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HASKELL, HASKELL COUNTY. TEXAS, SATURDAY MORNING MAY 9, 1908.

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Your committee on resolutions

beg leave to report as follows: In steadfast defense of the integrity of the Democratic party and of the integrity of Hon. Joseph W. Bailey, the Democracy of Texas has selected the challenge that his defamers have flaunted before the people of this state, and have invited the judgment of the voters upon his official democracy and his personal honor, and

Whereas, the results of the election just held in Texas shows that the loyal Democrats of Texas have endorsed both his official and his peasonal honor,

Whereas, the Democrats of Haskell County in convention assembled desire to give expression of their faith and confidence men meant it well when they County in the honor and integrity of our made up the purse of money for hunting, fishing, or tresspassing al, several men have taken steps loyalty and fidelity to every I cannot accept it, and have kell. official and political trust that therefore turned it over for the

placed in his hands,

we the Democrats of Haskell County, in convention assembled, recognize in Joseph W. Bailey of Texas, a Democrat of integrity. ability and real democracy exceeded by that of no other man and we unqualifiedly endorse him as a true man whose character is beyond the reach of the turbid tides of babbling rumor, and as a grand statesman who has never truckled nor sold the truth to serve the hour, never shrunk from an issue, nor eva-

responsibility, but alway. and everywhere has been a tower and a strength and has stood four square to all the winds that blow, and this is the man, who together with all the nominees of the Fort Worth Convention that we endorse and recommend af the representtive of the Democracy of Texas at the National Democratic Convention soon to be held at Denver Colorado, and shall carry with them a commission from this Democratic state to use the full extent of their power, ability and influence to secure the nomination of that great and matchless statesman William J. Bryan as the Democratic nominee for President of the United States.

Respectfully submitted,

H. G. McConnell) D. STODGHILL

Committee F. ARMSTRONG L. RIDDLING

W. P. WHITFORD

On motion the report was adopted by an "I" and "No" vote, there being only three or four negative votes heard.

It was then moved by Judge a McConnell that one delegate be tappointed from each voting prebcinct to represent Haskell counrty in the Democratic State convention at Fort Worth on May 26th, adopted.

The chairman then named the following by precincts, begining with No. 1, viz: Rev. J. T. Wicholsen, Jud Ridling, J. D. atodghill. L. F. Burris, Dr. Milmer, Jno. E. Robertson, W. L. Mills, T. A. Park, John Patrick, n. Fuller, W. C. Allen and W. J. eaff, as delegates to the state he anvention.

ad ti The convention then adjourn-

Boys Will be Boys

are always getting scratches ts, sprains, bruises, bumps, burns calds. Don't neglect such thingsaly may result seriously if you do. ply Ballard's Snow Liniment ac-tiding to directions right away and lswill relieve the pain and heal

trouble. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00. by Terrell's Drug Store.

To The Citizens of Haskell.

Dear friends and neighbors:

I am taking this way to express my heartfelt thanks to you, one and all for the appreciation you have shown for the little service I was able to render at this last fire.

human and of course am highly while on the lower levels malaria flattered with the elegant way you have used me, but I am not a man who will do what he is laria, jaundice, billiousness, fever and able to do for his own town and ague, and general debility, the most neighbors and then accept pay effective remedy is Electric Bitters for it. No indeed, Haskell is my town and you are all my neigh- bodily weakness, nervousness, and inbors and a man who will not do soums. Sold under guarantee a all in his power for both at a Terrell's Drug Store. Price 50c. time when most needed, 'is not much of a man.

I am aware that the business Therefore, be it resolved that could be used to such good so. advantage.

Hoping you all will be satisfied

with the way I intend this money to be used and again thanking you for your kindness 1 am and always hope to be,

Your friend and neighbor E. E. MARVIN.

The World's Best Climate is not entirely free from disease, on Now dear friends, I am only the high elevations fevers prevail is encountered to a greater or less extent, according to altitude. To overcome climate affections lassitude mathe great alterative and blood puri-

NOTICE.

All persons are warned against junior United States Senator me, and that they gave it with on what is known as the Neath- to open a "frosty" joint in and to testify of our belief in his the best intentions, but as I said, ery Farm, 1 mile south of Has-

Parties who have been haulhas heretofore been reposed in Haskell Fire Department, to be ing sand off this place without him and that may hereafter be used as they see fit, for, I knew written authority from the of no other public place where it owner is hereby forbidden to do

J. J. Stein.

RESOLVED THE MORE YOU WASH THE BEST WASHABLES THE BETTER THEY LOOK THE MORE YOU WEAR THE BEST WASHABLES THE BENTED YOU I YOUR BUSTER BROWN

WHEN THERE IS SO MUCH DUST FLYING IN THE AIR. ARE NOT WASH GOODS THE MOST DESIR. ABLE MATERIALS FROM WHICH YOU CAN MAKE YOUR SUMMER DRESSES? YOU KNOW IT IS A VERY COMFORTABLE FEELING TO GET INTO A FRESH, CRISP, NEWLY IRONED DRESS. IF YOU ARE FASTIDIOUS ABOUT THE PATTERNS YOU WISH-AND WHY SHOULD NOT ONE HAVE THE RIGHT TO CHOOSE THE THINGS THAT PLEASE THEM-WHEN THEY MUST PAY FOR THEM? WE BELIEVE THAT HOWEVER FASTIDIOUS YOU MAY BE WE CAN PLEASE YOU. WE CANNOT WELL DESCRIBE THE PATTERNS WE CARRY. SUP-POSE YOU COME AND SEE THEM. SELECT THE

PATTERNS FOR YOUR SELF. RESPECTFULLY.

LEXANDER MERC.

THE BIG STORE

BASEBALL.

The Pleesant Valley and the Cottonwood baseball teams will (Saturday,) beginning at 2:30 p. enjoy the fun with them.

Cottonwood team.

Mr. John Riha, of Vining, La., says: 'I have been selling DeWitts Kidney

Mr. S. F. Shannon who has been assistant postmaster at this place for some time has been applay a matched game today pointed to that position at Abilene. Mr. Shannon is a young ed in them. Needless to say m. This is their first game and man of excellent reputation. the boys invite all to come and While here he was active and accommodating in the discharge J. M. Cantrell is manager of of his official duties and won the the Pleasant Valley team and kindly regard of the patrons of Tom Mitchell is manager of the the office. He is a nephew of postmaster Jno. B. Baker.

Cascasweet is for babies and children, and is especially good for the and Bladder Pills for about a year ills so common in hot weather. Look and they give better satisfaction than for the ingredients on the bottle. any pill I ever sold." Sold by French Contains no harmful drugs. Sold by

How Prohibition Prohibits in Taylor County.

From Texas Christian Advocate It is a proverb that prohibition prohibits in Taylor County. The sentiment has been so strong and the law so effective that since prohibition went into effect more than six years ago, the antis have never even tried to bring on another election: and the statment goes unchallenged that not twenty-five reputable citizens of the county could be found today who would sign a petition for another election. On the contrary a statement has lately been signed by a long list of former antis who now testify to the improvement from every standpoint that prohibition has wrought.

Since the "anti-frosty" law has been declared unconstitution-Abilene. One man' approached the city marshal to know where he could get a house wherein he could sell "frosty." What Chief Clinton told him was "a plenty." The man did not dare had anywhere at any price. to defy the sentiment in Abil-

Last week another man subrented part of a building, put in a bar, and ordered a car of "frosty." This being noised about, a committee compossed of A. H. Kirby, E. A. Pearce, J. H. Paramore, C. W. Merchant, H. Smith, A. E. Watson and R. D. Bumpass, waited on the gentleman. That knightly champion of prohibition, A. H. Kirby, acted as spokesman. He politenot was and wo. Abil we frossy joint in town, and that he had better not try to open one. The man talked very independently, and wanted to know the law forbiding such a thing, but Judge Kirby replied: 'We are not going to allow any man to override the law and pronounced sentiment of this county, and I am ready to lay down all my business and devote my time and money to fighting you to the bitter end, if you attempt to run a 'frosty' joint here" As the man looked at the judge and the fearless committee that stood behind him, he saw that he was up against the real thing. He saw that as soon as he displayed his federal license and sold one bottle of his stuff, he would have to go to jail. So he telephoned to Fort Worth, and early the next morning an agent of the brewers came in to give advice and put up brewers' money. Together the two took in the town, to get a lawyer to defend the case as soon as there should be a case, but, all honor to the noble legal profession of Abilene, not one lawyer could be bought with brewers' money to defend such a cause! The man then came whining to be allowed to sell out what he had, but prohibition sentiment in Abilene brooks no compromise. owner of the grounds learning what was contemplated, gave orders to the owners of the building that the buildings should be torn down and hauled away, if any "frosty" joint was openthere is no "frosty" joint in Abilene-and there is not going to be any! And when lawyers, real estate owners and business men elsewhere line up as

'On with the battle." SAMUEL J. RUCKER.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers are pills. Sold by French Bros.

they do in Taylor County, pro-

hibition will always prohibit.



TOILET GOODS STAND HIGH

in importance among people of reminement. In inviting you to examine those offered here we are assured of your approval if you honor us with a call. We are known as dispensers of only

The Purest Drugs and Medicines.

When we guarantee that our toilet goods and preparations match our drugs in character it means there are no better to be

COLLIER'S DRUG STORE



THING MISSING

some day, and then you'll regret that you didn't put it where it would be safe. In a word, the place for your surplus cash is the FARMERS BANK. It will be absolutely safe there, and you'll find your account growing. And you'll be afforded every accommodation consistent with conservative banking. Put your money where it will do most good to you.

ARMERS NATIONAL

R. C. MONTGOMERY. Cashier.

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W. P. McCarty for Commissioner

Friends of Mr. W. P. McCarty, one of Haskell county's prosperous and progressive farmers, residing near Rule, have requested us to announce him as a candidate for commissioners for precinct No. 4. They state that while Mr. McCarty is not an active candidate seeking the office he has consented to serve if elected, hence they with many others who desire his services in the commissioners' court take this means of placing his name before all the voters of their precinct and soliciting their votes for him. Being a democrat, of course his name is submitted subject to the July primary.

We believe the people of precinct No. 4 will make no mistake in choosing Mr. McCarty as their commissioner.

is soon turned to a sad one if he has to walk the floor every night with a Elixir will make the child well,soothe his nerves, induce healthy, normal slumber. Best for disorders bowels and sour stomach-all teeth ing babies need it. Pleasant to take sure and safe, contains no harmful small, safe, sure and gentle little drugs. Price 25 and 50 cents per bottle. Sold by Terrell's Drug &

HASKELL, - - - TEXAS

Some of the candidates who do the most promising are not by any means the most promising.

Sir Frederick Bridge is going to Quebec, but he will scarcely fill the gap left by the bridge that went down.

Mrs. Eveline Wright Allen, a graduate of Leland Stanford university. has been appointed dean of women for that institution.

However, even \$200,000 a year wight not be despised by Prince Helle de-Sagan, considering that he has not the price of a meal

Minister named Fyshe jumped from now there are more good tyshe in the sen than ever before.

Foreigners can never say we're imof American competition. The Eaton county turnier who blew

drinking evidently didn't have much faith in the prohibition wave While no official word has been sent out as to the result of the shooting in

Magdalena bay, we fancy that the tar gets would come in handy for sleves A poet has been shot by the Haitian soldiery. While we have'nt read any of his poetry, we should say off-

hand that the punishment was rather too severe. It is the proud right of the American hen to cuckle since she is producing more wealth than steel and iron combined. The consumer knows

who settles. If war is "hellish," as Takahira says. and stock gambling is "devilish," as Senator Tillman says, a battle between the bulls and bears must be nothing if not "fiendish."

Mr. Balfour is reported writing a book on a political-philosophic subject | the probable adjournment of congress, in intervals of parliamentary business, recently predicted for May 16, has This ought to afford a consoling pros- now been set by political prognostica pect to the enemy.

girl before he was 19 years old, having last week of the month. Certainly doubtless heard that if you are going there seems work enough to last until after the matrimonial sweepstakes you | the end of the month, had better get an early start.

to her liking than the first crop was.

and doubtiess in Paris there is III foregor, have granter propriaready to take Prince Henri de Sagan's place in Anna Gould's affections, when Anna gets tired of giving Henri

Metals get tired as well as living things, a scientist declares. Telegraph wires are better conductors on Monday than Saturday on account of their Sunday rest, and a rest of three weeks adds 10 per cent, to the conductivity of a wire.

A Turin, Italy, paper accuses d'Annunzio with plagiarism because he has transferred a number of passages from the Bible to his new drama "La Nef." Thus it is, we find, that the devil not only quotes Scripture but on occasion even claims authorship.

Prof. Barus of Brown university recommends as a motive power for skyships some form of high explosive. particularly those which can be worked up into wicks and ribbons. He proposes obtaining a continuity of power values from nitrogen explosives by using cold storages.

If the finances of the Gould family are in such shape that Helen Gould has been obliged to close two of her charitable institutions the family has little occasion to kick on Anna's matrimonial aspirations. If they are poor she will have to take what she can get in the way of a husband.

An observer in Milwaukee has discovered three big new spots on the returned home he heard his baby sun. Two are calculated to be more than 8,000 miles across, dimensions which would permit the earth to drop through. If the theory that connects meteorological disturbances with the appearance of sunspots may be relied on some pretty lively shakeups may be anticipated. But sunspots are not always reliable prophets.

Chile is starting out on a search for new artillery equal to the most mod- the City of Mexico the two robbers of ern requirements, and invites gun- the \$63,000 from the Wells-Fargo Exmakers of all countries to send representatives to the tests that will be made next October. Here should be a chance for Americans. The United | men denied having anything to do with States is turning out about the best the affair, but after several days' conweapons of this sort that can be produced. The Watervilet factory has done much to establish the present high standard.

President G. Stanley Hall is "catching it" from women all over the country because of his recent assertion that female teachers are "feminizing" the boys of the United States. The of party domination and assert their general opinion is that if Mr. Hall is right he should have had the privilege of instructing the Creator when the human race was placed upon the earth and should have told him that bor's campaign in a mass meeting in mothers were a mistake. If the pro- the International Theater Sunday affessor notes this feminine sarcasm it ternoon. Fifteen hundred men and wowill probably only confirm him in the men filled the theater and vigoroustheory that boys can not safely be ly applauded the labor chief.

HOTEL HOLOCAUST BAILEY IS LEADING

GUESTS DIE IN FIRE IN A FORT WAYNE HOTEL.

REGISTER DESTROYED

Names of Some Will Never Be Known Old Fire Trap Burned Like Tinger.

Fort Wayne, Ind., May 4.-Ten known dead, many missing and thirteen seriously injured is the result of a fire that destroyed the new Avenue Hotel Fort Wayne's principal hotel. at an early hour Sunday. Chief of Police Auckenbruch said yesterday afan ocean finer and was drowned And bernoon he believed twenty bodies were still in the ruins. The interior the building is a smouldering heap of rains, and how many dead there are polite in one respect. When counts concealed by the debris can only be come fortune-hunting you never hear conjectured . The hotel register was consumed by the fire, and there are the accurate means of determining who off his head because he couldn't quit is missing,

was discovered at 3:30 block in the morning in the elevator shaft by Night Clerk Ralph Pipkins. He rushed to the upper floors, alarmed the guests until the flames which had spread with appalling rapidity drove him back. His efforts, however, saved many lives. The hotel was effected half a century ago and the woodwork was dry as tinder. It burned like matchwood, and, within a few minutes from the time the fire was discovered, the whole laterior of the hotel was a mass of flames that filled the corridors and rooms with suffocating clouds of smoke and laid flery barriers across all means of escape, save by the win- Fifth or Dallas District, though there

GETTING READY TO ADJOURN. The Boys are Trying to Get Back Home.

Washington, May 4 .- The date of tors for May 23, while some sherwd A rich Chicago boy married a chorus | congressional habitues put it into the

To date only two of the fourteen A Belfast girl who was scalped by a general appropriation bills have belaundry machine has grown a new come laws-the Indian and urgent dehead of hair, as the report goes. Yes. ficiency bills. Five other important Eighth District 5,939 and no doubt its shade is much more measures have not yet been passed by Ninth District 4,419 the senate, viz: The postoffice, agricul- Tenth District 5,059 The last three have not

even passed the house.

Shreveport Negro Runs Amuck. Shreveport, La.: After a trifling dis-

pute Sunday Charles McDaniels, a negro, shot and killed George Mayfield, another negro, and was later shot to death by a posse. After killing Mayfield McDaniels, armed with a shotgun and revolver, snapped the revolver at his sister, tried to shooe into a passenger train and snapped the weapon several times in an unsuccessful attempt to shoot members of the officers' party.

Boosters Land a Factory.

Tulsa, Ok-The first practical result of the Tulsa Boosters was received Saturday when the Commercial Club secured a factory for the manufacturing of oil and gas well packers. Spang & Co., of Btuler, Pa., is the concern coming here. On a site along the Missouri, Kansas & Texas a large brick building will be built at once, Twentyfive skilled workmen will be employed.

Found His Mother Dead.

Braman, Ok.: Mrs. Ellen Hand, mother of W. M. Hand, who lives two and one-half miles south of town, was found dead in her bed. Mr. Hand had been over to Salt Fork and when he daughter, who was sleeping with her grandmother, making a noise and went into the room to see what was the matter. He called to his mother and then discovered she was dead

Express Robbers Confess.

Laredo: It is learned here that through the activity of the police of press are in jail and both men have confessed. When first arrested both finement in communicado they broke down and confessed. The money was found by the police.

Gompers Urges Independence.

Chleago, Ill.: In a plea to the wage earners of the city to cast off the yoke political independence, Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, opened organized la-

THE MATSUHIMA SINKS

BY ABOUT 20,000 FATAL EXPLOSION ON JAPANESE TRAINING SHIP.

Dallas, May 5.-Up to date complete

returns have been received from 78

counties, and very full returns from

which held primaries, the Bailey tick-

et has 116,568 votes and the Johnson

ticket 95,745 votes, making a majority

of 20,823 votes for the Bailey ticket.

The following are the counties which

Camp, Cast, Delta, Hopkins, Lamar,

Morris, Red River, Angelina, Har-

rison, Jasper, Shelby, Gregg, Hender-

son, Kaufman, Rusk, Van Zandt, Col-

lin, Rains, Rockwall Brazos, Cham-

bers, Galveston, Grimes, Harris, De

Witt, Fayette, Gonzales, Refugio, Bur-

leson, Caldwell, Washington, Coryell,

Hamilton, Falls, McLennan, Coman-

che, Hood, Johnson, Somervell, Tar-

rant, Anson, Archer, Armstrong Bay-

lor, Clay, Deaf Smith, Denton, Hale,

Hardeman, Hartley, Jack, Knox, Mon-

tague, Hall, Randall, Potter, Wichita,

Wise, Young, Bexar, Gillespie, Lam-

pasas, Llano, McCulloch, Polk, East-

land, Lubbock, Martin, Mitchell, No-

lan, Palo Pinto, Reeves, Runnels, Tay-

lor, Schleicher, Stephens, Tom Green

The returns from Dallas County,

while not quite complete, are almost

so, since but six very small boxes are

missing. The same may be said of

all other large counties from which

complete returns have not been re-

ceived; what is missing is but a very

small fraction of the total vote of these

Johnson carried only three Congres-

and the Eleventh. Johnson lost the

Returns by Districts.

While the figures given below are

Bailey Johnson

5,556

10,251

5,688

2,612

may change this apparent result.

First District 8,545

Second District 7,362

Third District 5.247

Fourth District11.567

Fifth District10,617

Sixth District 5,953

Seventh District 3,803

Twelfth District 9,364

Thirteenth District ...13,187

Fourteenth District ... 6.306

Fifteenth District 656

Sixteenth District10,069

Growers and Troops May Clash.

Willson and his State troops, night

riders Monday morning dashed by the

soldiers and burned a warehouse of

Jim Stogden, near Benson. It was

given out that the barn was struck by

lightning, but it is said that the troops

saw the fire and did not advance on

the night riders, fearing they would

came up four hours after the ware

morning. A tenant house on Mrs. Jen-

nie Rose's farm and one on J. D.

Boyd's farm were destroyed, but be

yond breaking the leg of an eighteen-

months-old child, no one was injured.

Cotton Crop Increased.

which destroyed all crops in the bot-

ground will be put in cotton.

St. Louis, Mo.: Benbow City, the

flat town which has grown up around

the Standard Oil Company's new re-

finery, eight miles south of Alton, is

the wettest town in Illinois, and be-

cause it is the wettest it is also the

richest. It began its corporate exist-

ence as a village Monday with eigh

teen registered voters and twenty-

three saloons. Within the corporate

persons and one saloon for each thin

John Protho, neal Elderville, Gregg

County, was instantly killed at 2 p.

m. Monday by lightning. He was in

his wagon, accompanied by his twelve-

the other, stunned, will likely die.

Colonel John S. Mosby, the celebrat-

ed Confederate guerilla, is ill at Gar-

field Hospital, Washington, from a

teen inhabitants.

house had been destroyed.

changed.

have made complete returns

all the remaining counties in Texas A SMALL NUMBER IS SAVED

Only 58 Cadets Out of 300 Rescued. Cause of the Explosion Is Unknown.

Tokio, May 1.-Admiral Yoshimatsu, commander of the training squadron, reports that an explosion occurred in suhima at 4:08 yesterday morning while anchored at Makang, a harbor on the Pescadores Islands.

The Matsuhima immediately sank, until only the bridge was visible. Efforts at rescue by boats from the cruisers Hayashidate and Itskukushima continued until 9 a. m., saving the lives of 141 men, including some

The majority of the officers were saved, and at the time of the Admiral's report the cadets numbered 58 out of a completement of 300.

The sons of Baron Chinda, Vice-Minister of the Foreign Office and of Prince Oyama, Field Marshal, among the cadets who, it is feared, are lost; also Captains Yoshmori and Yashiro.

The cause of the explosion is un-

Knox County Weather Pranks.

Goree: Something seemed to be wrong with the weather in this section Tuesday night. At 9 p. m. it was sional Districts, the Third, the Tenth a nice, sweet, peaceful night-a near midsummer night. Then came change No. 1. A rift of clouds blew over from is a bare possibility that the returns the northwest and we had a heavy yet to be received from this district wind storm. The wind blew with terrific force until about 2 a. m .- about four hours. Then came change No. 2. The wind calmed down and a slow, subject to minor changes, they are steady rain set in, which lasted four generally fairly complete, and the final hours. Then change No. 3, a regular difference will be but slightly snow storm, set in, and for about an hour it snowed as hard as it did any time last winter. Then the weather man seemed to get control again and the sun came out and everything 7.121 looked lovely once more. Nothing seemed to be damaged by the sudden

Col. Gary Dead in Washington.

Washington: Col. Thomas A. Gary, 3.770 for many years a citizen of Galveston, 5,877 died in this city Wednesday night. ed that there is no hope for the man's 7,758 W. 1 years of The Virginia, and recovery. 7,564 moved with his parents to makega 5,183 County, Alabama, where he received 219 8,913 95,745 rank of Colonel. Frankfort, Ky .: Defying Governor

After the war Col. Gary established Cotton Exchange. He came to Wash- well of Arizona are the brothers. ington in 1894 and retired from business in 1897

Up to Rooseveltian Standard. be ambushed. The electrical storm Hill reports to the county clerk's office that Mrs. Frank Nelson gave birth A small cyclone swept over part of on April 29th to her sixteenth child. Lamar County near Ambia Monday April 29th was Mrs. Nelson's birthday, also. Dr. Roberts' report is that Mrs. Nelson is thirty-eight years of age and has been married twice. She has three children from her first marriage and

Pythians Select San Antonio.

thirteen from her second.

Austin: The thirty-fifth annual con-Brownwood: Since the recent floods clave of the Grand Lodge, Texas toms, the farmers are busy preparing Knights of Pythias, closed Thursday. It was said to have been conspicous in and putting in cotton, which will the history of such conventions from mean many thousand more acres than its marked success. The lodge was was at first thought would be put in treated most hospitably here, and the the fleecy staple. The farmers think delegates felt grateful for their corit would be too late to plant corn, dial entertainment and expectant of and as the bulk of the bottom ground similar courtesy in San Antonio, which was in corn, wheat and oats, all this will be their hostess next.

French Detachment Massacred

Paris: A dispatch has been received here from Dagana, West Africa, saying that a detachment of troops conssting of thirty-one native infantry and schoott. Every man in the detachment a negro aged about 35 years, land, for their damlimits of Benbow City there are 300

Two seamen on the German battleship Eisas were killed and six others wounded at Kiel as the result of the explosion of a mine. A launch had year-old son, who was badly shocked, been sent out from the battleship to but was able after some hours to give experiment in blowing up obstructions the alarm. One horse was killed and in the water. During the maneuvers one of the mines on board exploded prematurely.

W. W. Berry of Arlington fell from chronic trouble. His condition is not Tuesday and died from injuries received Wednesday.

ON THE CENTURY LINE.

A Dallas County Great-Grandmother Gone to Rest.

Dallas, May 2.-Mrs. Lucinda Neelly, aged 99 years and eight months, died yesterday morning at 6 o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Miles Hopkins, about one mile south of Oak Cliff.

Few women in the United States enjoyed the same distinction as Mrs. Neelly. She enjoyed every minute of her long life, in spite of the fact that she came of pioneer parents and endured the hardships and trials of the frontier life herself. She was probably the oldest Confederate mother in the South, and was revered and respectthe stock magazine of the crusier Mat- ed by every old soldier in Dallas County. She was the mother of four sons, two of whom fought and died wearing the gray, leaving only one offspring who returned home from the war alive. He is ex-County Commissioner George Neelly, well known in county politics, and a grandfather himself.

Mistaken for Burglar.

Kaufman: Bud Duncan, one of the most prominent farmers of Kaufman County, was shot and seriously injured Wednesday night at his home near Daugherty. Mr. Duncan had left home to be gone for the night and got Henry Pursfull, stay with his family for the night. Late in the night Mr. Duncan returned home and Mr. Pursful heard him at the barn, and, thinking he was a burglar, fired at him with a shotgun, the load taking effect in Mr. Duncan's face.

Meets Horrible Death by Cars.

Nacogdoches: Hosea Ryan, aged 19 years, was accidentally killed Friday while coupling cars on the Hayward Lumber Company's tram at Hampton Front. The cars were loaded with logs, and as the young man stepped between the cars to couple them his head was caught between the ends of two logs, crushing his skull. He at T fell dead across the rails and both year legs and his right arm were severed Nels from his body.

Talaquah Boy Wields Ax.

Taleguah, Ok.: While Fireman Gilmore of the electric light plant was away from home some one attempted to break into the house. Mrs. Gilmore warned the would-be intruder. Still persisting in trying to break in, her little son, a boy of twelve years, seized an ax and attacked the man, who was severely injured. It is stat-

Heir Last Seen in Waco.

Boston, Mass.: A fortune of nearly his early education. Later he re- half a million dollars, which was left moved to Plantersville, Texas, and en- to a Harvard student, William S. Whitgaged in the mercantile business. At well, who strangely disappeared from the outbreak of the war he entered his studies five years ago, and later the Confederate, Army, attaining the from Waco, Texas, where he had been traced, was begun in the Probate Court in behalf of two brothers, who the firm of Gary & Oliphant, cotton seek to divide the estate, believing brokers, at Galeston. In 1876 he was the missing heir dead. Cutler Whitelected President of the Galveston well of California and Sturgis Whit-

Johnson Bureau Busy.

Washington: Frank Lynch, treas. as sold by valid deed urer of the Democratic committee of dy through his law-Dallas: Dr. C. D. Roberts of Cedar Minnesota, chief mogul of headquar attorney A. C. Fosters in Chicago of the Presidential | Dyer, deceased, and candidacy of Governor Johnson of the to said land by Minnesota, has selected Eastern repre- n and under said sentatives who will have charge of a deceased.

press bureau in Washington. It will's and those under be the chief duty of this press bureauh, have had and held to make a Johnson impression on the diverse possession of Southern States, most of which have ating, using and ennot yet held their conventions.

A \$63,000 Haul.

press Company has reported to th authorities of Torreon, Mexico, th loss of \$63,000 in Mexican currenc; which they claim was taken from Possession by actual through safe on their City of Mexic train. The money was consigned one of the banks of Chihuahua. far two arrests have been made Torreon, although it is not believed the officials that the men who we ceased, assert some arrested in Torreon have the mon virtue of a convey-

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WHAT FOLK CONSUME.

Business Always Regulated by the

Wants of the People.

It is an established principle that

the consuming capacity of the people

averages just so much year after year,

and fluctuates according to business

and financial conditions. As new

things are brought into use, perhaps

the per capita expense of living in-

creases and becomes adjusted to

changed conditions. Then it is rea-

sonable to believe that so far as the

consuming capacity of the United

States is concerned it will grow

according to the increase in popula-

tion, and the educated tastes of the

Whether conditions that have been

found practical and afford an equitable

compensation to all engaged in trade

are to be continued, or whether the

tradesman known as the retailer is

to be cut out of the game and the

people supplied directly through the

manufacturer and his direct represen-

tative is an important question. One

of the systems that is far reaching in

its baneful effects is the mail-order

system. About 50 per cent. of the

people of the United States live in

agricultural sections. It is from these

agricultural districts that the mail-

order houses draw the trade, not from

the cities. The question is whether

it is best for the masses that these

mammoth houses in the large cities

drive the small merchants out of busi-

ness or not? Is it to the advantage

of the manufacturers and the jobbers

that the large houses continue to

grow? The existence of these houses

does not increase trade an lota. Why,

then, should the people patronize

them, and why should manufacturers

and jobbers give them support by

be that a charge of discrimination

would be made against concerns that re-

fused to sell. The catalogue house

should not have any advantage over

the dealer in the small town, and soon

the masses would discover that there

was nothing to be gained by patroniz-

VALUE OF GOODS.

Snap-Hunting Often Means Loss of

Money and Time.

Snap hunting rarely pays. People

should fix in their heads the fact that

gold dollars can never be purchased

for 90 cents, unless there is 10 cents'

worth of gold worn off. The same

with goods. Values must be lowered

either by over production, out of date

styles, or some other circumstances.

Now and then a concern is forced to

sell in order to meet obligations. Then

things go under the hammer, and

there may be a chance tour the mat-

ter of buying standard goods at sacri-

ficial prices through regular trade

channels should be carefully consid-

at a cut rate, at so low a price that

it is apparent someone must lose by

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Sound Foundation Required.

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Arkansas (Conway) Union Tribune: It seems like a nervy thing for a man who is \$1000 in debt and no money on hand to buy a farm, but that is what was done by C. M. Fleming of Saline County, Ark., and he succeeded in paying for his farm our of crop proceeds in the space of five years.

A LESSON IN FARMING.

It was in 1895 that Mr. Fleming bought the 96-acre sandy hill farm on which he has since lived. At that time he was not only \$1000 in debt. but had no money and had to be furnished with team, tools, implements and supplies. It was an unpromising beginning, yet by reason of hard work intelligent planning and good management he paid for this farm in five years.

Mr. Fleming is not an all-cotton farmer, but believes in diversification. He had 65 acres in cultivation, divided usually about as follows:

Ten acres are in cotton, 12 acres in corn, 25 acres in pease for pea hay, followed by oats, which is cut for hay, 2 acres in watermelons, 2 acres The split log drag is good every in cantaloupes, 2 acres in Irish poday in the year, and it is particularly tatoes, 2 acres in sweet potatoes, and the rest, or about 10 acres, in peas, part of which are in drills and part broadcast. This last ten acres furnic you local is going to give right nishes some hay and all the seed for the next year. Peas are also planted between the corn rows at the last cultivation and are hogged down.

It is Mr. Fleming's practice to raise all his supplies of hay, corn and meat, and he usually has a surplus of \$150 worth of hay to sell every sar. The average yield of pea he is about one ton per acre, and of d hay nearly as much, and the price eceived is usually about \$15 per ton

Mr. Fleming's land is mostly quite sandy and rolling or slightly hilly. Its fertility is naturally inferior, and it washes badly if given a chance. The washing, however, is checked by deep plowing (breaking) and by the crops of hay which bind the soil particles. He uses all the manure made on his farm and buys some commercial fertilezers, particularly for his vegetables.. He breaks his land flat and practices shallow cultivation.

Mr. Fleming is a reading farmer and a man who studies his business. He does not believe that success in farming depends entirely or mainly on "main strength and awkwardness, but that there is such a thing as scientific farming. He believes in and practices diversification. He also plants his crops so that his work will be distributed throughout the year.

Mr. Fleming has a wife and two small children. He says that his success would have been greater if he had not been troubled so much with

ill health. Don't freet a similar trial narty over the Vally CUITON SEED PRODUCTS AS The above is a good lesson, and

FEED.

A correspondent to Southern Culti they go to my cow-stalls and eat the mea! and hulls. How would this do as a feed for them? Would it be beneficial for them or injurious? Please let me know in your next issue of the Cultivator."

To which the editor replies: "Cottonseed hulls and meal can be fed to horses and mules. It will be much better to give about four pounds of bran to every twenty pounds of hulls. If hulls were cheap as they used to be it might prove an economical feed. men. After butchering they always However, it is best to raise hay and peaviness for your horses and not depend upon cottonseed hulls. We do not know the effect that continued feeding of hulls would have on the stomach and digestion of a horse, but do not think it would be as wholesome as good hay. A farmer should grow this and not buy it. If you have all your feed to buy you can try the hulls and meal, but the more wheat bran you mix with them the better your mules will thrive."

TOPICS OF THE SEASON. Farm Journal:

By taking a little time, some wet day, to study the mechanism of the mower and binder and other farm machinery, you may save yourself the delay of sending to a shop or to the factory for repairs or adjustments you might make yourself.

Plant plenty of pumpkin seeds this year. Not the great big overgrown kind, but common, every-day field pumpkins. They are fine for man and beast. A few pie pumpkins will come in handy; best for pie timber of anything in the world.

Do not become discouraged because the tree insect pests are numerous and persistent, but keep on planting trees. Science will eventually come to our relief. Suppose we had all stopped planting potatoes when the Colorado beetle came to stay?

If there is anything that makes life on the farm seem hard and full of aches and pains, it is trying to get along with dull tools. Grind them, felplace. It is when he reaches out and low farmers. It takes but a few minutes to sharpen the scythe, axe or other tool that you are to work with.

When the mows are emptied, sweep once at the door of every man." This them thoroughly and let in all the air and sunlight possible. We have seen barns with ten-year-old dust-filled cobbe absent from home when Opportun- webs hanging from ridge-pole and cross-beam.

If weeds begin to show themselves in the corn-field before the hills show. a weeder will help to subdue them and bring the corn up faster, too.

It costs twenty-five cents to raise a bushel of potatoes, and they seldom ribbons and a spring bonnet, to say sell for less than fifty cents. Doubling nothing of gloves and shoes and a one's money is considered pretty prof-

FROM THE COMMONER

MR. BRYAN'S PAPER

IOWA'S JOKE.

It must have been a practical joke who wrote the platform recently adopted by the Republicans in Iowa The platform says: "We declare un equivocally for protection as the cardinal principle of the Republican party and we affirm our unalterable purpose to maintain it." This is the introduction, not very encouraging to tariff reformer, but behold what "Events have confirmed the follows: wisdom of the makers of the national platform of 1904 wherein the party pledged readjustment of rates of duty only when conditions so changed that the public interest demanded their alteration. In accordance with this declaration of four years ago, the Republican party of Iowa indorses the declaration of the Ohio Republican platform of this year in behalf of revision of the tariff by a special session of next congress, etc.'

What sarcasm there is in pointing o the promise made in the platform of 1994, which has not been kept, as a basis for a new promise which the party has no intention of keeping. Or possibly the Iowa joker intended to put the emphasis upon the word only. If so, the platform was not a promise to readjust the tariff when conditions has nothing to do with the consuming changed, but merely a promise that power of the people. Their existence there would be no reduction before that time. The platform does not say that the time has arrived for a reduction or that there will be any reduction. Referring to its promise that supplying them with goods? It may there shall be no readjustment until conditions change, it indorses a revision of the tariff maintaining the praciple of protection, etc. Now Secretary Taft tells us that revision means the raising of some schedules and the lowering of others, without telling us what schedules are to be

raised and what lowered. If the Republicans who favor tariff reform can be deceived by the juggling that is going on in the writing of platforms, they are not as wide awake as they have given us reason

to believe. If the Republican leaders in Iowa had been entirely frank they would have said: "We point to the fact that the promise of four years ago is still unfulfilled, and we make another promise just like it. We have no more thought of keeping it than we had then. We fooled the public before, and we expect to do so again."

they must get it from the Democratic

mexican newspapers need not worry. Uncle Sam never steals territory. He merely lets Providence toss it into his ered. When a lot of goods are offered lap.

SECRETARY TAFT HEDGES.

Secretary Taft has already commenced to hedge on the tariff question. In a recent speech he declared that the Dingley bill had brought great prosperity, but that changed conditions require a modification of schedules. He then proceeded to deip a great town in a locality where fine tariff revision by saying that here is not the material to sustain it, some of the schedules should be raised and others lowered, and concluded with an eulogy of the protective principle. What chance is there of any real tariff reduction at the hands of a man who attributes the prosperity which the country has had to the Dingley tariff. No credit is given to good crops and no credit to an increased volume of currency, but all to a tariff law which places an exorbitant tax on 80,000,000 of people that a comparatively few may sell manufactured goods at high prices and build up large fortunes. And now to be told that some of the schedules ought to be raised and others lowered-what hope of relief does this give? It is bad enough to be told that the Republicans will not give any relief now when they have the power to do so, but to be told that the relief to be given by and by is to be reduced to a minimum by the raising of some of the schedules is even worse. And yet this is the only kind of tariff reform to be expected from those who spend more time expatiating upon the beauties of the protective principle than they do upon the injustice wrought by to revise congress. the application of that principle.

Up to date a Republican congress has failed to enact into law any important recommendation made by a Republican president.

JUST LIKE "UNCLE JOE" ET AL

During the month of March the Taft press bureau, located at Columbus, O., sent out, according to the Washington Herald, printed slips bearing these headlines: "Business Hope Lies on Taft," "Assert Taft Is lest Candidate," "Big Wall Street House Calls on Financial Interests to Assist in Nomination." Following are extracts from the Taft circular: "Mr. Taft's long record is distinctly against any conclusion that he would continue Mr. Roosevelt's methods. He has displayed brains, ability, good judgment, and, above all, sanity, in the great and successful accomplish- plicit. ments of his career. We must not lose sight of the fact that there is a temperamental difference in the two men, Roosevelt and Taft. By nature and ling block in the way of those who by training, as a lawyer and as a judge, Mr. Taft has always manifested the master, rather than the servant of a thoughtful attitude in his judgment, the party and who would make the it conceivable that a man of his force public welfare.

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elected he would "too closely follow Roosevelt's ideas." It will be remembered that these reports greatly disturbed Mr. Taft and his managers and they took pains to say that the circular from the Taft headquarters had been issued by a subordinate at the Columbus office.

Now the Omaha Bee, perhaps the ablest and most faithful of Mr. Taft's western organs, quotes from the New York Commercial-Advertiser paragraph:

"As to the 'me too,' charge it be came dead and showed not even mechanical life when it appeared that with respect to the Roosevelt policies Gov. Hughes, Senator Knox, Speaker Cannon, Vice-President Fairbanks and the others were quite as much for them as Secretary Taft."

Mr. Roosevelt must be gratified, indeed, to learn that his preferred candidate for the Republican nomination s as enthusiastically in favor of the Roosevelt policies as Messrs. Knox, Cannon and Fairbanks are. With this assurance that promised hunting trip to Alaska need not be delayed long after March 4, 1909. The countryand the Roosevelt policies-are certainly safe.

Secretary Taft says our government of the Philippines is purely altruistic. And now they are using that fine old word to cover up schemes

WHENCE THE MONEY? The powerful interests which are now attempting to control both national conventions do not ask for instructions, for instructions imply that the voters are in control. All that predatory wealth asks is that the delegations shall be turned over to a few bosses to be used as circumstances require. These men who are so ready to put up money to control conventions, but who would not subscribe a dollar to elect a real Den ocrat to office. are not concerned as to the candidate, provided he will accept their aid and put himself under obligation to them. A number of Democrats have been approached and offered this support, but nearly all have refused, knowing that no man, however good his past record, can stand any chance of winning if he is handicapped by the support of the men who have made government an asset in their business and who seek to control legislation for their own pecuniary advantages. There was a time when the voters could be fooled, but they have learned by a sad If the people want tariff reform, experience and know that a candidate

an be judged by the company incition which is being asked with increasing emphasis, and the answer to it is a death blow to everyone in whose interest the money is contributed.

The congressional majority has adopted some rules enabling it to continue its policy of doing nothing in the interests of the people.

FROM PENNSYLVANIA.

The following telegram concerning the Pennsylvania Democratic primaries explains itself: Johnstown, Pa., April 18, 1908.

The Commoner, Lincoln, Neb. Fifty-one of the 64 district delegates to national convention chosen by

popular vote at the uniform primaries are for Bryan. The Bryan Democratic league candidates in James M. Guffey's district

were successful. Outside Philadelphia nearly every Bryan Democratic league candidate won at the polls and even there our candidates were defeated only by Republican help for the Donnelly Ryan organization candidates. The latter, however, are all pledged to Bryan, but will follow the Guffey lead.

The delegates to the state convention are almost all Bryan men. Bryan's friends will control convention, will write platform, select delegatesat-large and instruct them for Bryan.

Reports spread broadcast from reactionary sources to the effect that Pennsylvania will go to Denver uninstructed are absolutely false.

WARREN WORTH BAILEY, Secretary Bryan Democratic League of Pennsylvania.

The first step in tariff revision is

SPEAKING OF STUMBLING BLOCKS

The Richmond (Va.) Times-Dispatch concludes an editorial relating to the "anti-Bryan movement" in these words: "If ever there was a convention where the power of the uninstructed delegate will be great, not only in the choice of the candidate, but in writing the platform, it will be at Denver. The appreciation of this fact is the stumbling block in the way of those who want no deliberation by the representatives of the people in convention assembled."

But the appreciation of the fact that certain special interests are seeking undue power through uninstructed delegates may suggest to the rank and file of the party the importance of making their instructions to their representatives at Denver somewhat ex-

An expression of the desire of the rank and file, through instructions to delegates, may prove to be the stumbwould make the national convention and a great deliberation and con-servatism in als actions. Neither is ests rather than the champion of the

of character would be controlled, when in the full power of the prest dency, by any outside personality." FARMERS' EDUCATIONAL In its issue of March 9, the Washington Herald printed an interview AND with Gen. Klefer, a member of congress, in which he said that he was **CO-OPERATIVE UNION** for Taft and did not believe that if

When in doubt, go to the local, As fast as you pull up one plant in the garden, plant another.

In education there is conservatism

of power; in union there is strength. The man who plants pigs instead of cotton is the man with the long head.

Better get up some plan to keep the school going a little longer if pos-

Make your Union worthy to stand by, and then through thick and thin stand by it.

good today

What are you doing about that picsoon? Get you neighbors interested in it.

You only have to show people that your Union is of benefit to you to induce them to become active mem-

There is not a Southern State that could not raise all the navy beans that all of them use, yet there is not a Southern State which raises all the beans that it uses alone.

It ought to be a reasonable cause for throwing any member out who will raise mongrel chickens, stock or crops. In fact, no good Union man will have mongrels of any sort.

The time will have to come when all men will have the same right to place on earth which nature so kindly gave all her children. Land monopoly is the greatest curse the world has to contend with today.

You are too busy now to listen to the calamity howler. The farmers that are of any account are all making their living at home, and the calamitles are of no direct interest to

As soon as the cholera breaks out among your chickens, cut off the heads of all affected fowls, burn their bodies and get a new roosting and dusting place for the balance of the flock.

because he has not even yet become a member of the Union. It may be that your local is so slow about doing anything that he has been unable to see the advantage to him of vator asks: "I have some mules and coming in.

Judged by the number of Union papers springing up all over the country, there is no dearth of literary ambition among the brethren. How will it be this fall when the prizes for best farm truck are distributed among the farmers?

OUT OF THE GINGER JAR.

Farm Journal:

Farmers are the most generous of give a hog a weigh. Bob: "See that accident?" Bill: "What accident?" Bob: "That cowslip

on the lawn." Do not buy all the machinery for yourself; remember your wife's burdens might be lessened also.

"Can a lady manage this horse?" inquired the prospective buyer. "Well. yes," replied the dealer, "but really I wouldn't care to be the lady's husband."

This is the season when farmers are obliged to make everybody and everything hustle. They even work the butter.

There are many men who, no matter how tired they are, seem to take a pleasure in going away down the road to meet trouble.

The lecturer began his remarks with: "Once there was a sensible woman," when he was interrupted by a good mother on the back row, who retorted: "All women are sensible, though some doubtless have more tense man others." Whereupon the lecturer revised his remarks.

It was Emerson that advised man to hitch his wagon to a star, but the astranomers have not advised us whether the star will stand still long enough to be hitched.

Don't get too much wrapped up in some office you are not running for in this campaign. It might hurt the man who is running for it. He usually has enough of his own sins to answer for without any of yours.

The middleman is all right in his tries to overlap both ends that he becomes offensive.

"Opportunity," we are told, "knocks is an admonition for us not to gad about too much, lest peradventure we ity knocks, and thus miss the golden chance. It is the man right on the spot that wins out.

The farmer's wife has been given a good deal of advice as to how she may make pin-money, but she wants more than pins. She would like a few few yards of edging and filmy lace. Itable business.

rried women who dislike the of bearing the school girl title s" to their graves will be inenvy Dr. Yella Reissig, who, Mr. unmarried, is legally entitled it locateddressed as Frau Dr. Reissig. do and si of frau, it seems, goes with he this was operating surgeons at the n- large laospital.

Good Roads Movement. good roads movement has The a firm hold in the agricultural the firs of the middle west. Good firm comean savings aggregating milf dollars yearly to the farmers, and R the merchants of the towns as mutua The prize-offering for sections Mr. Ir leading into towns is a stimund once interest is thoroughly ness, a the work demonstrates the all the to be had, and there is little in having the highways kept ties of high standard.

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REMEMBER

For 10 Days Only, commencing Saturday, May 9th, ending Tuesday, May 19th.

"The Fire Has Given Us a Scare"

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W. Meadors, Clerk of ourt of Haskell county. al aid court, at office in dinkell, Texas, this the re day of March A. D. 1908 V. MEADORS, Clerk, urt, Haskell County.

Meador was called Monday to assist in He will, however, nd occupy his pulpit

\$20,000 STOCK OF HIGH GRADE MEN'S

Shoes and clothing must be reduced down. Our stock is to large to take such desperate chances. Insuribilished in the high to keep it insured up to its full value. In order to reduce this stock we shall make prices never heard on high grade merchandise. We sell the best money can buy. All new and fresh from the factories. shop worn or damaged goods but clean high grade merchandise that will appeal to every wearer of good cloth

PRICES

This sale will begin Saturday morning, May 9th, ending Tuesday, May 19th, 10 DAYS ONLY. Don't forget the date, time and place. STOP! SLAUGHTERED | Read and think. Do these prices appeal to you?

Note the big reduction in price.

Note the brands of these shoes

which are the best manufactured.

and the extraordinary low price

Edwin Clapp patent kid, \$7.00

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Big assortment of suit cases and traveling bags included in this sale at greatly reduced prices.

15c black and tans.....10c

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TIES

65 dozen ties in all new shades.

75c ties at 50c

Collars

reduced to \$5.65 Arrow Brand collars at 10c

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We have a big assortment and have greatly reduced the price on all garments. Come and see and you will be convinced by these great bargains.





PRICES SLAUGHTERED, COMMENCING SAT-URDAY, MAY 9th. ENDING TUESDAY, MAY 19th.

District States					
Our regular	\$27 50	suits in	this sale	go at	\$20 00
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Our regular	20 00	suits in	this sale	go at	14 00
Our regular	18 00	suits in	this sale	go at	12 00
Our regular	15 00	suits in	this sale	go at	10 00
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These suits are all the latest styles and colors, Beautiful Browns, Tans, Olive, light and dark Greys, plain and fancy Serges in Blue-black. Now is the time to get a high grade suit cheap.

Boys' Suits and Knee Pants

	Boys'	\$7	50	knee	pants	suits	going	at	\$5 00
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SHIRTS

15 dozen Monarch shirth, regular

price 1 00, geing at 85c

price 2 00, going at..... 1 60

25 dozen Pongee shirts, regular

price 1 50, going at...... 1 25

10 dozen Pongee shirts, regular

price 1 25, going at 1 00

Hats

\$1000 Stetson hats, going at \$7 50

No Name \$3 50 hats going at 2 50 These prices are good for ten days only,

BEGINNING SATURDAY, MAY 9th, ENDING TUESDAY THE 19th.

Finck's Detroit Special Overalls and Jumpers.

Overalls	\$1 00			85c
Jumpers	1 00			85c
Painters	white	ovetalls	and	
jumpers.				85c

You will see from these prices that we do mean to reduce our stock. One look at the goods will fastidious buyer that our goods are of the very best quality that money can buy. Remember the dan lief, special and general able, as they may be day, May 9th, 10 days only. After May 19th goods will be sold at regular prices.

MEN'S OUTFITTERS DELLIS BROS.

stead of sitting still or only mildly protesting against the acts of a few conscienceless lawbreakers community from day to day. It of the local option law, as a re- brief stop with us. sult of which several parties have been mulcted in heavy fines of the business men of the greatcasion calls for it.

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other matters. The FREE PRESS ing industry that comes within importance is the inauguration nand, but we know there are paign. The tons of every kind from one to two hundred manuof litter and trash behind the facturing enterprises in Dallas stores, in the alleys and other covering many things which are places should not be left there to in daily use throughout the counmoulder and hatch myriads of try, but which we know from disease germs. Another matter observation are purchased in which should appeal to our civic large part from jobbers and pride as well as to a sense of factories outside the state incomfort and convenience is the stead of being purchased from betterment of our streets and the home manufacturers, and sidewalks. Ways and means thus encouraging and building should be devised for this work them up to greater efficiency and without further delay, even if adding to the general developthe future must be drawn upon. ment of the state.

is a pretty hard thing to accomplish when you're blue, billions and out of sorts. There is a sure cure for all kinds of stomach and liver complaints effective in all cases Price 50 cents City. per bottle. Sold by Terrell's Drug

Work on the Haskell ice plant is nearing the point of comple- some persons are still afraid or tion and soon, for the first time reluctiant to visit Mr. Herman in history, the people of Cousin's drug store at Weinert, Haskell will be cooling them- where there was a case of smallselves with home-made ice. The pox, and have been requested to capacity of the plant will also make an official statement in readmit of an extensive shipping gard to the present condition of trade, for which preparation has said Cousins' store. I will therebeen made by securing a rail- fore state that said store has road house.

Notice to the Public.

The partnership business of the firm of Irby & Stephens, a firm composed of J. E. Irby, Sr., and R. D. C. Stephens, has by mutual consent been disolved, Mr. Irby retiring from the business, and Mr. Stephens assuming all the responsibilities and liabilities of the firm.

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J. E. Irby, R. D. C. Stephens.

Mr. W. E. Sherill, who is now located at Dallas, visited Haskell and shook hands with friends this week. He is traveling for a in-large lumber company.

DALLAS TRADE EXCURSION.

The eighth annual excursion and allowing them to go on vio- of the business men of Dallas, lating the law and insulting the under the auspices of the Commercial Club of that city, is is only where the people are af- scheduled to reach Haskell at flicted with apathy or seized with 11:39 a. m. next Thursday. A moral cowardice that such a state stop of one hour and twenty of lawlessness can exist for any minutes will be made, leaving at length of time. We are pleased 12:59 p. m. We have no doubt to state in this connection that that the Haskell Ten Thousand the people of Haskell have re- club and our business men gencently taken a decided stand and erally will extend to them all the action in suppressing violations courtesies possible during their

This trip will afford many and are serving time in the coun- est Commercial City in Texas ty bastile, and have organized a their first view of one of the best Law and Order Leage to carry and prettiest sections of the on the good work whenever oc- state. Take their route after crossing the Brazos, on the Wichita Valley Railroad, and Haskell county never had a passing through Munday, Hasbetter prospect at this time of kell, Stamford, thence across to the year for fine crops than pre- the Orient and up that road to vails at this time. More fall and Knox City, covering about ninety winter plowing was done than miles, sixty or seventy of which ever before, thus putting much is through Haskell county, and more land in condition for plant- we venture the assertion that ing at the proper season, and the none of them ever traveled over more than seven inches of rain- the same number of consecutive fall during April gave the soil a miles of as fine agricultural land, thorough saturation, a deep "bot- considered from the several points tom season," which all oldtimers of topography, fertility and proin this country know means ductiveness of a large variety of good crops with a minimum standard crops. And the effect amout of rain during the grow- produced upon them cannot but ing season, especially where be a favorable one toward the thorough and frequent surface trade of this section-the estabcultivation is practiced. As to lishment of better and more inti-

age is compatively small this We understand that the wholeyear, farmers generally say that sale and jobbing trade of Dallas they never saw finer wheat last year amounted to something growing and that it will now over \$127,000,000. Already this mature a good crop without more section gives to Dallas quite a rain. Oats also is reported fine, good trade, especially in some but it is said that the later sow- lines but it might, and we believe ings will require more rain a ought, to be larger. Especially little later on to mature good, is this true of her manufactories -this from a patriotic point of view as well as for other rea-The election agony is over now sons, for Texas needs to encourand we can give some thought to age and foster every manufactur-

This visit of the Dallas business men ought and, no doubt, will lead to closer relations and better results, therefore in behalf of our people the FREE -constipation and dyspepsia. Bal. PRESS extends to them a most lard's Herbine is mild, yet absolutely hearty welcome to the "Concrete

To the Public:

I have been informed that switch to the storage been thoroughly fumigated and disinfected with the most approved germicides and I do not believe that there is now a particle of danger of any one contracting smallpox from entering or remaining in said Herman Cousins' drug store at Weinert. 18 2t E. E. GILBERT, M. D.

Money to Loan.

We have \$10,000 to loan on "Gilt-Edge" real estate security. Inspection at once and loans closed promptly. See us at State Bank.

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Mr. W. L. Cox of the south side was in the city Tuesday and said that everybody in Howard school neighborhood was planting cotton.

THE PRIMARY ELECTION.

The Democratic County Executive committee met at 10 a.m. Tuesday and estimated the vote for the several candidates for delegates and alternates at large to the National Democratic convention, cast in the precinct primaries on the previous Satur-

Following is the total vote found for each candidate on the face of the returns:

FOR DELEGATES AT LARGE;

 J W Bailey, 658 Majority 5 2. M M Brooks, 651 3. J L Storey, 649 4. A J Baker, 648 1. Cone Johnson 653 2. O T Holt. 651 3. Cullen Thomas 648 4. Lee Young 639

FOR ALTERNATES (Bailey ticket) 1. B F Looney, 650 Mai.

2. J R Kubena. 642 " 3. J R Bowman, 646 " 4. C.L. Branchfield 645 "

(Alternates, Johnson ticket)

1. Marshall Hicks, 648 Mai. 2. R C Dial 649 " 3. A C Owsley

4. Walter Tips

Total vote in county 1340,

648 .

In running out the majorities we compared the names by cor responding numbers; for instance Bailey has 5 more than Johnson and Dial 7 more than Kubena.



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that is, advertising-until you We don't propose to hade coal. ing about the merits of our proevery merchant in this town has tested our coal.

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OUR THANKS.

Our sincere thanks are extend ed to all those who so promptly and kindly assisted in saving our goods from the fire and in returning them to the store And especially do we want the fire boys to know that we fully appreciate their good work. W. H. WYMAN & CO.

The saving in your ice bill for one season will pay for one of those refrigerators at Cason. Cox & Co's.

Prof. W. W. Hentz of Dallas was in the city Wednesday.

Mr. J. C. Bohannan of Rule was shaking hands with Haskell friends Thursday.

Save your stove and fuel by having me build you a laundry Chas. Jansky.

Mr. and Mrs G. M. Buie of Weatherford were visitors several days this week with families of Mr. T. J. Lemmon and Mr. W H. Parsons. Mrs. Buie is sister of Mesdames Lemmon and Parsons, When Mr. Buie was teaching school in Jack county many years ago Messrs. M. S. Shook and Spence Bevers of this place attended his school.

Let me build you a brick furnace for your wash kettle. Save fuel and save your stove.

Chas. Jansky. Mr. W. H. Woldridge of Rule was in Haskell Thursday.

Dorothy Dainty matched sets of Hair Ribbons and Sashes now in stock. C. D. Grissom & Son.

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SHERIFF SENTER DEAD.

Shoots at Man and Dies of Heart Failure.

R. G. Senter, sheriff of Stonewall county, died on Thursday night of last week under peculiar circumutances. As nearly as could be ascertained by us the facts are about as follows: As Sheriff Senter left the court house Wednesday afternoon he saw J. M. Sedberry on the street and began shooting at him with a revolver, but did not succeed in hitting him.

Citizens interfered and attempted to arrest Senter but he resisted them and went home. The next morning his family found him in an unconscious condition and sent for a physician but he was unable to restore him to a normal condition and he died Thursday night. There were those who thought that Sheriff Senter had destroyed himself with some drug, but the physician pronounced the trouble heart failure.

It appears that there was a shortage of \$1600 in Senter's accouts with the county and he was indicted by the last grandjury for embezzlement, although he had made the shortage good to the county. Sedberry, the man who he attempted to shoot, was a member of the grand jury, probably its foreman, which indicted the Sheriff, and the shooting was the results of resentment it is said.

RAILROAD OFFICIALS

On Tour of Inspection, Visit Haskell.

Quite a number of the officials of the Wichita Valley Railroad and allied lines went over the Valley road Tuesday on a tour of inspection. Their special train stopped at Haskell for an hour or more and they were driven over the city by a number of our prominent citizens. It was small trial the first trip of some of the party over the Valley road since try and they expressed surduct until every family and prise and pleasure at seeing the great extent of fine agricultural country and the evidence on every hand of its rapid settlemeni and development. And their expressions in regard to the town, in approval of its large and hardsome business houses and pretty residence district, were no less complimen-

> Among those whom we ascertained to be in the part were, Frank Trumbull, president of the Ft. W. & D. C. system of which the Valley is a part; D. B. Keeler, vice-president of the Ft. W. & D. C.; A. D. Parker, vice-president Col. S. system; C L Wellington, traffic manager; J. D. Welch, general superintendent; H. W. Cowen, chief engineer, G. L. Cotter, general ssperintendent Ft. W. & D. C.; O. E. Maer, superintendent of W. Valley; W. F. Turley, general freight agent. Ft. W. & D. C.; and M. Spoonts, general attorney Ft. W. & D. C.

Jno. L. Robertson, made a trip to Munday last Thursday to meet Mr. Murry, of Kansas City, M., who is the general manager of the Alliance Trust Company of Scotland. Mr. Murray is looking over this country to see the advisability of placing additional loans here. He expressed himself as being delighted with the development of Haskell County, and with the loans already made by the Company here. We are informed that he instructed the Company's agents here to take good ap. plications for loans at once. This is another indication that Haskell County is rapidly coming to the front as a farming cauntry, and also as a place to invest money where it will pay dividends.

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Newsy Notes From Vontress.

Kind Editor:

As I have noticed our correspondent from Vontress has stopped I thought I would drop in for whose names and resistences are unknown, by unknown heirs of Rebecca M. Thrasher dea few moments.

Farmers are all at work in their fields now around here. There is lots of corn up and some newspaper published in the nearest county some newspaper published in your county, it just planted, also some have milo where a newspaper is published, to appear at maize that looks good.

of our farmers got his foot badhas been uneasy for fear that

Mrs. J. W. Cameron is on the sick list, and Mrs. R. C. Merchant was real sick Sunday.

a large crowd and good attention.

Miss Millie King spent from Friday until Sunday with her wrongfully withheld by defendants from plainsister, Mrs. Arthur Via.

Messrs. Floyd Lancaster, Will Atchison and Delaware Blassengame spent Saturday night with of the Brazos, by virtue of Bounty Warrant Mr. J. W. Cameron.

went over in a wagon to Pleasant Valley school house to a singing N W Cor of survey No 48, in name of George Sunday evening and report having had a fine time.

Some of our good women of this neighborhood have real nice logs varas to a stake on the east bank from gardens, and chickens by the

ily of near Weinert visited their Thence west 5001 varies to the beginning, and sister, Mrs. Holcomb of Roberts patented to said R D Heck on 18th day of school house.

Our school is out and our teacher. Prof. R. T. Hollabaugh, has

I will desist and get dinner.

Will come some other time.

Brown Eyes. pleased to have "Brown Eyes"

Resolutions of Bell County Bar.

At a meeting of the Bell County Bar held in the district court described cultivating using and enjoying the room in Belton. Texas, on this, the 17th day of April 1908, Judge X. B. Sanders was elected chair- meacement of this suit, and this be is mody to man and Hon. John B. Burrett. Plaining further show to the court that he secretary, and thereupon the chairman appointed the follow- premises hereinbefore described, using cultiing committee to submit resoluman, Jno. D. Robertson. Wallace | sait, and this he is ready to verify. Tyler, D. R. Pendleton and A. M. mitted the following: viz.

of this bar, to-wit, Jas, P. Kin- the heirs of B D Heck the patentee of said the heirs of M. B. Menerd the patentee of said nard, Esq., has decided to re- land move from aur midst and cast annual rent of said premises is of the value of damages and coats of suit, and for such other his fortune in another community, to-wit, to the city of Haskell. Texas, and whereas, he is recog- judgment for the title and restitution of the judgement for the title and restriction of the nized as a lawyer of unques- costs of suit and for general and special reder cost of his suit and for general and special retioned ability, integrity and en- and he will ever pray etc. etc. etc. ergy, and as a citizen of unimpeachable probity, character and standing, and whereas we recognize that his removal from our midst is a distinct loss to us socially and professionally. Now, therefore be it resolved, that we desire to place on record our keen regret in his loss, and our hearty commendation of him and his charming family, to any community in which, fortunnately for it, they may choose to cast their lot.

Which resolution was unanimously adopted, with the further addition that a copy of same be presented to Mr. Kinnard and that the papers be requested to publish same.

X. B. SAUNDERS, Chr'n. JOHN B. DURRETT, Sec'y.

 Bell County Democrat. Judge Kinnard arrived in Haskell Wednesday and has opened a law office here in the State Bank building, as will appear from his card in this paper. He impresses us as being an important addition to our bar and citizenship and we are pleased to welcome him and his family, who are to come soon, to our town.

CITATION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

You are hereby commanded to summon the to the return day hereof, in some newspaper are unknown, by making publication of this published in your county, if there be a news- citation once in each week for eight successive Haskell County, Texas, to be holden at the We are sorry to report that one | Court House thereof, in Haskell on the 1th to appear at the next regular term of the Dis-Monday in May A. D. 1988, the same being the trict Court of Haskell County Texas, to ly cut the other day. The doctor answer the first amended original petition filed on the 4th Monday in May, 1908. the same beblood poison would set up, but court No 446, wherein Charles M. McGregor he appears to be better at this Heck deceased are defendants, whose names said Court, No 447, wherein Charles M. Me

That heretofore towit, on the first day of January A D 1987, plaintiff was lawfully seized and possessed of a certain tract of land ereinafter described and holding the same in Rev. Mansell filled his appoint- fee simple; that on the day and year last aforement at "Valley Church" Satur- said defendants entered upon said premises day and Sunday. He had quite withhold the possession thereof from plaintiff to his damage in the sum of Fifteen Thousand

That the premises so entered upon and tiff are bounded and described as follows: 640 acres of land situated in Haskell County, Tex known as survey No. 49, on the waters of Salt Fork of Brazos River, about 71, miles N 2º E. of its junction with the Doublemountain Fork No 293 issued by William G. Cooke, Adjutant General, June 25th, 1847, the right to obtain Quite a crowd of young people | said certificate having been transfered to R. D. Heck, October 25th, 1836 Beginning at a stake in the E. bank of the Brazos river set for the G. Aiford, from which a mesquite bears N. 760 E. 19 varas, another beats S. 31,0 E. 30 varas and the N. W Cor of the / League of George G. Alford bears S. 4º 50° W. 4766 varas. Thence down the river with its meanders N. 220 W. which a mesquite bears N. ato W. 81 varas. Thence E. 3005 yaras to a stake from which a Mr. D. B. Merchant and fam- mesquite bears 8 480 E. 24 varus. Thence

August A. D. 1874 Ly patent No. 609, Vol. 14. Pinintiff further show to the court that he is claiming said land under a deed from M. G. M. B. Menard on 11th day of December A. D. and duly acknowledged on same day before A. gone to his home at Midlothian. B Grew County Clerk Lee County, Texas, and We hope to see him again soon, Records of Haskell County, Texas, also under C. McGregor dated January 13th A. D. 1887, Well, as this is my first time, a deed from Ann M. Giddings, Heber Stone and duly acknowledged before M. V. B. Sparks | duly and legally acknowledged by said Simon eaged same day before A. Jeffries. Notary Pub. | Vol. No. 9, page 269 and 261 of the deed records The FREE PRESS will be of Haskell County, Texus, also under a deed Hugh McLendon and wife Almedia McLendon Certificate No. 9020 by virtue of which said 320 appeared to some that not all Hugh McLendon and wife Almedia McLendon | 29th, 1965, and duly acknowledged by all said | ented call frequently and give us a to plaintiff Charles M McGregor, dated May grantors before S H. Clayton Solary Public ! chatty talk about neighborhood znu, 1905, and duly acknowledged by all the McLennan County Texas, on May 1905, and duly recorded in Vol. 30, pages 342, Texas. 343 and 344 deed records of Haskell County, Tx.

Plaintin further show to the court that he is alming said land under deeds duly registered and that he has had peaceable and adverse posreston of said land and premises hereinbefore same, and paying all taxes due thereon, for period of more than five years prior to the first lay of January A. D. 1907, and before the com-

has had peaceable continuous and adverse poxession by an actual enclosure of said had and nore than ten years prior to January lat, A. tions composed of Jno. M. Fur- to 1907, and before the commencement of this 1907, and before the commencement of this

Phintiff further show to the court that be is the said defendants for the reason that their said several claims or pretended claims are to

Plaintiff further show to the court that the

ave executed the same

Witness J. W. Meadors, Clerk of the District Court of Haskell County

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at Office in Haskell this SEAL 24th day of March A D. 1968. J. W. MEADORS, Clerk

13-8t District Court Haskell County, Tex.

CITATION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS. TO THE SHERIFF OR ANY CONSTA

You are bereby comanded to summon the unknown helps of Randel D. Heck, deceased, unknown heirs of M. B. Menard deceased, the making publication of this citation once in deceased, and the unknown heirs of Clara each week for eight successive weeks previous Bass deceased, whose names and residences paper published therein, but if not, then in any | weeks previous to the return day hereof, in there be a newspaper published therein, but if the next regular term of the District Court of not, then in any newspaper published in the nearest county where a newspaper is published, 25th day of May A. D 1988, then and there to bolden at the Court House thereof, in Haskell in said court on the 24th day of March A. D. ling the 25th day of May 190s, then and there 1908. In a suit numbered on the locker of said to answer the first amended original petition filed in said court on the 24th day of March A s plaintiff and the unknown heirs of Randel D | D. 1908, in a suit numbered on the Docket of and residences are to the plaintiff unknown. Gregor is plaintiff, and the unknown beirs of M. B. Menard deceased, and the unknow heirs of Rebecca M. Thrasher deceased, and the anknown heirs of Clara Bass deceased are defendants, whose names and residences are to the plaintiff unknown, said petition alleging;

That heretofore towit, on the first day o January A. D. 1907, plaintiff was lawfully seized and possessed of a certain tract of land hereinafter described, and holding the same is fee simple; that on the day and year last afore said defendents entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiff there from and wrongfully withhold the prossession thereof from plaintiff to his damage in the sum of Fifteen Thousand Dollars.

That she premises so entered upon and wrongfully withheld by defendents fron plaintiff are bound and described as follows stoneres of land situated in Haskell county Texas, known as survey No. 47, on the water of Brazos River about 72 miles N. 78 degrees W. of Belkpap by virtue of unconditional certificate No 93 issued by the Board of Land Commissioners of Galveston county Texas, to George Delbrel on March 6th. 1445, and by him transfered to M. B. Menard Begining at the N. W. cor. of survey No. 46 by virtue of Toby Scrip No. 359, a stake on the bank of the Brazos River from which a cedar bears S. 600, E. 7 varas, another bears S. 57°, W. 7 varas Thence down the Brazos with its meanders N 050 varas to a stake on the bank of the river from whice a mesquite s inches in diameter bears north, 90 E, 24 varas, another 8 inches in diameter bears 8, 390 E. 40 varas. Thence E 800 varus to a stake and mound in prairie. Thence South 950 yaras to a stake and mound in prairie. Theore west 170 varas pass the N. E. cor of survey No. 46, and with its north boundry line of said survey in all 3800 varas to the place of beginning, and patented to said

1873, by Patent No. 405, Vol. 41 Plaintiff further shows to the court that he s claiming said land under a deed from J. I. duly recorded in Vol. 11. Page 507, Deed | Campbell and wife Sarah M. Campbell to G. and wife M L G. Stone to G. C. McGregor. County Judge of Lampasses county Texas, on dated December 18th, 1889, and duly acknowl- said January 18th, 1887, and duly recorded in tic Washington County, Texas, and duty re- of Haskell County Texas, also under a deed orded in Vol. 11, Page 76, of the Deed Records from Anna P. McGregor, A. W. McGregor, from Anna P McGregor, A. W. McGregor, to plaintiff Charles M. McGregor dated May Cayton Notary and duly recovded in [Vol. 30, pages \$12, 343 Public McClennan County, Texas, on May 50th and; 314 deed records of Haskell County

claiming said land under deeds duly regisered, and that he has had penceable and ereinbefore described, cuttivating, using and njoying the same, and paying all taxes due hereon, for a period of more than five years erior to the first day of January A. D. 1967, not before the commencement of this suit, and

his he is ready to verify Plaintiff further shows to the court that he has had praceable continuous and adverse possession by an actual enclosure of said land and premises bereintofore described, using vating and enjoying the same for a period of cultivating and enjoying the same for a period

suit, and this he is ready to verify. Plaintiff further shows to the court that he unable to set out the claim so: claims of the is unable to set out the claim or claims of the Monteith, who thereupon sub- several defendants, or the pretended claims of the nature thereof are to the plaintiffs unthe said defendants for the reason that their known. sald several claims or pretended claims are to Whereas, an honored member this plaintiff unknown, unless said defendants this plaintiff unknown, unless said defendants are asserting some kind of a claim or claims as | are asserting some kind of a claim or claims as

> Plaintiff igrther shows to the court that the five hundred doliars

Wherefore Plaintiff prays that defendants be Wherefore Plaintiff prays that defendants, by cited to answer this petition, and that he have clied to answer this petition, and that he have bove described premises, for his damages, for | above described premises, for his damage, for lief, and he will over pray etc, etc, etc.

Herein Fall Not, but have before said court, Here n Fall Not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same

Witness J. W. Meadors, Clerk of the Distriet Court of Haskell County. Given under my hand and Seal of said

Court, at office in Haskell this SEAL) the 21th day of March A. D. 1908 J w. MEADORS, Clerk District Court of Haskell County.

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CITATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Haskel

County-Greeting You are hereby commanted to summer lous Czarinkow and George Winslow, whose residences are unknown, and the heirs of Louis fied and took charge of the duties Czarinkow whose names and residences are inknown, and the heirs of George Winslow, whose names and residences are unknown by county finances of Haskell counmaking publication of this Citation once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper in this connection it may interest published in your county if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the nearest county dition, which was that there was where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Haskell County, to be held at the Court House a considerable amount of outthereof, at Haskell, on the 4th Monday in May standing or floating indebtedness 1908, the same being the 25th day of May, 1908, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 25th day of March, 1908, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 495. wherein I. C. Douglass, Mrs. Ads. Douglass, Mrs. L. R. Brenan, Mrs. Willie Webb, Clifford Douglass, Sr., Clifford Douglass, Jr., John Douglass, Guy Douglass, a minor, and his Guardian Mrs. Steward Douglass are plaintiffs, and Louis Czarinkow and George Winslow, and the heirs of Louis Czarinkow, ceased, whose names are unknown, and the heirs of George Winslow deceased, whose names are unknown, are defendants, said petition alleging that on or about the first day of January, 1908, plaintiffs were lawfully seized and possessed of the following described land and premises situated in Haskell County, Tex. holding and claiming the same in fee simple to-wit: 320 acres of land the same being the patented to Louis Czarinkow and George Winslow assignees of Simon P. Ford on 7th Dec. 1858, by virtue of Bounty Certificate No. 9629 issued by B. T. Archer, Secretary of War on 7th of November, 1840, and transferred by said Ford to B. F. Moti and by said Mott tran ferred to said Czariakow and Winslow on 5th December 1840, and described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at the N E. corner of Survey No. 79 John A. Heuser and the N. W. cor of this survey from which mesquite beacs E 171; varas, another bears S 20 W. 41 varas: Thence East 1140 5-10 varas to 1 stake for N. E. corner from which a mesquite bears N. 20 E. 2014 varas, another S. 85 W. 49 vrs; Thence S. 1585 varas to a stake for the S. E. corner; Thence W. 1141 5-10 varus to 1

to the place of beginning. That on the day and year last aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiff's therefrom and unlawfully withholds from them the possession reasonable annual rental value of said land

stake for S. W. corner; Thence N. 1585 varus

Plaintiffs further show to the court that they are claiming said land and premises as the lawful heirs of James S. Douglass, deceased under a General Warranty Deed executed by

Simon Weise to said James S. Douglass, now Weise on the 15th day of September A. D. 1851, before Thomas H. Brenan, Notary Public, Jasper County, Texas, and duly recorded in Vol. 17 page 350 Deed Records of Haskell County, Texas, conveying by proper description said

Plaintiffs further show to the court that they are claiming said land under deeds duly registered and that they have had peaceable and has been spent in making new hereinbefore describe i cultivating, using and roads and bridges and improving enjoying the some, and paying all taxes due thereon for a period of more than 5 years prior to the first day of January 1908 and before the could be done without issuing hereinbefore stated and was regularly alverse possession of said land and premises the commencement of this suit and this they bonds and borrowing moneyare ready to verify,

The plaintiffs further show to the court that tion. they have bad penerable, continuous and adverse possession by an actual enclosure of said land hereinbefore described, cultivating and using and enjoying the same for a period of 10 years prior to the 1st day of January, 1968, and before the commencement of this suit, and this they are ready to verify.

Wherefore they pray Judgment of the court. The plaintiffs further show to the court that they are unable to set out the claim or claims of the several detendants, or the pretended claims of said defendants for the reason that their several claims or pretended claims and

Wherefore plaintiffs pray that the defendants be cited in the terms of the law to appear and answer this petition and that the plaintiffs have Judgment of the court for the title and onsession of the above described land, and that writ of restitution be issued, and for rents, and further relief, special and gene, at, in law and in equity, that they may be justly entitled

Herein Fail Not, but have before said court on the Ist day of the next term thereof, this writ with your return thereon showing how con have executed the same

Witness J. W. Mendors, Clerk of the District Court of Haskell County

Given under my hand and seal of said court in the town of Haskell, this the 25th day of March A. D. 1908 J. W. MEADORS, Clerk

District Court Haskell County 13-St



UTTER RUIN

stares many a family in the face when home and household effects are licked up by the flames. A little economy here, a little saving there and the premiums on a good fire policy are paid, and you'll have something with which to begin all over if your property, real and personal, goes up in smoke. Losses paid with exceeding promptitude.

> O. E. PATTERSON. HASKELL, TEXAS.

About Judge Irby.

Judge J. E. Irby has announced for re-election to the office of county judge. When he qualiof the county judge's office the ty were in bad condition. And the taxpayers to know the cona large bonded indebtedness and in the form of script issued lished in said Judicial District, then against the common fund, the in a newspaper published in the road and bridge fund and the jury fund and no money with which to liquidate same.

Under Judge Irby's management, in co-operation with the commissioner's, the county has paid off all floating scrip and paid and cancelled \$15,000.00 of its bonded indebtedness and all of the funds are supplied with cash to meet current expenses. Simon P. Ford Survey, Abstract No. 139 and In other words the county has been put on a cash basis.

As judge of the county court he has made an honest effort to enforce the laws. It was in his heirs of Leiper Willoughby, deceased, court that the first serious and in a large measure successful, attempt was made to enforce the liquor or local option laws. And to him is herhaps due as much credit as to any other officer, the fact that the dives are now all closed and the bootleggers either in jail or gone to the brush.

Under his administration some néglected repairs have been made thereof to their damage \$6000 00. That the on the court house, the court yard redeemed from a weed patch to a nicely graded lawn bears 8 2 E 73 vrs. Thence north set in bermuda grass, trees and 420 vrs a creek-1585 vrs corner from shrubery which promise to make it very attractive, and a substantial iron fence put around it.

Judge Irby believes in good and convenient roads over the vrs, another bears east 85 varas. county and while it may have Thence east 340 vrs a creek, 11401 vrs. the old ones, which is all that Wherefore they pray Judgment of the court. Which the people failed to sanc-

We believe that Judge Irby has faithfully tried to do his duty bate court of Fayette county, Texas; and will continue to do so if giv- that said land was sold by valid deed en the opportunity. We may also by said D. Grady through his lawstate that he thinks the tax rate fully constituted attorney A. C. Foscan be reduced on this year's renditions which he favors doing.

Club Notes.

Through the influence of the First District of Texas Federated Clubs, two scholarships have thereon, and claiming same under been offered to the boys and girls, deeds duly registered, for more than and all in our town are urged to compete. The Stamford Collegiate Institute and Simmons College of Abilene are cheerfully co-operating with the club women and the scholarships will be awarded to the boy or girl who sends in the best paper on the given subjects:

Stamford Collegiate Institute: Subject: "The Early Texas Indians; Origin, Character, Habits, Etc."

Simmons College; Subject: 'Texas' Greatest Benefactor; Time Covered; the Discovery of Texas, 1685, up to (but not including) the Colonization Period 1821."

The Magazine Club feels an interest in the boys and girls of Haskell and hopes that they justly entitled to. will respond to this great educational work for West Texas that is being done by every club woman in our district. Mrs. Bert Brockman, corresponding secretary of the Haskell Magazine Club, will give any further information in regard to these scholarships. Reporter.

Messrs. W. A. Bennett of Seymour and L. P. Davidson of Munday spent Monday in Haskell. Co's. business at this place.

CITATION

Haskell county-Greeting:

THE STATE OF TEXAS To the Sheriff or any Constable of

You are hereby commanded to summon the unknown heirs of Mathew Willoughby, deceased, Leiper Willoughby and the unknown beirs of Leiper Willoughby, deceased, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for eight successive 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 thirty-ninth Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper pubnearest district to said thirty-ninth 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 Hasketl, Tex., on the 4th Monday in May A. D. 1908, the same being the 25th day of May A. D. 1908, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 14th day of March A. D. 1908, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 493, wherein J. C. Dyer, W. E. Dyer, C. S. Dyer, Ella Dyer, Esta-Swinney, George Swinney, J. T. Dyer, Josie Starnes and A. E. Starues are plaintiffs, and the unknown beirsof Mathew Willoughby, deceased, Leiper Willoughby and the unknown are defendants, and said petition alleging that on the 1st day of September, 1907, plaintiffs were lawfully seized and possessed of the following described land situated in Haskellcounty, Texas, holding and claiming the same in fee simple, towit: 320 acres of land and being Abstract No. 420. Patent No. 1325, Vol. 12, third class, patented to Mathew Willoughby on the 30th day of May 1856 by virtue of certificate No. 186 issued to Mathew Willoughby on the 14th day of April. 1847, Beginning at the N E corner of B F Clark's survey No. 84 from which a Mesqt. bears S 621 W 14 vrs, another which a Mesqt. Fra S 34 E 404 vrs, an other bears S 46 E 45 vrs. Thence west 1140 vrs a stake. Thence south 1585 vrs the N W corner of No. 84 from which a Mesqt, bears N 524 W 8 2-10 the place of beginning.

acres of land was located, surveyed and pat- has been done in that line that defendants unlawfully entered upon That on the day and year aforesaid might have been done, the fact said premises and ejected plaintiffs that all available road money therefrom, and unlawfully withhold from them the possession thereof, to their damage \$500.00.

That the certificate for said land was issued to Mathew Willoughby as and legally sold to D. Grady on the 6th day of February 1849 by Leipn Willoughby administrator of the estate of the said Mathew Willoughby in accord with an order of the Proter, to Jeseph M. Dyer, deceased, and plaintiffs have title to said land by inheritance from and under said Joseph M. Dyer, deceased.

That plaintiffs and those under whom they claim, have had and held peaceable and adverse possession of said land, cultivating, using and enjoying the same, and paying taxes five years after any cause of action accrued to defendants.

That plaintiffs and those under whom they claim, have had peaceable and adverse possession by actual enclosure of said land, cultivating, using and enjoying the same for more than ten years after any cause of action accrued to defendants.

That defendants Leiper Willoughby and the unknown heirs of Leiper Willoughby, deceased, assert somekind of claim by virtue of a conveyance from D. Grady to Leiper Willoughby, and any further claim asserted by any of said defendants is unknown to plaintiffs,

Wherefore plaintiffs pray judgment of the court that defendants be cited to appear and answer berein, and that they have judgment for the title and possession and restitution of the above described land, for their damages, costs of suit and for such other and further relief, special and general legal and equitable, as they may be

Herein fail not, but have before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Witness, J. W. Meadors, Clerk of

the District Court of Haskell county. Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Haskell, Texas, this the 14th day of March A. D. 1908 J. W. MEADORS, Clerk, District Court, Haskell County.

Rev. C. B. Meador was called to Stamfoad Monday to assist in These gentlemen are interested in a meeting. He will, however, the L. P. Davidson Grain & Coal be at home and occupy his pulpit tomorrow.

WARMTHANKS

We wish to thank the people of Haskell for the help they gave us the night of April 29th when our store was burned.

We also wish to thank those who assisted us the following morning in placing our goods back in the store.

And we wish to thank especially the fire boys for their heroic work, which alone saved the building and saved us from greater loss.

> We will open Friday, May 8th, and all goods damaged by water or fire will be sold without regard to cost.

> > YOURS VERY TRULY.

The HUB

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DRUGGIST. JEWELER AND OPTICIAN

Buy and Sell for Cash Only

TERRELL'S DRUG STORE

Locals and Personals.

Mr. G. W. Hazlewood of Palo Pinto, a former Haskelite, was Mercantile Company are swell. here several days this week.

See those ladies' new belts at Alexander Mercantile Co.

Our abstract books are complete and up-to-date. Get your bstracts from tf) Sanders & Wilson.

Mr. H. S. Post and family left Wednesday to visit several places in southern Texas, including San Antonio and Galveston.

Mr. Jeff Fitzgerald and Miss Lizzie Hall were married Monday on the streets of Haskell by Rev. Joe K. Foard of this city.

Baggage transferred to all parts of the city, ring No. 114 or Rupe & Pearsey.

Our abstract books are complete and up-to-date. Get your abstracts from Sanders & Wilson.

Will take 1 to 25 head of horses S. E. of Haskell.

Judge W. C. Jackson and Prof. trip to Rule Munday.

Ladies call and see those new belts at Alexander Mercantile Neill attended the dedication of Company.

The best line of buggy whips, lap robes and horse blankets at

Ever's shop, Haskell. I have put in a rubber tire machine and can repair your rubber tires at my shop.

J. B. Lamkin. See the laundry furnace I built

for Mr. M. S. Shook and have one like it. Chas. Jansky. Mr. Walter Presnell, who has

been on the FREE PRESS' typographic force for some time, has gone to Carney to assist Mr. Webster in starting a paper.

Mr. Walter Davis left Monday for Abilene, where he will take a course in the Gatlin Business Salve. It is especially good for piles. College.

been with the Herald for some time, has gone to Carney to establish a newspaper.

Good fresh Jersey cows shipped from Lewis' farm at Tyler. 7 Get you a milch cow. T. W. Hudson.

100 Bushels of Harvell cotton seed for sale. Phone 42.

T. A. Williams, Haskell.

No danger of fire if you have a brick furnace for your laundry. See Chas. Jansky.

Mr. R. C. Montgomery, cashier of the Farmers National bank Mr. B. T. Lanier of Carney and Mr. O. E. Patterson, one of was in the city Tuesday. Ask our enterprising real estate and him how he was made a Bailey insurance men, visited Dallas this week.

> Those new belts at Alexander Better get one.

When your premises need cleaning up and any trash is to be hauled away call on city scavenger. L. A. Stewart.

Mr. Chas. C. Wood, representing Bards & Co. of New York, called on the business men of Haskell this week. They are publishing a complete gazatteer of West Texas in the interest of their trade as manufacturers of writing inks. The gazateer will contain a directory of business and professional firms.

Mr. Clarence Knight, now of Eastland, was in the city Tues-

wood for a good milch cow. G. B. Powell.

When you have or see any to pasture at 50 cts. per head per dead animals, chickens, etc. in mo. W. D. Hamilton, 6 miles town call L. A. Stewart, city

scavenger, phone No. 48. B. M. Whiteker made a business family, H. S. Post and family, T. A. Pinkerton and family, Miss Maggie Post and Miss Elma Mc-

a new Christian church at Sweetwater last Sunday.

Family Groceries

We offer to the public a choice stock of fresh, pure groceries. Your patronage is solicited.

Irby & Stephens

Those belts with comet buckles are the newest thing out. See them at Alexander Mercantile Company.

Insist upon DeWitt's Witch Hazel Sold by French Bros.

That most people like good biscuit and light, fluffy, wholesome bread is proven in the great success we have had in introducing and selling : : : :

"Queen of the Pantry'

flour. This flour is guaranteed to be made of choice selected wheat, thoroughly cleaned before being milled, and is bound to make wholesome and nutricious

Have You Tried it Yet?

Your attention is also invited to our general stock of groceries, which includes everything in the line of staple and fancy family groceries, flavorings, seasoning etc., and which we endeavor to have of the purest and best. Being an : : : : :

Exclusive Grocery Store

we buy in large quantities and are in position to make you the best prices. 4 1 1 1 1

W. W. FIELDS & SON.

Estray Notice.

THE STATE OF TEXAS County of Haskell.

Taken up by G. W. Lamkin and Estrayed on April 6th, 1908, FOR TRADE-Good mesquite One red muley cow, about 4 or 5 years old, no brand or mark, also when I bought a box of Bucklen's her calf, about 3 months old, no brand or mark. Appraised at fifteen dollars.

quested to come forward, prove ed to no other treatment." Sold unproperty, pay charges, and take der guarantee at Terrell's Drug Store. Messrs. W. W. Murphy and the same away, or it will be dealt with as the law directs.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this the 9th day

> of April, 1908. J. W. MEADORS, Clerk County Court Haskell Co.

It Reached the Spot. Mr. E. Humphrey, who owns

arge general store at Omega, O., and president of the Adams County Telephone company, as well as of the Home Telephone company, of Pike county, Ohio, says of Dr. King's New Discovery: "It saved my life once. At least I think it did. It seemed to reach the spot-the very seat of my cough—when everything else failed." Dr. King's New Discovery not only reaches the cough spot; It heals the sore spots and the weak spots and the weak spots in the throat, lungs and

Newest creations in ladies' belts at Alexander Mercantile Company.

chest. Sold under guarantee at Ter-

rel's Drug Store. 50c and \$1.00. Trial

bottle free.

Better Be Safe than Sorry.' Therefore insure your home with Sanders & Wilson & Mc

A Californian's Luck

"The luckiest day of my life was Arnica Salve," writes Charles F. Pudahn, of Tracy, California. "Two 25c boxes cured me of an annoying case of itching piles, which had The owner of said stock is re- troubled me for years and that yield-

POSTED

All persons are hereby forbidden to hunt, fish or hand wood or otherwise trespass on the premises known as the Sherrick pasture, now owned by me.

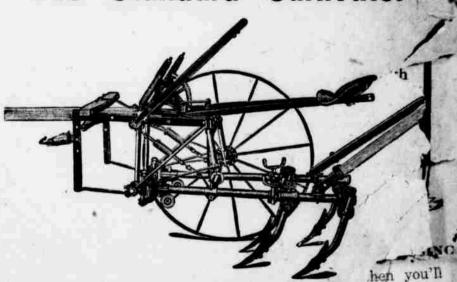
MRS. A. J. NOLEN.

The End of the World

should it come to-morrow would find fully of the people suffering with rheumatism of either slight or serious nature. Nobody need suffer rheumatism for Ballard's Snow Liniment drives away the trouble, relieves the pain instantly and leaves the user as well and supple ass two year old. Sold by Terrell's Drug Store.

When your food seems to nauseate take Kodol. Take Kodel now and until you know you are right again. There isn't any doubt about what it here by French Bros.

The Standard Cultivator



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Dealers in General Hardware, Imp.

I have opened a meat market on the north side of the square, where I will serve the best fresh meats to be obtained.

I will appreciate a share of your patronage.

Suggests Points of Interest.

The following letter from our State Commissioner of Agriculture suggests some points of interest for which we deem it worthy of reproduction.

Austin, Tex., April 25, 1908. Mr. J. L. Hicks, Editor Farmers Journal, Abilene, Tex:

DEAR SIR-I note with interest what you have to say with reference to land monopoly. The most practicable way to abolish land monopoly, in the absence of legislatson on the subject, is for each person who subject, is for each person who B. G. S. W. tills the soil to take my advice View, Miss and purchase a home before land mers when more and more of it passing into | tee at Terrell'

stent with the hands of the specu opportunities therebye it will d less every years for man to get a home. 30. ed tax on land, taTIONAL BA ence, may become NTGOMERY.

The landlord st and assist his ter feasible way to f crops, so as to n Christ Meetly. actual surplus qLee P. Mansfie dition is not muchristian College those who are thries of meetin soil, the facturday night, M many of them s indefinitely, ar corn and meat rybody to attended in the state of the stat duce all the fwill be in a tent for stock, as north of public abundance ole, come all No steering cleindulged in. stores and Elders Church of C

to speak, f preservation J. F. Pinkerton mands rotaed for the erection of a t means divering 30 by 60 feet on the Ye wooden building which

bring the Wer Brick Business

y fire two weeks ago, Commissing the I. O. O.F. hall, on ____ side of the square.

Doctors cott has the contract for B. Gebhard ion of the building and ern sanata work on the founda, where they lay, but has been delay where they care of all sae rain.

been especia Fine Wheat Promised.

moving tumquaty Commissioner C. viue s of the Sagerton pr is in attendance his week, says that wheat in his section values become prohibitory. You King's New Life o make 40 bush will do and you will find the truth of will agree with me that land is this statement verified after you have used Kodol for a few weeks. It is a id advancing in price all the while, or billiousness. ast rains have of meisture to m

THE WEEK'S EPITOME

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

FROM EVERYWHERE

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

Bishop Potter is confined to his room by a general physical break-

J. J. Franklin, the leading hog raiser of Oklahoma, is planting peanuts for fattening hogs.

The board of engineers for rivers and harbors will go to Louisiana and Texas early in June.

A bill appropriating \$250,000 for eyclone sufferers of the South was passed without opposition Saturday.

Judge Gray of Delaware has decidbe a candidate for Democratic nomination for Presidency.

George W. Peck, the funny man, for a leader among Wisconsoin Democrats arrived in Texas, for a visit, Saturday.

and three others seriously hurt in the milk. explosion of the heating plant of their engine house of the New Haven fire ptation.

teachers in the opinion of Rev. Wm. house, Park, of Asbury, M. E. Church, Seattie, Wash.

News has been received from the west coast of a revoluntionary outave started at the town of Cho- St. Louis. ear Lima.

famous revolutionary General, phon Turr, died in Budapest Saturv. He was a Garibaldian veteran at one time a confidential adviser Louis Kossuth.

t the meeting of the general conace of the Methodist Episcopal urch in Baltimore Wednesday there ere 800 delegates present, representg 3,000,000 members.

Four Italian laborers were killed, years 1863-68, inclusive, ee probably fatally injured in Al-Saturday when a sewer ch they were working colying the men under six feet

liser has abandoned the tip- urban from Chickasha to Sulphur. ern of moustache. He had e of his old one burned off. n liked the new style betold. The kaiser is stickto please her.

Grand Duke Paul Alexan at \$632,560. d cousin of the czar Saturn. The ceremony took sarkoe-Selo palace.

stal, who is manager later on.

doyes.

alled wess almost homa and Arkansas. wire hurt.

reamery at Med-

and the world.

Korea, acting in mign against the Korea.

The Guthrie Elks are discussing the proposition of erecting a home for the lodge, and decisive action will soon be

Reports Monday morning are to the effect that Mr. Cleveland is improving, and it is hoped that he will soon be able to get out.

Wataonga is to have a new bank. The name of the new institution is to be the State Guaranty Bank. The capital stock is to be \$15,000.

The death of Imperial Prince Kikumaro Yamashimaw was officially announced Sunday. His Highness, who was 35 years of age, was a captain in the Japanese navy.

For the last week cattle receipts at Fort Worth were about 10,000 head in excess of the run for the corresponding week a year ago and more than 16,000 than a week ago.

Mrs. Mary Cope, the present District Clerk of Fannin County, is a candidate for re-election, and Mrs. Virgie Milstead has announced as a candidate for County Treasurer.

After failing to prove his plea of insanity, Lem Fitch, of Fayetteville, ed that under no circumstance will he Ark., pleaded guilty on two charges of assault with intent to kill and was given five years in the penitentiary.

The Rip Van Winkle sleep of Mrs. two times governor of Wisconsin, and Beaulah Hawkins, of Los Angeles, which has lasted for eighty-five days was broken Saturday when the woman One fireman was fatally injured awakened and asked for a drink of and blue breasts. We cannot cap-

Will standley of Spring Valley, Ok .. township had the misfortune to lose a fine span of mules Saturday while Bachelors and old maids are not crossing Stillwater creek, one mile qualified to serve as Sunday school and a quarter south of the school-

Sidney Haten of Chicago won the Marathon race Saturday. Joe Forshaw of the Missouri A. C., Stfl. Louis, was second. Hatch's time was 2:29:56. cak in Peru. The movement is said | The race was from Freeburg, Ill., to

Governors of the various states and territories will hold an important conference with President Roosevelt at the White House May 13, 14 and 15 upon the subject of "Conservation of National Resources."

Representative Cooper has introduced a bill directing the Secretary of the Treasury to refund to the State of Texas \$5,502,401.24, being for money collected for taxes on cotton for the

At a meeting of the executive committee of the Chickasha, Ok., Commercial Club it was agreed to raise \$2500 at once as a contribution toward the cost of making a survey of an inter-

Canadian statistics show rapid growth in the exportation of mica from the Dominion. In the fiscal year 1896 the shipments were 558,419 pounds, valued at \$55,627; in 1906 Withelm of Sweden married 1,329,634 pounds, valued at \$335,591, Duchess Marie Paviovnia, and in 1907, 1,732,903 pounds, valued

So engrossed is he in the work on his farm, putting up fences and the A Complaining Spirit. like, that W. J. Bryan forgot Satur-Dallas is negotiating day night that he was to be the speaktch with Kid Lavigne er at the meeting o fthe Nebraska the City of Mexico in Traveling Men's Club at Lincoln, Af-He is now in correcter being called up by phone he apoi-Fred L. Hanscom of ogized and promised to make good

The Gulf Pipe Line Company and Commerce Commisthe Sun Company have posted a 2c spirit darkens everything about us. and the opinion that reduction in price of crude oil in all four months, unless a fields in Beaumont territory. The new ment in railway con- and old scale of prices follow: Spindlee, it will probably be top, new 64c, old 65c; Sour lake, new riers to either in 64c, old 66c; Humble, new 64c, old tes or reduce the 66c; Saratoga, new 63c, old 6-c; Bat-

son, new 60c, old 62c. empts at suicide in A strip of land about two and a quarorday six were suc- ter miles long and from 80 to 400 feet a record-breaking in width, lying immediately adjacent to Fort Smith, Ark., on the west, may Mont, was dyna- become a subject of litigation to det and derailed, termine whether it belongs to Okla-

The body of Dominic Cartino, a young Italian, was found in the street sold to Jacob of Seattle with a bullet hole through anagement will his heart and his clothing badly torn. ant in first-class. The police belive he wore a money ce its operation helt around his waist and this was

cut away from him by his assailants. iter, fell from a Hundreds of mining claims have in which he was been staked off on account of the disnio and was in- covery of copper ore ten mines southwest of Talban, N. M., several days at the means by which these birds therican Gov. ago. The excitement has just begun of black wing and blue breast may the invitation as an experienced miner discovered be driven away, or taken and de to visit Hong gold ore in a well being drilled at a stroyed.

depth of 200 feet. An early morning fire in a fouroffice of the Jap- story tenement at No. 17 Humbolt stal at Seoul, street, New York City, a thickly poping plans for an ulated district of Brooklyn, caused the ful.

injury of four others. ays and nights Jimmie Jones, aged 6, shot and inwamps by relent stantly killed Mary Gerboth, aged 5, at a good thing, as an infirm eye, or oseph, a negro, Jenks, twelve miles south of Tulsa, th his life for Ok. The tragedy occurred after a quar-

Port Gibson. rel about an hour before. f. Archer, a young Seven inches of snow fell in Buffaio, N. Y., Thursday and Thursday rejoice in infirmity, that the power of proprietor of the night. At Jamestown Friday morning Christ may rest upon me."

r Newkirk, Ok., is the snow was ten inches deep. six-legged lamb. W. J. Logan, a resident of Dallas. d legs, all even- for twenty-six years, during the greattal size. The er part of which time he was engaged formed and in the steam laundry business, died brighter until the perfect day. Sunday at his home.

THE GOSPEL FOR HARD TIMES

By REV. A. C. DIXON, D. D., of the Chicago Ave. (Moody's) Church, Chicago.

Read Psalm 77.



Florence Night ingale tells us that when she was on her way to the Crimean war. she heard from the sailors a weird story about birds with black wings and blue

breasts that flew across the Black sea during stormy weather, and sometimes perched on the masts. but had never been caught. On dark nights they

went to the Mohammedan graveyards, roosted on the boughs of the cypress trees, and mingled their doleful notes with the sighing of the winds. The Moslems declared that the spirits of the wicked dead dwelt in these birds, and that their plaintive notes were the wailing of the lost.

Now, into most of our lives there come at times birds with black wings ture and destroy them, and they almost turn our hearts into a cemetery. We have "the blues." . Webster says that the word "blues" is a contraction, he might have said a concentration, of blue devils." It is a word used in classic English, as is the word 'dumps." There is a state of mind which Shakespeare could describe only as the "dumps, so dull and heavy," and these hard times are apt to produce that state of mind.

While the author of this Seventy seventh Psalm was writing the first nine verses there was in his mind a whole flock of these birds with black wings and blue breasts. I believe that God allowed him to have the blues, in order that he might give us the Divine analysis of this state of mind. Having diagnosed the disease, he then gives us the cure.

Let us pluck the feathers from the wings of these blue-breasted birds and examine them one by one, that we may learn just the stuff that the blues are made of.

The first black feather is A Morbid Taste for Sorrow.

"My soul refused to be comforted." There was comfort to be had, but he did not want it. He preferred discomfort.

Some people are never quite so happy as when they are miserable. They pet their griefs. The second feather is

A Distorted View of God. "I remembered God and was troubled."

The remembrance of God ought to have given him pleasure. Infidelity speaks of a God "whose every thought is a star and whose dreams are constellations." He thinks not of men. Such a view of God is enough to give any one the blues.

The third black feather is

"I complained, and my spirit was overwhelmed."

The more you complain the more cause you will have for complaining. The squid blackens the water about it that it may hide itself in the blackness. It shuts out its own vision, in order that it may shut out the vision of others. And thus a complaining Another black feather is

Insomnia.

"Thou holdest mine eyes waking." It is hard to be cheerful when we cannot sleep. The darkness of the mind enters our soul, and gas light will not banish it. The flitting of black wings makes a rustle in our rooms that does not soothe us. Our nerves become tomtoms on which devils beat, rather than harp-strings upon which angels play.

Stil another black feather is The Memory of Good Times Gone. "I call to remembrance my song

in the night." Once he was a nightingale, filling the air with music; now he is screech-owl, filling it with discords The fact that he was once happy makes him miserable to-day. Former

wealth makes present poverty more oppressive; former health makes present sickness harder to bear. So much for the analysis of the

blues. Let us look for a moment at God's Cure;

First, let there be a clean-breasted

confession. "This," says the Psalmist, "is my infirmity." God is not to blame if I am blue

He would make me bright and cheer-I take the fault as my own. death of six persons and the serious He does not say that it is a sin. There is quite a difference between sin and infirmity. Infirmity is weakness of hand, or faith, or love.

Confession of sin brings forgiveness, but there must be no apology. If we whitewash our souls we shall not have them washed white. Paul said: "I

Again, faith in God is a good curr for the blues. The Psalmist says: "Thy way is in the sanctuary." to church. Find his way in the sanctuary; walk in it, and it will grow

BORAX IN THE DAIRY

A Matter of Profitable Interest to the Farmer and Dairyman

The problem of keeping sweet all the utensils used in connection with milk and cream selling, and butter making, has been a serious one with the farmer.

He has come to realize fully that the slightest taint or hint of staleness left in a can, tin or churn may ruin a whole output; that the taint which is left is in the form of bacteria which grow and multiply in milk or butter, producing disastrous results.

The farmer has learned that hot water won't rinse away the greasy residue in dairy utensils.

He has learned that soap leaves a residue of its own which is, if anything, worse than the milk or cream residue, and it is little wonder that that there has been a constant clamor for a dairy cleanser and sweetener that will meet modern requirements.

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"The trade ain't like it used to be,' he said. 'Here ten times running to-day I've asked for a bit of bread, and what do they give me? Why, durn it, just a bit o' bread."

Paving the Way. "George," said the pretty girl, "I

know you're awful bashful." This was portentous, with leap year so new. He blushed assent. "And you'd have proposed to me ex-

cept for that?" This, too, he was bound to acknowl-

"Well, I would have accepted," she went on, "and so that's settled." Discussing the matter later she expressed a natural pride that she had not taken any advantage of the sea-

Uminous.

"The bookkeeper," said the junior partner, "has been married nearly four months now."

"Well," demanded the senior partner, "what of that?" "Why, he hasn't asked for an crease in salary—"

"Heavens! We must have his accounts examined."-Catholic Standard and Times.

FRIENDS HELP.

St. Paul Park Incident

"After drinking coffee for breakfast I always felt languid and dull, having no ambition to get to my morning duties. Then in about an hour or so a weak, nervous derangement of the heart and stomach would come over me with such force I would frequently have to lie down.

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South American Tactics.

The battle was going against him. The commander-in-chief, himself ruler of the South American republic, sent an aid to the rear, ordering Gen. Blanco to bring up his regiment at once. Ten minutes passed, but it didn't come.

"My regiment! My regiment! Where is it? Where is it?" shricked

the commander. "General," answered the excited aid. "Blanco started it all right, but there are a couple of drunken Americans down the road and they won't let it go

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HANCOCK'S DEFECTS WERE MANY

Samuel Adams, Too, Strayed from the Path of Rectitude.

James Henry Stark paid his respects to John Hancock and Samuel Adams in a speech before the New England Historical Genealogical society at the meeting in the society's house on Somerset street, says the Boston Herald. The subject of the speech was "The Loyalists of Massachusetts Bay, Whose Memories Are Now Forgotten

by an Empire They Served So Well." "Samuel Adams," he said, "as tax collector of the city of Boston, defaulted, and his bondsmen were sued by a vote of the town. Judgment was rendered in this case for \$10,000. The city of Boston recently paid \$168 for the document giving the terms of this settlement, which is signed in Adams' own handwriting. This document is now in the city clerk's office at city hall.

"John Hancock was the greatest smuggler this country ever knew," continued Mr. Stark. "At the time of the American revolution he was under indictment for over a half million dollars. As treasurer of Harvard college, John Hancock defaulted all the funds of the college. When he died, 22 years later, the college got the money back from his estate.

"The loyalists represented the best class of people in the American colonies. The character of the revolutionary leaders like Adams and Hancock was not to be compared with the character of such loyalists as Winslow, Copley, Hutchinson and Sir Isaac Cof

"Hutchinson was one of the greatest men America has ever produced. He established the present boundary of Massachusetts and had it not been for him Berkshire county would now be a part of the state of New York.

"It was he who rid Massachusetts of an irredeemable paper money that all the other colonies were troubled with. "Sir Isaac Coffin was another great example, as he later became an admiral in the British navy.

"Interested motives caused most of the leaders of the American revolution to take part. This was done at the expense of the wealthy and educated class, who were at the head of affairs. These wealthy and educated persons were driven from the country, their estates confiscated and they were warned not to return under penalty of death."

The Amenities of Oysters.

One of the most profound remarks wer made by that profound philosoher Thackeray was when he passed wo tubs of oysters side by side, and e saw one was labeled "1 shilling a pzen" and the other "1 shilling 3 ence a dozen." He exclaimed: "How lose oysters must hate each other."

Well, "even an oyster may be cossed in love," and William Dean Howells has another tale to tell anent the psychology of the oyster. At one of the little suppers that the poe Longfellow gave to the brilliant Cambridge circle, James Russell Lowell paused with the pepper box poised above his plate of oysters to say whimsically: "It's astonishing how these fellows love pepper."

"Dear me! You don't say so!" ejaculated a nice, prosy old gentleman who used to sleep through the suppers. The temptation was too strong to be resisted, and Lowell was fairly launched into an account of how a red pepper, accidentally dropped into a basket of oysters, had been drawn out with half a dozen of the bivalves clinging to it, when the ever gentle Longfellow interposed to save his matter-of-fact old friend.-Woman's Home Companion.

Ransom's Reformation.

In a little town a few years ago there was a shiftless colored boy named Ransom Blake, who, after being caught in a number of petty delinquencies, was at last sentenced to a short term in the penitentiary, where he was sent to learn a trade. On the day of his return home he met a friendly white acquaintance, who asked:

"Well, what did they put you at in the prison, Ranse?" "Dey started in to make an honest

boy out'n me, sah." "That's good, Ranse, and I hope they

succeeded." "Dey did, sah."

"And how did they teach you to be

"Dey done put me in the shoe shop, sah, nailin' pasteboard onter shoes fo' soles, sah."-Youth's Companion.

Had Learned Something. "Ever notice it?" queried the party who propounds questions in sections.

"Did I ever notice what?" asked the

innocent bystander "That the longer a man is married the less he dodges when his wife throws things at him?" said the in-

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ALMOST A MIRACLE.

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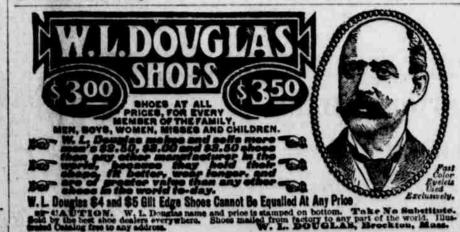
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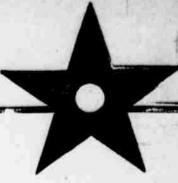


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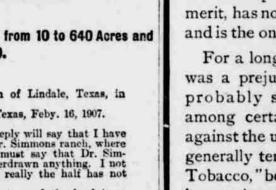
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CITATION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS. To the Speriff or any Constable of Haskell

That heretofore towit, on the first day January A D 1907, plaintiff was lawfully the unknown heirs of Clara Bass deceased are seized and possessed of a certain tract of land defendants, whose names and residences are to hereinafter described and holding the same in the plaintiff anknown, said petition alleging;fee simple: that on the day and year last afore-

That the premises so entered upon and wrongfully withheld by defendants from plaintiff are bounded and described as follows: 640 acres of land situated in Haskell County, Tex. known as survey No. 49, on the waters of Salt Fork of Brazos River, about 75, miles N. F. E. of its innetion with the Doublemounts n Fork of the Brazos, by virtue of Bounty Warrant No. 293 issued by William G. Cooke, Adjutant General, June 25th, 1847, the right to obtain said certificate having been transfered to R. D. Heck, October 25th, 1836 Beginning at a stake in the E. bank of the Brazos river set for the N. W. Cor of survey No. 48, in name of George G. Alford, from which a mesquite bears N. 760 E. 19 varas, another beats S. 3140 E. 30 varas and the N. W Cor of the A League of George G. Alford bears S. 4° 50' W. 4766 varas. Thence down the river with its meanders N 22º W. 1025 varas to a stake on the east bank from which a mesonite bears N. 659 W. 83 varas. Thence E. 5005 varas to a stake from which a Chittim 12 inches bears N 350 W. so varas, a mesquite bears S 48° E, 24 varas. Thence S 50 varas to a stake and mound in prairie Thence west 3611 varus to the beginning, and phtented to said R D Heck on 14th day of August A. D. 1874 by patent No. 669, Vol. 14. ng said land under a deed from M. G to G. C. McGregor dated March 5th, 1892. duly acknowledged on same day before A. rew County Clerk Lee County, Texas, and

> s of Haskell County, Texas, also under C. ember 18th, 1880, and duly acknowlagion County, Texas, and duly reol. 11, Page 76, of the Deed Records

on and wife Almedia McLendon d 344 deed records of Haskell County, Tx. stiff further show to the court that he is

at he has had peaceable and adverse posof said land and premises herelobefore d cultivating using and enjoying the paying all taxes due thereon, for a more than five years prior to the first warv A D 1967, and before the com-I this suit, and this he is ready to

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of prays that defendants be petition, and that he have mises, for his damages, for reneral and special relief have before said court,

showing show you

Afflerk of the District

and the seal of said office in Haskell this f March A. D. 1968.

CITATION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS. TO THE SHERIFF OR ANY CONSTA-BLE OF HASKELL COUNTY-GREETING:

You are nerely commanded to summon the You are hereby commanded to summon the anknown heirs of Randel D. Heck, deceased, unknown heirs of M. B. Menard deceased, the whose names and residences are unknown, by unknown heirs of Rebecca M. Thrasher demaking publication of this citation once in deceased, and the unknown heirs of Clara each week for eight successive weeks previous | Bass deceased, whose names and residences to the return day hereof, in some newspaper are unknown, by making publication of this published in your county, if there be a news- citation once in each week for eight successive paper published therein, but if not, then in any weeks previous to the return day hereof, in newspaper published in the nearest county some newspaper published in your county, if where a newspaper is published, to appear at there be a newspaper published therein, but if the next regular term of the District Court of not, then in any newspaper published in the Haskell County, Texas, to be holden at the | nearest county where a newspaper is published, Court House thereof. In Haskell on the 4th to appear at the next regular term of the Dis-Monday in May A. D. 1968, the same being the trief Court of Haskell County Texas, to be 25th day of May A. D. 1908, then and there to holden at the Court House ther. of, in Haskell answer the first amended original petition filed on the 4th Monday in May, 1908, the same bein said court on the 24th day of March A. D. ing the 25th day of May 1988, then and there 1968, in a suit numbered on the docker of said to answer the first amended original petition court No. 446, wherein Charles M. Meuregor | filed in said court on the 24th day of March A. is plaintiff and the unknown belts of Randel D. | D. 1908, in a suit numbered on the Docket of Heck deceased are defendants, whose names said Court, No. 47, wherein Charles M. Mcand residences are to the plaintiff nuknown. Gregor is plaintiff, and the unknown beirs of M B. Menard deceased, and the unknown or heirs of Rebecca M. Thrusher deceased, and

That heretofore towit, on the first day of said defendants entered upon said premises January A. D. 1997, pisintiff was lawfully and ejected plaintiff therefrom and wrongfully seized and possessed of a certain tract of land withhold the possession thereof from plaintiff hereinafter described, and holding the same in to his damage in the sum of Fifteen Thousand fee simple; that on the day and year last afore said defendents entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiff there from and wrongfully withhold the prossession thereof from plaintiff to his damage in the sum of Fifteen Thousand Dollars.

That she premises so entered upon and wrongfully withheld by defendents fron plaintiff are bound and described as follows 640 acres of land situated in Haskell county Texas, known as survey No. 47, on the waters of Brazos River about 72 miles N. 78 degrees W. of Belknap by virtue of unconditional certificate No 93 issued by the Board of Land Commissioners of Galveston county Texas, to George Delbret on March 6th, 1d45, and by him transfered to M. B. Menard Begining at the N. W. cor of servey No 46 by virtue of Toby Scrip No. 350, a stake on the bank of the Brazos River from which a cedar bears S. 630. E. 7 varas, another bears S. 57°, W. 7 varas Thence down the Brazos with its meanders N. 950 varas to a stake on the bank of the river from whice a mesquite is inches in diameter bears north, if E. 24 varus, another s inches in diameter bears S. M. E. 40 varas. Thence E. 3800 varas to a stake and mound in prairie Thence South 950 varas to a stake and mound in prairie. Theore west 170 varus pass the N. E. cor. of survey No. 46, and with its north boundry line of said survey in all 3800 varas to neiff further show to the court that he is the place of beginning, and patented to said M B. Menard on 11th day of December A. D. 1875, by Patent No. 485, Vol. 41.

Plaintiff further shows to the court that he is claiming said land under a deed from J. 1. recorded in Vol. 11. Page 557, Deed Campbell and wife Sarah M. Campbell to G. McGregor dated January 13th A. D. 1887, n Ann M. Giddings, Heber Stone and duly acknowleged before M. V. B. Sparks L. G. Stone to G. C. McGregor, County Judge of Lampasses county Texas, on said January 13th, 1887, and duly recorded in me day before A Jeffries Notary Pub- Vol. No. 9, page 260 and 261 of the deed records of Haskell County Texas, also under a deed from Anna P. McGregor, A. W. McGregor, unty, Texas, also under a deed | Hugh McLendon and wife Almedia McLendon McGregor, A. W. McGregor, to plaintiff Charles M. McGregor dated May 29th, 1995, and duly acknowledged by all said M. McGregor, dated May grantors before S. H. Clayton Notary Pablic 1905, and duly acknowledged by all the McLennan County Texas, on May 30th, 1905, grantors before S. H. Clayton Notary and duly recorded in Vol. 30, pages 342, 343 ic McClennan County, Texas, on May 30th and 344° deed records of Haskell County Lexus.

Plaintiff further shows to the court that he claiming said land under deeds duly registered, and that he has had peaceable and adverse possession of said land and premises hereinbefore described, cultivating, using and enjoying the same, and paying all taxes due thereon, for a period of more than five years prior to the first day of January A. D. 1907. and before the commencement of this suit, and this he is ready to verify

Plaintiff further shows to the court that he has had peaceable continuous and adverse nclosure of said land and possession by an actual enclosure of said land and premises hereintofore described, using cultivating and enjoying the same for a period of more than ten years prior to January 1st 1907, and before the commencement suit, and this he is ready to verify.

Plaintiff further shows to the court that he the claim or claims of the is unable to set out the claim or claims of the is, or the pretended claims of several defendant or the pretended claims of its for the reason that their the said defendants for the reason that their said several claims or pretended claims are to own, unless said defendants this plaintiff unknown, unless said defendants are asserting some kind of a claim or claims as Heck the patentee of said the heirs of M. B. Menard the patentee of said

land. Plaintiff farther shows to the court that the annual rent of said premises is of the value of

five hundred dollars. Wherefore Plainfiff prays that defendants h cited to answer this petition, and that he have le and restitution of the judgement for the title and restriction of the above described premises, for his damage, for cost of his suit and for general and special re lief, and he will ever pray etc, etc, etc.

Here'n Fail Not, but have before said Court, egular term, this writ at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same

Witness J. W. Meadors, Clerk of the Dis trict Court of Haskell County

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r. MRADOUS, Clerk District Court of Haskell County Haskell County, Tex.

SURPLUS

THE STATE OF TEXAS. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Haskell

CITATION

County-Greeting You are hereby commanded to summe Lous Czarinkow and George Winslow, whose residences are unknown, and the heirs of Louis Czarinkow whose names and residences are unknown, and the heirs of George Winslow whose names and residences are anknown by making publication of this Citation once in each week "preight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county if there be a news paper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the nearest county where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Haskell County, to be held at the Court House thereof, at Haskell, on the 4th Monday in May 1908, the same being the 25th day of May, 1908 then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 25th day of March, 1908, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 495, wherein I. C. Douglass, Mrs. Ada Douglass, Mrs. L. R. Brenan, Mrs. Willie Webb, Clifford Douglass, Sr., Clifford Douglass, Jr., John Donglass, Guy Douglass, a minor, and his Guardian Mrs. Steward Douglass are plaintiffs, and Louis Czarinkow and George Winslow, and the heirs of Louis Czarinkow, de ceased, whose names are unknown, and the heirs of George Winslow deceased, whose names are unknown, are defendants, said petition alleging that on or about the first day of January, 1908, plaintiffs were lawfully seized and possessed of the following described land and premises situated in Haskell County, Tex holding and claiming the same in fee simple to-wit: 320 acres of land the same being the Simon P. Ford Survey, Abstract No. 139 and patented to Louis Czarinkow and George Winslow assignees of Simon P. Ford on 7th Dec. 1858, by virtue of Bounty Certificate No. 9629 issu d by B. T. Archer, Secretary of War on 7th of November, 1840, and transferred by said Ford to B. F. Mott and by said Mott transferred to said Czarinkow and Winslow on 5th December 1840, and described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at the N. E. corner of Survey No. 79 John A. Heuser and the N. W. cor of this survey from which a mesquite bears E 17% varas, another bears 8 20 W. 41 varas; Thence East 1140 5-10 varas to stake for N. E. corner from which a mesquite bears N. 20 E. 2014 varas, another S. 85 W. 49

to the place of beginning. That on the day and year last aforesaid de fendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiff's therefrom and unlawfully withholds from them the possession thereof to their damage \$6000.00. That the reasonable annual rental value of said land and premises is \$100.00

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Plaintiffs further show to the court that they are claiming said land and premises as the lawful heirs of James S. Douglass, deceased. under a General Warranty Deed executed by Simon Weise to said James S. Donglass, now deceased, on the 15th day of September 1854 and duly and legally acknowledged by said Simon Weise on the 15th day of September A. D. 1854 before Thomas H. Brenan, Notary Public, Jas per County, Texas, and duly recorded in Vol 17 page 350 Deed Records of Haskell County, Texas, conveying by proper description said Certificate No. 9629 by virtue of which said 329 acres of land was located, surveyed and pat-

Plaintiffs further show to the court that they tered and that they have had peaceable and from them the possession thereof, to adverse possession of said land and premises their damage \$500.00. hereinbefore described cultivating, using an enjoying the some, and paying all taxes due thereon for a period of more than 5 years prior to the first day of January 1908 and before the the commencement of this suit and this they are ready to verify

Wherefore they pray Judgment of the court The plaintiffs further show to the court that they have had peaceable, continuous and adverse possession by an actual enclosure of said land hereinbefore described, cultivating and using and enjoying the same for a period of 16 years prior to the 1st day of January, 1908, and pefore the commencement of this suit, and this they are ready to verify.

Wherefore they pray Judgment of the court The plaintiffs further show to the court that they are unable to set out the claim or claims of the several defendants, or the pretended claims of said defendants for the reason that their several claims or pretended claims and the nature thereof are to the plaintiffs unknown.

Wherefore plaintiffs pray that the defendant e cited in the terms of the law to appear and answer this petition and that the plaintiffs have Judgment of the court for the title and ssession of the above described land, and that writ of restitution be issued, and for rents, damages and costs of suit, and for such other and further relief, special and general. in law and in equity, that they may be justly entitled

Herein Fail Not, but have before said court on the 1st day of the next term thereof, this writ with your return thereon showing how on have executed the same Witness J. W. Meadors, Clerk of the District

ourt of Haskell County Given under my hand and seal of said court, in the town of Haskell, this the 25th day of March A D. 1908. SEAL J. W. MEADORS, Clerk District Court Haskell County.



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CITATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of

Haskell county-Greeting: You are hereby commanded to summon the unknown heirs of Mathew Willoughby, deceased, Leiper Willoughby and the unknown heirs of Leiper Willoughby, deceased, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for eight successive 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 thirty-ninth Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said thirty-ninth 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 Hasketl, Tex., on the 4th Monday in May A. D. 1908, the same being the 25th day of May A. D. 1908, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 14th day of March A. D. 1908, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 493, wherein J. C. Dyer, W. E. Dyer, C. S. Dyer, Ella Dyer, Esta Swinney, George Swinney, J. T. Dyer, Josie Starnes and A. E. Starnes are plaintiffs, and the unknown heirs of Mathew Willoughby, deceased, Leiper Willoughby and the unknown heirs of Leiper Willoughby, deceased, are defendants, and said petition alleging that on the 1st day of September, 1907, plaintiffs were lawfully seized and possessed of the following described land situated in Haskell county, Texas, holding and claiming the same in fee simple, towit: 320 acres of land and being Abstract No. 420, Patent No. 1325, Vol. 12, third class, patented to Mathew Willoughby on the 30th day of May 1856 by virtue of certificate No. 186 issued to Mathew Willoughby on the 14th day of April, 1847, Beginning at the N E corner of B F Clark's survey No. 84 from which a Mesqt. bears S 623 W 14 vrs, another bears 8 21 E 731 vrs. Thence north 420 vrs a creek-1585 vrs corner from which a Mesqt. brs S 34 E 401 vrs, an other bears S 46 E 45 vrs. Thence west 11401 vrs a stake. Thence south 1585 vrs the N W corner of No. 84 from which a Mesqt, bears N 521 W 8 2-10 vrs, another bears east 85 varas Thence east 340 vrs a creek, 1140} vrs. the place of beginning.

That on the day and year aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiffs are claiming said land under deeds duly rega- therefrom, and unlawfully withhold

That the certificate for said land and legally sold to D. Grady on the on the 15th, and attended to 6th day of February 1849 by Leipn Willoughby administrator of the estate of the said Mathew Willoughby in accord with an order of the Probate court of Fayette county, Texas; that said land was sold by valid deed by said D. Grady through his lawfully constituted attorney A. C. Foster, to Jeseph M. Dyer, deceased, and plaintiffs have title to said land by inheritance from and under

Joseph M. Dyer, deceased. That plaintiffs and those under whom they claim, have had and held peaceable and adverse possession of said land, cultivating, using and enjoying the same, and paying taxes thereon, and claiming same under deeds duly registered, for more than five years after any cause of action accrued to defendants.

That plaintiffs and those under whom they claim. have had peaceable and adverse possession by actual enclosure of said land, cultivating, using and enjoying the same for more than ten years after any cause of action accrued to defendants.

That defendants Leiper Willoughby and the unknown heirs of Leiper Willoughby, deceased, assert some kind of claim by virtue of a conveyance from D. Grady to Leiper Willoughby, and any further claim asserted by any of said defendants is unknown to plaintiffs,

Wherefore plaintiffs pray judgment of the court that defendants be cited to appear and answer herein, and that they have judgment for the title and possession and restitution of the above described land, for their damages, costs of suit and for such other and further relief, special and general legal and equitable, as they may be justly entitled to.

Herein fail not, but have before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, J. W. Meadors, Clerk of the District Court of Haskell county. Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Haskell, Texas, this the 14th day of March A. D. 1908 J. W. MEADORS, Clerk,

District Court, Haskell County.

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REPUBLICAN COUNTY CON-VENTION.

Endorses Roosevelt Adminis tration, Elects Delegates.

The republicans of Haskell couniy met in county convention lows: last Tuesday and elected delegates to the Congressional convention which meets at Colorado was issued to Mathew Willoughby as on the 12th and to the state conhereinbefore stated and was regularly | vention which meets at Ft Worth other matters of importance to their party affairs in county and state.

> The meeting was presided over by chairman A. B. Mason and the permanent secretary having moved away the convention elected W. H. Pearsey as temporary secretary and later elected him porary organization was made as permanent secretary.

The committee on resolutions submitted, in part, the following resolutions which were adopted by the convention.

"The Republicans of Haskell county, loyal to the principles necessary to perfect the organiand policies of the National Ad- zation. These are to report at ministration, have been unwilling to abandon the hope that Theo- held in Haskell the first Saturday dore Roosevelt might again be in June. chosen the standard-bearer of the party in the coming campaign. will be named Haskell Republi-

"Recognizing, though, that our can Club. earnest wish may not be gratified through the action of the President himself in refusing to permit his own renomination, our fies the ideals of the President.

to the President, we express the opinion thet since he will not be prevailed upon to permit himself to be renominated, we believe that the interests of the party and the country demand the nomination of William H. Taft."

The convedtion heartily endorsed the administration of Col. mitteeman and state Chairman, are complied with. and the delegates to the District and State conventions were instructed to vote for him as a delemittee from Texas.

The delegates to the congres- that capacity.

sional convention were instructed to vote for J. A. Smith of ElPaso and John B. Baker of Haskell for delegates to the National convention from this the 16th district.

Delegates elected were as fol-State convention, Burl Cox, J.

E. Lindsey, B. Seal and Jno. B. Baker with R. H. Penick, Dr. Rodgers, C. W. Faulkner and George Rice as alternates.

Congressional Convention, J. E. Lindsey and Jno. B. Baker alternate.

After the convention adjourned a republican Club was organized. Dr. Kline was elected temporary chairman and Jno. B. Baker temporary secretary. The tempermanent and Burl Cox was elected president and Dr. Kline

Committees were appointed on by-laws and membership and such other committees as are their next meeting, which will be

It is understood that the Club

Church of Christ Meeting.

Evangelist Lee P. Mansfield of loyalty to the principles and poli- Lingleville Christian College will cies which Theodore Roosevelt begin a series of meetings in has inaugurated and vitalized re- Haskell Saturday night, May 30. mains unchanged, and we pledge to continue indefinitely, and we ourselves to the nomination of request everybody to attend these the candidate who by his career services and hear him. This and his utterances best exempli- meeting will be in a tent one or two blocks north of public square. "While renewing our loyalty Come one, come all. No abusewill be indulged in.

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Rural Routes Approved.

The poatal department has notified Postmaster Baker that rural routes Nos. 2 and 3 will be put in operation as soon as the Cecil A. Lyon as National com- requirements of the inspector

Mr. Clarence Baker of Lockgate at large to the National con- ney, a nephew of Mr. Jno. B. vention and for his re-election as Baker, has been appointed asa member of the National com- sistant postmaster at this place and has assumed his duties in

pleased to welcome . family, who are to c our town.