front. Once in the rear, you may be inclined still to further lag behind and let the procession get clear out of sight. Lots of room in the front, ways there, and he can hear every command, and right from the front, chance of doing his duty well. The boy in the rear can only see the movements of those before him, and is pretty likely to get a stray shot

Sounded Like It.

Mrs. de Style (listening to daughter practicing on plano)-Shure, Patrick,

music is the food of love. De Style-Food, is it? Thin thot must be steak Mary's poundin' on the planny .--- Judge.

Stand by Your Home Place.

Stick up for home industry. If there is a good food product, a household necessity, boots or shoes, clothing of any kind, anything along the line of manufacture made in your city or town, sell it, use it; it means keeping money at home, and helping along tha employment of home labor. Make a resolution to stand by home trade, home industry and home protection, and thus build up your town and enable its manufacturers to get out a better product.

if you have a cough, cold, sore throat or chest, don't delay a moment -cure it. Simmons' Cough Syrup is a sure remedy. It makes you well.

The end and object of our existence ahould be work, or the legitimate employment of all our faculties .- H. R. Haweis.

Digestive Difficulties? Headache? Sal-low complexion? The remedy is Garfield Tea, the Herb Laxative. Write for sam-ples. Garfield Tea Co., Brooklyn, N. Y.

If wishes were coal heaps we'd none of us freeze .- Detroit Free Press.

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An unusual sandwich is the Devonshire. It is thoroughly English. Put half a pound of Vienna flour into a basin, add half a teaspoonful of sait. a level teaspoonful of castor sugar and a full teaspoonful of yeast powder. then rub two ounces of butter into the flour, and when thoroughly mixed moisten with a well-beaten egg and enough milk to form a fairly soft dough.

Knead the latter just sufficiently to make it into a perfectly smooth ball, to a floured board, and after rolling it out to about the thickness of a quarter of an inch, cut it out into rounds with a plain or fluted cutter of about bake the scones at once on a floured tin. Just before they are done brush taking them from the oven let them tution. cool on a wire rack or sieve.

Shortly before they are required split the scones through the middle with a sharp knife and spread all the pieces with thick clotted cream, then cover half the number with a layer of honey and close the sandwiches.

FOR FLAVORING CLEAR SOUP.

Extract Made from Vegetable Parings and Spices.

"How do you ever get so much flavor into a clear soup?" asked an intimate friend of the hostess.

"I make a regular vegetable flavoring extract," was the reply. "It's good for soups or stews of any sort. "If you want to make some, collect

some nice fresh carrot and turnip peelings, onion, leak and tomato skins and celery trimmings. They should weigh about a pound altogether. Add to these a sprig each of parsley, thyme and marjoram, one bay leaf, one clove of garlic, a small piece of lemon peel, two cloves, eight peppercorns, one teaspoonful of salt and one pint of cold water.

"Put them all on the range and simmer until it has boiled down to about half a pint. Next strain carefully and bottle the mixture. This flavoring is very strong, and about one teaspoonful of it is required to flavor one pint of stock."

Plants Thrive on Steam.

A woman famous among her friends for her thrifty house plants ascribe her success to her practice of steaming them.

"Whenever they begin to droop and look as if they needed 'toning up' they

get a treatment," she said recently. She has a row of hooks arranged on ception of a narrow crack left open at the top of one of the latter, and the tub is filled with water hot enough to allow a gentle steam to rise and pervade the atmosphere. In this position the plants are left for an hour, and the operation is repeated until they are restored to health. This of course only can be done in a room with painted walls, as the constant steaming will loosen paper.

HIS LECTURE ON JOB.

Brother Dickey Thinks He Was Overrated as Patient Man.

"I dunno what dey call Job a patient man fer," said Brother Dickey, "kaze of all de growlers I ever hearn tell on he sho' wuz de growlinest. But he sho' did have enough ter make him growl-dat he did. De devil say: 'Looky yere, Job, you in my power, now, an' I gwine ter 'flict you wid a few biles.' An' Job say: 'All right; I kin stan' it ef you kin.' But de biles commence ter break out so thick an' fas' dat Job say: 'Looky yere, man, dese ain't no biles-dis de smallpox, then turn it from the mixing basin on sho' ez you bo'n.' An' he eetch and eetch so dat he had ter scratch hisse'f wid a goat's head. Den de devil git in a high win' and blow down Job's house; an' dat wuz too much. So ol' the size of a five shilling piece and Job lif' up his voice an' he say: 'Looky yere, I bargain fer biles, but I didn't want no harricane th'owed in them over with beaten egg, and on fer good measure."-Atlanta Consti-

CURED HER CHILDREN.

Girls Suffered with Itching Eczema-Baby Had a Tender Skin, Too-**Relied on Cuticura Remedies.**

"Some years ago my three little girls had a very bad form of eczema: Itching eruptions formed on the backs of their heads which were simply covered. I tried almost everything, but failed. Then my mother recommended the Cuticura Remedies. I washed my children's heads with Cuticura Soap and then applied the wonderful ointment, Cuticura. I did this four or five times and I can say that they have been entirely cured. I have another baby who is so plump that the folds of skin on his neck were broken and even bled. I used Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment and the next morning the trouble had disappeared. Mme. Napoleon Duceppe, 41 Duluth St., Montreal, Que., May 21, 1907."

In Demand.

"I hear you have a new automobile, old man," said the motor-car fiend. "What does it look like?"

"Well, to tell you the truth," replied the amateur motorist, "it is as ugly as a steam roller, makes as much noise as a traction engine, knocks over as many people as a freight engine and raises as much dust as a street sweeping machine. The motor-car fiend was wild with

enthusiasm. "You don't say!" he blurted eagerly. "Tell me where I can buy the same

make and I'll give you my old machine as a present."

Deafness Cannot Be Cured She has a row of hooks arranged on the bathroom wall over the tub, and from these she suspends the pots by strings to within two feet of the water, the plants having previously had a thorough watering. The door and windows are closed, with the ex-ception of a narrow crack left open

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Mix two ounces of glycerine with

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SPITE.

Proud Mother-Everybody says the baby looks like me. Her Brother-The spiteful things

don't say that to your face, do they?

With an Eye to the Future.

Queen Alexandra attended last spring's annual Mansion House fete in London, and because of that auspicious fact there is a tale to tell-and worth the while. One of the diminutive flower maidens was both pretty and plump and when her majesty stopped for an instant to smile down upon her, what did she do but put up her wee (and Co., only, and for sale by all leading drugtempting) mouth for a kiss, which she received.

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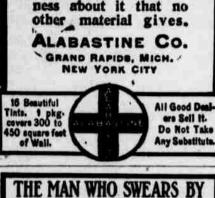
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Hot Ham Sandwiches.

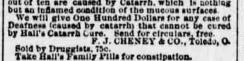
A housewife who was tired of serving cold sliced ham advises other people to try hot ham sandwiches. "Cut thin slices of white bread and spread half of them with soft butter and the remaining half with finely chopped ham," said she. "Press the slices together and remove the crust. Beat one egg slightly, add one-half cup milk and strain over the sandwiches. When moistened place them in a hot frying pan with two level tablespoons of butter. Brown on both sides and serve at once."

Veal and Tongue Cheese.

Pound in a mortar equal quantities cold boiled tongue and veal, adding the meanwhile a little butter and some of the yeal stock to moisten. Pack solidly in a stone jar, pour on melted butter, cover tightly and keep in a cool, dry place. This can be served with any tort jelly or used in a salad.

Filling for Fancy Pin Cushions. Always a new wrinkle from the oung woman of "faculty" who knows how to do everything the nicest and easiest way. Rice, she says, makes the best possible filling for a fancy pin cushion, as it holds its shape well and takes the pins easily.

Bolled Cider Sause. Beat one egg yolk in sauce pan over boiling water, add one tablespoon of brown sugar, beat, then add three-fourths cup of nice boiled cider. Continue beating until smooth and foamy.



Champ (savagely)-Your dog has bitten a piece clean out of my dog. Sharpe (ditto) --- Confound it! I wanted to bring him up as a vegetarian.

Might Have Been

When Shakespeare said: "Aye, there's the rub," we do not know for certain he was thinking of the itch. But one thing we do know-and know it twenty years' worth-Hunt's Cure will absolutely, infallibly and immediately cure any itching trouble that ever happened to the human cuticle. It's guaranteed.

The Wicked Husband.

"Why does a man lie to his wife?" asks a woman writer. Dear me; does he?-Duluth Herald.

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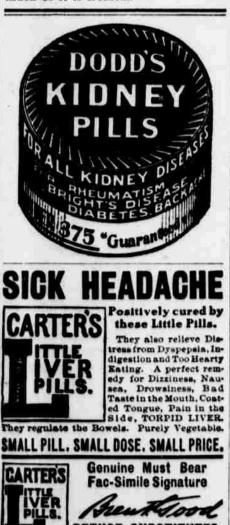
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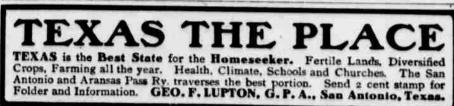
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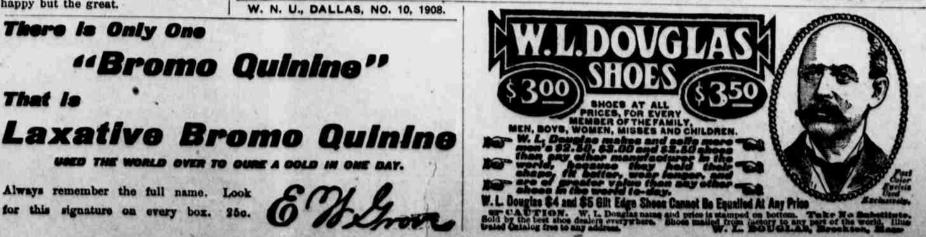
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Local and Personal

night on a visit to relatives.

Irby & Stephens have onion sets and sweet potatoes.

Mr. J. T. Miller of the east side was in the city Wednesday.

Mr. W. P. Whitford of the Cliff Community was town Wednesday doing business in the county capital.

That \$3 hat at The Hub, made of said E. W. Taylor survey, 1023 Mr. J. H. Short of the north by John B. Stetson, is the best. vrs. west of its original S. E. cor. for

Mr. I. N. McCollum returned Mr. D. McLendon of the Miss Floy Payne left Tuesday south side was doing business in Thursday from Clyde, Texas, E. cor. thence west 9031 vrs. to stake where he went to visit his father for N. W. cor. on E. B. line of Subd. and join in the celebration of his No. 1 of this E. W. Taylor survey and fourteenth birthday. Although S. W. cor. of Subd. No. 2; Thence S. The Commissioners' court has been in session again this week the elder McCullum is 60 years B. Line of original E. W. Taylor surexamining the tax collector's

of age he has had but fourteen vey and S. E. cor. of said Subd. No. 1 birthdays, having been born on Thence east 9033 vrs. to place of be-Plant your dollars at The Hub the 29th of February. Mrs. ginning containing 200 acres of land McCullum accompanied her Messrs, T. B. Russell and J. W. Meadors who attended the Putnam to visit her parents be-form and unlawfully en-tered upon said premises and ejected plaintiffs therefrom, and unlawfully



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Mr. A. E. Lee has been appointed office deputy by sheriff Park.

Mr. J. T. Bowman of the Pinkerton community was in the city Thursday.

There has recently been quite northern part of the county, a revival in the real estate died of heart failure. The market. Both town and country FREE PRESS joins relatives and property has been changing friends in sympathy for their hands.

If you want a Stetson hat The Hub has the nicest and most up- was in the city Friday. Mr. to-date stock.

Get onion sets and sweet potatoes at Irby &Stephens.

Judge H. G. McConnell attended court in Fisher county this week.

Mrs. Ed King arrived here Wednesday from San Marcos to join he husband, who lately purchased the Egger stock of goods.

Just received an assortment of fine whips--all prices.

Cason, Cox & Co.

Haskell last Saturday from hundreds of acres of new land dess spoke highly of the good Chicago and is in charge of the was being put in cultivation in school they have at the Howard extensive millinery department that part of the county and that school house, of which Miss of the Alexander Mercantile the farmers had all their old Viola Humphreys is the teacher. Co.

years connected with the Texas He said there was some wheat Christian University, was in and oats in that section and Haskell Sunday and Monday they were growing and looking day evening train to attend the said Court, at office in Haskell, Texas, hands with old pupils.

Go to Irby & Stephens for Mrs. Charles Parsons on Thurs- Saturday. They will be the SEAL onion sets and sweet Potatoes. day morning.

89th convocation of the I. O. O. fore returning home.

F. Grand Lodge at Fort Worth Mrs. J. S. Williams with Miss this week as delegates from the Arny Houston made the FREE Haskell lodge, returned home PRESS a pleasant and appreciated call Tuesday.

A made to measure suit at The Mr. G. W. Thomason left Mon-Hub for \$18 is equal to the ordi- day on business at Dallas and Fort Worth.

Worth arrived Wednesday night Saturday morning from Waco, and is visiting with the family of where he has been attending said 200 acres of land; that said plainschool.

Mrs. W. L. Hills of Rule visit-Be sure to visit the bankrupt sale of the D. Egger & Son stock, there are baagains in it. Don't help pay the other fellow's

Judge Jackson visited Sagerton on professional business Tues- kind of a claim to said land under a We learned yesterday that day,

> Mr. J. S. Harbin of the Rule and recorded in the deed records of community was in the city Wed- Young Co., Texas, the extent and nesday and called around and nature of said claim being to these fixed his subscription so that the claim or title of said defendants to new postal ruling will not cut said land, if any they have, is to instantly and cures prompty. him off. He complimented the these plaintifis unknown, and that suaranteed FREE PRESS and said he and his the unknown heirs of Joseph Kop-

out it. Garren was for many years a Mr. W. A. Mercer, an organizer being to plaintiffs unknown. citizen of the south-western portion of the county, but moved for the Fraternal Bankers, was claiming said land by 5 years limitawest to the range country about here Thursday on business with tion having held same under deeds the supreme lodge.

Buy the Bull-dog Walk-Over Mr. J. S. Hale of Stamford enjoying the same and paying all taxshoe at The Hub for the best visited the headquarters of the es due thereon for a period of more have the buyers ready to do busi-Fraternal Bankers Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Boone spent Mr. R. G. Landess of the south several days this week on their side was in the city Wednesday ranch sixteen miles northeast of and, like the farmers from other town. In conversation with Mr. portions of the county, reports Boone we learned that great farm work better advanced in changes are taking place in that his section than he ever knew it Miss Grayce Allen arrived in locality. He said that many so early in the season. Mr. Lanland broken, and that many im- Mr. Landess put his subscription

Prof. E. C. Snow, for many provements had been erected, ahead to a safe date.

A son was born to Mr. and Simmons College Friday and 1908.

guests of the Misses Nicholson.

withhold foom them the possession thereof to their damage \$6000.00; that the ressonable annual rentable value of said land is \$500.00.

Plaintiff's further allege that they claim said land under a deed from A. C. Foster to plaintiff Una L. Foster dated Aug. 30, 1900 acknowledged same day besore J. L. Jones N. P. Haskell Co., Texas and filed for rec-Miss Bessie Parker of Fort Mr. Roy Shook came in last ord same day and duly recorded in Vol. 18, page 608 of the Deed Records of Haskell Countyf Texas conveying tiff S. J. Murry claims an interest in said land under his co-plaintiff Una L. Foster which claim is admitted by said Una L. Foster.

Plaintiffs further allege that the defendants James Lake and the heirs of James Lake are asserting some deed executed by one D. C. Freeman Jr. to James Lake dated May 9, 1859

Mr. W. D. Garren of Van Horn family did not want to be with- man have some kind of claim on said "Better Be Safe than Sorry." land by inheritance from Joseph Kopman any other claim they may have

Pherson. Plaintiffs further allege that they are duly registered peacably, continously, your land or city property, and and adversely, cultivating, using and will make the figures RIGHT, we than 5 years prior to the filing of this ness. Remember that the prices must be close for a quick sale now.

Plaintiffs pray that defendants be cited by publication and that they may have judgment for the title and Texas. possession of said premises with writ of restitution and for their rents, damages, and costs of suit and for general relief.

Herein fail not, but have before said Court, on the first day of, its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, J. W. Meadors, Clerk of Misses Eula and Alice Poole the District Court of Haskell County. Given under my hand and Seal of he seeks. book social by the students of this the 12th day of February A. D.

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addressed to the people of the

county over his own signature.

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we believe him competent and

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Mrs. S. L. Reese on Feb. 26th.

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